

# 'Odyssey' north by northwest

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## What a Month!

Recently Peter has been training to get his ASIC ( Aviation Security Identification Card ) this allows him to work on the airside (Tarmac) of Cairns International Airport, this is a requirement for Medical Evacuations (MedEvacs) from PNG etc. as well as our freight runs.

Over the last Month alone we have had 4 MedEvacs and 1 cargo flight. We give thanks for this service as without it, those of our Missionary folk who need emergency treatment would struggle to get the treatment that they so desperately need.



One of the New Tribe Mission's Kodiak Planes & a Cairns Ambulance

We Praise God that soon we will have some more staff ( Permanent and Relief ) please pray for us as we help them adjust to life at Tree Tops Lodge and the pressures that come from time to time.

Our two major building projects are proceeding well, again, we marvel at God's provision and look forward to the extra beds that will be available upon completion of the Family Units and the safety that the new retaining walls will provide for the Motels.

Unfortunately this last month has seen us having to turn away people through lack of space, we are often phoning around trying to find local Christian folk who can help take families for a short time, our new Family units will help alleviate some of this pressure.

## Our journey thus far .....

After 3 years we would like to seek some more partners to help us in this amazing venture of God. Tree Tops Lodge is a vital link in reaching out to the nations, we have literally 1000's of missionary families passing through on their way to the field and on their way back, sadly we also often have them come and stay with us after an accident or medical emergency. We rely on your love and support to do this work of God.

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Isaiah 52:8

*Listen! Your watchmen lift up their voices; together they shout for joy. When the LORD returns to Zion, they will see it with their own eyes.*



## Prayer Cards

If you would like our prayer card we would love to send you one from New Zealand or Australia, this will give you something to 'pop' up on the fridge so you remember what we look like. We really do appreciate the prayer and love that we get from you all.

*Blessings Peter & Avrienne*