Bible For Today Baptist Church Prisoner Prayer Letter

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Pray for Brian from Florida '75

That his desire for drugs is removed That his family has revival That he will follow the Lord Jesus Christ

"Being born again in 2008," is a memorial event in his

His favorite book of the Bible is Psalms.

"The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. 2 He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. ³ He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. 4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever" (Psalm 23:1-6).

Release date: 2018 3405

Pray for Aaron from Mississippi '74

For his mother For his spiritual growth For influence from Godly people in his life

"I grew up in a Pentecostal Church. I've prayed through and accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord."

He too likes the book of Psalms

"Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts" (Psalm 139:23).

When released he desires, "To be with God."

Release date: 2018 2901

Pray for William from Nebraska '85

For his grandmother For his family For the people in his life that do not like him

"My mom used to beet me when I was little because she was on drugs."

He favorite book of the Bible is Matthew

"Turn thee unto me, and have mercy upon me; for I am desolate and afflicted. ¹⁷ The troubles of my heart are enlarged: O bring thou me out of my distresses. Look upon mine affliction and my pain; and forgive all my sins" (Psalm 25:16-8).

He reflects, "When I first got saved or before, I was hurting on the inside and felt like I had no one till I got to know Him."

When released he desires, "To go to college for graphic arts and computer animation."

Release date: 2019 2901

Pray for Shawn from Florida '75

Health of mother and step-father Salvation for his three children For reconciliation of broken relationships

He remembers, "I had a happy childhood. I accepted Christ as my personal Saviour and was baptized in 2001. I recognized evidence of the new creature and old things passed away in 2012."

When asked how he heard of the Defined King James Bible he said, "A man that used to bunk next to me had one. It will be helpful to me because I will use it to study, encourage Christians, lead the lost to Christ and make all who will listen aware of Satan's plot to destroy God's preserved Word.

Release date: 2018 3339

\$ 960.00 was received last month the Prisoner Bible Fund — 17 Bibles & Bible Studies were sent

Pray for Jeremy from Virginia '82

For his parents For his siblings For his friends

"When I was eighteen I was in a really bad car wreck. It crushed my skull in, and every bone in my face. I have plates in my head. I used to question if there was a God. I lost my way over the years but I have found the Lord again this time I'm staying with Him."

His favorite book of the Bible is Job

"Then he said, I pray thee therefore, father, that thou wouldest send him to my father's house: ²⁸ For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment. ²⁹ Abraham saith unto him, They have Moses and the prophets; let them hear them. ³⁰ And he said, Nay, father Abraham: but if one went unto them from the dead, they will repent. ³¹ And he said unto him, If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead" (Luke 16:27-31).

He writes, "How Abraham said, the rich man's brothers wont listen even to someone who comes back from the dead. The whole parable is great!"

When released he desires to: "Live for the Lord, get a good job, and make my parents proud."

Release date: 2018

Pray for David from North Carolina '78

For his three daughters
For his time in prison
For his walk with the Lord

"I fell down on my knees and told God it is over, I can not live in sin anymore — for the Lord to take my life over."

He remembers, "When I was young my grandma would always take me for ice cream."

His favorite book of the Bible is Genesis

"When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things (1 Corinthans" 13:11).

He comments, "Because it talks about becoming a man and stop doing childish things and to believe God is Who He is and it is not a joke."

Release date: 2019 3506

Anyone wanting to write words of encouragement to these men please let us know.

These Men Recently Requested Bibles

- —Andrew from Kansas, "It appears that your ministry is the best tool for me to continue that journey by, so I am excited to be able to send this request and hope to hear back soon."
- —James from Florida, "Would be greatly appreciative to receive your Bible, and Bible study program that you offer."
- —Lori from Virginia, "I would like to receive the *Defined King James Bible*. Also if you have any Bible studies I would appreciate those too."
- —**Mike from Virginia,** "I have heard of you sir from a good friend. I would love to have a *Defined King James Bible* and some Bible studies."
- —**Tracy from Florida,** "I can own for a long time, a sturdy, accurate, durable Bible."
- —Juan from Florida, "I saw this Bible from another inmate here and he told me to write to you and ask for one. I am starting in my walk with God and trying to learn His ways."
- —**Christopher from Florida, "**The reason I am writing is because I would like to get a free Bible."
- —Charles from Florida, "I will be here for another twenty-one months. If it's God's will for me, I pray you can meet this request."
- —**Shannon from Mississippi,** "I have recently rededicated my life to Jesus Christ. A friend of mine has one of your *Defined King James Bibles* and I really love it."
- —**Armando from New Jersey,** "I would like Bible for reading as soon as possible."
- —**Hernando from California,** "I love the Lord and enjoy studying only from the KJV Bible."
- —Jarrod from Texas, "I really need for you to send these books to me. Please do not send anything to the chaplain here. I am going to have a meeting with him on Sunday, it will be about the KJV and the modern translations. Keep me in your prayer."
- —**David from Mississippi,** "I can see the words so plainly with the large print and it would be such a blessing to have one."
- —**Rubin from Mississippi,** "My roommate just received a large print *Defined King James Bible* from you. I would love to have one."
- —**Lester from Florida,** "I have been incarcerated for the last twenty years of my life and truly enjoy studying and teaching God's Holy Word."
- —Jermal from Florida, "Can you send me a *Defined King James Bible*."
- —**Richard from Florida,** "I am a Christian and am trying to further my faith and strengthen my fellowship with God through my Saviour, Jesus Christ."