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Dear Supporters, Volunteers, and Friends of Life's Key Ministry,

If January was any indication of what the near future holds, I have an answer to the question I raised last month as to whether our volume of incoming and outgoing courses would level off or continue to increase. Last week we sent our first course, "Born to Win", to 160 new students. In total we sent out 404 packages and 644 total courses, both numbers easily higher than we've had in a single mailing for a long time. I'm thankful that the Lord continues to bless us with new opportunities, as well as some extra hands to help with the work!

"In reply, Jesus declared,

'I tell you the truth, no one can see the kingdom of God unless he is born again." - John 3:3

The following are all inmate responses to the two thought questions asked at the end of "Born to Win".

Q: Are you lost or saved? How do you know?

A1: Lost. But after doing Born to Win, I can't wait to accept God as my Savior and ask forgiveness for my sins. A2: I am one that is saved, coming from a place where everything in my life was broken, then the Lord Jesus Christ stepped in. After turning my life over to Him, He fixed and put back together everything that was broken in my life. It's hard to explain it without getting emotional. Sorry.

A3: I do believe that my Lord Jesus Christ is my Savior, but I will say that I do not know if I am saved. Some days I feel lost and some days I feel saved. I do know that I have to keep faith, and that God will show me the path that I am meant to take.

A4: I'm saved. Because I believe God sacrificed His only Son for my sins and that as a result, Jesus willingly gave His life so that I can have eternal life in Heaven. I'm saved because I've confessed that I am a lost sinner, I believe He died so I can be forgiven, and I live a life of repentance.

Q: Where do you expect to spend eternity? Why?

A1: In Heaven. Because I'm accepting God as my Savior and I want to spend the rest of my life with Him. A2: I expect to spend eternity in Heaven with my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, for I have prayed and repented asking the Lord to forgive me for my sins and to cleanse me from all unrighteousness.

A3: As of this day I do not know where I will spend eternity. I have accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior, but I see myself making very poor choices. I hope and pray that I will end up in Heaven, but I have not been saved as of yet.

A4: I expect to spend eternity in Heaven because I believe in Jesus and do my best to live for Him and repent when I fail. I have been saved for years, and I'm an Iraq war vet. I spent 14 years away from God for many reasons and they led me to prison. I was a Lieutenant there, but my mistakes actually saved my life and led me back to Jesus. I'm so grateful for His mercy and tools like this study course to help me grow. I look forward to the day I can return to my family a better person, father, and husband.

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For HIS Glory,

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