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BIBLE UPDATE

Because of several extraordinary, end of the year gifts to the **"KIM'S FUND"** for missions, we were able to send out a record **700** Bibles in twelve months. Gifts for Bibles continued to come in through the 20th of January 2005 so we have included their number in the project for last year.

This 2004 special project (**KIM'S FUND**) has been a tremendous success. Gospel Outreach normally sends about 200 Bibles each year to our Missionaries but with your help we were able to more than triple that number. Although the **"KIM'S FUND"** was a one year project and is now over, you may still help us send more Bibles around the world by designating a gift to BIBLES.

THANKFUL FOR VOLUNTEERS

Last year, due to retirements and illness, I was the only one left in the office and the work kept me very busy, I speak to gently, I was swamped. The Watts had worked with us back in Philadelphia as well as here in South Carolina, and had retired several years ago. When they heard of our situation they asked the Lord what they could do and were led to volunteer their help three days a week. Since we do much more now by computer than when they retired, it took a little time for them to get up caught up. Now they are running full speed ahead. And they have been a real blessing.

Because of their testimony, a family from their Church became interested in the Ministry of Gospel Outreach and they too have volunteered time to help in the office. With the hard work of

these family's we are getting caught up and are almost current with all our work. Please continue to pray that the Lord will bless with souls coming to Christ.

OUR 2005 PROJECT

Back in 1990 we finished a three year project and printed a New Testament called the **Catholicism Explained New Testament, CENT** for short. The **CENT** takes every verse we could find used by Catholicism in their teaching and Doctrine and places a note under the text explaining it's Biblical meaning. The Lord has uses the **CENT** to bring many Catholic people, priests and even an Archbishop to salvation in Christ.

Because of our families circumstances over the last few years, much of our energy was used in care giving then catching up. We had little time to put toward this project and we have seen the **CENT** supplies dwindle to just one case. Now we are receiving requests for the **CENT** from around the world and we do not have the New Testaments necessary.

We have been able to put aside about 60% of the cost for this project so far, and we are still in need of approximately \$8,000.00 before we can go to print. This would allow us to print about 5,000 of the **CENT** this time and keep the cost at \$5.00 each. We hope to print them in Vest-Pocket size on a thin Bible style paper to make them more of a soul winners type. At the last print we were told that the notes were so helpful, they were not only given to Roman Catholic people, but Christians used them as a tool for understanding and soul winning.

To keep the cost down as we plan, we will need to type our notes into a Bible computer program so the printer has no extra setup to do. This will take time but it is well worth the effort to get the Word into the hands of thousands of lost people.

VISITING MISSIONARY

The last foreign mission trip I was able to take before Kim became deathly ill with cancer was to our missionary, Pastor William Ray Ombui. He is a former Roman Catholic priest who was jailed after salvation because his message of Biblical Salvation was causing too much trouble in the town. People were changing and it was all his fault. After 6 months they had to release him because there were no charges to hold him on.

In 1992 after four years of doing mission work with Gospel Outreach he applied to become a full time Missionary with us. On my 2000 visit with him in Kisii Kenya we established a Bible School and developed a plan for a headquarters complex to help him be more effective in spreading the Gospel. It was one of the most rewarding trips I have ever taken. Although he is in the bush country with no running water or electricity, we still preached to thousands of people by walking to different City Centers each day.

Now, Pastor Ombui has some needs he feels he must come here to have met. While he is here we will try to have him preach in as many Churches as possible. If you would like to have him in your Church please call us and we will try to make the arrangements. We have half the cost of his travel pledged already and are still in need of \$1000 for his round trip fare. If you can help it would be greatly appreciated. He is an indigenous missionary and needs very little regular support, it also means that he has little money of his own to add toward the travel. Please pray that this visit is a fruitful one.

THE CATHOLIC RECTANGLE

Gospel Outreach's mission is to reach out to Roman Catholic people with the Gospel of Christ. Headquarter's in South Carolina we are located in

an area where Catholicism is growing greatly. Our Missionaries are located in heavy Catholic areas around the world, and we are always working to reach out to more of the lost. One of our volunteers has a vision of reaching out over the Radio air waves to what is refereed to as the Catholic rectangle, New England to Michigan to Ohio to Delaware, an are which is heavily Roman Catholic. Pray for him as he examines the opportunities and feasibility of such a project. We could use our daily, ten minute radio program **Keys Of The Kingdom** as the model.

PRAISES:

- Thank the Lord for the volunteer families at the Office Headquarters who have helped us greatly.
- Praise the Lord for helping us send out 700 Bibles this past year.
- Praise the Lord the Children, Melissa & Daniel are adjusting, and their grades are once again going up to normal.

PRAYER REQUESTS:

- A fruitful visit from our visiting missionary, Pastor Ombui, and the finances necessary.
- The possible effect of stress or Stigmatism, my vision at night is becoming worse, oncoming headlights create a great deal of circular glare making it difficult to drive at night.
- Local Preaching meetings
- Funds to reprint the *CENT*
- Because of my parent's health needs, my family will not be taking our Summer mission trip this year. We will remain at home to help Mom and Dad.

Because of Calvary,

Frank A Eberhardt

Romans 10:17