

# Go Face to Face TIENS December 2016

An update from Go Face to Face International, Inc.

## What is God doing around the world through Go Face to Face International, Inc., and One on One with God?

**Go Face to Face News** is published in response to the above question from *One on One with God* disciples and disciple-makers around the world, as well as our prayer partners and financial supporters, all of whom are part of a bigger team than they can imagine.

We want each team member to know that he or she is part of a large and growing movement whose goal is reaching people for Christ and walking with them to maturity by making disciples who make disciples.



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ONE ON ONE

to transform lives by making disciples who make disciples.

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What is the relationship between Go Face to Face International, Inc., and One on One with God?

One on One with God is a tool used by Go Face to Face International, Inc., to make disciples and produce disciple-makers throughout the world.

## Updates from One on One with God field partners serving around the world

#### From J\_ in an unnamed country:

- J\_ tells us that there are now approximately 3,000 disciples in his country.
- He reports around 600 disciple-makers and approximately 200 people being discipled at the present time.
- He also reports that they need to print another 1,000
   One on One with God workbooks and 1,000 leader's quides.
- Please pray for J\_ and his team.

### From Faraja Mbede, our Swahili translator:

- Faraja started the first Swahili-speaking One on One with God group in her home country of Tanzania on October 11, 2016.
- This adds a new country, Tanzania, where One on One with God disciple-makers are being produced.
- The Swahili translation gives us the opportunity of reaching 160 million Swahili-speaking people in 12 countries in Africa.
- Please pray for Faraja as she begins to build a disciple-making team.

#### From Austria:

- Austria is a another new country where One on One with God disciples are being made.
- Beata L. offers this testimony from Austria in her recent order: "Thank you so much for your amazing ministry! You're a blessing to the body of Christ!"
- Please pray for the disciple-making ministry in Austria.

#### From Neil O'Donnell:

- His team went on its annual disciple-making trip to India in June 2016.
- They distributed 1,000 Bibles in the Chamarajanagara area.
- They supplied family water filters to help provide 1,600 people with fresh water.
- They discipled 78 pastors and four pastor's wives.
- They traveled to the Kolar district to minister to 120 HIV patients with food, clothing, and water filters.
- They laid the cornerstone on two church starts.
- They visited a church being built in a very difficult area of Bangalore.
- They visited at least seven villages to bless widows and distribute water filters.
- Please pray for Neil and his team as they make

disciples who make disciples and minister to India in so many other ways.

### FLASHPOINT CONFERENCE Lusaka, Zambia, September 23-24, 2016:

- About 300 attended this conference—a good representation of both pastors and lay people.
- Attendees came from Zambia, Zimbabwe, Kenya, Tanzania, Rwanda, Malawi, Botswana, Australia, and the USA.
- We had great challenging and encouraging disciplemaking speakers in both the main and breakout sessions.
- Making disciples who make disciples is a genuine movement in the central and southern part of Africa.
- Our biggest problem is financial—keeping enough One on One with God workbooks and leader's guides printed for these passionate disciple-makers.
  - One pastor took me (Jerry) by the hand and said, "I must have 1,000 books. We have 40 trained disciple-makers in Malawi, Mozambique, and the entire eastern region. We must have more books.". Please pray that God will raise up supporters who will give financially to meet this great need and fuel this disciple-making movement.

#### From Jessica U. in Mexico:

 Her disciples have a consistency and excitement in their daily walk with God.

### From E\_ in an unnamed country:

- He recently revised the One on One with God workbook in his language and printed 520 workbooks in a neighboring country.
- During this past summer 15 workbooks were given to a prison. As a result several prisoners were saved, 11 of whom were baptized in prison.
- E\_ also reports that about 9 or 10 new groups will start soon in several churches in his country.
- Based on this and previous reports, I am confident that we now have over 800 disciples and 60 disciplemakers in this tightly restricted country where E\_ and other disciple-makers are still making disciples.
- Pray that E\_ will be able to safely bring the One on One with God books over the border and that God will continue to work in the prison. Pray for those who will soon be discipled in their churches.

#### From I\_ in Malaysia:

- In March 2016, 29 Bible seminary students were introduced to One on One with God. Two of them are social workers who will be making disciples in their centers.
- In May 2016, 31 students in another seminary were introduced to One on One with God and are starting small One on One groups in their respective areas.
- Eight senior citizens in one church are finishing up the last few sessions of One on One with God with their pastor. There is a new sense of excitement in the church about leading people to Christ.
- In Miri, Sarawak, East Malaysia, Pastor Lim Thien Leong, pastor of Piasau Garden Baptist Church, has been leading his church and leadership in the last three years through One on One with God.
  - They have three generations of *One on One with God* disciples.
  - Pastor Lim is a leader among local pastors and has introduced One on One with God to all the Miri pastors.
    - One of those pastors, Jasbir Singh, is leading his leaders through One on One with God for the first time.
    - One of the leaders from Pastor Lim's church, Sister Sai Leong, is discipling students from many countries at Curtin University.
      - Many of these students are from unnamed countries who have returned home and started Bible studies and One on One with God groups.

