



"That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;" – Philippians 3:10

My Dear Friend,

March 1, 2024

March! Alongside this month arrives the promise of Spring, symbolizing new beginnings and the transition from the cold winter months. It is a time of renewal and optimism, and we embrace it wholeheartedly. Reflecting upon the past two months, I am immensely grateful for the significant progress made, even during the challenges and limitations that winter brings. Our efforts have been both fruitful and rewarding, allowing us to witness firsthand the blessings and guidance of the Lord within our ministry at Operation Go International. The momentum we have built thus far fuels our determination to continue making a meaningful difference in the lives of those we serve.

As Easter draws near, my thoughts and reflections center around this profound event. This month's verse echoes the resounding declaration of "...the power of his resurrection." It is impossible to fully grasp the magnitude of what the resurrection accomplished and its everlasting impact on us as believers. I am filled with deep gratitude and overwhelmed by the awe-inspiring reality that Christ triumphantly rose from the dead. It is my sincere desire to always nurture the exhilaration in my soul and cherish boundless appreciation for the salvation bestowed upon us through Christ's sacrificial act.

The resurrection of Christ holds immense significance for those seeking inspiration and practical lessons in their lives. Here are a few key encouragements and lessons we can glean from this pivotal event:

- **Resilience:** The resurrection of Christ demonstrates the conquering of death and the ultimate triumph of hope over despair. It serves as a reminder that no matter what challenges we face in life, there is always hope for a brighter future. It encourages us to keep pressing forward, even in the face of adversity, knowing that there is potential for a victorious outcome.
- **Reliance:** The resurrection invites us to cultivate and strengthen our faith. It reminds us that believing in something greater than ourselves can provide solace, meaning, and guidance in our lives. Just as the disciples witnessed the risen Christ and had their faith reaffirmed, we are called to embrace a deeper sense of faith and belief in our own spiritual journeys.
- **Renewal:** The resurrection signifies a transformative power that can bring about radical and positive change. It encourages us to embrace personal growth, shed old ways, and be open to experiencing a renewal of our minds, hearts, and spirits. Just as Christ emerged from the tomb, we too can experience a resurrection of our own, overcoming our past and embracing a new life filled with purpose and vitality.
- **Redemption:** The resurrection reminds us of the healing power of forgiveness and redemption. Christ's sacrifice and resurrection offer a profound example of unconditional love. It encourages us to extend forgiveness to ourselves and others, to seek reconciliation, and to embrace opportunities for personal and collective redemption.
- **Realization:** The resurrection invites us to recognize and ponder life beyond our earthly existence. It reminds us of the promise of eternal life and a divine purpose that extends beyond our current circumstances. This perspective can help us navigate challenges with a sense of purpose, knowing that our actions in this life have eternal consequences.

By reflecting on the resurrection of Christ, we can find encouragement to face adversity, nurture our faith, embrace transformation, extend forgiveness, and cultivate an eternal perspective. These practical lessons can guide us in living more meaningful, purposeful, and resilient lives. May we draw inspiration from the profound significance of Christ's resurrection and apply its teachings to our own path in life.



Update: Hope For The Hungry Project 2024



Praising the Lord for His goodness and the hearts of those who are burdened and actively involved in supporting this project is truly fitting. It is a testament to the compassion and generosity of many individuals who have responded to the call to help those in need. The positive responses received so far are a source of encouragement, fueling the belief that great things can be accomplished with God's guidance and provision.

As we acknowledge the progress made, it is important to remember that the journey towards achieving our goals is ongoing. With faith, determination, and the continued support of individuals who are moved by this cause, there is no limit to what can be achieved. I want to give a few more details that may help you understand our plan and goals:

- This question has been asked by several interested donors: "How will these meals be distributed?" The distribution of meals will be carried out in a comprehensive manner throughout East Africa. OGI will partner with National Pastors and churches in the region. These trusted partners will play a crucial role in overseeing the distribution process to various communities.

By engaging local Pastors and churches, we aim to achieve two primary objectives. Firstly, this collaborative effort allows the Pastors and churches to actively minister to their respective areas, ensuring that the meals reach those who are in need.

