

Training The Next Generation of Missionary Pilots

Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples! (Psalm 96:3

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While most of my responsibilities involve technology and computers, I occasionally have the privilege of observing or acting as a safety pilot for MATA students as they build flight time hours or practice their procedures. Student Nate Mills (on right) grew up as a Messianic Jew in Israel and also served with the Israeli Defense Force (IDF). We are regularly blessed with his insight and knowledge of customs and culture from the Holy Land. On an October flight to Eastern Washington he was the one educating me on the proper pronunciation of words such as "Ephrata".



Nate Mills (on right) takes a selfie of us flying over Eastern Washington.



Missions Fest Seattle 2020 **Goes Virtual**

The purpose of Missions Fest Seattle is to glorify God by raising the awareness of mission activity within Christ's body of believers and by uniting and empowering members of local congregations to work together in obedience to the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20). Unfortunately, this citywide missions conference is unable to have an "inperson" event this year. The good news is that all the inspiring speakers and seminars will be held online at "scatter2020.com" and will continue to encourage Christians to be involved with missions.

God Reveals His Works For MATA Construction Project

God continues to grow MATA. During late September the MATA board of directors approved a project for needed classrooms to be constructed above our front office. The budget for this project is \$100,000. We casually mentioned this need in the October thank you letter we sent to donors. Amazingly, God suddenly blessed this ministry at MATA with \$61,000 for construction after only two weeks, and we have yet to begin a fund raising campaign! We are blessed to see God work here at MATA.

Mission Aviation Fellowship To Loan Eygabroad Family to MATA

Alumni Bryan Eygabroad who has been working in Lesotho, Africa, announced a couple of days ago that his family plans to come to MATA to help with our operations. This is a major blessing for us as MATA transitions (hopefully) into an FAA Part 141 operation and begins to train foreign nationals to return to their own culture as Missionary Pilots. We hope to see this family early next year.

Praise: Our son Graham has now completed the first few weeks of his job as an HVAC/R technician. He reports that things are going really well and that he is enjoying his new job.

We also praise Him that He is in control of world events and that he continues to direct His people for great purposes.

We praise him that my brother Allan can come join with us in

celebration during this Thanksgiving season. We especially praise God for <u>you</u> who pray and partner with us financially. Without **YOU** we are unable to do our ministry here at MATA to train the next generation of pilots who will erve Him around the world.

Prayer: Please pray for the MATA construction project, that the City of Arlington will grant a permit soon so that we can begin assembling needed classrooms.

Please pray for the Eygabroad family as they prepare to come and minister with MATA. Pray that all the paperwork will be approved soon for them to transport their adopted African daughter with them back to the United States.

Please continue to pray that MATA will soon obtain certification to become an FAA Part 141 facility so that we can train foreign students.

Thank You!



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