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WRITE-WAY Prison Ministries. Inc.

BLESSINGS FROM PRISON

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Dear Friends,

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.

WRITE-WAY: FOCUSING ON PRISONER ISSUES

Temptations, anger, getting along, getting out – these are major issues for those incarcerated. After working through spiritual status in the first few courses of our curriculum (Have you been born again?), in addition to offering many Bible book studies, we include some special titles that deal with issues common to the incarcerated. In developing character, we want to speak to some moral issues, personal habits, getting along with others (especially authority figures), and some practical advice upon being released.

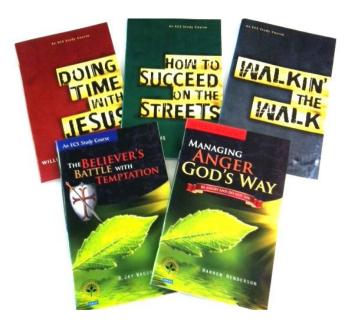
You could actually consider WPM a spiritual diagnostic, rehab treatment center. The combination of Bible study, course work, and counselor comments bring into focus areas that need attention in the student's life. Thank you for praying and giving in order that this unique clinic may remain open and effective!

Rodger Turley, Director

THESE LESSONS... ARE EXCELLENT

"I am sorry that I took so long to complete these lessons. Last year on October 11th my older brother passed away. It was very hard for me to deal with in here. We were very close. I stumbled in my walk as far as my studies go. I felt very alone and angry.

"But I had a blessed Christmas and the New Year sees me back on track. I took the last few weeks and really studied these lessons! They are excellent! Thank you very much!" **Lennis**



Five popular titles in our curriculum of 60 studies. And three important book studies for going deeper.

"I have enjoyed every single study since the beginning. It has been so helpful for my spiritual growth. There is so much to thank the Lord for — our life, a new day, the air we breathe, and for the best gift — eternal life through our Lord Jesus Christ, Who paid for our sins." **Juan**



"After all the pain and suffering, I am now trusting Christ. I look back and saw through all the pain that He was there for me every step of the way, even though I didn't know or see His hand over my life. I am very thankful for all the love that He gave me and that He gave His life for me to enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." **Chris**

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AWESOME STUDIES

"Thank you all for these awesome studies you are blessing me with! I am growing and maturing through them. The Holy Spirit is using this material to teach me much more about our most wonderful gift of salvation. Praise to God from Whom all blessings flow!" **Paula**

TRUE WARRIORS

"Thank you for your time grading all these lessons and putting in your personal input. Such a blessing! You all are true warriors for the Kingdom. And thank you for all the cards you send; they have really meant a lot." **Dick**

ENTHUSED AND HAPPY

"I am very enthused and happy taking these courses that you send. I hope to keep receiving them because they help me a lot to better understand the Bible. They also help me in my personal life. I have learned a lot about Jesus Christ and have also seen a big change in my life." **Eulogio**

MY ONLY FAMILY

"Thank you for being there when I was down and hurting, even though you never knew it. You are my only family and I love you and the way all of my brothers and sisters in Christ took me and made me better and stronger in Christ through the Bible studies. You loved me when my real family left me in prison." **Kenneth**

THE DILIGENT WORK

"I would like to thank you all for the diligent work in carrying the Gospel to the world and especially to the people who are lost and don't know who Jesus is. I thank you for them." **Larry**

MY LAST LESSON

"Thank you for every lesson you have sent me over the years. I have learned a lot from these studies even though I still have some difficulties in my life. I have applied some of what I have learned, thanks to these courses. It has been a pleasure to participate in your correspondence courses. This will be my last lesson, for by the Grace of God, I have been approved for parole! I will stay close to His Word and apply all that I have learned to my everyday struggles. I will keep you all in prayer, and I again thank you for everything." Victor

BY THE NUMBERS				
	Jan. '16	Jan. '15		
Ministry Statistics				
Enrolled Students	7,955	8,053		
New Enrollees (Born To Win)	1,029	1,025		
Professions of Faith	69	70		
Course Books Mailed	6,927	6,981		
Course Exams Completed	4,785	5,229		
Student Achievements				
Students Graduated (72 units)	6	21		
Operation Finances				
Expenses:	\$24,748.20	\$28,476.42		
Postage: \$13,210.79				
Courses: \$ 8,855.72				
Other: \$ 2,681.69				
Donations:	\$12,666.53	\$33,164.20		
2015 Surplus:	\$11,791.00			
NET:	(\$ 290.67)	\$4,687.78		

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(Founding Manager of First Baptist, Bonham
WPM Branch 079)
Thank you, Beth Roeh.
A Gift Honoring: Wes and Joyce Jones
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Thank you, Kasi and Todd Pollock (daughter and son-in-law)

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