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Livingstone, Zambia

We are very excited about the graduate seminar coming up in Livingstone in July of this year. As you may know, we have almost 250 graduates in Zambia alone, and we will probably have around 100 graduates return to Livingstone and join us for the seminar. We will even have some brothers coming from other countries like Zimbabwe and Malawi, although we do have many graduates from other countries. We have a great theme planned for the seminar entitled, "Having Done All to Stand." I know we will all grow and be encouraged throughout the time spent together.



Livingstone Class

Jerry Sullins and I will be going to Zambia for this seminar. Traveling with us will be some other brothers: Kenneth Johnson, Scott Richards and Daniel Wrenn. Please keep these plans and this trip in your prayers so that, we might have a successful time at the seminar. After Zambia, we will be heading to Kenya to have the same program with graduates there.

The print shop is still running strong. We continue to turn out around 200 completed books per week, depending on the size. In fact, in the 6 months that the print shop has been operational, we have printed over 5,000 books for use in schools, personal evangelism, and singing. God is really blessing this part of our work, and these books and materials are already being distributed to other schools and brethren in the area. This part of our work is still not funded on a monthly basis, so we have had to rely on funding through onetime donations. If you are able to help with this part of the work, it costs us \$1,500 a month. Please consider helping with this great need, and thanks to all of you who have helped and made it possible to this point.

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GSOBS News

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God continues to bless our work together in the Global Schools of Biblical Studies. We have so much to be thankful for. We learn of baptisms almost every week that take place through those we have trained in our schools. We now have over 450 graduates in total in at least 14 different countries around the world. How exciting it is to see the work of the Lord going on and continuing to grow in Africa. Please keep these great efforts for God's glory in your prayers. With over 80 men currently training to become gospel preachers, it is a great blessing for us all to be a part of such a work.

Recently, we held our graduation here in Springfield for the Bible Institute of Missouri on May 23. In July, we will be having graduate seminars in Livingstone and Nairobi. In November, we will have graduations in Livingstone, Zambia and Aboaso, Ghana with around 30 men. From these three schools, 33 men are heading out to multiple countries to do the work of the Lord! Dear brethren, these great works are only possible because of you and our joint work together. Because of your great efforts, we can continue to do what we are doing now while considering a brighter future of even more work for the kingdom of God. Lord willing, we will start another school of preaching in 2027, if we continue to have the funds available.



Bibles to Give to Brethren

A couple of challenges for our African brethren are having Bibles and places of worship. Obviously, if we are going to preach God's word, we need to be able to provide it to the hearers, so we are hoping to give more Bibles to the brethren. With the help of some of you, we continue to buy Bibles in various local languages throughout Africa. However, we never have enough. We can always use funds for more Bibles when we are working on a continent with over 1.4 billion people. As for places of worship, one of our graduates in Kenya, Festus Onyango, started a congregation in his home area, and they simply gather outside no

matter what the weather is like. Many of them also walk a good distance to come and worship God. Isn't it such a powerful encouragement to see the dedication of these brethren? May we all learn something from these great examples as we all try to be more obedient to our God.



Congregation Worshiping Under Tarps

Brethren, we have had a few losses in monthly support and some exchange rate issues in Zambia and Ghana. Due to these things, we are running under budget and could use your help to overcome these deficits. The print workshop is still not funded on a permanent basis as well. Hopefully, you might be able to consider helping with these needs. Please remember that we are only limited by ourselves and the funds we are able to receive, so we continue to ask you all to keep giving. Our goal is to continue to evangelize the world for the sake of Christ and plan to do even more in the work of the kingdom. We love and appreciate you all so much!

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At the end of May, two years of hard work came to a close for three of our students at the Bible Institute of Missouri, and these men are now officially graduates of the school. That brings our total number of graduates from the BIM to 53, and we are so thankful to God for the part we have been able to play in committing the word of God to "faithful men who will be able to teach others also."



Graduates Isaac, Easton, Coby (left to right)

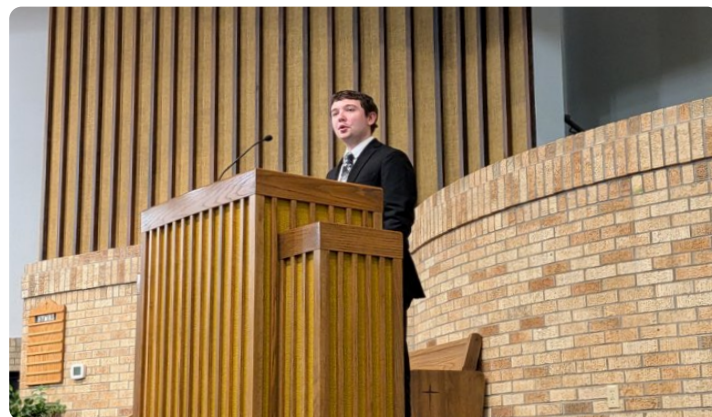
Our weekend started Friday night with a graduate dinner. This was a time when all of the graduates and their families gathered for a meal, and we always have a lot of fun and fellowship. We also like to reflect on the two years of study and fun we have had together. We certainly had a lot of great laughs and fellowship together that night.

