#4 Whenever I get out, I want to help other people in my situation get back to society and join their loved ones, and better themselves like I did, and not waste their time by doing nothing while they are locked up. I completed my GED and multiple other programs while inside, including the PMA Bible Correspondence courses. With my knowledge and education, I am currently working on spreading the Good News of Christ throughout the D.O.C. s in America to help prisoners. Sincerely Yours, --Taurean

**#5.** I got prison time when I got out of the army. Things got very bad. I begin to lose the use of my right hand, my mother passed away, and my two sisters died, and I discovered I had arthritis over my whole body. It was time to find someone or something better than myself. I started going to church and hearing other people's testimonies. I turned 63 years old and started working out as I had never done before. God brought me back, and **PMA ministries keep me wanting more of Christ. PMA led me into other Bible studies.** I willingly surrender to God. --Winston

#6. I am writing today to say how thankful I am for your love. I am also sending back my study course, "Understanding the Bible," lesson four. I just wanted to write you this letter of gratitude to show how happy I am for these lessons. I have learned so much, and I am assured of all God's promises. I love you so dearly over at Prison Mission

Association, and you guys are always in my prayers. Thank you so much for sharing God's love with me. I mostly want to thank God, because, without Him, none of this is possible. Thank you, Lord, for all that you do. I know that in your eyes, we are all special and that you love us all so much. Words cannot express the happiness I feel when I study your word. Anyway, may all of you be in good physical and mental health. May all of you be blessed in God's love. --Christopher, Tehachapi, CA

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## **Praise Points**



Our newest Bible Correspondence Fellowship (BCF) started in Oct. with Grace Ministries International Missionary Cleiton Menor who is mentoring 19-year-old Rodrigo Paredes who has a burden to share the gospel. Rodrigo felt called to start an outreach to inmates and asked Cleiton for help. They had 26 men sign up for PMA lessons on the first visit when Rodrigo preached his first sermon on Ephesians 2:1-10. On their second visit, they brought 47 lessons and ran out. So that is a total of 73 enrolled in studying God's Word! They drive 4 hours to get to this prison called "Penitenciaria Regional De Encarnación." Please pray for God to continue to raise up more volunteers to correct lessons and help in this growing ministry in the city of Encarnación. We praise God for this new open door of ministry! Pray for more churches to reach out like this to their nearby prisons.

Praise God for new donors and prayer partners for our growing ministry! We are thankful for YOU. We trust you will have a wonderful Christmas as we all reflect on God's love to us in sending Christ to die

for our sins so we can offer this gospel of the Grace of God to everyone! Have a very Merry CHRISTmas and a happy new year!

Pastor Dwight has been invited to share at many new churches. **We praise God for the increased interest in what God is doing behind bars**. Here are some upcoming dates: Dec. 19 Preakness Bible Church, Wayne, NJ. Jan. 25-27 GGF Pastors Conference, Grace Bible Church, Phoenix, AZ. Feb. 27 Valley Bible Church, Stephen City, VA.

Mar. 18-20 Grace Bible Church, Bible Conference, Fort. Worth, TX.

Mar. 20 Eleventh Ave. Church, Mineral Wells, TX.

April 2-6 Altoona Bible Church, Altoona, PA

April 3 Bedford Valley Bible Church, Bedford, PA

May 27-28 Teaching Workshop at the CMCA Ministry Summit, New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary, New Orleans, LA.

**PMA** wants to help provide resources for churches to grow so please contact Pastor Dwight for ideas on Leadership Retreats, Vision casting workshops, and 12 Seeds for Successful Relationships workshops.

## **Prayer Points**

Pray for Simone Monfort, our PMA operations manager at our Port Orchard, WA home office and the team as work continues to increase with our expanding growth. She is doing an excellent job! We praise God for her!! Pray for more volunteers to be able to help in the office and also to correct lessons from home.

Pray for our **need for a bilingual volunteer** near our Port Orchard, WA office to help with the **Spanish lessons**.

Pray as doors are opening to connect with inmates again in MN jails and prisons. We have been sent application forms to begin the process of being able to visit inmates again. They are also working out a way for us to have zoom meetings with inmates.

Pray for more open doors in churches and places we have never been before. **We would be happy to do a zoom call with any church** or Bible study groups.

Pray for **more local churches to start a local BCF** (Bible Correspondence Fellowship) so they can reach out to their local jails and prisons. We now have 39 BCFs around the country and overseas!

Pray for Dwight's health as he hurt his back lifting the garage door with a broken spring Dec. 7. He is in a lot of pain when sitting or getting up. The x-rays show he has a compressed disc below where he had his back surgery, bone spurs above where he had his back surgery and scoliosis of the spine. Pray for treatment from Chiropractor to help him recover. Pray for wisdom as Dwight is still working out best way to either get root canal/ crown or implant/crown needed on a molar tooth.

## Stories of Changed Lives for the Glory of God! We are thankful for God's Grace.

Here are some recent testimonies of changed lives because of your prayers and support. Your prayers and gifts are making an eternal difference!! THANK YOU! Through your prayer and support, we see many Hearts changed by Christ!

- **#1.** I honestly do some other Bible study programs and **this PMA Bible lesson is one I feel like I get more out of it.** Thank you for taking the time to share the Word with me this past week. It has definitely been a blessing. I try hard to see all of the small blessings behind bars. Kellista, Monroe, GA
- **#2.** Dear staff at PMA, Thank you for your continuous support with the Bible study correspondence fellowship, your prayers, and your notes of warm encouragement, which help strengthen my spiritual muscle. With Eternal Gratitude, -- Kunio
- **#3.** When I got to prison, I decided to get serious about my walk with God.... These PMA lessons helped me come closer to an intimate walk with God. I have been tuned in non-stop ever since. I began to do 8-10 hours daily of bible reading, meditation, and study. I fully surrendered to serving God with all my heart. I now look forward to being discharged from prison, and serving God daily, and joining a Bible believing church. I also want to help lead the lost to Christ. I praise and give all honor to God, Amen.
- --Thomas