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# THE SHANNONS

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**Mark 16:15 And  
He said unto  
them, go ye into  
all the world, and  
preach the gospel  
to every creature.**

Dear Fellowlabourers,

We are thankful for your prayer and financial support. Below are a few of the things God has done as we labor together on the Tohono O'Odham Reservation.

### May

We had a good time of fellowship with the missionaries from IBIMI, at the annual retreat held at our church. It was encouraging to hear reports of how God is blessing the churches on the various reservations. The messages Pastor Leonard brought were just what we all needed.

Our youngest granddaughter, Rebecca, graduated from kindergarten. She is home schooled and we had a graduation for her at the church.

### June

We were able to pass out a packet to the houses in Chuichu and Cocklebur. These packets included a gospel tract, information on the church, an invitation to the day camp and VBS, as well as some treats.

A group from Harvest Baptist in Pennsylvania helped with a VBS in Cocklebur and Ak Chin. Several young people asked Jesus to save them during this meeting. One was our grandson, Brandon. We thank the Lord for His blessings on these meetings.

The junior age children went to camp and all enjoyed a great time.

### July

The week of July 4<sup>th</sup> we had day camp in Ak Chin. Adults, teens, and children from many villages attended. Two adults and one girl were saved. Bro. Dale Vance did the preaching. Dale's dad, Pastor Sam Vance, brought the rest of his family out the same week. They were a blessing to us all.

This month we have had several dust storms. You may have seen pictures of one on the national news. We also have had heavy rains a couple of times. One night when we were coming home from the day camp the road was really flooded. I was not sure we would be able to make it through all of the water. The high wind took off a big portion of the shingles on the Casa Grande Church. I am thankful that the insurance paid for the damages. This is normal weather during the monsoon season in the desert. We go months with no rain then all at once we are flooded.

In Christ,

*Jay and Becky Shannon*

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