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Dear Praying Friends,

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SWAHILI NEW TESTAMENT PRINTING IS FINISHED

The printing of the bilingual Neema ya Mungu New Testament is now complete! All 25,000 copies have moved into the collating and binding stage. We will be dedicating this new translation on **August 23rd**, and we ask you to pray with us that everything will be finished on time, shipped, and cleared through customs so the Bibles will be available for the dedication service. Many pastors and churches are excited and eagerly waiting for these Scriptures. As word has spread, we have already received requests from **three different ministries** asking permission to print this Bible themselves. We are thrilled to see this translation poised to spread throughout East and Central Africa. Our translation team continues to work diligently on the Old Testament and is making strong progress. Satan has fought this work from the beginning and continues to oppose and discourage, and recently we faced a major setback with the loss of our lead translator. Yet, as always, God has made a way forward. Thank you to all who gave toward the printing of this Bible. Because of the growing demand, we believe a **second printing** will be needed in the near future.

SURVEY TRIP TO SOUTH SUDAN

Our ministry, Grace to the Regions Beyond, continues to take us into some of the most difficult countries in Africa—places where very few Western missionaries are able to go. During the month of June, I along with a team of men will be traveling to one of these nations: **South Sudan**. I have been to South Sudan before, but this upcoming trip will be different. We will be spending **12 days** in the country, visiting new and more remote areas. South Sudan is the newest nation in the world, having declared independence from Sudan on **July 9, 2011**. Yet even after independence, decades of conflict have continued. The nation faces immense humanitarian challenges, including conflict driven hunger affecting more than **7 million people**, along with widespread internal displacement. Though the country is roughly the size of Texas, its population is just over **12 million**, and it has been ranked as the **poorest country in the world**. While the poverty is overwhelming and the humanitarian needs are great, the **greatest need remains the preaching of the gospel and the planting of gospel preaching churches**. We are currently training several South Sudanese students in our Bible college in Kakuma, including two men who are already pastoring churches just across the border inside South Sudan. Please pray with us as we take this trip, that God will give us safety, that the gospel will go forth unhindered, and that we will be able to identify future areas of ministry. It continues to be our joy to represent you in the Regions Beyond of Africa.

Pray for South Sudan

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Pray for Churches to Be Started in South Sudan

- Safety & Success for Our Trip
- Strength for South Sudanese Pastors
- Provision for Future Ministry
- Planting of Gospel-Preaching Baptist Churches

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