

Unto All The Nations

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The Wilkins Foundation chooses to demonstrate that Christianity offers a viable alternative to civil war and genocide around the world through the translation and distribution of Christian texts to countries that have not yet experienced the loving precepts proffered by our Lord and Savior.

This newsletter is sent with joy as God's promises are fulfilled, and with the hope that, through your faith and commitment, you will assist us in our work.



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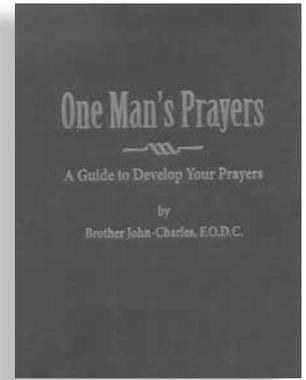
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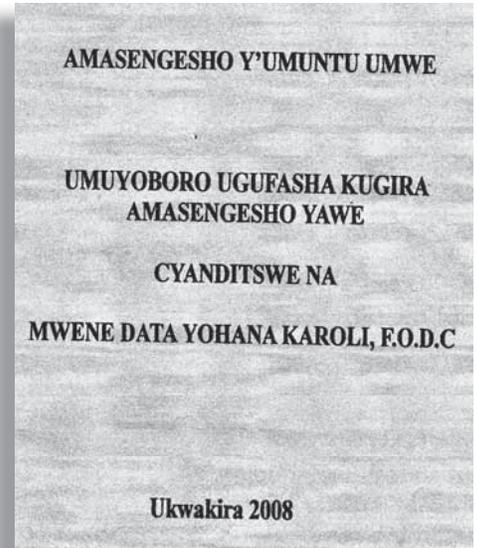
In October 2008, the publication, "One Man's Prayers: A Guide to Develop Your Prayers," (right) as authored by Brother John-Charles was translated into Kinyarwanda, (below right) a Bantu language spoken by 8 million people in Rwanda and parts of central Africa.



For the Fall of 2009, our goal is to translate Brother John-Charles' book into the Sudanese language. We also hope to translate the, "Seven Deadly Sins, Seven Grace-full Virtues and Seven Mystical or Spiritual Gifts" into Sudanese and the languages spoken in Rwanda. The latter book is now in its second printing, having sold out during its premier edition. Bound in handsome blue cloth and gold lettering, the book is a proud testament to the benefits of faith and prayer.

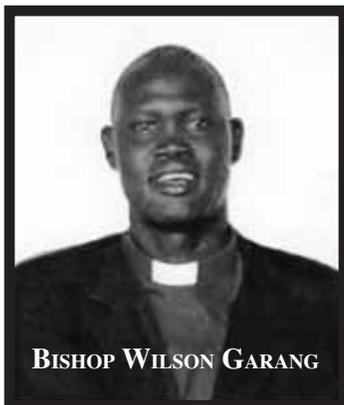
We are fortunate to have angels helping us translate and distribute our works in the form of two fine clerics currently domiciled in Africa.

The Reverend Phanuel Munezero is one such angel. Archbishop Mark Haverland offers the following about his friend and colleague in Christ: "Phanuel is one of eight children. His parents are of different tribes - one Hutu one Tutsi. His father was an evangelical Protestant pastor. During the Rwandan genocide, all of Phanuel's siblings were murdered except the two who were at home (Phanuel and his little brother). The two boys and their parents ended up in a refugee camp in eastern Congo, where the parents were killed in an accidental shelling. Phanuel and his brother eventually made their way to Nairobi, Kenya. He learned English, as his earlier education was in French. He completed his university education and seminary with my support, and is fluent in Swahili and the Rwandan native tongue. He knows other east African languages, along with Greek and Hebrew." In a recent sermon, Reverend Phanuel reminded us that the Good Samaritan parable was part of our Lord's reply to the question, "What must I do to inherit eternal life?"



In the Sudan, Bishop Wilson Garang (pictured, page 2) is currently translating "One Man's Prayers" into Sudanese. Bishop Garang is one of 4 surviving children from a family of 10. Born in southern Sudan, he fled his country during its civil war, and became one of the "Lost Boys," ending up in a refugee camp in Ethiopia. He received his holy conversion while living in Ethiopia, and now his services and mass baptisms attract up to 900 people. Sadly, heavy outbreaks of cholera have taken many lives within his congregation.

