

April 29th, 2015



Aloha Grace Bible Church family,

I'm a bit late on my promised update but things have been very fast paced since I arrived. As you may know, Matias and I officially got engaged, so we are splitting our time between getting our seminar up and running, helping with other ministries here on the base, wedding plans, and visa processes.

It has been an amazing time; between the hectic schedule and running around, we have met some incredible people. We have over 40 nations represented on campus, and every single person here is using their different gifts and talents to advance of the kingdom of God. It thrills me to be in this place, helping to train and release Christian writers. Working on my own stories is a big part of my ministry as well, but if we want to truly change the books, literature, and media of this generation we have to raise up an army of writers.

I hope you all are doing well and enjoying the spring weather. I'm still having trouble adjusting to the intense afternoon heat and humidity here. If I thought Kansas weather was changeable it is completely sporadic here. I included a couple of pictures below showing some of the campus, as well as the poster of what we are working on right now. If you'd like to see more about what we are doing with our ministry you can follow our facebook page, YWAM School of Writing. Please let me know if I can pray for you in anyway.

Love and God bless,
Samantha



Engagement Photo

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The Plaza of the Nations bears the flag of every country represented on our base.

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The seminar starts next week and we have been doing all we can to reach out to the community and the staff here on campus.

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