Moreover, this distribution system creates an opportunity for follow-up activities. Whenever individuals accept Christ or express interest in learning more about Christianity, the partnering Pastors and churches will be in a favorable position to provide ongoing spiritual guidance, answer questions, and facilitate further instruction. This ensures that not only the immediate physical needs are addressed but also the potential for long-term spiritual growth and discipleship.

By establishing these relationships, we aim to open doors for future ministry efforts and discipleship in the areas we serve. This holistic approach allows us to provide immediate relief while also fostering sustainable spiritual and community development in East Africa.

- We are thrilled to offer a powerful, 4-minute video that we have carefully crafted to showcase this project. We kindly request your support in spreading the message by sharing this video with everyone in your contact list. This proven method of communication has shown remarkable effectiveness in generating interest and awareness for this crucial project.

Accessing the video is convenient and effortless. Simply visit our website and navigate to the "Current Events" tab where you will find the video ready for viewing. You can share it from that page. Alternatively, we can send you the link via text message, email, or you can access it directly on YouTube.

By sharing this video, you play an essential role in bringing attention to this great opportunity and inspire others to join us in making a difference. Together, we can create a ripple effect of positive impact that reaches far and wide. Thank you for your invaluable support.



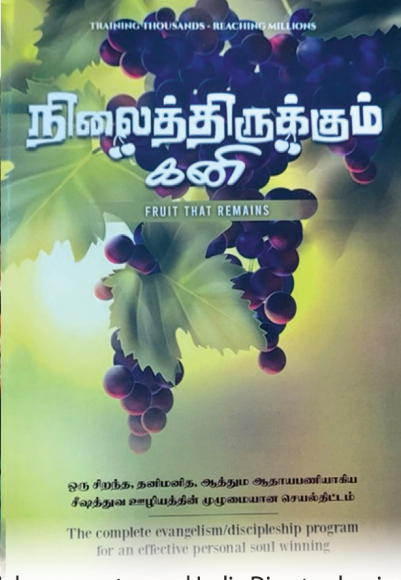
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HOPE 2024

YOU CAN MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE IN FAMILIES LIVES!

INDIA Report!



Receiving the 2023 report from Dr. Thomas Maher, our esteemed India Director, has indeed been a tremendous blessing. It is awe-inspiring and humbling to witness the mighty work of God through Operation Go International (OGI) in India and the surrounding countries. The impact achieved under the dedicated leadership of Bro. Thomas and our esteemed directors is truly remarkable, as they serve in a region that faces great challenges and needs.

The impact of OGI's humanitarian efforts in India is truly heartwarming. In the year 2023 alone, we actively participated in improving the lives of those living in extreme poverty. Through the dedication of Bro. Thomas and his church, we distributed over 100,000 meals in 11 impoverished villages, as well as at feeding centers. These centers serve as a lifeline for many individuals, offering nourishment and sustenance to those in desperate need.

Furthermore, our collective efforts have made a significant difference in the lives of 175 children who are not only looked after but also provided with regular meals through these initiatives. The joy and fulfillment that emanates from being able to make a tangible impact on such vulnerable communities is truly inspiring.

The physical difference we are able to make through these efforts is a testament to the holistic approach adopted by OGI, recognizing the importance of addressing both spiritual and physical needs. We are thrilled to be able to bring hope and transformation to the lives of many, and we remain steadfast in our commitment to continue empowering and supporting those most in need.

The tireless efforts of OGI have resulted in a tremendous impact on spreading the Gospel in India. Through our endeavors, more than 50,000 individuals have had the opportunity to hear the life-transforming message of the Gospel. What's even more remarkable is that over 12,600 people responded to this message and were saved, becoming valuable additions to local churches.

In our commitment to foster spiritual growth and community, OGI has also played a significant role in planting 3,816 churches throughout India. Furthermore, as part of our dedication to equipping pastors for effective ministry, we have conducted numerous OGI seminars, resulting in the training of over 7,600 pastors. By empowering these leaders, we enable them to effectively shepherd their congregations and carry forth the message of the Gospel.

