

Dear Prayer Supporter,

Resurrection Greetings!

What a joyous celebration is ours in knowing that our beloved Lord Jesus Christ has paid the full price for our sin, conquered death and is Risen indeed! *“Much more then, being justified by His blood we shall be saved from wrath through Him”* Romans 5:9.

Thank you for your prayers and gifts which enable CCIM continue broadcasting *“Dorothy’s Daily Devotionals”* to the TAITA tribe in Kenya. Through the liberating power of His Word, many are being delivered from the satanic bondage of their traditional demonic religion. Islam has also made its inroads in the region and we need your prayers for this ongoing missionary opportunity which is reaching such spiritually bound people.

In His love,



CROSS CURRENTS INT’L MINISTRIES

April, 2019

Through your designated gift, we trust the Lord for CCIM to continue purchasing much-needed **vernacular Bibles** for TWR/Kenya *“Dorothy’s Daily Devotional”* radio listeners.

Perhaps the Lord would encourage you to send an extra designated gift for CCIM to continue purchasing vernacular Bibles for our Kenya radio listeners in the Borana, Kikuyu, Swahili, Taita and Turkana languages. Thank you so much!

In the last three shipments of new and used English Bibles, **75,259** copies were sent. Already they have been widely distributed to grateful recipients.

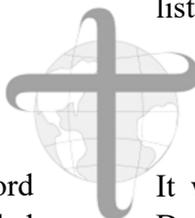


Over **200,879** new and used **English Bibles** have now been imported to Kenya. **All praise to the Lord for His miraculous provision through such as yourself!**

CCIM Bible Ministry

Additional Scripture readings are included in each *“Dorothy’s Daily Devotional”* program in order to help meet the ‘dearth’ of Bibles! We sadly note that from our ‘listener reports’ alone, at least one quarter of all communications ask for help to obtain a Bible in their own language.

TWR/Kenya shared a visit of ‘Mama’ Kulola and she was given a **long-desired Bible** in her own Taita language. When asked about her favorite radio program, she passionately talked about *“Dorothy’s Daily Devotional”* in Taita. ‘Mama’ also shared that, ever since she started listening a year ago to this program, she has been growing spiritually day by day and has already encouraged three neighbors to join her in listening Monday through Friday!



MISSIONARY BLESSINGS!

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It was in the mid seventies that Richard and Dorothy felt constrained to make their first missionary journey to Mombasa, Kenya.

Through cooperative fellowship with TWR/Kenya and subsequent decades of making Gospel ‘tools’ available, the Lord has graciously increased a consolidating expansion of CCIM’s broadcast and literature. Because of your involvement, this has included encouraging TWR/Kenya’s bold Gospel expansion into unreached areas through radio.

Because there is no Bible printing press in East Africa, all Bibles have to be imported!

For over **twenty years**, CCIM have trusted the Lord to supply and purchase ‘used’ and new Bibles to meet the urgent need of listeners. Through your designated gift to CCIM, Bibles will continue to be purchased for very careful distribution to our radio listeners. Thank you!

"Dorothy's Daily Devotional" in the African language of Rendille.

"Who are the Rendille people"?

The Rendille tribe inhabits the climatically harsh region between the Marsabit Hills and Lake Turkana in Northern Kenya. They and their neighbor tribes, the Samburu and Turkana, were originally people of Ethiopia. Therefore, some of the people can speak both Rendille and Samburu. Hence, a good relationship has developed between both tribes even though they have difficulty finding enough water to pasture their animals.



What is different about the Rendille tribe from any other Kenya tribe?

Rendille oral history claims that they are of a Jewish descent. They practice a Passover-type ceremony called 'Sorio' (Sacrifice to God) which includes the slaughtering of a sheep by the first-born son and then his putting the animal's blood on their doorposts. The Rendille tribe have largely been monogamous and strongly rejected Islam incursion because they believe, when praying, their faces should look towards the heavens and not on the ground! Most Rendille are very religious and traditionally adhere to their religion. They worship only one god called 'Wakh' or 'Ngai' and believe he is an omnipresent creator and a provider who answers prayer and cares for the poor. On the night of each new moon, the first-born son of every family blows a horn, accompanied by a prayer ritual. Nightly, the men of the tribe meet in the village to pray and only one designated man will lead in prayer. This man must only belong to the clan of 'Saale'.



Why the urgency to reach the Rendille people with the Gospel?

This distinct Rendille tribe are a living miracle, having changed from their extreme resistance to outside spiritual influences, to now showing a keen interest in hearing the Gospel. Previously, the Rendille people were among the least-reached people groups of Kenya but, praise God, they are now very responsive to the Gospel!

CCIM's response to this 'timely' opportunity.

When asked to broadcast to the Rendille people, we had no option but to obey the Lord and sign a three-year contract. We trust the Lord to supply the necessary funds as we share this burden with you that these precious people may hear a clear presentation of the gospel in their own heart language of Rendille. As has been described as a well-loved program, "Dorothy's Daily Devotional" has been a vital tool for evangelism and discipleship among neighboring tribes. Please pray with us for the translation of Richard's "Hope for the Hopeless" salvation/AIDS tract in the Rendille language to be used for spiritual follow-up to help 'listener groups,' hear, respond and encourage each other.

WANTED! Committed, Spirit-led CCIM Prayer Partners!

#1. "Dorothy's Daily Devotional," in the African language of Rendille.

We joyfully anticipate meeting with you at the Throne of Grace where, in the Name of our risen Lord Jesus Christ, we can unite in prayer that our missionary broadcasts and missionary literature reach spiritually prepared lives by His Holy Spirit.

To simplify how you can best remember the many CCIM ministries on the various continents, we encourage you please to keep this latest method of prayer information in a file. Your prayer is vital. No spiritual work will produce spiritual fruit, without first being bathed in prayer! For many reasons I miss Richard, but most of all, I miss him for the long hours that we would pray together realizing that: *"we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places"* Ephesians 6:12.

Please join us in prayer for these precious people and share this information with your friends and Prayer Group. CCIM urgently need Prayer Partners as we extend the ministry of His Word anticipating His glorious liberating power from the hold of Satan: ***"I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men"*** 1Timothy 2:1.