

# The Seeker

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Dear brethren,

Greetings to you all in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Great things are happening for the cause of Christ around the world! We are about ready to ship the 100,000 Gospel tracts to several different locations in Africa. We will be ready soon to ship several hundred hard copies of our BCC lessons to Africa as well. We are glad to report that funds are coming in for our Zambia mission trip in August. If you remember our goal this year is to raise \$42,225.00 for all the projects we hope to be able to do this year. We are happy to report that a little over half of the funds have come in at this point. We need to hear from our supporters and reach this goal so that much good can be done for the cause of Christ in Zambia. So much good is being accomplished by the 2 faithful preacher training schools in Zambia. More great news, plans are underway for opening a new preacher school in the northwestern part of Zambia. We will have more to say about this school in the next few months. Please pray for the success of this new school and that many faithful men will be trained to preach the pure Gospel of Christ to the lost people of Zambia.

Since our last newsletter we have heard from some of our students in Africa and they report 24 baptisms and 4 new congregations have been established. We rejoice to hear this great news!

We are also preparing for a mission trip to Malaysia & Singapore coming up shortly. Carolyn & I have 5 teacher workshops planned and I have 5 Gospel meetings scheduled. Please keep us in prayer as we make this trip. We have a good friend and faithful gospel preacher named Ong Eng Boon in Malaysia who has a rare heart condition. Please keep him in your prayers as they decide what is the best treatment for him. Eng Boon is a great worker for the Lord and does much mission work each year.

We now have over 12,000 students from all over the world enrolled in our BCC program. Linda Hill is doing a great job with our BCC program. We just don't say enough concerning the good work Linda is doing at IBTM. We are still in need of support for Linda and if you can help with her salary please contact the elders at New Hope Road church of Christ, PO Box 1334, Dacula, GA, 30019. The elders there are handling the funds for her salary.

If you have not visited our college web page at [www.ICOTB.org](http://www.ICOTB.org) lately please do so. Look under "Gospel Books". We now have over 200 books for anyone to read and study. We want to thank Bennie Johns & Kyle Frank for their help with these books.

Thanks, brethren for your help with our work. We appreciate all that you do. Please continue to help us as you can to take the Gospel "into all the world" and keep us in your prayers.

Ronald D. Gilbert

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### *Things You Have Helped to Accomplish*

Baptisms	1,762
Restorations	2,228
New Congregations	58
New Schools of Preaching	3
BCC Students	12,345
ICOTB Students	305
ICOTB Graduates	51

### *Internet News*

On February 1, 2011 we had 4 people enroll in our brand new IBTM online Bible correspondence course program. I was actually surprised because only 6 folks had enrolled through the entire month of January. And frankly, I don't know how those 6 found us. We were so far down in the search engine listings that I couldn't find us – and I searched . . . through every page. We were below what the search engines would display.

On February 1, 2014 we had 15 people enroll in our online courses including our 12,000<sup>th</sup> student. And today when I searched for available Bible correspondence courses IBTM popped up on page 1 for both Google and Yahoo, and page 2 for Bing. What an amazing difference! Part of that difference is because brethren linked to our site to offer our courses. Thank you to all who did! It really helped!

If you or your congregation has a website please consider offering our courses and linking to our site. The more links a site has the higher it

ranks in the search engines. There are many, many denominations offering false doctrine online. Wouldn't it be wonderful if every time someone in the world searched for Bible teachings the search engines filled that first page with nothing but sites teaching truth?

And speaking of teaching we are getting requests for our courses by postal mail rather than on the Internet. Until recently we had to say that such was not available, but the courses are being printed now although our supplies will be small. If a congregation would like to take on a postal correspondence course work we would love to hear from you.

*Linda Hill*

### *Jimmie B. Hill Memorial Library*

**Ronald & Carolyn Gilbert** added books in memory of *Fred Bogle*

Donations to this library should be sent to:

**New Hope Road Church of Christ  
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### *Upcoming Schedule*

Ronald D. Gilbert will be preaching:

- March 21-23 at Klang, Malaysia
- March 28-30 at Subang Jaya, Malaysia
- April 4-6 at Ipoh, Malaysia
- April 11-13 at Melaka, Malaysia
- April 18-20 at Johar Bahru, Malaysia
- April 23-25 at Jurong in Singapore.

*We CAN evangelize the entire world in OUR lifetime . . . if we work together!*