



# WRITE-WAY Prison Ministries, Inc.

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## BLESSINGS FROM PRISON

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**Philippians 1:6 (NKJV)** "...being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ."

**Romans 8:29 (NKJV)** "For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brethren."

**Ephesians 4:13 (NKJV)** "...til we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a perfect man, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ."

**2 Timothy 1:12 (NKJV)** "...for I know whom I have believed and am persuaded that He is able to keep what I have committed to Him until that Day."

Please read these testimonies. They are both practical and supernatural, revealing the Lord is at work.

### Get a Hold of God

"Thank you so much. Some of the most important people in the Holy Bible went to prison for a while. Some of us are in here for crimes that we did not commit, but we did figure out how to get a hold of God. And the Devil doesn't want us to teach it to other people." Jeffrey

### A Brighter Place

"Thanks, glory, and praises be to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Thank you in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, for the services you provide, for serving the Father by making this world a brighter place." Rivera

### Needs Prayer Warriors

"I'm a believer in Jesus Christ firmly, father of beautiful children, husband, and 36 years old. I'm finally surrendering to the Lord's calling on my life. My desire is to fulfill my duty as a Christian dad and husband. I need prayer for recovery from habits, hang-ups, and bad living. My spouse needs prayer warriors to help her during my absence from our life." James

### Allowed Fear and Anger to Rule

"Someone suggested to me that I pray for a deeper understanding of my fears. I thought that sounded stupid, but I was willing to follow the suggestion of someone who was much wiser than I. Strange things started happening. I came to realize that all the anger and resentments I had toward the criminal justice system and toward certain people were different levels of fears. I allowed fear and anger to rule my life.

"Although fear and anger still exist in my life, it's no longer the force behind the bulk of my decision making. I try to refrain from opening my mouth to say something rude or confrontational. The feeling will pass and I'll survive the experience. In the past I thought that if I did not say something or act out violently, I would not survive the experience and it would make me less than a man. My biggest enemies were my misinterpretation of what a man was.

"I am still a work in progress, but I strive to make small positive changes daily. These Bible studies are the first steps and not my last." Cristian

### IN MEMORY

A gift was received in memory of:

Mr. Bill Schoenhals, a friend to Branch 073 in Amarillo;  
From Bob and Becky Keel and Dustin, Erin, Sam, and Gracie Scherr. Thank you so very much.

### OUR MISSION:

To introduce Jesus Christ to each incarcerated person in Texas and Louisiana through a curriculum of English and Spanish Bible correspondence courses that are free, postpaid, and volunteer graded.

## Prayer Corner

Pray that the Lord will give health to our volunteers. We have a number of them incapacitated for various reasons.

Pray for the continued protection of this property and equipment. A recent storm blew through and the Lord kept everything intact!

### I Could Understand It

“Thank you so much for choosing *Proverbs For Life*. I really enjoyed this study and the way it broke down each verse so that I could understand it. I really got a lot out of it.” **Melissa**

### God Has Truly Changed My Life

“Well, there are many important lessons on how to live and apply God’s Word and principles to my life [*Proverbs For Life*]. I thank God for this program because it is broken down and it gives so many examples on how to live and apply God’s message to my life. Since I began this program, God has dealt with me on many issues and I have surrendered my life fully to His will.

“Since I have made this decision, God has used me to help people and to plant seeds in people’s lives that may have never been there if God did not convict me of my evil ways and give me strength to surrender to His will. Just today there was a physical war and I prayed for a peaceful solution and for these men’s lives. God granted that prayer. Praise God! If these men do not get the picture, at least the answered prayer lifted my spirit and gave me confidence to continue my walk to be a blessing to others. God has truly changed my life, and through that, together we can change lives. Glory to God!” **Michael**

### A Place Like This

“I would just like to thank the Lord for all of the people who bring this study to a place like this. Thank you!” **Andrew**

### WPM Statement of Faith is available upon request.

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### Ministry Statistics

Enrolled Students - AVG	6,929	6,917
Enrollees - <i>Born To Win</i>	660	2,441
Professions of Faith	40	140
Course Books Mailed	4,969	18,945
Course Exams Completed	3,413	13,097
Graduates 72+ units	9	52

### Program Expenses. Gifts

Expenses:	\$17,988.93	\$78,981.09
Postage:	<b>\$7,901.65</b>	<b>\$31,439.17</b>
Courses:	<b>\$7,137.78</b>	<b>\$32,542.56</b>
Staff support:	<b>\$254.77</b>	<b>\$2,528.77</b>
Qrtly Insurance	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,080.00</b>
Other:	<b>\$2,694.73</b>	<b>\$11,390.59</b>
Donations:	\$28,362.93	\$75,154.94
<b>NET:</b>	<b>\$10,374.00</b>	<b>(\$3,826.15)</b>

### I Need to Start Again

“I need to start again on my Bible courses. I really need God’s Word back in my life again. I’m now living in a State transition house in Houston. But I need more spiritual input, because where I’m living is very wicked, and evil things are going on around me. Inmates are out of control here. They smoke K-2, marijuana, and cigarettes like crazy. I’m dealing with a lot of lustful and wicked things that are going on in here. All I do is pray to God everyday to keep me away from that.” **Richard**

### Turn My Life to God

“I got this study course a long time ago and I just been keeping it in my folder. Recently I decided to turn my life to God. I’m really serious about this; now I have plenty of time for Bible study. The brothers at this unit are doing a great job. They bring church to our recreation area. God bless you and your family. Thanks for the time you take on these Bible studies.” **Elisio**

***“It is better to live and die penitent in prison than to live and die impenitent in a palace.” Anon.***

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