



the DELONGS

"...That All...The Earth May Know"

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Dear Friends,

"...Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." Mark 16:15

Fritz Kreisler, the world-famous violinist, earned a fortune with his concerts and compositions. Much to his credit, he generously gave away most of his wealth. Because of this, when he discovered an exquisite violin on one of his trips, he lacked the funds to purchase it.

Eventually when he had raised enough money to meet the asking price for the beautiful violin, he returned to the seller only to find that it had been sold to a collector. Making his way to the new owner's home, he offered to buy the violin. The collector said that the violin had become his prized possession, and he would not sell it. Extremely disappointed, Kreisler asked if he could play the instrument before it was consigned to silence. Permission was granted, and the great virtuoso filled the room with such heart-moving music that the collector's emotions were deeply stirred. "I have no right to keep that to myself," he exclaimed. "It's yours, Mr. Kreisler. Take it into the world, and let people hear it."

To sinners saved by grace, the gospel is like the rapturous harmonies of heaven. We have no right to keep it to ourselves. Jesus tells us to take the gospel into our world and let people hear it.

This is exactly what the 52 missionary candidates who attended our 2019 Candidate School inspire to do. Lord willing, these missionaries will reach the countries of New Zealand, the Republic of Congo, Mali, Suriname, Indonesia, Brazil, Europe, Zambia, the USA Military, Kenya, the Ukraine, Finland, Guyana, the Dominican Republic, Greenland, Honduras, Spain, serve with the BIM I Claim Ministry, and plant churches in the USA. Please pray that the Lord will guide each of these missionaries and grant them wisdom as they strive to complete their deputation with the end goal of reaching their God-called mission fields with the gospel. (See first photo.)



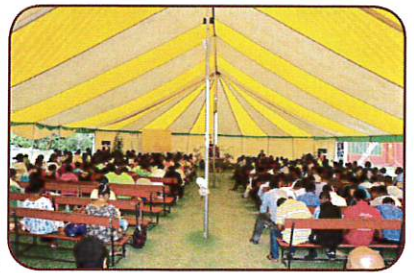
It was a blessing to participate and minister to the 33 students who attended Camp BIM I this year. It was an exciting week as the students soaked up the many aspects of the camp. Prayerfully, we will see some of these students serving on foreign mission fields as they follow God's will for their lives. (See second photo.)



The PNG Bible Project continues to move forward with great enthusiasm and blessed results. As of May, 770,000 Bible have been taken into the country with over 600,000 having been distributed. Continue your prayers for this God-given opportunity to reach young people and their families for the Lord. (See third photo.)



It is a wonderful blessing to see the Lord continue to work through Pastor Tau, one of my dear preacher boys, at Shalom Baptist Church located just outside Port Moresby, Papua New Guinea. Pastor Tau just concluded his 2019 Youth Quest Conference that included over 265 teenagers. 30 teens accept Christ as their Savior and 25 more youth surrendered their lives to the Lord for His service. Please pray for Pastor Tau as he serves in the Port Moresby area. He is doing a great work even though he is enduring several health issues caused by a stroke suffered several years ago. (See fourth photo.)



Thank you for your prayers and faithfulness as we serve the Lord in world-wide missions. We are blessed to be a small part of your ministry and cannot express our thankfulness enough. Prayerfully, may we all do our part to take the gospel to the lost world. Thank you for enabling us.

Yours in Christ,
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