



Since 2003
Springfield,
Missouri

Time flies when you are studying God's Word. It is hard to believe that we have almost completed our first quarter of the school year at the Bible Institute of Missouri. First quarter will end on October 7th. The students will start back for their second quarter on October 12th. Next quarter the students will be taking the following classes:

<i>First-Year Classes:</i>	<i>Second-Year Classes:</i>
Preacher and His Work II	Preacher and His Work VI
English Grammar II	Greek II

Combined:
Life of Christ II
Exodus and Leviticus
New Testament Church
Prison Epistles

As our custom has been for some time, we take our students each year to a day of the lectureship at the 39th Street Church of Christ in Independence, Missouri. This allows them to hear many different preachers proclaim the Word of God. This is good not only for their continued growth in God's Word but also for them to hear many different styles of preaching. It is always a good day of fellowship with brethren and feasting on God's Word. We are thankful that God's Word is always a lamp to our feet during our daily service to Him (Psa. 119:105).



Students and Staff at 39th Street Lectureship

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Committing God's Word to
Faithful Men
2 Timothy 2:2

"Global News"

By Jerry Sullins

Jesus said, "Few there be that find it." He was referring to those who needed to be saved and the fact that most people will not find salvation. Frequently, we hear about souls being baptized into Christ due to the efforts of men trained in our schools throughout Africa. These men are those who have been trained for two years so that they have obtained a knowledge on how to evangelize with God's Word.



A great gospel meeting took place at the Mbwiko church of Christ in Zambia. It was a week long meeting where two were baptized, three restored, and 17 came forward for prayers. These types of meetings take place throughout Africa in all the countries and surrounding countries where our schools are located. We are currently experiencing a great increase in the salvation of lost souls due to our joint efforts on that great continent. Words cannot express our gratitude for your continued support of the work.

This coming November, two of our schools will be holding graduation ceremonies. Brother Scott Richards and I will be traveling to Zambia to be a part of the graduation of the sixteenth class. Sixteen graduates will receive their Associate Degree of Biblical Studies after two years of studying. Over 255 students have graduated from this school which started in Botswana in 1988 and continues in Zambia. Brother Scott has taught this sixteenth class and is a major supporter of the work in Zambia. Ray Sullins and his son Chase will also be traveling to Ghana, West Africa to be a part of their fourth graduation of the full-time school. Nine students will be graduating and receiving their degrees. We are setting a goal of sixteen students for the next class that will begin early next year.

Within the last few months we have begun seeking support for sixteen students at \$250 per student; our goal is to fix our monthly deficit. We are so grateful that three of these students have had commitments from the brotherhood. We further solicit your prayers that we might find the support for the remaining thirteen students.

We are happy to announce that we will be beginning a new program where we will be able to accept online donations. We hope to make it easier and more transparent for the brethren to support this work. This should begin within the next month. We request your prayers in our travels. Again, we thank you all for supporting the growth of the church in Africa. May the Lord richly bless you all in your labors for Him.



Since 1988
Zambia

It has been a busy time in Zambia. A good brother, Rusty Stark, visited the school from the U.S.A. He helped teach and evangelize while there. We always appreciate it when faithful men are willing to go and spend some time at our schools and help in the good work.

There have also been several great meetings and lectureships over the past several months. Most recently at a meeting in Mbwiko there were two baptized, three restored, and seventeen requested for prayers. In Syamafumba another meeting took place where there were over 3000 present. During this gospel meeting, fifty-four were baptized, ninety-nine were restored, and five requested prayers. Praise be to God for the power of His Word and the good workers in Zambia who are taking it to those who need to hear it.

Another exciting thing coming up on November 12 is the graduation in Zambia. Jerry Sullins will be going to this graduation with a faithful and dear brother Scott Richards. Brother Scott has been a great supporter of our works and helps a lot with working in our schools. We are glad he is going to be able to go and take part in the graduation.



