



September 2019,

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

Praise the Lord for answered prayer! I have consistently highlighted a couple of things throughout this year: our rapid growth, and our need to compensate for it. We are on our way to sending as many courses in 2019 by the end of September as we did the entire year of 2018. By the end of the year, we will have sent about 5,500 more courses in 2019, which is an increase of 31%. The most wonderful thing about this is that its not because of anything we are doing. We could send out a million courses, but if the Lord isn't working in the hearts of those who receive them, the exams would largely go unreturned. That's not the case, however. The thirst for God's word is great in the prisons, and these courses are being led to, and completed by men and women that God is drawing closer to Himself. How humbling it is to be a part of that!

As I have also mentioned many times, with extra work comes extra cost and the need for more people to handle the load. Anytime someone has asked me recently how they can pray for the ministry, I have cited these two things, and specifically the need for more people to comment on courses. This past month, I was told by one of my colleagues at Emmaus that one of the other ministries had commenters that were eager to take on more work. I was able to talk with the director of that ministry, who confirmed that statement by offering to have his people comment on any extra courses that we happen to have each week. What a blessing! I had begun to think that we now had too much to handle, but the Lord is faithful, and had a plan all along. Praise Him!

“And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through Him.” - Colossians 3:17

*“Very insightful and informative. I learned a lot in this lesson (Forgiving & Being Forgiven) and that pattern is keeping consistent with all your lessons. You guys have a wonderful and very different syllabus from other Bible studies that I am currently enrolled in. Thank you for the change of pace. God bless!” - Brett (Virginia)*

*“There is nothing in this life, in this world, that could replace what my Savior Jesus Christ did for me when He gave His life for my sins. He saved me, this wretched man, from death. It is truly glory to God.” - Patrick (Florida)*  
\*\*in response to the question “What is your response to Jesus Christ?” - found on the course Men Who Met the Master\*\*

*“I have been offended by someone and I've forgiven them. There's also someone who has offended me who possibly doesn't know they've offended me. I don't know who the person is, I don't know if they know me, however I want to forgive that person (someone killed my best friend and is at large).*

*What if someone wants forgiveness but is scared to repent directly, due to receiving a possible 'no'? Do you forgive even if you just simply want to?*

*Disregard those questions. I was writing as I went along in the lesson. I now have the answer, which I found in chapter 4. Thank you!!” - Otis (Connecticut)* \*\*in response to the question “Have you ever been offended by someone? Did you forgive them?” - found on the course “Forgiving and Being Forgiven”

For HIS Glory,

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