

Missionaries with South Carolina Connections



David and Lisa Johnson are missionaries in Madagascar.



BIOGRAPHY

David and Lisa Johnson have served since March 2000 as missionaries for The Church of the Nazarene in Madagascar.

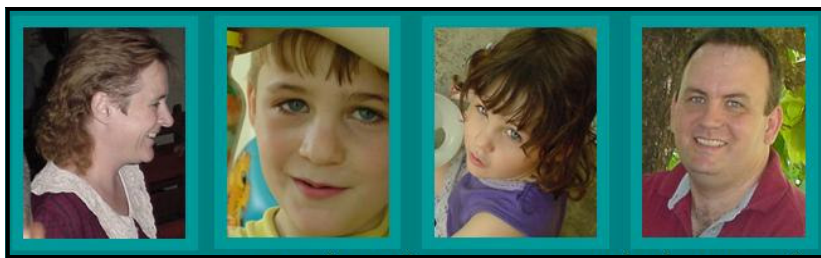
They have worked in Northern Madagascar on the island of Nosy Be establishing youth work and assisting the local Nazarene congregation.

They now live in the capitol city of Antananarivo, which is in central Madagascar. They are working predominantly in the area of compassionate ministries. David is the director of compassionate ministries for Madagascar, which includes a street kids center, in the capitol city, which serves 300 children daily.

Lisa is the coordinator of child sponsorship for Madagascar and home schools their two daughters, Lauren and Amanda.



THE STARGELS IN HAITI



Fact Sheet

Introduction:

Scott and Linda Stargel are global missionaries with the Church of the Nazarene serving for the last eight years at Haiti Nazarene Bible College. Scott is from South Carolina and Linda from Michigan; they met while attending Nazarene Theological Seminary where they both graduated in 1994.

Scott is president of the Bible College and Linda is professor of Old Testament and Theology.

The Stargels currently reside in North Carolina.

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Scott – 12-30-64 - B.A. English (Trevecca Nazarene University); M.A. & M.Div. (Nazarene Theological Seminary)

Linda – 06-13-64 – B.S. Nursing (Grand Valley State University); M.Div. (Nazarene Theological Seminary)

Nicolas – 12-19-95; Rebecca 12-17-97



Phil and Ruthie Webb



Phil and Ruthie Webb are members of Greenville 1st church of the Nazarene. The Webb's have 5 children (4 boys and a girl). Jeremy, 24, works and lives in Greenville; Zac, 22, a senior at Trevecca; Micah, 18, just graduated from his high school in Thailand and has returned to the U.S. to attend college; Logan-Seth, 15, will begin 10th grade in Thailand; and Hannah, 9, beginning 5th grade in Thailand as well.

Both Phil and Ruthie felt the Lord's call on their lives to missions as children. After marriage they thought that this calling could be fulfilled by doing short-term mission work with Work & Witness trips. In 1994 Phil's job with Michelin Tire R&D moved Phil and Ruthie along with their 4 little boys to France. This, too, it seemed was a way to fulfill their call to missions. Although God used them in these ways it was clear that being full time missionaries was the next step that God was ready for them to take.

Phil and Ruthie attended the Nazarene Cross-Cultural Orientation and have been through Nazarene mission assessment in Kansas City. Their call to Thailand/SE Asia/the '10/40 Window' was so strong that In 2005, upon resignation from Michelin, Phil and Ruthie

and their 3 youngest children moved to Thailand to serve in an HIV/AIDS home for orphaned children before anything was available within the Church of the Nazarene.

For the first 2 years the Webb's volunteered at the children's home, but felt that God was leading them on. In faith, they stepped out of this role and within months the Lord opened the door for them to join the Nazarene Southeast Asia (SEA) field family. They have been transitioning into the role of Nazarene Compassionate Ministries (NCM) Coordinators for SEA. Upon returning to Thailand they will assume full time responsibilities, volunteering in this position.

Donations given for the ministry of Phil and Ruthie Webb are 10% approved specials.

Individuals or churches could send in funds and they would need to have three things:

- 1) Name**
- 2) Place of Service**
- 3) Type of Ministry**

In the Webb's case, their name, Thailand and Mission Corps. This information enables the Global Treasury Services office to know how to route the funds and that it is an approved ministry.