



**“Thy mercy, O Lord, is in the heavens and thy faithfulness reaches unto the clouds.” Ps. 36:5**

**Dear Praying and Supporting Friends,**

***Faith... “without faith it is impossible to please God”...***

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[March 1, 2005 Update](#)



Working via emails and then by a high frequency radio link to New Tribes missionary, Jonathan Kopf, deep in the highlands of Papua New Guine, we learned that our special friend is **Idiya** of the **Hewa** tribe. His father is a Paielan and his mother is a Hewan. He speaks both of those languages and

has also learned to speak the Melanesian Pidgin language from Kopfs. Jonathan says “Idiya is a very bright young man and really enjoys hanging out with our son Micah.”

Recently Idiya, with the help of his dad, built a brand new little house as part of his preparation to become a man. Idiya was so excited about his new house that he invited Micah and Jonathan over to spend the night. Jonathan says, “Please pray that Idiya, his family and tribe will come to **faith** in Christ as they hear and understand the Gospel.”

Jonathan and Susan Kopf along with Keith and Angie Copley have learned the Hewa language and are now translating portions of the Bible and lessons for clear Gospel presentations in the Hewa language. Translation through Genesis 31 is done and ready for printing. The Hewa mission team hopes to have enough translation and literacy completed to begin teaching Genesis in April. Work among the Hewa was started in 2000 and supported by aircraft. They need the Kodiak now because avgas must now be imported costing \$4.90/gallon while jet fuel is available locally for \$1.70/gallon.

The Kodiak is needed to sustain these types of crucial ministries worldwide. Thirty-six senior mission leaders and Board member from five of our six participating missions came to Quest for meetings during our February Open House event. Their need is becoming increasingly urgent. Avgas in Senegal just jumped from \$3.86 to \$7.49 per gallon. The mission Piper Aztec aircraft is in danger of being grounded due to nearly \$200 per hour in fuel costs.

**Our next Open House is April 14 from 9:30-2:30.**

Please RSVP if you care to come see what God is doing at Quest Aircraft.

**Please be part of this exciting effort with your gifts:**

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**The Kodiak is home again with a new look ...**

Kelly Mahon flew the Kodiak to Phoenix for paint. The trip home took 5:35 minutes without refueling and with 70 gallons reserve. Kelly averaged 174 knots true airspeed at 12,500 ft. That is fast for no gear leg fairings yet or wheel fairings on those big tires. The color is to remind all old bush pilots of the days when real men flew nothing but yellow Supercubs and Beavers. This is “The New Beaver.”

The Quest Trustees have struggled since last fall with the urgent need to move ahead with our manufacturing building expansion and to secure production machinery.

On January 28, the Board made a unanimous and courageous decision to move ahead in **faith**. We could not delay any longer or we would not be able to begin Kodiak production in early 2006. This **faith** step carries with it significant immediate funding pressures. We rest in God’s faithfulness, through all of us, and thus had little choice but to again press on together in this calling -to **walk by faith**.

We begin commercial sales in May and can begin spending those deposits in 2006 and expect sufficient commercial profits by 2007 to become self-funding. Thank you for standing with us to get us from here to there successfully.



**Our building to be up by July  
if funding can be secured.**

Together in Christ,

*David L. Voetmann*  
For the Quest Team