### From I\_ in the Philippines:

 In January 2016 I\_ and a team of three others visited Cebu in response to an SOS from a missionary from Australia and his Filipino wife who have been ministering to lepers, drug addicts, and prisoners for 19 years. We are helping them in many ways but hope to start training the leaders to use *One on One* with God in 2017.

### From I\_ in an unnamed country:

• I\_ and three others visited a new city in this unnamed country and found a key lady who had become a believer by listening to a radio broadcast from Hong Kong in the 1980s. Since then she has started ten churches in her area. They were also introduced to a fervent Christian sister who runs a Christian boarding school where they preached to 150 students; 60 students made decisions to follow the Lord. This team has been invited back in 2017 to teach One on One with God to the teachers and students.

- Security is very tight in this unnamed country with many new prohibitions against Christians. Yet God is working wonders there.
- In 2016 I\_ and his teams visited 25 churches and organizations in six different countries to introduce One on One with God. In these six countries the risk ranges from nominal to extreme.
- Please pray for the safety and success of I\_ and his teams as they risk their lives to make disciples who make disciples.



We are thrilled to announce that we launched a newly designed and updated website in August: oneononewithgod.com! It was our goal to create a tool that is simpler, faster, easier to navigate—more user-friendly!

All the things you loved about the old website are still present and easy to find, and there are some wonderful additions and improvements. A few highlights include:

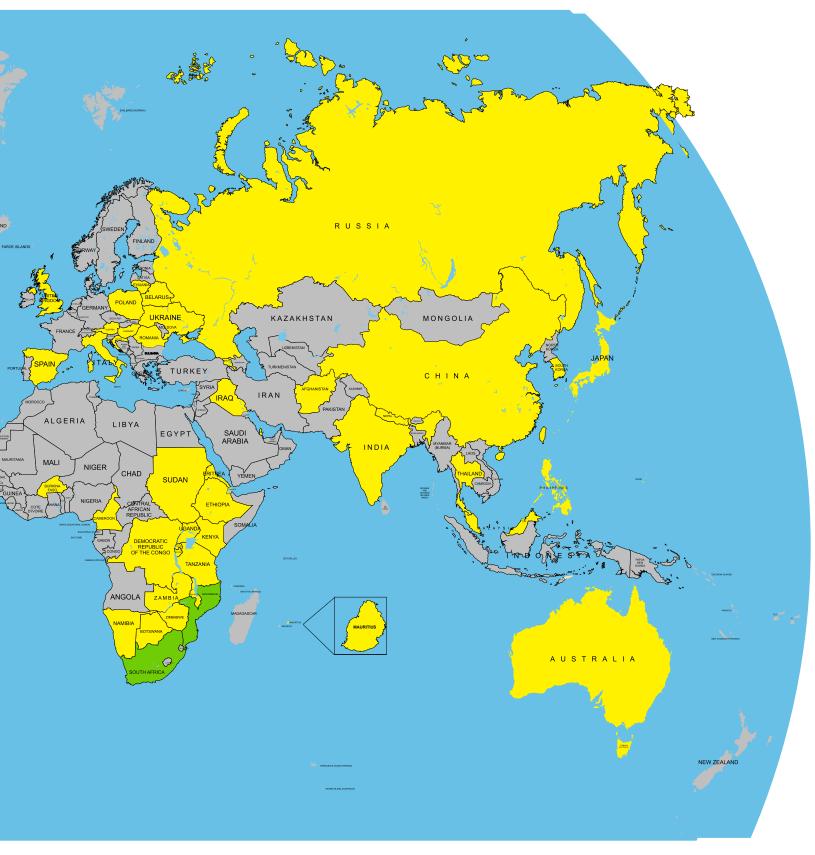
- a more readable and intuitive MOBILE VERSION
- more streamlined <u>ORDERING</u>
- more SHIPPING options to suit your needs/time constraints
- Daily Bible Reading Plan now includes Psalm 119 readings from the <u>First-Month Daily Bible</u> <u>Reading Calendar</u> and the ability to select any date in the <u>calendar readings</u> thereafter. You may continue to choose your preferred language and translation as well.
- Some new helpful <u>videos</u>, <u>podcasts</u>, and blogs that will encourage you as you make disciples who make disciples.

## 57 countries where One on One with God disc



Zambia Zimbabwe

## iples were made before November 30, 2016:



## A movement of God: One on One with God disciples making disciples in Zambia and Southern Africa

In September 2009, a team from First Baptist Church, Colleyville, TX, USA, traveled to Kalingalinga, Zambia, and introduced One on One with God. Twelve men were initially given intensive training, and they went on to reproduce other disciple-makers in their local churches and commu-

nities. In 2010 alone, over 150 men and women went through the training.

Requests for One on One poured in from other parts of the country. Besides Lusaka, there are now eight provinces where One on One with God disciple-making is taking place. Currently approximately 5,537 men and women have been discipled.

