



Bill Harris (US)



"Helping ignite culturally relevant heart worship, especially in places where Christ-followers are restricted, persecuted or unknown."

HeartBeats

March 2009

www.heart-sounds.org
office@heart-sounds.org

A Week In Our Life

How nice it would be to send you some frequent flyer miles and have you take a tour of our various HSI offices. "A bit busy, you say?" Well, let's take a virtual tour of a typical week in our HSI world.



The centerpiece of HSI is our weekly Friday early morning conference call for team prayer and communication. Along with Bill and Robin Harris, I phone in from our office just south of Atlanta. Airline pilot and HSI co-founder Chuck Oakley may phone in from any city in the USA where Delta pilots spend the night. Our prayer coordinator and organizing secretary Jolene Wilson calls in from Iowa. Ken Davidson, our other co-founder phones in from the HSI office in Kansas City. Erica Logan, our Asian coordinator phones in from the Southern Philippines.

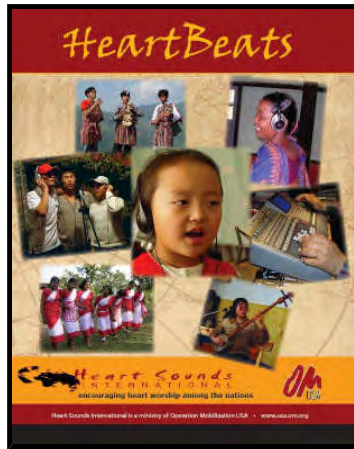
[While we are beginning our day each Friday, Erica and her family are ending theirs in Davao City, Philippines.] Along with various updates, we spend most of the hour in prayer, covering our various projects, our comings and goings and urgent matters related to the team and our families.



Phoning in from our four Heart Sounds International locations

Much of what happens on a day to day basis takes place at our main office near Atlanta, located at the USA Headquarters of Operation Mobilization. Two or three times a week Bill Harris (HSI administrator) and I (as HSI coordinator) meet together. In recent days we





- * drafted the schedule for our upcoming annual retreat,
- * reprinted our "HeartBeats" brochure,
- * reviewed the calendar for upcoming trips.

Bill looks after a myriad of administrative details including

- * updating the HSI website,
- * sending out materials ordered,
- * overseeing the budget.



I answer tons of email, make calls to people interested in HSI, and coordinate upcoming trips or the follow-up of past trips. This week I was

- confirming a recording engineer for the Middle East trip,
- scheduling a trip to Memphis to work with a colleague who will help team teach courses on biblical worship in India in June,
- getting Chuck to review the mixes of the recording made in Myanmar a few months ago,
- working with a colleague in Pasadena to manufacture a children's recording for schools across India.



In the Philippines Erica was

- preparing for ministry with a tribal group at the Thailand—Burma border,
- preparing for ministry among tribal groups in her region of Mindanao island,
- confirming plans for an intensive month of ministry in Mongolia.



In Kansas City Ken was

- preparing another video excerpt for our YouTube channel,
- sending off a son to do missions in New Zealand (where Ken also will have a project later in the year),
- working on details for two recording projects in Mongolia. One will be a recording of one of the nation's leading Christian worship musicians and composers. The other project will be a recording with believers in the Inner Mongolia region of China. They will come across the border to outer Mongolia to record worship songs.



In Iowa, our prayer coordinator Jolene Wilson was

- keeping track of all our collective comings and goings,
- sending out the weekly agenda for prayer,
- updating the historical archives of our global ministry.



And so ends our virtual tour of a typical week in the life of HSI. It all happens with the support of a team of praying people who read these monthly updates. Thanks for standing with us!





Warmly yours,
Frank Fortunato, HSI Coordinator

CONNECTING WITH HSI

Pray - Prayer is the fuel that powers this ministry.

Go - There are always opportunities to serve. [Contact us](#) for available options!

Give - If you would like to financially support HSI...

[Click here to support a staff member.](#) (Please specify whom.)

[Click here to support an HSI Project.](#)

Resources - [Click here](#) to find global worship resources at our online store.

You received this message because you are subscribed to Google Groups "HSI-HeartBeats" group. To **unsubscribe** from this group, email us at HSI-HeartBeats-unsubscribe@googlegroups.com. To **subscribe** or to change your delivery options, visit this group at <http://groups.google.com/group/HSI-HeartBeats?hl=en>

HSI is an international ministry of
[Operation Mobilisation www.om.org](http://www.om.org), based at
[Operation Mobilization USA www.usa.om.org](http://www.usa.om.org)

