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Miracles in Uganda

Uganda is a land of opportunities for miracles, sharing about Jesus, encouraging the brethren, teaching the word and ministering hope, love and forgiveness. This was so true in Matugga and the remote areas of Buyende and Buwaya, where we heard so many wonderful testimonies of God's faithfulness and the power of forgiveness.



The Power of Forgiveness

The preaching of the Word from the life of Joseph and Samson stirred the hearts of 20 people who gave testimony to being freed from the deep strongholds of fear, anger, unforgiveness and bondage.

One lady who manifested in a service and was delivered, later admitted she had become so angry because of being rejected by her husband. Repenting from holding this anger and declaring forgiveness made the way for her freedom.

God of Restoration

When Scovia was 10 years old, her loving mother died of malaria, and not long after that, her drunkard father also died. She was left alone to care for her 3-month old sibling and to survive, she married very young having her first son at the tender age of only 14.

When her second son was born, her husband abandoned her and sent her sons to live with his mother.

Scovia got a job digging in gardens to be able to pay her rent. We sent money three years ago to help her start up a small business, but not long after that she was robbed, beaten and left for dead. Pastor John, after missing Scovia at church, was prompted by Holy Spirit to search for her. Thankfully he found her before it was too late.

Scovia had attended church for many years. During our visit, we heard Scovia bravely share her painful story for the first time. Pastor John held her in his arms as she wept through it, and God poured into all of us a deep intercession for this treasure that had been locked up for so long.

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Miracles in Uganda...

We gave her a small amount of money so she could visit her sons and take food for their Grandmother. Sharing her testimony has opened the way for God to heal and restore this precious woman of God. We thank the Lord that He has helped her keep her faith, and rejoice in the beautiful, peaceful smile on Scovia's face as she anticipates seeing her beloved children again.

God's Faithfulness

Overwhelmed by the impact of a mother and daughter's faith in the Lord, tears trickled down our faces. Proscovia's husband had died leaving her destitute and struggling to survive. About two months ago Proscovia disappeared and her family feared she may have taken her own life rather than live with the humiliation of not being able to pay for her daughter's school fees. We are so thankful to God that she was found. In August this year, we sat in her tiny home with its earth floor, no latrine and an external wall that doesn't reach the roof.

We had returned with Ps John to give text books to her daughter Lilian (18) to help her achieve her desire to become a doctor. We had also assisted her older brother Jonathan through secondary school to become a research Pharmacist and challenged him to gather a team together to create a vaccine against malaria. Now Lilian is needing help to complete her education.

The same day we were there, she was visited by a secondary school teacher who offered to do all she can to get Lilian into the boarding school where she teaches. What faithfulness of God to make a way for this family!

Pastor John has ordered 1000 bricks to build Proscovia a latrine in the coming weeks.

We were so privileged to be God's vehicles of blessing!
Yours in His service
Bruce & Margaret

Pearl 22 for Burundi & Uganda

"How can we fight the enemy if we do not have a gun?" stated a Bible student during my August visit to Burundi and Uganda. She was speaking, of course, of the Word of God. I was amazed at the statement!

I had assumed that all the students had Bibles but in that moment I discovered only very few of them did. The class needed Bibles. To my joy I was able to look at the student and tell her she will get her Bible. She was beside herself with joy.

And so we were able to purchase Bibles for all the students. The Bibles were like gold for them and such a precious opportunity for us in our support of them.

By God's Grace I had been given money from Mission Outreach before I left NZ as part of Pearl 22 for the purchase of the Bibles for Burundi and Uganda during my trip.

By the favour of God, we had the opportunity to purchase 100 Kirundi Bibles for \$9.50 when the market price was \$19.00. Praise God!

I saw the same response in Uganda, where tribal leaders did not have Bibles. We were able to purchase 37 bibles which was most of the bibles left in Kampala. We waited for more so that all 50 leaders could be given a Bible.

It is incredible that we in Western nations can take for granted the fact that we can purchase Bibles at our leisure and perhaps in some way we assume every Christian has one or can get one.

I witnessed first-hand the value of Bibles to men and women of God in the developing world. Pearl 22 is a wonderful initiative to seek support for the purchase of Bibles for the Nations. A huge thank you to all involved in this project.

Russell



*"How sweet are your words to my taste, sweeter than honey to my mouth!
I gain understanding from your precepts; therefore I hate every wrong path.
Your word is a lamp for my feet, and a light on my path." Psalm 119:103-105 (NIV)*

PEARL 22

Uganda Bibles

The need for Bibles in Uganda is greater than ever to bring encouragement, give instruction, direction and transformation for individuals, couples, families and communities. What an honour to be able to meet this need. Price per bible is currently \$8.00.

