

# Fielder's FrontlineS

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## **MINISTRY NEWS**

#### **NEW EMAIL & PHONE NUMBERS**

Note the following new numbers and email addresses. Please make these changes in your records.

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The old phone numbers will go out of service on Friday, September 24th.

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#### **PROJECTS UPDATE**

#### **Bibles for Closed Countries**

In our last letter, we were trying to raise \$12,000 to ship a container of Scriptures for distribution in closed countries. I am happy to report that money has been raised. One church provided half of the funds, an individual gave \$4,000 and two other churches sent offerings which put us over the top.

It is overwhelming to see the Lord work to provide these things. Thank you for praying and for giving. The container will be shipped out in October and will include several thousand Bibles and New Testaments as well as some Children's Bible Story books in the language of the target country.

#### Mali Project

Our Bible Storying project is moving forward. We have targeted 6 languages at a cost of \$15,000 - \$18,000 each. We are thankful for a church in Louisiana which has committed to funding the first project.

The translators and all other means to complete these projects are in place - we just need the funding. We need 5 more partners in this project.

We recently received word that one of the Pastors we are working with in Mali lost his wife. Her death was unexpected. Please pray for Pastor Kone' and his family.

#### **India Project**

The Translators Training Institute is in full operation at South India Baptist Bible College. Our linguistics teacher, Michele Bass, just returned home after teaching a 3-week module class. Twelve of the students in this class have made the commitment to pursue Bible translation work. We praise the Lord for this!!

Another class will be taught during the spring semester of 2011. In the fall semester of 2011, we will begin teaching a full scale linguistics program which will run the entire school year. Our goal is that within 2-3 years, this program will be fully staffed by Indian teachers who complete these studies and gain some experience in actual Bible translation. We are praying for another qualified teacher to come on board and partner with us in this effort.

### **FAMILY NEWS**

#### **PERSONAL NOTES**

In trying to describe my desire for the Lord to use me in a way that He would get full impact from my life, I recently told a pastor that I wanted to be "neck deep" in the work of Bible translation projects, national training and getting the Bible to closed countries, etc. After I thought about that for a moment, I realized it is too late for that -- I am already in way over my head.

Our desire has never been stronger to see the Lord glorified through our lives and ministry. Please continue to pray for the sale of our house. May God bless you. We are deeply grateful for your prayers and support.

#### **EMILY NEWS**

Emily has told us several times lately that she has "asked God to come into her heart." Please pray for her salvation.



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