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EVERY VERSE. EVERY TONGUE. EVERY HEART.

Annual Report





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A Word from Bruce

2010 was an exciting year as God accomplished amazing things through generous friends like you.

Despite the widespread political turmoil, civil violence, and economic struggles around the world, God's work advanced! He is faithful. And I'm so grateful that He joined faithful partners like you with Wycliffe Associates to help impact eternity through every verse . . . every tongue . . . for every heart.

Together, we helped to send translators, support staff, and supplies into remote regions, and to build crucial facilities to advance Bible translation. **Most importantly, you've given God's Word to hundreds of thousands of men, women, and children who are crying out for Scripture in their own heart language.**

In 2010, Wycliffe Associates accelerated Bible translation in 59 different countries. But it's not about numbers . . . it's about lives. Within the pages of this report, you will discover how you have helped transform lives eternally.

But we are not done yet! Bible translation still needs to begin in more than 2,000 languages to complete the goal of Vision 2025. Millions are still waiting to receive God's Word in their heart language.

Did you know that about half of all Bible translators currently in the field, will retire in the coming years? There are not enough new translators to replace them. Every moment of translation work is precious! We must press forward with urgency and commitment.

That is why Wycliffe Associates is utilizing technology and training nationals to accelerate Bible translation faster than ever toward accomplishing Vision 2025. But we cannot do it alone. Your support is critical.

So let me challenge you to ask God how YOU can make a difference in 2011—accelerating Bible translation worldwide. I know God will bless whatever you can do to help allow millions to hear His life-changing Word for the first time.



YOUR SUPPORT IN ACTION

In 2010, friends like you helped fund numerous projects that advanced Bible translation in 59 countries. Below are some specific examples of where you are putting the love and compassion of Jesus Christ into action around the world through your generous giving:

Missionary 911 Fund

PNG KODIAK Aircraft

New Ireland Translation Institute

Timor Bible Translation Center

Solomon Islands Translation Training Center

PNG Airstrip Repair Project

Juba Bible Translation Center

Cameroon Soloy Cessna 207 Aircraft

Scriptures for New Frontiers

Ukarumpa Water Supply Project

PNG National Training Center

Indonesia Airplane Hangar

Bunia Translation Center
Refurbishment

Wycliffe India Institute of Languages
and Linguistics

Nigeria Bible Translation Office
Expansion

Operation Clean Water

Kenya Deaf Bible Translation and
Training Center

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GOD'S WORD TAKES FLIGHT IN PNG!

In November 2010, a second KODIAK aircraft was delivered to Papua New Guinea, thanks to the generosity of donors like you! Bible translation efforts in the region are heavily dependent on these crucial aircraft to deliver God's Word, transport missionaries and supplies, perform medical evacuations, and so much more.

Designed to take off and land on very short airstrips, climb quickly, and safely navigate high peaks, the KODIAKS are ideally suited for serving people in the most remote locations.



The KODIAK delivers the Scriptures to a village in Papua New Guinea. The aircraft is well-suited to fly in and out of hard-to-reach locations throughout the region.





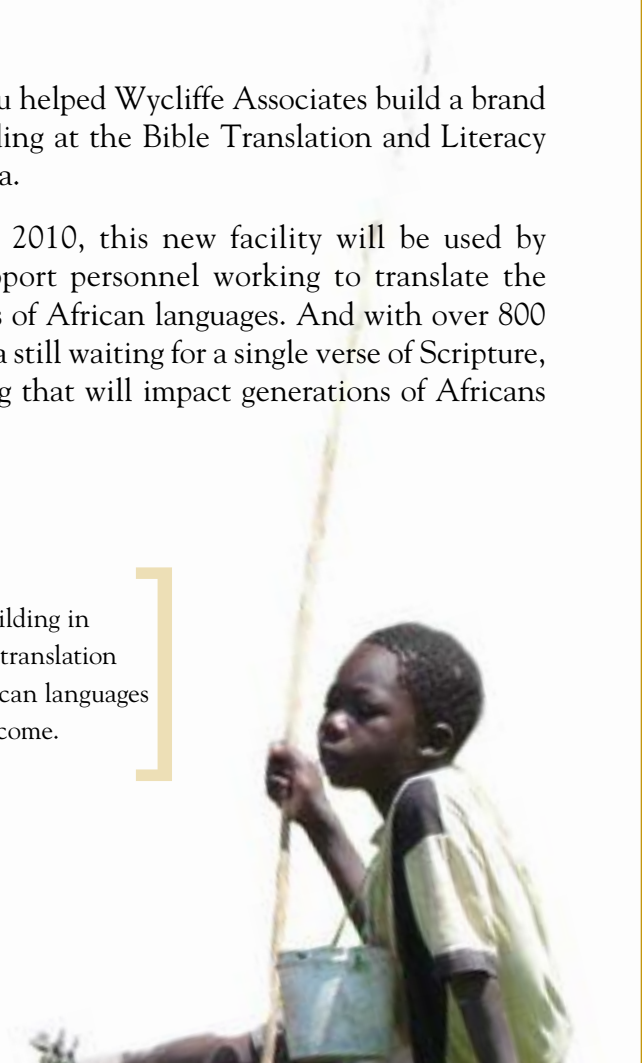
NEW HOME FOR BIBLE TRANSLATION IN KENYA

Generous friends like you helped Wycliffe Associates build a brand new multi-purpose building at the Bible Translation and Literacy Center in Nairobi, Kenya.

Dedicated in March of 2010, this new facility will be used by 150 translators and support personnel working to translate the Scriptures into hundreds of African languages. And with over 800 language groups in Africa still waiting for a single verse of Scripture, this building is a blessing that will impact generations of Africans to come!



