

July 28th, 2006 update

India 2006



India

Orissa
Andhra Pradesh

PASTOR
TRAINING
SEMINARS




God's team of ministers in India are ready to move forward with the Lord. This seminary was at a partially built training center high in India's mountains.

Paul will be in India Sept 6th to 17th, 2006

Making a Difference

God's greatest works are often hidden from us behind the borders of other countries and cultures. Each visit to India opens my heart and mind anew to these great deeds of God. I am continually amazed by seeing the passion for God and the expansion of His kingdom moving men to bring the Gospel to each tribe and village in India and elsewhere.

This year will present increased challenges as I teach these Advanced Discipleship Training (ADT) seminars. At least two seminars will be held in rural areas where there is little education. 80-90% of the pastors, church planters

and evangelists have only a 3-4th grade education. They can read the Bible but have had little or no training. Considering that many of them stand on the front of God's expanding kingdom, the value of these ADT conferences is all the more strategic. Each conference aims to develop three areas of their lives: their hearts, skills and knowledge of God's Word.

Each pastor will get a BFF publication in their own language. This year we are having our 'Walking with Jesus' book translated into Oria for the two conferences in Orissa.

Needing your prayers

- Message preparation and delivery.
- Safety on roads and in Orissa.
- Spirit's help to teach the under-educated.
- Provision for finances.
- Good health, protection and stamina.
- Pastor Stephen's organization of the seminars and good health.
- Paul's family during his absence.
- That those who pray would persist in their prayers for the church in India.



Projected costs

Our 2006 budget includes provision for 3 three-day pastoral training conferences. For \$10 per pastor/evangelist, each pastor, evangelist or church planter can attend the 3 day conference, including room, board and a BFF book translated into their language. Due to extra giving last year, we already have half of what we need. We now need the remaining \$4,000. STM financial summaries available on request.

Thanks!

Your prayers and financial giving made a great difference last year. Will you join our team again this year? Sign up here:

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