The ministry of OGI in India has been abundantly blessed by the Lord. We are immensely grateful for the opportunity to distribute over 12,000 Bibles in countries that have restrictions on the spread of the Gospel. Moreover, in 2023 alone, we distributed 29,111 copies of the "Fruit That Remains" books to new converts across various regions of India. These remarkable achievements are testament to the power of God working through our dedicated efforts and the partnership with those who support and contribute to our cause.

As I reflect on the profound milestones and achievements witnessed in India over the past year, I find myself amazed, humbled, and joyful. However, I am acutely aware that numerous challenges persist, and there are millions of individuals who are yet to be reached. I ask you to earnestly pray for India. Additionally, let us extend our prayers to Bro. Thomas and all our dedicated directors who tirelessly serve the Lord, spreading the message of the Gospel throughout India.

INDIA REPORT



UPDATE ON THE NEW CHURCH PLANT

Pastor Mike Njoroge reports:

February marked our 1st anniversary as a Church and hence are so thankful to our Lord for His goodness in our lives. This presents a better opportunity to give a status report to brethren of the wonderful works of God through the Lighthouse Bible Baptist Church Naivasha.

Thousands of Gospel tracts have been distributed within our locality and beyond the region. This is mainly done during soul winning/visitation time on every Saturday evening and also during our personal evangelism. Hundreds of people have been witnessed to, with more than 150 souls been saved for the last one year.

Fourteen (14) among these have been baptized and six (6) are ready for baptized in the near future. By God's grace our Sunday school ministry have been growing steadily currently with a range of between 12-25 in attendance, the attendance varies by the weekly work schedule of the members which is never constant, much prayers will be greatly appreciated in regards to faithfulness over this hour.

We have witnessed a steady growth in the Sunday Morning service with a range of between 35-40 in attendance. We have children's church beginning at 9:00am-10:00am. The attendance here is between 35-40 kids. Every Saturday morning 10:00am-11:00am we have been having children's outreach (Bible club) in the neighborhood. The attendance has been between 80-140 children with a onetime attendance of 198 before school reopening.



"...and the power of his resurrection."

Ultimately, the power of Christ's resurrection is a testament to His divine authority, love, and redemptive plan. It inspires believers to live in the reality of His resurrection power, embracing the freedom, hope, and purpose it brings. It invites us to walk in the fullness of our identity as children of God, secure in the knowledge that, through Christ, we are partakers of His resurrection and recipients of His abundant life.

At OGI, our highest objective and mission is to proclaim the profound truth of the "power of Christ's resurrection" to the world. We are committed to spreading this transformative message far and wide, touching lives and making a lasting impact.

In light of this mission, we humbly request your prayers, that God may graciously equip and empower us to carry out this vital work. We recognize the immense importance of divine guidance and strength as we endeavor to effectively communicate the message of Christ's resurrection to all who need to hear it. Additionally, we invite you to prayerfully consider partnering with us financially. By contributing to our ministry, you actively participate in sharing the life-changing truth that Christ has risen and brings salvation. Your financial support enables us to reach wider audiences, utilize effective communication channels, and engage in meaningful outreach efforts. Together, through our collective efforts, we can make a resounding impact in proclaiming the hope and redemption found in Christ's resurrection.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude for your partnership with this ministry, whether through your prayers, encouragement, or financial support. Please know that I deeply appreciate every individual who shares in our vision and mission at OGI, and I recognize the burden and interest you have in our endeavors. Your dedication and commitment are invaluable. Your contributions, in whatever form they may be, make a significant difference in the lives we touch through this ministry.

My earnest prayer is that God showers His abundant blessings upon you. Your partnership is instrumental in furthering the work of the Kingdom, and we are excited to see how our collective efforts will continue to impact lives and bring glory to God. Until next month, may God's grace and favor be with you in all that you do.

Yours For Souls,

Bryan Treadway, Evangelist

*"COMING TOGETHER IS A BEGINNING.
KEEPING TOGETHER IS A PROCESS.
WORKING TOGETHER IS A SUCCESS."*

Thank you for your contribution to Operation Go International.

An annual statement of all donations given directly to OGI will be sent in January. If you have any questions concerning your contributions, please contact us at: 803-401-5752. THANK YOU!