



Bible & Literature Missionary Foundation Update October 2024

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1.8 Million Scriptures have been Printed and 1.7 Million have been Shipped!

God's Provision for Production

We serve a Mighty God who always provides a way. When the children of Israel stood at the brink of the Red Sea, God had a plan. As Abraham took Isaac to the mountain, the Lord provided a ram. He gave grace and provision to the widow who believed she and her son would eat their final "cornbread" and die. Even from the foundation of the world, our loving God provided a way of salvation so we could know Him! We see His plentiful hand of provision throughout His Word, and still today God has PROVIDED an avenue to produce the Scriptures HERE in our Nation to publish for the whole world! How humbling and how powerful a thought that He would use the giving of the Local Church to purchase the paper that would run through the presses of a "Bible Barn" in a small town to reach every region with the Good News of Jesus Christ! Billions of souls in more than one hundred countries need the written Word of God, and He created a way to get His Word to them! This blessing is not taken lightly, and we give all the praise and glory to God for the opportunity to labor together with you – our supporters – to fulfill His perfect will that He orchestrates. Because He is not willing that any should perish, He keeps the presses running...the presses He PROVIDED for His plan. "The LORD gave the word; great was the company of those that published it." Thank YOU for being a vital part!

Gratefully, Shannon and Bobby



What a Scripture Conference!

Hallelujah, how God blessed our 56th Anniversary Scripture Conference! Thank you to all who were able to attend and to you who prayed for God's power on the meeting! Every sermon was helpful, convicting, and challenging, and the Lord really worked another miracle as we saw 257 rolls of paper pledged! The entire conference is a collaboration of the hard work and talents of our Church people at Victory Baptist, our amazing team at the print shop, and even precious friends who have made it a tradition to come into town and help us prepare each year! Of course, it is God that gives the increase with His sweet Spirit! Our hearts are always encouraged by the wonderful Brothers and Sisters in Christ who join us to celebrate another year of printing the Scriptures. Please go ahead and save the dates for next year (Oct. 20 - 22, 2025) and make plans to bring your people!

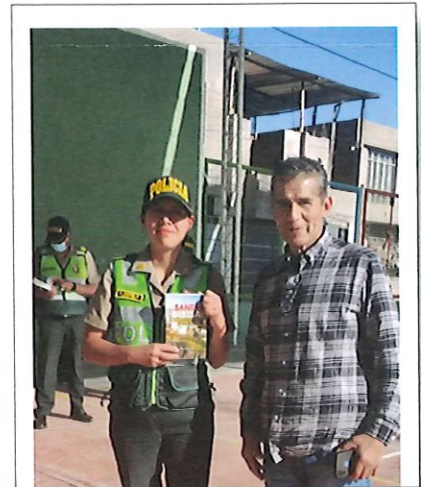


Telugu Scriptures for
the People of India

Production Report

Soon after our September Global Witness Newsletter, we were honored to ship 4,320 Miskito New Testaments to Nicaragua – after hearing from a tribal chief that they only had three left printed by BLMF a decade ago! We then produced and shipped a container of 22,220 Spanish Bibles for Mexico, as well as an additional container for Mexico this last week – our 18th container for the year – of 27,000 Spanish Bibles and New Testaments. During the Scripture Conference at our Wednesday Open House and BBQ, dozens of Pastors enjoyed loading 17,000 Spanish Bibles and 20,000 New Testaments for Peru. It is always such a special day, working and praying together at the container! By God's grace, we have already received 24 trailer loads of paper this year! 3 of those loads still need to be paid at a total of \$136,000. 5 more will arrive before January.

This year, our goal is to print and ship at least 3 more containers. (We have the paper, so it will depend on how much we can produce.) English/Pidgin parallel New Testaments are currently on our small press now for Missionary Lewis Young in Papua, New Guinea. English Bibles are already on the binder for our good friend, National Pastor Emmanuel Goungampo in Togo, West Africa. We are also working on the production of Tagalog and English Scriptures for Baguio City, where Brother Froi Medina will distribute them in his Preacher's Delight Meeting held in January (celebrated as "Bible Month" there in the Philippines). It would be wonderful to produce a Portuguese container for Missionary Brian Lawson in Brazil before the year closes. He has seen firsthand how the availability of the Word of God grows the Church! Much to do, and we need the Lord!



Missionaries in Peru are providing the
Police with the Word of God!

Prayer Requests

- Another Container is Being Held by Customs in Kenya that is in route to Uganda; please pray! It is in progress and is possibly being delayed due to a logistic paperwork issue.
- Please ask the Lord for the Healing and recovery of our Lead web pressman, Antonio Benitez, who recently had rotator cuff surgery. He should be back at fulltime printing soon.
- Our support level needs to increase \$40,000 monthly to keep up with the missionary requests.
- Please pray for wisdom, strength, and direction for leadership decisions.
- Your supplication for our machinery to run well with no complications and for the safety of our staff is appreciated!
- We need health, protection, and open doors for BLMF representatives as we travel.
- Join us in asking the Lord to pour out His Blessings on our Supporting Churches, Workers, Directors, and Representatives. Each day before work, our team lifts YOU in prayer!