

Keeping up with the Joneses

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Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. ~Philippians 4:6
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Personal Update

Since we have begun preparing for our trip to Bolivia, things seem to have been happening quickly. We are currently enlisting the support of our friends and church family in Winston-Salem. We look ahead to the summer when we will be attending conferences and trying to get everything squared away before we leave. It's a lot to keep track of, but God is our strength in all of it and we are continuing to see Him work



Brandon received his M.A. from Wake Forest University in May.

through the help of those around us and we are thankful for that.

Brandon graduated from Wake Forest University with a Master's in Mathematics in

May after two years of hard work.

Jamie's school year is nearly finished, and she has learned a lot from her first year in the public school system.

Teaching and sharing
God's Word in Bolivia
through SIM

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May 2007

Special points of interest:

- Brandon and Jamie are preparing for their trip to Bolivia through summer training
- Brandon has graduated from Wake Forest
- Jamie is nearing the end of her first year of teaching

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www.brandonandjamiejones.com

Yes, that is a real website. We are going online. This will be our last mailed newsletter. From now on, we will update the website with news and prayer requests. On the site is information about us, our ministry, and even photos from our wedding.

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Go to our website and sign up to receive email notifications of website updates

Trusting God for all things

One of the blessings of stepping out of our comfort zones is that we are required to rely on God more than we normally do. For us, the next year will provide many opportunities for us to trust God for all things.

Firstly, we'll be living in a new country, on a foreign continent. Secondly, both of us

will be doing things we are not trained to do. Jamie, a trained teacher, will be teaching 7th & 8th grade English and social studies, not her usual Spanish, and Brandon, a trained mathematician, will be teaching high school math. Pray that we will trust in God for all our needs and at all times.

Carachipampa needs teachers

Like most other schools providing education to the children of missionaries, CCS relies on men and women who follow God's call to go and teach on the mission field. All personnel must come under a mission agency, and raise their own support.

Since most teachers come as short-term



missionaries, the school nearly always faces a staff shortage. Please pray that God will provide teachers for the coming year. (And consider if God might be calling you to be one).

Family Updates

We're not the only ones with exciting news and plans in our lives. We'd like to keep you updated on the adventures that our families have been involved in recently.

Jamie's family– The whole family except for Sarah (sister), are making plans to move out west to Colorado. Melanie (mother) has been working there for several weeks as a traveling nurse. The

family is thoroughly enjoying the western lifestyle and environment. As the family finalizes their moving plans, please pray that God guides them to the place He has picked for them, and for Kim (sister), who is looking to continue in school. Also pray for Sarah as she graduates from high school and takes the next step. She was accepted to Anderson University in Anderson, SC, and

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will attend in the fall, studying math.

Brandon's family– Marsha and Gordon (parents) reside in Fort Mill, SC, and have been and will continue to work in the SIM headquarters in Charlotte. Aaron and Simon (brothers) are still in school and are doing quite well. Please pray for Marsha's new Sports Friends Ministry through the International SIM Office as the program is just getting off the ground. Pray for Aaron as he goes on to graduate school at UNC Chapel Hill.

Financial Update

We give our **deepest thanks** to those who have contributed to our ministry. So far, we have raised about \$6,000 out of the approximately \$24,000 we need to raise.

Anyone who would like to give financially to our ministry

can send a check to:

SIM USA
P.O. Box 7900
Charlotte, NC 28241

payable to SIM USA, with
“STA# 12557 Support Acct” on
the check.