The ministry has now spread to Botswana, Namibia, Malawi, and Zimbabwe. Capro Ministries, a training organization in Gaborone, Botswana, requested that we send trained disciple-makers to their college to help with their discipleship department. We sent three disciple-makers who spent an initial six months of ministry training at Capro. In March 2014 disciplemakers Levy Kayumbe and Harry Tembo travelled to Lilongwe, Malawi, and led 25 men and women from four churches through an intensive One on One training. In June 2016 we again traveled to Harare, Zimbabwe, where 30 pastors and church leaders were discipled using One on One. Additional training requests have come from Congo DR, South Africa, and Mozambique.

The One on One with God student and leader's guide books have been translated into two Zambian languages: Bemba and Nyanja. Our vision is to translate these books into a total of six languages. This will allow many of those who do not read or understand English to be discipled and to develop into disciple-makers.

Personally, I have been impacted greatly by One on One with God. It has helped me grow deeper in my relationship and fellowship with God. I now have a purpose-filled relationship with God: to know Jesus deeply and personally more and more each day. Every time I go through this tool as I disciple others, the Lord reveals new biblical truths. I confess that I always shed tears as I share stories from this book. This book has helped me love God, love people, and make disciples who make other disciples.

I thank God for working through Jerry and Marilyn Fine to develop this important tool. I pray that God will Harry and Beatrice Tembo • Lusaka, Zambia

continue to lead us where He desires us to go with this tool. I am aware that Jerry and Marilyn are not alone in this heavenly cause but are supported by other faithful disciples of Christ. I therefore wish to encourage and thank everyone who has contributed to help Jerry and Marilyn

> produce and distribute this resource. We humbly request your participation in what God has called us to do. Together we can rally around and fulfill the Great Commission and make a great impact among the nations by changing and winning lives for Jesus. We invite you to pray and ask the Father that you join us in this work through coming to Zambia for

mission trips and/or helping us financially to locally print the One on One with God books since we are in full-time ministry as volunteers.

Click on the One on One with God logo to watch testimonies from two Zambian disciples.

## God has used One on One with God to transform my life

#### Patrick Mulubwa • Lusaka, Zambia

- 1. He has made me a better disciple and disciple-maker than before, and now I am training more people to become disciple-makers.
- 2. He has brought tremendous change in my daily prayer life.
- 3. Now I read and study God's Word daily and as I do I meditate (ponder, picture and pray), moving the truth
  - from my head to my heart.
- 4. I no longer see myself on the throne, as the boss of my life, Christ is on the throne and I am His servant.
- 5. Now God helps me keep my focus on Jesus and Jesus
- One on One with God has simplified God's Word for us and made it easier for us to understand and apply.



## Come find your role in the world's greatest cause!



"Prove to the world that you are My disciples." —John 13:35

## FLASHPOINT DISCIPLE-MAKING CONFERENCE

Samford University Birmingham, Alabama

January 13-14, 2017

## www.flashpointconference.com

## What is more important in life than making good decisions?

Do you struggle with discerning God's will in your everyday life and decision-making? In *Making Decisions Based on God's Specific Personal Promises*, Jerry and Marilyn Fine draw on years of relationship and

intimate fellowship to tell you why and show you how to make godly decisions by applying principles from God's Word, the Bible.

"Jerry and Marilyn Fine show us how the will of God is clearly revealed to the believer who is surrendered to the Lordship of Christ... This book moves us beyond the theoretical and into the practical application of God's truth. It is a book you will both treasure and share, a book to which you will return again and again."

—Tom Elliff

Former President, International Mission Board

"I wish I had had this book when I was younger."

—Mary

I have been reading very slowly and thoughtfully through Making Decisions Based on God's Specific Personal Promises and just finished it a few days ago. When it arrived, I wanted to sit down with it and not get up until the last page was read, but I restrained myself. I knew a slow, careful reading would be so much better! I can't tell you what it has meant to me. I will read it and reread it for the rest of my life!

—Vickie C.

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Foreword by Tom Elliff

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Since 1970 we have witnessed an explosion of *ONE* on *ONE* with *GOD* disciples across our nation and around the world. Now we are experiencing a genuine movement of God in Central and Southern Africa through multiplying generations of disciple-makers.

We need your financial support to help us continue fueling this movement of God with the necessary *One on One with God* materials.

Our experience in Central and Southern Africa is that approximately one out of every two people discipled becomes a disciple-maker.

We can print the *One on One with God* workbooks and leader's guides in Africa for just \$9 for both books.



## Therefore, a donation of:

- \$18 produces 1 passionate disciple-maker.
- \$90 produces 5 passionate disciple-makers.
- \$180 produces 10 passionate disciple-makers.
- \$1,800 produces 100 passionate disciple-makers.

## GIVE NOW — CHANGE LIVES! Can and will you help us fuel this movement of God?

#### Go Face to Face International, Inc.

- is a non-profit 501(c)(3) ministry that issues contribution receipts for tax purposes.
- is sustained by God's grace through the faithful prayers and generous financial gifts of our supporters.
- is dependent on your contributions to continue seeing the multiplication of lives transformed by making disciples who make disciples around the world through **ONE** on **ONE** with **GOD**.

## Please prayerfully consider partnering with GFTF.

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