This new multi-purpose building in Nairobi, Kenya, will house translation efforts for hundreds of African languages and impact generations to come.





SPEEDING TRANSLATION EFFORTS IN PNG!

Contributions from Wycliffe Associates partners are vital in accelerating Bible translation through the New Ireland Translation Institute in Papua New Guinea (PNG). Out of the 15 languages in this translation cluster, one has a completed New Testament, another has finished a rough draft, and portions of the Gospels and Paul's Epistles are now available in all the other languages.

While much has been done, we still have a long way to go. Most of the people in this hard-to-reach region are still living in spiritual darkness! Please continue to pray for our efforts to provide linguistic training, translation equipment, supplies, travel expenses, and more.



“Without Wycliffe Associates partners over the last few years, this project involving 15 languages would not be alive.”

–NITI translator





NATIONAL BIBLE TRANSLATION CENTER IN SUDAN EQUIPPING NATIONALS

Your gifts and prayers helped launch a rebirth of Bible translation in Southern Sudan! The new Bible Translation Center in the city of Juba is helping to equip nationals to translate God's Word into the heart languages of the people still waiting for Scripture.

Your support has been absolutely critical in Sudan because of the civil unrest and violence that continues to wrack this region of the world. Every moment we have counts . . . please pray for our continued efforts there.



Training for national translators is critical to the future of Bible translation efforts in the unstable country of Sudan.





WHEN LIVES ARE AT STAKE . . .

National Bible translators in some unreached areas of the world face beatings, torture, and even death for the sake of their faith. Your support of Scriptures for New Frontiers comes alongside these committed men and women, and supports translation efforts in areas so sensitive that we cannot name them without risking translators' safety.



Through your continued support, God is moving mightily in these “closed” areas, opening doors for the translation of His Word. Together, we are taking the power of God’s Word to people where they are . . . at the point of their deepest need . . . and impacting them in a way that no other power can.



God’s Word is the only hope for countries that are “closed” to the gospel. Your generosity helps support national translators who risk their lives to share Scriptures in these dangerous areas.





UKARUMPA WATER SUPPLY PROJECT MEETS URGENT NEED

The Bible translation center at Ukarumpa, Papua New Guinea is home to about 1,000 Bible translators, support personnel, volunteers, national employees, and their children. During the past several years, the compound has suffered many sudden losses of its principal supply of water.

But through the generosity and compassion of our partners, Wycliffe Associates is helping provide a safe, dependable source of water. The new water system will ensure that Bible translation efforts on the more than 300 language groups in PNG can continue without distraction or interruption.



The Ukarumpa Water Supply Project provides life-giving water to the community of translators and Bible workers in Papua New Guinea.






MOST UNREACHED SOULS ON EARTH!

More people have yet to be reached with the Scriptures in their heart language in the nation of India than in any other country on earth. The Wycliffe Institute of Language and Linguistics, thanks to your generosity, will serve as a crucial central facility for national translators in this land, where fewer than five percent of the people know Christ.

National translators will be equipped at the Institute to reach the remaining Indian people groups who don't have God's Word in their heart languages yet: 52 million people, speaking 158 different languages.



India is a land rich in culture and beauty, but also in desperate need of God's Word. Your giving helps reach this nation of 52 million with the Scriptures in the heart languages of the people.

Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2010 | Statement of Activities

Where Our Support Comes From:

Fiscal Year 2010

Contributions	\$ 16,013,086
Contributed services and facilities usage	\$ 5,921,424
Interest and other revenue	\$ 638,936
Total Contributions and Other Revenue	\$ 22,573,446
Net assets released from restrictions	\$ 6,144,644
Total Contributions and Other Revenue and Net Assets Released from Restrictions	\$ 28,718,090

Where Your Support Goes:

Bible translation ministry programs	\$ 17,414,406
Supporting services	
Fundraising	\$ 3,146,363
Management and general	\$ 1,342,459
Total Expenses	\$ 21,903,228
Change in unrestricted net assets	\$ 6,814,862

Note: Wycliffe Associates volunteers provide labor and other services for various ministry activities. Contributed services meeting the criteria for revenue recognition in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States amounted to approximately \$5,439,000 and are included in the Statement of Activities as “contributed services and facilities usage” revenue. Volunteer services during the year ended September 30, 2010, not meeting the criteria for recognition in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States have been estimated by management to be approximately \$7,732,000 (unaudited). Although, these services have a significant impact on making the ministry effective, the estimated value of such services is not reflected in the financial statements.

Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2010 | Statement of Financial Position

Assets:

Current Assets	\$ 13,962,169
Long-Term Assets	\$ 1,154,135
Total Assets	\$ 15,116,304

Fiscal Year 2010**Liabilities and Non-Current Liabilities:**

Current Liabilities	\$ 456,380
Other Liabilities	\$ 343,282
Total Liabilities	\$ 799,662

Net Assets:

Unrestricted Net Assets	\$ 10,918,064
Temporarily Restricted Net Assets	\$ 3,398,578
Total Net Assets	\$ 14,316,642

Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 15,116,304
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Complete audited statements as audited by Batts, Morrison, Wales & Lee, P.A. are available upon request.

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Translating God's Word in 2011 . . . Transforming Lives

For 2011, Wycliffe Associates has been called to join hands with God's workers in more than 79 countries around the world. By supporting Bible translation—sharing the love and compassion of God in the heart languages of spiritually hungry people—you can change lives . . . and impact eternity. We have a job to do and God has given you a role in this important effort, whether through volunteering, giving, or prayer. Will you answer the call?

To find out more about Wycliffe Associates, and Bible translation efforts around the world, please visit our Web site at www.wycliffeassociates.org.



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