On Saturday, May 23rd, we had our graduation at 2:00 p.m. It was certainly an exciting occasion as we gathered to celebrate the great accomplishments of these three young men. Our graduates this year were Easton Hass of Missouri, Coby Hicks of Missouri, and Isaac Humphrey of Oregon. We are so proud of the great work these men did, and they were all good



Graduates at the Reception

students. While each of the graduates did very well, Brother Isaac is the new record holder as the top GPA-earning student of all time, with over a 98% average. It's hard to believe this accomplishment once you realize how much work is expected of them as students. Rushing through four years of schooling in two years puts a lot on their plates. All of the men had GPAs above 90%. Praise God for their hard work.



Isaac Speaking at Graduation

While Isaac gave our student address as our valedictorian, our guest speaker this year was Brother Ron Hass, a preacher of many years and grandfather of Easton Hass. Ron preaches in Ketchum, Oklahoma, and this is his second grandson to graduate from the school.

We also had a great reception after the graduation. Everything was decorated so beautifully, and I know everyone enjoyed their time together, and the graduates certainly felt special on their graduation day. What a wonderful day of celebration it was! We say thanks to many of you who support this work and these men, so that they could complete the program to equip themselves to be better workers in the kingdom of God.

Looking to the future, we already have two committed who want to come, and we are talking to a few others. I know it is very difficult for many to make the sacrifice that they feel is necessary to become gospel preachers. I wish we had more who were willing to come and train for the life of service to God, but unfortunately, this is not the case. Please pray that we will continue to find men of all ages who are willing to be trained, and please help us spread the word and encourage others to come and study the Bible for two years with us. We hope and pray that we will train another 50 in the coming years at the BIM, and even more. In all things, to God be the glory, and thank you all for your prayers and support!

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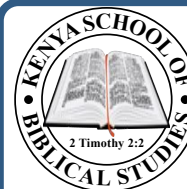
Kumasi, Ghana



2026 Class of MIBSG

Trey and I had a blessed and very profitable time in Ghana in April of this year. We were able to spend time teaching the current class. We also worshipped with and encouraged the local congregation. What a wonderful time we had together with our beloved brothers in Aboaso. We also enjoyed a traditional meal together. Graduation is in November, so please keep these good brethren in your prayers.

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Nairobi, Kenya



Samson On TV Program

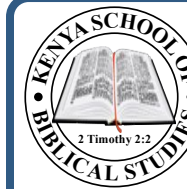
Our new class in Nairobi continues to do well, and our instructors there are doing an excellent job. We are very thankful for the great work going on in Nairobi, and the school and its influence continue to grow.

We have also begun a television program on a local news station, which is bearing much fruit. Brother Samson is doing a great job teaching and preaching on this program. Pictured are some of the new converts receiving Swahili Bibles. With all of this great work going on in Kenya, please keep all of these searching souls in your prayers.



New Converts Receiving Bibles

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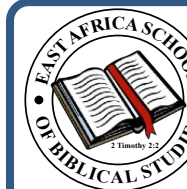
Kisumu, Kenya

Our newest school in Kisumu is doing very well. The school got off to a late start last year, so the breaks and schedule are different from the other schools. Pictured below the students are heading home for a much-needed break to be with their families. Lord willing, this class will graduate in February of next year. Although this is their first intake, they all seem to be doing a good job teaching the students. It's a joy to see these brethren doing zealous work of the Lord everyday at the school.



Students Going on Break

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Busia, Uganda

Things continue to move forward in Uganda. These two dear brothers have been representing the school there for many years now, and they are also the ones who are helping us with the current legal situation.



Stephen and James at the Courthouse

We did have a court date earlier this month, and all went well. It does seem like we are heading in the right direction, and before long we will be able to work towards starting the school back up in Uganda. Please continue to keep this good work in your prayers as we are next supposed to be in court on July 7. The judge says he will give a final ruling at that time. May God bless His work in Uganda that we might continue training preachers in that country very soon.

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