



WRITE-WAY Prison Ministries, Inc.

# NEWSLETTER

Dear Friends,

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## BEHOLD HIS GLORY

Have you considered the honor that is ours to have the privilege to behold deity? John states that “The Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His Glory...” (1:14) How have you seen His glory recently? In a beautiful sunset? From a lofty mountain height? In the birth of a baby?

After being startled by a cosmic choir of angels, the shepherds went to behold him. (Luke 2:17) Later the wise men traveled far and “they saw the young child... and worshipped him.” (Matt. 2:11) John the Baptist testified with these words, “Behold! The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!” (John 1:29)

In recounting Saul’s dramatic confrontation on the road to Damascus, Ananias explains, “The God of our fathers has chosen you that you should...see the Just One...” (Acts 22:14) The Apostle John starts his letter this way: “That which was from the beginning... which we have seen with our eyes... which we have looked upon...” (I John 1:1)

Peter reminds his readers that “we... were eyewitnesses of His majesty.” on the mountain. (II Peter 1:16) And dear elder John, “in the Spirit on the Lord’s Day” upon Patmos, “turned to see” and exclaims, “When I saw Him, I fell at His feet as dead.” (Revelation 1:10,12,17)

Have you beheld His glory this special season? He manifests Himself when we meditate upon Scripture, when we pray, in blissful music, and when we gather for praise, worship and proclamation of the Word. And someday we shall behold Him face to face! (I John 3:2)

Join us in bringing a prisoner along to “Behold His Glory!” What better Christmas gift to give than this?

Rodger Turley  
Director



## GLAD TIDINGS

“Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! God bless you all for spreading the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ!”  
**Juan**

“May you all at WPM be rooted in grace, blessed in joy, and renewed by love. Have a heavenly Christmas!” **Jeffe**

“To my family at WPM/ECS: Thank God for each and every one of you who grade my exams and those who process the mailing out of those exams. You are doing a great service for God in teaching the gospel. I cannot fully express in words the blessing that I’ve received as a result. Merry Christmas!” **Devin**

“God is good. Thanks for you all blessing me to learn more of the Word. God bless every one!” **John**



“I take this time to share my gratitude and appreciation for the love you show and share with me, even though I’m unable to give much in return. May the heart of Christmas, the love of Jesus, the joy of His grace, and the peace of God be with you this season and the days to follow!”  
**Ron**

“May you feel the wonder of Christmas. From your student and brother in our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.”  
**Marco**

“I wanted to express my deep appreciation for all of the materials and opportunity to study the word of God. As I receive my release on January 9, 2012, I will remember to pray for the prosperity of this ministry and expect that God Almighty, Creator of heaven, earth, and all things in them, will provide the increase. In the love of Christ, have a safe and wonderful holiday season!”  
**Joseph**



## OF GREAT JOY

“May God bless you all, and thanks for thinking of me with the Bible studies. I want to continue learning about the Word of God. Here where I am, we do Bible studies for an hour. Christ loves you all.” **Hugo** (in Spanish)

“I have to thank you (repeats 5X’s)! I am learning about God and Christ, thanks to the Emmaus studies. I want to leave the desert strong. I am asking for a sword to carry in to the world waiting outside.” **Pedro** (in Spanish)

“These studies have been a real blessing and a help to my spiritual growth. I have been able to share the word with others more each day. Here are the names of two brothers that God has placed in my life to help grow in the will, the way, and in the word of God. Please send them the free Bible studies.” **Anthony**

“I would like to get involved in your Bible study program. I’m looking for a way to change my ways and I’ve seen several inmates doing the study that you have to offer. I see the commitment they have and I’ve noticed how their knowledge of the Bible has improved. I would like to know more and renew my faith.” **Leonel**

“I am currently locked up for the next 17 months and just now trying to find God and change my ways. I have twin babies due in March and I want to change my ways so they’ll have a Godly example to learn from. Could you please bless me with some Bible studies?” **Harold**

“I am in prison and am lost. I desperately need a Bible and any studies you offer about Christ. I greatly appreciate you.” **Chadwick**

“Thank you for the Bible studies. Today I opened up my heart and let Jesus in as my personal Savior. I repented and I feel much better. Through this experience I was able to write this poem today. My prayers are with you.” **Megan**

### FOUND BY THE LORD

I was lost, not knowing which way to go;  
I was fighting a battle within thinking I was all alone,  
Until one day I stumbled and was found by the Lord.  
He took my hand to speak to me, saying He has been waiting at the door.  
As I trembled I asked Him, “What door?”  
The Lord told me, “I have been at the door of your heart since day one.”  
Now as I get on my knees to repent to the Lord,  
He squeezes my hand telling me, “Child of mine, you’re free from sin.”  
This battle that I once fought I fight no more.  
For I gave myself this day to the Lord.

## MEMORIAL GIFTS

Our grateful appreciation to Kitty and Emmett Marshall for a gift in memory of Larry Atkins.

## REPORT FOR NOVEMBER

Institutions Served	326
Enrolled Students	7,538
New Enrollees	917
<b>Professions of Faith</b>	<b>38</b>
Course Booklets Mailed	8,079
Course Exams Completed	4,626

### Student Achievements Reached This Month:

<b>36 Course Units Completed:</b>	<b>21 Students</b>
<b>48 Course Units Completed:</b>	<b>19 Students</b>
<b>60 Course Units Completed:</b>	<b>22 Students</b>

### Operational Finances Summary:

November Donations:	\$	13,139.53
November Expenses:		18,292.50
Postage:	\$	9,040.26
Courses:		194.49
Admin/Misc		6,548.34*
Surplus ( <b>Deficit</b> )	\$	( 5,152.97)

\*includes new phone system

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