



22 December

**Diary checked and journey logged,
Mike folded the old map away.
As his plane took flight, soaring high,
He wondered who he'd meet today!**

The next stop for the plane was Timor-Leste,
The friends climbed out straight away.
Running towards them came a young man,
'You must help, without delay!'

'My brother Lino has been attacked,
He's been bitten by a crocodile
Hiding in the water beside his boat.'
'Absolutely,' Mike said with a smile.

Alpha rushed to the cargo pod,
Grabbing a stretcher for the injured lad.
They secured him carefully in the plane;
Praying the outcome wouldn't be sad.

So Mike flew Lino to the city
To receive urgent hospital care.
That speedy flight helped save his leg;
Thank God that MAF was there!

**Mike climbed back into the pilot's seat
And began his important checks.
He turned to the next page of the diary
To see where he'd be flying to next.**