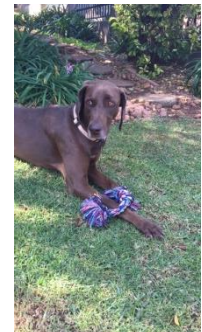


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Now that we have shared the exciting news that we plan to live under the Maple Leaf and being called back to the cold white tundra; we will answer some commonly asked questions. We do plan to make this a longer commitment of at least 5 YEARS. Our roles will change slightly. Parker's role as IT Admin will be very similar, thankfully there are fewer people in the office and area that he will be overseeing. OM Canada is more of a sending field compared to OM Africa Area that is a sending and receiving field. Megan's role will change and fit her personality better as a Missions Coach. What this entails is one on one coaching with Canadians looking to join OM, training/Get Ready seminar, international travel (GO Conference & field visits), and allows flexibility to work from home and aid in the advancement of His Kingdom.

The office that we plan to live near is located in Port Colborne, Ontario Canada. This is about 45 minutes from Buffalo, NY and Niagara Falls as well as an hour and half from Toronto, Ontario. Port Colborne is also located between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. Living in or near Port Colborne will be a pleasant transition after living in the metropolitan of Pretoria, South Africa. As for a timeline, we plan to return to the States February 2018 for some much needed time with family and friends. From there we plan to meet with churches and partners... touring Minnesota once again. We already have set a deadline of July 2018 to be transitioning to Canada.



With those answers in tow we see how blessed we are here to be working with such a diverse team. God has blessed us once again with a house sitting gig that comes with an active dog whom we adore. In the office we hear of much advancement to the Kingdom through projects and teams such as media trek, Africa trek, Freedom Climb, Trafficwise, and AIDS Link.

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Megan has been granted one ministry day outside of the office a week. She serves at the MDT base as caterer. This particular day she is learning different cultural meals from Singaporean to English to South African. Megan loves this form of ministry for its multitude: filling in for the need of caterers on base and the ability to mentor the trainees she works with in the kitchen.



Look for an email from us in the next few months to schedule a time to meet with us when we return. We would absolutely love to share how our new roles will affect the sharing of the gospel, share stories from our experiences in South Africa, and to catch up on how God has been speaking to your hearts over the past year.

### Up Coming Events

July 10<sup>th</sup> MDT Graduation dinner @The Link  
July 12<sup>th</sup> MDT Graduation Ceremony  
July 21 & 22 Traffickwise Seminar Training (Human Trafficking/Slavery)  
August 5 & 6 Art Beat event on Story Telling through art  
August 9<sup>th</sup> Freedom Climb Fundraiser

*\*\*\*Don't know what these events are??? Send Megan an email for her to share more\*\*\**

### Challenges

\*Prayer for many IT people to feel called to Africa and South Africa; for enough time, that Parker can train his replacement before we exit the team.

\*Prayer for this MDT trainee team as they go out into the world to follow the call

\*We filed taxes for South Africa and we don't have to pay in.... we also do not get anything back.

\*We do ask for continued prayer for and from our current financial partners for continued support during the upcoming transition in 2018.

### Praises

\*For all the improvements that have taken place at the MDT base the past 5 and 30 years.

\*Praises for Megan's "replacement" at Events Coordinator. She will arrive in September 2017

\*We also request prayer for new financial partners to join our ministry team.

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