Pearl22 Project Goal: 25,000

Chinese Bibles

Project Pearl in 1981 was significant for Eddie and the many others who helped with this epic delivery of Chinese bibles. In recent times the Communist Party has significantly reduced the quota of Bibles printed and has also shut down Bible websites and apps. However God is making a way where there is no way to get Bibles to the believers. Help us do the impossible! Price per bible is \$4.50.

Pearl22 Project Goal: 100,000

Telugu Bibles for India

We have several contacts for India who all have a need for bibles in the churches they work with. The church in this nation is growing rapidly, as fear and persecution have opened the door for the Lord’s people to reach out and share the gospel of Jesus. The cost per bible is \$5.30.

Pearl22 Project Goal: 50,000

Bibles for Pakistan & Afghanistan

We are excited to have another contact to distribute bibles into Pakistan and Afghanistan who are able to purchase them for \$5.30 each.

Pearl22 Project Goal: 10,000

Bibles for Iran

Despite Government efforts to ban bibles in Iran, their actions made the people more eager to have one. Demand for New Testaments also soared and many say they have been searching for years for a copy. Help us help our brethren in Iran to have their own New Testament.

Cost per bible is \$7.60

Pearl22 Project Goal: 5,000

New Testaments with Q&A for Nepal

As part of our Pearl 22 One Million bibles, MO has committed to help supply 10,000 Nepali New Testaments with Psalms, Proverbs with approximately 240 Questions & Answers. These are common questions and biblical answers with references. This is extremely valuable for the young people and those who have converted from Hinduism. Cost per New Testament is \$3.80

Pearl22 Project Goal: 10,000

Ukrainian New Testaments

The Russian invasion of Ukraine has forced millions of people to flee the country. In cooperation with VoM we wish to help feed these hungry souls with New Testaments. Cost of these is \$4.80 each.

Pearl22 Project Goal: 10,000

BBC Training Materials, Nepal (NEW)

In response to the needs of this year’s Body Builders for Christ discipleship training in October, we need help provide for the printing of over 50,000 training materials.

Total Goal: \$20,000

Balance needed: \$8,910

RESPONSE COUPON

SEPTEMBER 2022

Name:

Address:.....

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Phone or Mobile:

Pearl 22:

Chinese Bibles (CHPRL22) \$.....

Uganda Bibles (UGPRL22) \$.....

Nepal NT with Q&A (NPNTPL22) \$.....

Telugu Bibles, India (INDPRL22) \$.....

Pakistan/Afghanistan Bibles (PKAFPRL22) \$.....

Ukrainian Bibles (UKPRL22) \$.....

Bibles for Iran (IRNPRL22) \$.....

Pearl 22 Where Most Needed (WMNPRL22) \$.....

Nepal Radio Programme (NEPRAD) \$.....

Nepal CMTC Bible College (NPBC) \$.....

Nepal BBC Training - Printing (BBCNEP) \$.....

Tibetan Leaders Support (TIBLDRAH) \$.....

China Pastors (CHPSTR) \$.....

Where Most Needed: (WMN) \$.....

Payments can be made from our website at: nzmo.org or via online banking to our BNZ bank Account number: 02 0466 0034018 00. Please specify your preferred project or funds will be allocated to ‘Where Most Needed’.



PACIFIC ISLANDS

1 Pray for LP and family with Celeste who recently sailed from NZ to Vanuatu and later to Fiji and Philippines. Praise God for His preparation of the crew, the boat and supplies for this trip. Thank the Lord for unity among the crew, good weather and God's provision and protection. Pray for divine connections and wisdom as they make decisions about the next part of their journey.

KENYA

2 Pray for Phil, Sarah and baby Ariella who travel to Kenya this month to begin 4 months ministering. Pray for travelling mercies, a covering of health, provision for every need and that they would be equipped to minister as God leads.

3 & 4 Pray for the newly elected government to govern in righteousness, and that corruption will be purged from the nation. Pray that Kenya would fulfil its destiny to be a blessing to other nations.

UGANDA

5 Praise God for Bruce, Margaret and Russell who have returned safely to NZ. Praise God for travelling mercies, for the Words God gave them to sustain the weary, and for opportunities to bless and build into the lives of those they met. Pray that the seeds of the Word sown would continue to bear fruit for years to come.

6 Praise God for lives transformed such as Scovia, Proscovia and Lilian. Pray that Holy Spirit tide will rise in believers' hearts for complete healing and freedom, 'til the nation is filled with the Presence and power of God. Pray for the continual breaking down of strongholds of fear, anger and unforgiveness and that God will rebuild the nation soul by soul, restoring dignity and identity in the Lord.

