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Greetings to each of our brothers and sisters in Christ our Lord,

I am writing this after arriving back in the US yesterday afternoon. The trip to Ireland was sadly much shorter than usual, and I missed the most important gathering of blind people in June, where we normally give many Bibles. Nevertheless, I spoke and had several meetings and did a radio interview, resulting in a good many people asking for large print, electronic talking Bibles, and the scriptures on cassette. There were many opportunities I could not take up this year due to time constraints. Many doors opened, however, and I hope to avail of these opportunities the next visit. There is plenty of other news, however, and the following are just a few highlights.

MINISTRY NEWS

Please rejoice with us that two ladies and two men were baptized into Christ since the last news letter. They live in different parts of India, and they all have teachers and congregations to work with them in their walk with the Lord. Three people obeyed at the Bible camps and one in a service in a congregation. I have been requested to ask you to please keep them in your prayers. We supply Bibles and other materials as well as financial support of \$1150 monthly to help these much needed Bible camps.



Florence Philemon and Ketzy Kingsly packing gifts for the blind



Florence Philemon giving New Testament to blind lady



Chennai Insight campers showing their gifts

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The new work with the blind in Mombasa, Kenya is going better than any of us had ever thought possible, but perhaps we didn't factor in our prayers as much as we should have! Brother Joseph Mukasa Juma has truly thrown himself into the effort of working with about forty blind people. He not only delivers many cartons of Braille, large print, and audio Bibles to them, but helps some of them with daily needs. As I write this, he is on a three hundred mile trip to Nairobi, the capital, to help to get papers for some of the group. He meets with them and several have already attended services of the Church. The best news is that three blind Muslims have recently asked for the scriptures in Braille, and Brother Joseph is working with them. We bought him a computer and printer last month and this certainly helps us to communicate with him. He sends reports to me about twice each week. The group of blind people asking for Bibles is growing and I know we have sent well over eighty cartons of Bibles to Joseph recently! I have also heard really good things about his work for Christ through another brother who has met him. Please pray that this new effort brings many people to our Lord.



Joseph Juma and wife in small group with blind



Joseph Juma gives Bible to blind man in Kenya

Since the last newsletter, we have sent out over \$1300 worth of the electronic audio Bibles, which are portable and very useful to blind readers. In September alone we sent \$825 worth of these Bibles, and of course we also send simple lessons on Bible topics. Most of these electronic Bibles go to English-speaking nations as the audio is only in English so far. I am working with the committee to try and get other languages in this format.

If we will only be aware, God provides so many opportunities for us to reach people throughout the world. Just during a few taxi journeys in Chicago, Boston, Dublin and Cork, I have been privileged to give cards to drivers from Kenya, Nigeria, Haiti, Lebanon, Ireland, the US, and other countries. They know of blind people and some of them want Bibles from us. I just got a request today for a Braille Bible for a blind lady in Northern Ireland. When I give a card to someone, it could go to any part of the globe and I may get a phone call, email, or letter months later. We just must keep sowing the seed and God always gives the increase!

Two groups of wonderful people who produce Braille, large print and audio Bibles have had several budget cuts. I am trying to help them reach people who can help them. A promotional DVD may help bring their need to the attention of others. These budget problems are mainly due to the current economic situation. They have provided us with many thousands of dollars worth of Bibles in the past, and their work is vital to this ministry.

FAMILY NEWS

Elise got ten days off work from her hair dressing job and went to Ireland with me. She was a tremendous help in guiding me and she also visited her best friend Elizabeth, who has also come to the US three times. Ann wanted to come, but could not join us as school began so early and we did not go until August. It truly sickens me to see the children begin the school year earlier each year! We never began until after Labor Day when I was growing up, and I just can't understand the rush to keep the children from being with their families more! Back to Elise, she loves her job and works really hard.

Andre is in his last year of university, majoring in graphic and video art. For the last year, he has made all A's and B's and seems to have at last found something he loves to do.

I need your prayers for stamina to travel, speak, and do the day to day tasks which this ministry requires. A couple of ongoing medical conditions make travel inconvenient, and your prayers are most valuable!

FINANCIAL NEWS

With ever growing requests for the electronic talking Bibles, support for the work in India, helping with the Kenyan effort, office help, and my travels to publicize this outreach, funds are always appreciated. If we do not lose any personal or ministry support, we can at least keep this work at or near its current level. All of you who help are truly investing in the eternal future of so many people, and we thank God for your continuing prayers and support.

May God guide, protect, and bless each of you who make it possible for us to bring His Word to so many blind people throughout our world. God's Word is certainly the most important "sight restoration" effort ever known!

In Christ's love, and with thanks,

Glynn, Ann, Andre, and Elise Langston