

Free Bible studies to prisoners since 1982

WRITE-WAY Prison Ministries, Inc.



BLESSINGS FROM PRISON

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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.

**Abundance of Grace (Rom. 5:17),
Abounding in Thanksgiving (Col. 2:7)**

"I want to encourage everyone to keep up the great work. It's amazing how God is using your ministry to transform the lives of us prisoners!" **Charles**

"Thank you!! I love and appreciate these lessons!" **Amanda**

"I want to thank you for allowing me to take this Bible study. It gives me something to look forward to, something to teach me by, and keeps me studying the Bible. I look forward to the next lesson." **Travis**

"I do several Bible studies while I'm incarcerated. I find yours to be the most helpful and most intellectually stimulating one that I do! Thank you." **Paul**

Sing to the Lord with thanksgiving. (Psalm 147:7)



Happy Thanksgiving

**Giving thanks always for all things to God
(Eph. 5:20)**

"I don't think I ever wrote to you to thank all of you there for what you do, especially those who grade my studies and always give encouraging comments. I've learned a lot through the years and your studies have been a great blessing. I thank all of you involved." **Steven**

"I am just writing to let all of you know how much I am blessed to have you show me the way with the Lord. I could not have done it without your help. You are a true blessing from God to help people like me out. And I pray to this day I continue to grow in faith with God's love and His Word." **Adam**

Thank you for all the blessings that you bring me and to so many others. I see men in my dorm studying God's Word with the help of your workbooks. We study together at times and never fail to pray for the volunteers at Write-Way. I'm learning so much." **John**

**Enter into His gates with thanksgiving.
(Psalm 100:4)**

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In everything give thanks. (I Thes. 5:18)

"Thanks to Write-Way and its helpers for God's Word. This will help me when I am free. God says the field is great and the workers are few. Glad I can be one." **Manuel**

"I started this course in 1992 and after many delays on my part I have now made it to 2016 in this life and close to the end of the curriculum. I have seen some great changes through this study. Thank you so much for advancing with me through the time." **Phillip**

"I hunger for God's Word. I get on one topic and it leads to something else that speaks to me. All I want to do is study His Word. I do not know where God's leading me, but I know He's guiding me. I pray I hear His voice and don't doubt. I thank you for your time and service to help me and those like me. You must have a lot of treasures in heaven!" **Denise**

"First of all I would like to thank you for blessing me and allowing me to participate in your studies while I have been in prison. I have learned a lot and have been truly blessed because of them. God has also blessed me with parole and I will be going home tomorrow. I know I have learned enough to now live a true Christian life and not return to prison. But I don't want to stop there. Could I please continue your studies even at home?"
 [Yes, they can!] **Carl**

"Thank you for your obedience to God. Your lessons, through the Holy Spirit, have helped me to grow and have given me tools to share the gospel with men." **Wallace**

Now thanks be to God who always leads us in triumph in Christ." (II Cor2:14)

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BY THE NUMBERS		
	Oct '16	YTD '16
Ministry Statistics		
Enrolled Students	8,043	8,043
New Enrollees (<i>Born To Win</i>)	759	9,664
Professions of Faith	72	780
Course Books Mailed	5,114	66,101
Course Exams Completed	4,056	47,757
Student Achievements		
Students Graduated (72 units)	6	139
Operation Finances		
Expenses:	\$25,200.05	\$231,441.37
Postage: \$	9,502.91	
Courses: \$	9,447.88*	
Salary: \$	1,320.00	
Other: \$	4,929.26#	
Donations:	<u>\$11,884.90</u>	<u>\$159,628.82</u>
NET:	(\$13,315.15)	(\$71,812.55)
*Catchup on invoices		
#Repairs & envelopes on sale		
<i>Deficit covered by Reserves</i>		

"This is a wonderful mission. I applaud you all who labor for our Savior. Many of the girls with whom I work tell me that they have little knowledge of the Bible and are unfamiliar with the 'stories of the Bible'. I think they will be open to using this wonderful tool to strengthen their faith. Many tell me they have difficulty in understanding the Bible version they have. The Write-Way course will be an invaluable aid."
Helen (an in county jail volunteer)

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