A Baptism in Zambia

I am excited to say that many, many souls are being affected in Zambia for the sake of our God through efforts together. Many have obeyed the gospel this year, have been restored and have been able to grow as children of God through our efforts together. Thank you for helping to make all this possible. We love and appreciate you all!

Written by Ray Sullins



Since 2003
Uganda

The work in Uganda continues to be blessed by God. Currently we have sixteen men who are doing a great job in their studies there. I am so encouraged by the good work that our brethren are doing there. These men are in their first year of studies.

As most of you remember, there was a graduation over the summer in Uganda for those who finished last November. I am excited to say that brother Ron Gilbert has sent money to buy all the recent graduates a bicycle for their ministries. Bikes can greatly help our men in their evangelism and allows them to visit several congregations each Sunday. We appreciate this good and faithful brother for all his help in the work of the Lord. Brother Ron runs many of his own preacher training schools throughout Africa as well.



Traveling by Motorcycle

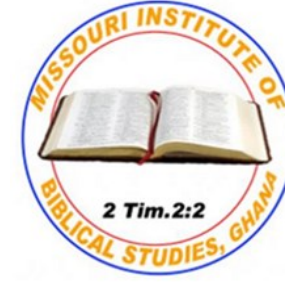
Recently, two of our instructors (brother Mike and James) have been working on getting the school's registration renewed. There is a lot of work that has to go on with a school like this to meet government requirements and such in each country. Sometimes the process is very long and expensive to keep our schools registered and update. We appreciate these brother in their good efforts to take care of these matters.

Let me thank you all for your love and support of the good work in Uganda. Together we are doing a lot to spread the truth of the gospel of Christ to the lost of East Africa. We love and appreciate you all!



Acquiring Registration Documents

Written by Ray Sullins



Since 2017
Ghana

September has been another blessed month in Ghana. Classes have now begun for the final quarter of studies, and graduation draws nearer and nearer. It is always amazing to me how quickly time flies by with every class. Before you know it November 12th will be here, and another nine men will have graduated from the Missouri Institute of Biblical Studies Ghana.



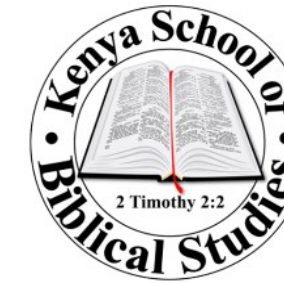
Students in Class

I will be traveling to Ghana in November for the graduation. I am excited that my son Chase is going with me on this trip. He is a recent graduate of the Bible Institute of Missouri in Springfield. I know that the future of the Global work lies in the hands of those younger men coming up and their willingness to get involved. It is a real blessing to see the interest my sons are taking in the global works as a whole.

I would also like to say that we are busy beginning the process of accepting students for the next intake. We have several students desiring to come from surrounding countries like Cameroon and Sierra Leone. How wonderful it will be to have the gospel of Christ begin to spread even further through Western Africa. Please keep all these things in your prayers. That everything might be done and accomplish according to the perfect will of God.

I thank all you good brethren for helping us make the work in Ghana possible through your continued support and prayers. May God bless us all as we strive to accomplish His purpose.

Written by Ray Sullins



Since 2022
Kenya

The Lord continues to richly bless our new work in Kenya. All twelve students continue to do well in their studies and seem to be growing very well in the Word of God. Brother Samson said that everything is running smoothly and according to God's purpose and plan.



Students and Staff

The school has just begun their 4th quarter of the first year of studies at the Kenya School of Biblical Studies. We are thankful that all of our men have hung in well and have kept their hands to the plow. I am very proud of the good students we have in Kenya. They have a great interest in growing in God's Word and being better workers for Him.



School Building

We decided to hire a night watchman for the school in Kenya. We have had several of our water pumps stolen at night due to the crime that takes place all over Nairobi. Because of this persistent problem, it is necessary to have a watchman to keep our compound safe while the students sleep.

Thank you all for making this work of our Lord possible in Kenya. Without your love, prayers, and financial assistance what we do would not be possible. We love and appreciate you all for your interest and involvement!

Written by Ray Sullins