



***“Do your best to present yourself as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth.”
2 Timothy 2:15***

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Dear Friends of Alan,

In several more weeks, Alan will be departing our flight program here in Kalimantan, for a much-deserved home assignment. For the past three and half years, Alan has made considerable contributions to our team here in Kalimantan, and has distinguished himself as a worthy laborer of the Gospel. I would like to take a moment to express my appreciation to you, his stateside support team, for making his term of service possible.

Soon after Alan arrived on the field it became apparent the quality of person he is. Alan quickly distinguished himself as a mature technician, able to master the difficult challenges of operating aircraft in remote airstrips, safely and efficiently. Alan consistently demonstrated good judgment that instilled confidence in his passengers. In MAF, not only do we ask our staff to fly, our pilots are expected to maintain the aircraft as well. Alan has demonstrated a willingness to pitch in and go the extra mile, making sure our planes are well-maintained and ready to fly.

Your contributions have enabled Alan to safely complete more than 2000 hours of flight time, and complete numerous aircraft inspections and repairs. Many of those hours involved flying medical emergency victims and church workers to and from the remote villages of the interior. The Kryan and Apo Kayan regions of Kalimantan have directly benefited because of Alan's commitment to serving the Lord here.

Aside from his duties as an MAF pilot, I have been thrilled to see Alan get involved in his local church. He regularly attends a local Indonesian church and has become involved in their outreach ministries interior. I know that Alan's godly character will be a positive influence in the church.

As Alan shares his ministry with you, please welcome him as a worthy laborer in spreading the Gospel. We consider it a privilege to have Alan on our team, and as he takes time away from the ministry here, it is our prayer that he will be refreshed and renewed for continued ministry with us in the future.

Yours in Christ,

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