

WRITE-WAY Prison Ministries, Inc.

NEWSLETTER

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FAITHFUL WITNESSES

ALIGNED WITH THE WORD OF GOD

"I recently came upon a booklet that you published, THE LETTERS TO THE THESSALONIANS. I read it and cross-referenced the Scripture and found that everything aligned with the Word of God. It's a real blessing to find Scripture that is taught the way it was intended to originally. So I am interested in finding out how to get into your Bible study course. I am willing to do whatever it takes to get my walk with God right and stay on track." **Daniel**

ABSOLUTELY INCALCULABLE VALUE

"I want to thank your organization for providing the correspondence course. It has been of absolutely incalculable value to me as I develop a relationship with Jesus Christ, something I sadly did not have much of, if any, for the first 39 years of my life. The course has helped me immensely to truly understand the Bible and the Christian faith itself. I have been able to lay aside many deeply ingrained prejudices that stood in the way of me having a relationship with God.

I find that as the courses become more "in depth," my level of interest keeps going up. I am currently immersed in THE GOSPEL OF JOHN. I realize that no small amount of resources, including 'sweat equity,' goes into what WPM does. I am truly humbled by your willingness to do what it is that you and all the other persons involved do in order to make this course possible. WPM is setting an amazing example of what, I am growing to learn, Christianity is all about." **Scott**

HAS PUT ME ON NOTICE

"It is truly a blessing for me to be a student of the WPM study courses. It keeps me tuned to my Father's purpose for my life and encourages me in times of failure and despair. I have truly benefitted from GUIDE TO CHRISTIAN GROWTH. I was once a mere baby in Christ, very immature, and a very disobedient child of God, husband, and father. So with the guidance and aid of this lesson, it has put me on notice of what the Lord expects from me." **Jimmy**

SHOULD BE A DESK REFERENCE

"This course, SUMMARY OF THE BIBLE, has been a refreshment of the whole Bible. It is a very good compendium that keeps me in track of the times and order of events. This one should be a desk reference to pastors and ministers to help them spark their sermons and teaching material in general. Thank you for the comprehensive overview of this course." **Rafael**

SHALL BE REWARDED IN HEAVEN

"Thank you for all the assistance and the loving and uplifting words you all have shared. You have served as wonderful examples and I'm both thankful and blessed to have you here for support. It certainly has not gone unnoticed nor unappreciated. I'm reminded of a Scripture, 'When my father and mother forsake me, then the Lord will take me up.' (PS 27:10) In light of that Scripture, it's not hard to see that he has done just that through all of you.

"The current situation is not easy to endure, more so emotionally than anything, and in these moments you begin to realize that though you've tried, it's impossible to support yourself or save oneself. Just as Job and Abraham, faith gets tested. I honestly wish I had more to offer than mere words, but no doubt, you shall be rewarded in heaven."

Patrick

Your prayers for these men and women will be rewarded!

MUCH INSPIRATION TO KEEP GOING

"First of all, I would like to thank all the people involved in providing and grading all the courses that have been sent to me. The studies have helped out so much in getting to know the One Who has created me out of His love. None of us would be here if it weren't for the love of God. When I review my graded exams, I smile at some of the comments. They give me much inspiration to keep going." **Aaron**

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Before I trusted Christ: "My life was a mess. I had so many problems that it was unbearable. I turned to alcohol to try and mask the pain. It did go away only to return the next day. I came to the conclusion that I had no pain when I was drunk, so why not stay drunk all the time? My bright idea created way more problems and I eventually hit rock bottom.

How I trusted Christ: "One day I realized that when I'm in control I head in the wrong direction fast. I grew up in a religious family. I always thought that with my past it would be impossible to be saved. Then I met fellow brothers in Christ who have been saved and their stories made mine look like kid's play. I submitted to the Lord and now let Him lead.

Since I've trusted Christ: "My life has done a 180 degrees. I'm finally at peace. I've lost some people from my past that weren't on board with my life change. But I've gained so many new friends who are happy for me. Relationships have grown strong and I don't have the problems I had before. Life is so much easier when you live for a reason. I'm thankful that Christ has lifted my sin from my shoulder and I now can walk upright and straight."

Michael

(Testimonies solicited on 2nd Navigator course, BEGINNING A NEW LIFE)

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

"I learn more and more on areas I thought I completely grasped! I thank God for your course, DOING TIME WITH JESUS. It has not only helped me, but given me answers to questions presented to me. Thank you from the bottom of my heart." **June**

Your donations bring these wonderful courses to our students.

I WAS NOT HONEST

"Could you please send me another Answer Sheet for N3? The reason is this: I was not honest in my answer to the questions asked. I was taking a short cut by not reading the entire lesson as instructed and was writing my own version from what I had read from different books. But the Holy Spirit convicted me of my dishonesty and sorrow filled my heart. I immediately repented and confessed my sin and asked Jesus forgiveness. I also ask your forgiveness and apologize for this inconvenience.

"I am so happy this happened and that I knew His voice and obeyed Him. It reveals to me His great love for me and that 'all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose.' (Romans 8:28)" **Henry**

REPORT FOR MARCH

Institutions Served	357
Enrolled Students	8,237
New Enrollees	1,115
Professions of Faith	47
Course Booklets Mailed	9,266
Course Exams Completed	5,891

Student Achievements Reached This Month:

36 Course Units Completed: 48 Students48 Course Units Completed: 36 Students

Operational Finances Summary:

March Donations Received: \$ 19,204.24 March Expenses Paid: \$ 24,222.11

Postage: \$ 9,931.11 Courses: 8,292.24 Admin/Misc 5,998.76

Surplus/(Deficit): \$ (5,017.87)

Unpaid March Expenses: \$4,362.26

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