



Pray BFF Letter #275

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SEEKING GOD'S BEST

“How much more shall your Father who is in heaven give what is good to those who ask Him.” (Matthew 7:11)

Dear Prayer Partners,

The month since returning from Kenya has flown by! I have been teaching regularly for our church's adult Sunday Training class and the new parenting class. *Life in the Spirit* series is almost complete. My last lesson will be this Sunday, May 15th. This has been a tremendously uplifting series, especially following on the heels of the Book of Revelation. While teaching classes and preparing slides, I am also writing chapters for a future for book.

My brain has recently been hard pressed by the Burmese and Luo seminar videos, sometimes being submerged in the work! Our Burmese translator said, "Great! I searched for any error (in the Burmese book cover) with a power glass (magnifying glass), but I didn't find anything wrong. Sir, you have become Burmese." What fun! This was stated only after submitting the cover to him 4-5 times. Meanwhile I have edited and produced over 20 hours of Luo videos. I am very glad that the computer can handle all the editing and producing for one hour+ videos.

In the last letter, I mentioned a praise on the side of technology. Two significant followups: First, the laptop: totally new innards and screen were replaced at a good price and is now working fine. Second, my backup portable hard drive died. The last 10 videos to be edited are still on the dead drive. Fortunately, I have most of the audios for these lessons, so all is not lost. I am still praying to recover those videos before exchanging it for a free new portable hard drive. Recovery costs are too expensive. What a battle!

So please do continue to pray for the final processing of the Luo and Swahili resources as well as finalizing some translations into books.

Praise!

- Thank the Lord for the 20 teaching videos produced since the last prayer letter, mostly of the bilingual Luo seminars!
- Thank the Lord for making the computer like new.
- Praise the Lord for lots of good family time after being away.
- The Burmese translation for *The Life Core* is now here (see right)!
- I finished BFF's special non-profit 990 form. Big yeah! Send me a note if you would like to see it.
- The parenting class at our church has started!



Pray!

- On Sunday (May 15th) I am both preaching and teaching.
- I am now working with the Burmese translator on our marriage book.
- With a little break in teaching, I will focus on finishing up some major projects including some intense writing.
- Pray for the families in the parenting class that they might find much help for their new babies coming soon.
- There has been some action on our new web pages. May it continue on!

Thanks so much for your prayers!

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