



# Teague Family Missions: Côte d'Ivoire, West Africa



*"Pursuing God together in the power of the Holy Spirit for an increasingly redeemed and transformed Africa."*

May 2017



Lillian, Luke, Kristy, Tim  
visiting the A/G Bible  
Institute in Katadji.

## Our first month

We made it to the Ivory Coast! We arrived on April 11th and have now spent seven weeks in Abidjan. Our first week was a culture shock, and every day we find ourselves learning something new. All of us have been practicing French. We travel north next week to Daloa where Tim will be teaching Missions at one of the Bible institutes.



Special thanks to Pastor Mamour for hosting us at their church in Angre, where Tim preached in April.

## Family Praise Reports

- Our daughter, Sarah, has finished her 2nd year at Missouri State. She is majoring in journalism and communications, and we are very proud of her hard work and determination.
- Luke and Lillian have just completed their first year of home school. We had a very busy and stressful school year because of itineration and the move, but they did great, and we *all* learned a lot!

## A Place to Stay

- Our first few weeks, we searched for a house to rent. We found a home in Abidjan, and we are waiting to move in during June. Special thanks to *Africa's Hope* for helping us load a container which is being shipped to the port in Abidjan. It has household items plus supplies for the national church.
- Please join us in prayer that our container arrives soon and we are able to get it out of port with no problems.

## Partnering with the National Church

We have been honored to partner with the Ivorian church, and we look forward to building relationships and doing ministry with others during our time here in Ivory Coast. Tim has preaching in churches and meeting with leaders. We received our membership cards identifying us as Ivory Coast ministers!



The women's ministries (AOC) in Ivory Coast celebrate in May the service Christian women do for the church.

Their theme is, "Lève-toi et brille," Rise and shine for the glory of the Lord! (Isaiah 60:1)

We were given special cloth to have outfits made to celebrate!





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## Unreached People Groups

Our primary purpose as missionaries is to reach the "unreached." Since 2013, we have been helping to plant and build churches in the north where many areas are 0% reached with the gospel.

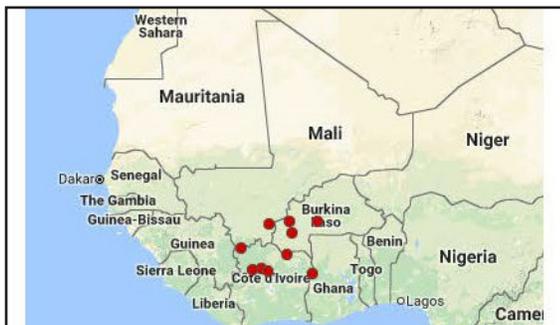
One of the first families to welcome us to the Ivory Coast is from this region. The couple serve in a local church and are helping our mission build tabernacles in the north.

What a blessing to hear their testimony! Both were raised in strict Islamic homes, but through the power of the Holy Spirit and Christian witnesses, they now serve the Risen Lord - Jesus Christ!

Twice a year they take a month to worship in their home and provide an Agape feast every night. Tim was asked to speak to the group on the topic of Thanksgiving.

What a confirmation that we are exactly where God wants us to be. Not only are we celebrating "Thanksgiving" early, but we are privileged to do so with members of one of the people groups we are reaching out to in the north.

God is showing us favor, providing insight, and giving us friendships that will last a lifetime. Please join us and this precious family in praying for the Malinké people that they will join the chorus of nations that give praise to Jesus!



## Online Giving

- For our supporters, online giving is now available at: <https://giving.ag.org> - Search for Teague, Tim. Account #264485.
- Traditional monthly support pledge forms can still be submitted by mail or faxed to:

**Assemblies of God World Missions**  
**Attn: Contributions**  
**1445 N. Boonville**  
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*This is how God showed his love among us: He sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins... Since God so loved us, we ought to love one another."*  
**(1 John 4:9-11)**

*For the Harvest,*  
*Tim and Kristy Teague*