

everything is possible. Today I depend on him and not on myself. The Spanish Bible lessons have been helping me to understand everything about God's word, his character, and the purpose he wants in my life." - Leumas M.

What people are saying after reading the 12 Seeds books:

"Having this excellent book as a tool to heal work relationships within the company has contributed to its growth. It is even better that the employees are taking this same teaching to their families so that the teaching extends beyond the work environment." — **Leticia Hernandez, Director of Controls and logistics "Digital Embroidery"**

"Reading the book 12 Seeds was like remembering every stage of my life, things from the past, present, and future. **Let's talk about the past:** if I had read this book, my life would have been a better path. **Present:** Now, I am struggling day by day with how to apply each seed. So that our world is better and we are closer to the path of our God. Some Seeds are a very difficult commitment, but you have to keep preparing. The future: I want to achieve heavenly happiness. I want that spiritual wealth to evangelize my fellow men and teach them all that God our Lord is."- **Thomas Hernandez Peralta, Programming and robotics engineer**


Since 1955, Prison Mission Association (PMA) has focused on "Reaching Prisoners for Christ" by providing Bible correspondence courses to over 40,000 inmates in all fifty states and overseas: working to plant self-sustaining church communities in prisons. Students may earn free college-level credits with Berean Bible Institute (BBI), West Bend, Wisconsin.

PRISON MISSION ASSOCIATION




December 2022 Prayer Update

Praise Points



Praise God for Alfonso Hernandez, who has translated the 12 Seeds books into Spanish.

In Sept. we printed 7,000 books, By Nov. 25, we have given out 2,352 already! (49 cases)



We praise God for the way He has provided ministry opportunities to share the work of Prison Mission and to give out the **12 Seeds Growing in Love** books. Since PMA printed the *Growing in Love* book, we have given out 2,352 books already! We also praise God for Alfonso Hernandez, who has translated the 12 Seeds books into Spanish. We are working on the final editing for the **Spanish version of 12 Seeds Growing in Love**, and the 12 Seeds Journal Workbook.

PMA Prayer and Praise Updates – God's work behind bars!
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This month the seed to focus on is “Pardon” which is defined as Forgiveness and Release. "Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you" - Colossians 3:13). **Forgiveness - A Priceless Gift:** There are so many celebrations during the Christmas Season with music, gifts, lavish meals, and decorations. Yet the true Author of our celebrations, Jesus, came humbly in a borrowed, unheated stable with hay as His crib mattress. Yet what an impact Jesus has had upon our world by giving Himself to us in unending love on an old rugged cross. He gave all of Himself so that we can be forgiven by God and man. ***Let's honor Him this Christmas by giving others the gift of forgiveness.***

To discover more resources on the seed of Pardon, visit the 12 Seeds Leader Library www.12seeds.org. You will also find free downloadable tools you can use in Bible studies, and discussions. **We are looking for help with our website so we can incorporate the 12seeds.org content on our prisonmission.org website.**



We praise God for the opportunity for Pastor Dwight being able to share at Casa del Maestro Church in Maplewood, MN. Spanish Pastors prayer breakfast, Nov. 6. It was our goal to find more volunteers to help us with correcting Spanish lessons. We did make some good contacts with some interested in doing prison ministry as well as an invitation to speak at a church in Eau Claire,

Wisconsin. We praise God for providing new donors and prayer partners as our needs grow! **We are thankful for each one of you who prays and gives.**

Prayer Points

Continue to 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 group, who are interested.

Keep praying for **more local churches to start a local Bible Correspondence Fellowship (BCF)** so they can reach out to their local jails and prisons. **We now have 54 BCFs** including 28 overseas countries! Each BCF prints, distributes, and corrects lessons to mentor inmates so they can reach more inmates for Christ! **We would love to help you start a BCF to reach out near you.**

Here are some upcoming events for Pastor Dwight to pray for:

Dec. 3, 10 am Iglesias Christiana La Vina, Inver Grove Heights, MN.

Jan. 7, 2023, Sat. 10 am Spanish Pastors Prayer Breakfast, at Celebration Church, Lakeville, MN

Jan. 27, 2023, Fri. CMCA Hope Virtual Conference

March 2, 7 am to 3 pm Stillwater Transition Fair, Stillwater, MN.

March 6-10, Grace Gospel Fellowship Pastors Conference @ Grace Bible Church, Phoenix, AZ

May 19-20, CMCA Summit @ Wheaton College, Illinois

Stories of Changed Lives for the Glory of God!

Here is a short note from an inmate: “Before I knew Jesus, I had a life like a normal person, paying attention to the world, until one day I committed the most horrible sin of all, it was an accident; now I'm in jail. I have decided not to follow the world and I accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. Now I'm learning about Him and His word and modeling his life. I know this is not an easy road, but with Him