

# Bible League

WORLDWIDE BIBLE IMPACT

Vision 2020: In our role of helping people come into fellowship with Christ and His Church, the Bible League will endeavor to train 10 million nationals to engage 100 million

people in the study of God's Word through the placement of Bibles and New Testaments by the year 2020.



**2007**  
**MINISTRY RESULTS**  
**S - Scriptures Provided:**  
 17,713,004  
**BC - Bible Study**  
**Completions:** 3,271,449  
**GR - Bible Study Groups:**  
 231,487  
**M - New Church Members/  
 Baptisms:** 539,154  
**CH - New Churches**  
**Established:** 5,766



HE TOLD THEM, "THE HARVEST IS PLENTIFUL, BUT THE WORKERS ARE FEW. ASK THE LORD OF THE HARVEST, THEREFORE, TO SEND OUT WORKERS INTO HIS HARVEST FIELD." —LUKE 10: 2

COUNTRY/REGION	S	BC	GR	M	CH
<b>AFRICA</b>					
Cameroon	205,000	60,921	695	14,800	84
Chad	30,800	35,225	520	134	-
Ethiopia	157,000	67,887	4,908	8,393	-
Ghana	150,384	65,187	2,173	2,856	33
Kenya	140,228	135,718	8,642	23,632	143
Mozambique	122,060	44,200	2,352	5,009	171
Niger	61,835	10,947	665	-	-
Nigeria	977,357	247,340	5,521	6,460	204
Senegal	43,173	9,794	341	807	16
South Africa	64,497	55,632	2,939	2,958	44
Southern Sudan	190,500	28,458	1,319	17,177	-
Uganda	153,200	53,556	2,281	3,279	-
Zimbabwe	131,730	53,639	1,850	3,752	219
<b>MIDDLE EAST*</b>	227,000	43,652	1,339	10,826	339
<b>FORMER SOVIET UNION/ CENTRAL &amp; EAST. EUROPE</b>					
Albania	307,416	26,019	317	572	23
Armenia	24,000	2,138	198	490	31
Belarus	12,000	2,451	136	255	4
Bulgaria	49,760	7,753	401	1,020	27
Hungary	43,251	4,541	172	342	12
Latvia	692	197	29	37	4
Lithuania	4,452	386	54	42	7
Macedonia	21,407	1,388	75	110	6
Moldova	32,000	6,558	364	215	3
Poland	8,546	989	128	115	4
Romania	913,653	120,528	7,199	9,584	89
Russia	1,101,444	72,930	6,233	5,553	192
Serbia	53,417	2,046	51	261	4
Ukraine	353,440	138,150	7,547	1,661	121
<b>CENTRAL ASIA*</b>	353,040	21,276	1,265	1,406	58
<b>ASIA</b>					
Cambodia	231,650	68,196	5,532	5,447	321
China	1,279,896	113,724	9,547	10,869	-
India	1,307,933	365,521	14,174	109,256	274
Indonesia	257,185	103,907	4,173	4,662	50
Malaysia	218,299	28,978	1,939	26,737	88
Mongolia	47,400	11,042	1,527	2,439	19
Nepal	108,500	13,387	1,358	8,006	57
Philippines	1,831,626	537,632	40,923	105,502	989
Sri Lanka	51,200	4,997	61	175	5
Thailand	1,950,500	16,850	231	4,799	40
Vietnam	95,670	55,147	757	4,676	79
*Sensitive Asian Countries	239,000	44,589	6,554	12,894	1,262
<b>LATIN AMERICA</b>					
Chile	95,208	1,805	167	111	-
Colombia	469,470	71,358	9,598	20,484	69
Dominican Republic	193,456	21,696	3,612	2,420	36
Ecuador	318,004	28,961	4,380	3,216	46
Haiti	289,071	125,838	22,889	14,926	266
Mexico	736,520	286,917	35,856	72,649	285
Nicaragua	60,986	6,134	863	531	1
Peru	247,262	11,643	1,148	592	16
Puerto Rico	180,030	1,167	1,167	3,029	12
Venezuela	876,196	11,137	3,727	1,947	5
<b>U.S.A. HISPANICS</b>	307,689	12,393	1,590	2,041	8

\* FOR SECURITY REASONS, WE DO NOT LIST BY NAME THE MIDDLE EASTERN, CENTRAL ASIAN, AND SENSITIVE ASIAN COUNTRIES IN WHICH WE WORK.



# People Need God's Word More Than Anything

## Mission Statement

We are called by God to provide Scriptures and training worldwide, so that people prepared by the Holy Spirit will be brought into fellowship with Christ and His Church.

## A Blessed History

A simple prayer launched Bible League's mission to send God's Word into action. A church elder asked God to spare the life of William Chapman, a desperately ill Chicago-area businessman, and give him a new life dedicated to kingdom service. When Chapman recovered in 1938, he and his wife purchased 1,000 Bibles and went door-to-door in Walkerton, Indiana. The Chapmans gave a Bible to anyone in need in exchange for a promise to read it.

## Today's Challenge

The desire to help lead people to Christ through God's Word has expanded to Bible League's present ministry of placing Bibles into waiting hands in more than 60 countries. Over the past 70 years, partners like you have helped provide more than 730 million Scriptures worldwide. Still, hundreds of millions of people remain Bible-less.

## Effective and Efficient

Your partnership with Bible League helps us serve churches worldwide by providing Bibles and training to indigenous Christians who share the transforming Gospel of Christ. Through evangelistic and discipling Bible studies, people "meet" Jesus in the Bible. Many commit their lives to Him and continue to grow in faith by the power of God's Word. Christians trained by Bible League also establish new churches in areas where there are none.

## Vision 2020

Today, Bible League's board, staff, and volunteers follow the Lord's leading as we work toward a bold new vision:

In our role of helping people come into fellowship with Christ and His Church, the Bible League will endeavor to train 10 million nationals to engage 100 million people in the study of God's Word through the placement of Bibles and New Testaments by the year 2020.

We embrace this vision with much prayer after evaluating 70 years of ministry growth and continuing worldwide Bible need. It is a strategic projection that is critical as we keep in step with the Holy Spirit. And it is nothing without God's blessing—and your support.

## Accountability Matters

Bible League is a charter member of the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability, a member of the National Association of Evangelicals, and Christian Service Charities. God's Word instructs us to be good stewards of His resources. In obedience, we measure results and provide appropriate ministry and financial reports. The average worldwide cost to place a Bible is \$4.00; New Testaments cost only \$1.50. This includes all administration, development, shipping, training, and placement costs.

## Opportunities Abound

In addition to Bible League staff, tens of thousands of volunteers work in a unified mission to share the Bible around the world. A variety of opportunities allows you to join your brothers and sisters worldwide. Please contact us to take the next step.



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LET US NOT BECOME WEARY IN DOING GOOD, FOR AT THE PROPER TIME WE WILL REAP A HARVEST IF WE DO NOT GIVE UP. —GALATIANS 6: 9