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FEBRUARY 2017 PRAYER LETTER

Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

“Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me. And He said, Go and tell this people... Then said I, Lord, how long? And He answered, Until the cities be wasted without inhabitant, and the houses without man, and the land be utterly desolate...” (Isaiah 6:8, 9a, 11)

For years, different doctors have said to me, “Why don’t you retire, because your body cannot take much more with the kind of schedule you keep. You are shortening your life!” They do not understand. I have a mandate, a heavy burden, a passion from God to get out His Word to those who are pleading for it around the world. Souls are dying without Christ and His Word! Though I have had 98 surgeries and need four major surgeries at present, plus surgery in June to look for cancerous tumors in my bladder, I cannot stop, because we have request for millions of Scriptures. It will take millions of dollars to answer all these requests, so I must stay on the road in meetings to raise support for our Bearing Precious Seed Ministry to answer all these requests. **Could you help me with this burden and participate in National Bible Publishing Month or buy some rolls of paper for \$625.00 a roll? Another way you can help is by taking on the General Fund of Bearing Precious Seed for monthly support.** If you would like for me to come to your church and present my burden, I would be happy to do that. Please contact me by email or call my cell phone number. Both are in the letterhead above.

Our amazing people at First Baptist Church give abundantly of their finances in February each year during our National Bible Publishing Month Campaign, which is capped off with our Scripture Work Week. We start on Sunday night after church through Wednesday night. We work very late on Sunday night and from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Monday through Wednesday. At our Thursday night Prayer Meeting service we dedicate the Bibles and pray over them, asking God to save souls and change lives. This year, working at the church fellowship hall, we put together and boxed 170,000 Scriptures for Poland and 20,000 for Sierra Leone (the first batch of the 4,000,000 Scriptures they are asking for their elementary, junior high, high school, and college students). At our printshop, we did over 450,000 more Scriptures in several languages, making almost 700,000 Scriptures for the four days. Marie and I did not miss a day of working on these Scriptures. What a blessing to know our fingerprints are going around the world.



PLEASE PRAY WITH US ABOUT THIS NEED! We will be traveling to the Londonderry area of Edmonton, Alberta, Canada at the end of April into May to assist in the planting of a new church. 10,000 John/Roman books will be distributed to people in this area by Missionary Jerry Jackson and his family with the aid of eight other Canadian churches. Marie and I will fly up and stay in a motel while there. It will cost us over \$1,000.00 for this trip. If you could help with these finances, it would be a blessing. Our support is not budgeted for foreign field trips. If you can help, please email or call me to let us know. We love, appreciate, and are praying for you.

Yours for Christ and His Word,

Bob & Marie Ford—Eph. 3:20, 21

WE MUST PUBLISH, OR THEY WILL PERISH!

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