Thomas Wilkins visited Washington, DC recently and learned from Major General Jonathan Gration, who is President Obama's Special Envoy to the Sudan, that the Sudanese government has issues of difference with our Department of State's contractors. Sudanese government agents have expelled 13 international aid organizations and confiscated US-funded assets from the expelled contractors. The political chaos only serves to underscore the core belief of the Wilkins Foundation, Inc.: **That a faith-based platform offers more options for success than government sponsored contractors.**



"I hope you are doing well and all is well. I am thankful to our Lord for making it possible to travel in and out safely. I left Nairobi on 18 June via Juba and arrived for fasting and prayers. Thank you very much for your prayers for the trip, rains and starvation, and thank you too for food for fasting and prayers, the trip, local transport, medicines and other assistance.

Praise God for His mercies, which are renewed every morning, and forgiveness for hearing our prayers for rains...People are busy cultivating now. The rains started on 21 June 2009 and continued before we started our fasting and prayers on 24 June 2009. We had big rains on 23 June...with rains all over the country. I think this is as a result of your prayers as well and those you have asked to be praying for rain for us. Give our thanks too to those you have asked to pray for us. Let them continue praying so the rains continue. Also please pray for the blessings of the crops that people are now cultivating and pray on behalf of the starvation faced by the population of Aweil Diocese.

There is starvation among the Aweil Diocese this time of year. There is great fear that many people might lose their lives as a result. People are not getting any assistance, and they are starting to eat wild leaves and things that are not edible. If the rains continue, well then the population of Aweil Diocese will get food from what they are cultivating in late September 2009. This means they still have two months for the starvation to continue. We lost one bull because of this long absence of rain, though the other five are fine. Let us pray for God's intervention and mercies to help people out of this desperate condition and need. God is God and can use any means to help his starving population.

I was able to take in anti diarrhea medicines for the cholera outbreak and other medicines for treatment. Thank God as I arrived and began fasting and prayers the cholera outbreak disappeared and there were no cases until I left on 10-7-2009. Thank God that the cholera outbreak has now disappeared. Let us pray there will be no more cases in the future.

Praises and thanks to our Lord for His mercies, which are renewed every morning, and His forgiveness for the rains we had and the rains we are still having now. We thank him for hearing the prayers of His people to give the rains. We thank God for those who were saved and baptized and confirmed. Thank God for places where we visited and the fasting and prayers we had. Thank God for our safe journey in and out. Thank God for the security we now have in the diocese. Thank God for the growth of the word of God in Aweil diocese despite the problems we are facing.

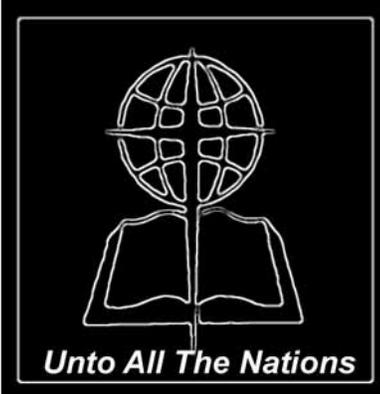
May our Lord bless those praying for us, and others who are giving sacrificially too. May our Lord bless you all abundantly for your concern, prayers and continued support. Thank you all and be blessed all. Wishing you may blessings and many thanks for your concern.

BISHOP WILSON GARANG

The Wilkins Foundation, Inc., is pleased to announce that Brother John-Charles book on prayer can now be viewed at www.amazon.com with both the "look inside" feature and a review by Archbishop Haverland. Thanks to anyone who buys the first copy from Amazon, which will surely help to jump start sales. The Wilkins Foundation receives only 45% of the list price less shipping, which is below our costs. This subsidized program is made possible by our gracious and faithful sponsors, to whom we remain eternally grateful.

After logging in to www.amazon.com, look on the fourth line on the left and click on "Books." Move your mouse to the right and click on "Books" again. Look on the fourth line for "Advanced Search," and click. Enter the name, "John-Charles" in the author search section, then enter "One Man's Prayers" in the title search. Click on the yellow item "Search," and then to look inside the book for details, simply click on the "Look Inside" prompt. To read the biographical sketch on John-Charles, click on the prompt entitled, "See all Editorial Reviews."

We are also pleased to announce that a generous benefactor has made it possible to translate this book into Kinyarwanda and that 100 copies will be made available to Rev. Phaniel Munezero's new church, which he is beginning at great personal sacrifice and risk.



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This is a most critical time in the Sudan. U. S. government contractors have been expelled from the region and with their expulsion comes the seizing of their funds. There has never been a more appropriate time than NOW to help us share and demonstrate a different platform, that of Christianity.

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