7 Pray for the children of Young Achievers Christian School where Gladys ministers. Pray for them to know Christ and to grow physically, intellectually and spiritually so that they may reach out and transform their whole community. Pray for the growth of Gladys' church so that more and more will be set free by the truth of Christ.

8 Pray for those that have recently received their own Bible, that the rhema word would be multiplied to them, that they would go from faith to faith and glory to glory as they ground themselves in the Word.

CHINA

9 Pray for believers and those ministering as Christianity faces the most intense pressure in decades, with the government attempting to shut down

Christianity completely, and the country being closed off from outside influence for over 2 years.

10 & 11 As China seeks to help other countries persecute the Church, bind their influence in Jesus Name so that the plans of the enemy may be thwarted. Declare the sovereignty of God to use all things to glorify His Name, and declare His goodness over His people.

12 Declare Jesus the Way Maker for His church to meet together for encouragement and strength. Pray for grace on Zoom meetings to run smoothly without technical interruptions.

13 Pray for a greater advancement of the Kingdom of God in China despite opposition and persecution, that all will know that this divine success is from God.

14 Pray that believers would resist fear and continue on the road for them, firm in faith, knowing that You are with them, Your light shines in them, and that others would come to know You. Pray that the Church be strengthened by signs, wonders and miracles, and that the testimony of what God has done would be the spirit of prophecy for God to do it again and again.

NEPAL

15 Pray for final preparations for the training trip next month. Pray for the preparation of hearts both of the team and of those who they will minister to. Ask Holy Spirit to have His way.

16 Ask Holy Spirit to come mightily on the Church in Nepal, bringing freedom and stirring fivefold giftings into great capacity, to function the way He designed. Pray that old traditions and hindrances would be broken off, so that spiritual momentum and abundant life would flow.

17 & 18 Praise God for another radio station that has opened up for Samuel to broadcast gospel message and worship songs for 30 minutes every day to 1.5 million listeners! Pray for finances (\$23/day) to cover the cost of this broadcast. Pray also that many people would come to faith as they hear the Word of God.

IRAN

19 Pray that God would awaken and unite believers to be moved with God's heart into the harvest field of desperately hungry hearts, that there would be much rejoicing in the Kingdom of God.

20 Pray that the truth of the Word would expose the lies of Islam. Pray that signs and wonders would accompany the preaching of the Word, so that people would know the True Living God.

AFGHANISTAN

21 With malnutrition high, declare God as Jehovah Jireh, Provider for his people. Pray for physical needs to be miraculously met and Jesus the Manna from Heaven to satisfy every hungry soul. Pray for the turning of the enemy's plan to destroy into God's plan for his people to thrive and flourish.

22 Pray for refugees to encounter Christians who will lead them to Christ. Pray God will use them to give the Prince of Peace back to their nation.

23 Pray Isaiah 54:14-17 over this nation, that it be established in righteousness, and all oppression, fear, terror be bound in Jesus Name. Declare no weapon formed against them shall prosper, for the Lord is their righteousness.

24 & 25 With the anniversary last month of the Taliban rule, pray for disillusionment among the Taliban that would lead them to search for truth and righteousness, and find Him.

GLOBAL

26 Pray for an end to the pandemic and bind all fear and control in Jesus Name. Pray for an easing of travel restrictions. Release Holy Spirit of life and wholeness across the earth.

GLOBAL CHURCH

27 Honour God's Name for the sacrifice of His Son. Praise Him for the victory and authority belonging to His saints and the confidence anchored in Jesus, Rock of Ages. Pray that believers therefore move forward in faith, strong in the Lord, to bring God's Kingdom to earth.

28 Pray that the Church would stand strong in the Word and in the knowledge of Christ. Declare 2 Tim.1:7 God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power, love and a sound mind. Rebuke all mental illness in Jesus Name, and speak righteousness, peace and joy.

29 Pray for the persecuted Church in Nepal, Vietnam, India, Pakistan and other nations. Speak courage over believers to overcome the world.

NEW ZEALAND

30 Pray for the MO board to continue to hear God's leading in making decisions for project Pearl 22. Pray a blessing on supporters.



Weekly Prayer Meeting:

Join us on Monday nights to pray for the nations at 'The Sanctuary' 159 Durham St, Tauranga at 7:30pm or via ZOOM. Email: alan@nzmo.org for an invite.

Legacy Giving:

A bequest to Mission Outreach in your will is a way to leave a lasting impact of eternal value - contact wendy@nzmo.org for more information.