



## REACHING A LAND IN NEED.

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Dear Pastor, Church Family, and Praying Friends,

What a whirlwind of a summer it's been! First, things started off with wrapping up the latest Sunday-school Bible memory challenge, and three more children went on to memorize a second set of verses. Then VBS started, and we ended up having more workers one day than we had children! Some people might think that a bit much, but I look at it as a potential for teaching others how to work with children. Next year, I hope to have some how-to sessions along with some practical application – in other words, I hope to get the newer helpers teaching!

I was blessed this summer to be able to visit my parents and a few supporting churches that I haven't been back to in over ten years. Has it been that long already? It was good to see some faithful folks.

My church here in Québec was planning a trip down to the Creation Museum. And since it wouldn't have made sense to fly back from visiting my parents, only to head back to the same place again, I decided to have the church group pick me up on their way down. It was a lot of fun to spend time with friends outside of church. (One person, I discovered, is a big tease!) But as we went through the museum, I was reminded of the lack of materials in French. Everyone was amazed by the quality of the displays as well as overwhelmed with the wealth of information that was available. It reminded me that one of my biggest burdens is to see literature produced in French so that it can be used to help others witness for Christ and be strengthened in their faith.

I arrived back in Québec just in time for our annual back-to-school retreat. We had a handful of teens who are, I believe, serious about serving the Lord. We focused on Hebrews 13:3, which reminds us to remember the persecuted church and identify with them. I was able to put French subtitles on two powerful, short videos by Voice of the Martyrs, and the one was so powerful that my pastor used it the next Sunday in church! I was so grateful for some friends that helped me with some last-minute editing problems so I could get the videos ready on time.

### Requests:

- \* Salvation of Sunday School children
- \* W's salvation and therapy

### Praises:

- \* God's work is powerful and can do more than we can imagine!

Now that some of my time is freed from preparing Sunday School and VBS materials, I'm turning my attention to translating. So my work will involve a lot of sitting behind a computer. But it will still need your prayers!

- For a People in Need,

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