



"I am grateful to know I can come to you with both praise and prayer," says **Erin Duerr** who left a year ago to serve with City Ministries in Nigeria. Over the past few months, Erin has focused on settling into her new home and working with leaders and students at their teenage girl and boy centers. Her goal is to teach farming skills and establish self-sustaining farms to feed the residents and generate income by selling produce at market.

Recently, tragedy struck when a core member of her team, Jonah, was killed in a motorcycle accident. Erin shares, "I lost a good friend and my most trusted farmer. I am grieving Jonah right now, but the farm needs my help more than ever."

Here's how we can pray:

- **God hugs:** As Erin continues to work through her grief, pray for God's comfort, and that she will learn to go to the Lord with her emotions rather than using distraction or coping in her own strength.
- **Praise:** God has provided three interns. Pray for team unity and that they can use their gifts well, for abundant natural and spiritual fruit.
- **Provision:** Three exciting initiatives are underway: planning for rainy season, construction of their research farm, and building a goat-proof fence around the research garden. Village goats have been wandering through eating crops. Please pray for God's provision of funds and guidance to finish these initiatives successfully.

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