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## March 2016 PRAYER LETTER

**Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,** 

"So mightily grew the Word of God and prevailed." (Acts 19:20) "I have shewed you all things, how that so laboring ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the Words of our Lord Jesus, how He said, It is more blessed to give than to receive." (Acts20:35)

Acts 19:20 is our prayer here at the Bearing Precious Seed Ministry. We want to see the publishing of the Word of God grow and prevail. Missionaries and national pastors are begging us for millions of copies of the Scriptures for their people and for the lost to enable them to evangelize the areas in which they minister. Some are ministering in cities populated by millions of souls, others in towns in the thousands, and many in villages in the hundreds or less; yet, they all need the same thing to build churches and ministries that will stand, the "written" Word of God. Since you have a Bible, will you help support the weak who do not have the Scriptures; then, remember the words of our Lord Jesus regarding giving.

TURNING DARKNESS DURNING DARKNESS LIGHT HEAROE ISLANDS One of the areas we are focusing on for National Bible Publishing Month is the Faroe Islands. They are located between the Norwegian Sea and the North Atlantic Ocean about halfway between Iceland and Norway, 200 miles from mainland Scotland. The population is 50,196. Though Faroese is their heart language, they can also speak Danish. Their main industry is fishing and whaling. The temperature in the winter ranges from 37 to 39 degrees and from 49

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to 51 degrees in the summer. The Lutheran Church is the state church, but very few know the Lord. We must reach these forgotten people before it is too late. We are printing 10,000 Faroese whole Bibles and 50,000 John/Romans Books. They have not had the Bible in their language throughout history. This will result in many souls saved and churches built. Since our Lord has promised to bless those who give cheerfully, will you give to help publish what is the best

revelation of our God and His life changing salvation to a world in desperate need of the Truth?



It was a joy and a privilege to be with Dr. Alfred Willis at Life Baptist Church in St. Stephen, SC for March for Missions. This is a real mission minded church. Though they are a small church, they support missionaries all over the world and at home. They are kind to support the General Fund of Bearing Precious Seed and our family monthly, and National Bible Publishing Month each year. They were more than kind to give a large offering for paper for our large roll-fed press, and also gave my wife an offering that overwhelmed her. Pastor Willis has asked me to come back every year to kick off March for Missions. One of the great ministries out of their church is Fair Haven Home for Men with addictions under the direction of Missionary Jeff Krontz. It is really making a difference in the lives of men from all over the USA, making sure they're saved and putting their lives and homes back together. If you know of anyone who may need help with their addiction no matter what it may be, you can reach Brother Krontz at (843) 749-9622 or Brother Phillip Willis at (843) 567-2143. Either one of these godly preachers would be happy to present Fair Haven to your church.

Please participate in NBPM! We need your help in reaching our goal of \$280,000.00 to publish the Bibles, New Testaments, and John/Romans needed for these four needy countries. One church of a 100 or so gave \$40,000.00 last year. What could your church do? Pray much about your involvement. We have all the materials to assist you in this month long campaign to glorify our Lord Jesus Christ by sending out His Word. Thousand will be saved with your help. You can contact me at the numbers in the letter address or our office at this number (513) 575-1706.

Here are somethings your church could do: buy a roll of paper or several rolls of paper for \$625.00 apiece. Raise \$20,000.00 for a truckload of paper, \$10,000.00 for a half a truckload, or \$5,000.00 for a quarter of a truckload. There are 32 rolls of paper in a truckload, 16 rolls would be half a truckload, and 8 rolls in a quarter truckload.





Missionary Jeff Krontz



**Missionary Phillip Willis** 

I have had the privilege of knowing Brother Jeff and Brother Phillip since they were young. They are wonderful preachers who carry а tremendous burden for these men with addictions. The home for men and the preaching and teaching of Pastor Alfred Willis, Brother Krontz, and Brother Phillip Willis is changing lives. The wonderful members of Life Baptist Church are loving these men to Christ and helping them wonderfully.



THE PEOPLE OF THE FAROE ISLANDS NEED THE GOSPEL, AND THEY NEED THE BIBLE, ESPECIALLY IN THE CAPITAL CITY OF TORSHAVN WHERE A MOJORITY OF THE PEOPLE LIVE.



THE MAJOR MEANS OF INCOME FOR THE FAROESE PEOPLE IS THE FISHING INDUSTRY. WITHOUT IT, THEY WOULD NOT MAKE IT FINANCIALLY AS A PEOPLE.

Thank you for your help in getting out God's precious Word. We must work while it is day. The night cometh when no man can work. Our theme for National Bible Publishing Month is TURNING DARKNESS INTO LIGHT. Please help us do so.

Yours for Christ and His Word,

Thank you for your concern for those who need the Scriptures.

Bob & Marie Ford—Eph. 3:20, 21

WE MUST PUBLISH, OR THEY WILL PERISH!

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