Her T.Shirt Says it all...

Would you join us in prayer?

Passport Update...



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Well there is not really an update as such - but boy how your day can change with one small phone call! I received a phone call today from the Ministry of Families - last week I was a little tired of waiting so took matters into my own hands so to speak and hand delivered a copy of my letter to the Minister for Families office.

So without going into too much detail, I have a face to face meeting on Wednesday morning at 9am Kigali time (5pm Sydney Time - and everyone else will have to look up your phones for the time difference - sorry!) with the Minister for Families.

Today he asked me for my letter of decline from the National Commission for Children's Rights, which I was supposed to receive in January but I was only told verbally. My lawyer phoned the NCC today and they said the letter is sitting there so I have a taxi coming at 7:45am tomorrow and I am not hopeful the letter will actually be there, we'll see!

Please pray for:

- Smooth easy visit to the NCC tomorrow.
- That they have a letter waiting for me
- That my meeting with the Minister for Families on Wednesday will be positive
- Favour on our individual case as we already have an approved adoption
- Wisdom on people in positions to make decisions that will only benefit this little girl
- For peace in whatever the outcome is of this whole saga i.e. if we are declined a passport then Flora cannot travel to Sydney with me later in the year.

Please feel free to share our prayer request with your own churches and small groups.

I didn't come to Rwanda expecting to care for a baby but just as I assumed from the very first time I held her, I knew God would provide for our every need - my budget didn't include a baby yet this baby girl has never gone with out. God put us together for such a time as this - for this season and I know every day she is a blessing to me and me to her - we were truly meant to be. So I do have an incredible peace about this passport situation knowing that I have done all I could possibly do for this little girl to have the same rights as every birth child. As it says in the Genocide memorial, "she didn't ask to become an orphan".

I had one friend send me a message last week saying that she was praying for us and felt God say, "tell her to Let God fight for you" So that is exactly what we are doing - putting on our Armour and letting God go before us!

Today I had someone share that they would be praying Romans 4:17 'That.....God who gives life to the dead and calls things that are not as though they were' will orchestrate all that needs to be done for a passport.