



TOGETHER IN PRAYER

January 2022



Dear friend,

2022 is here. Each new year comes with hopes and desires for something better. May this year, which GRN is calling 'The Year of 5fish' be filled with a great increase for the heavenly kingdom through this digital distribution of God's message on our recordings. The 5fish app and web site give anyone free access to messages in over 6,400 spoken languages. Let's all work together and pray together for many to use this tool of evangelism.

Thank you for continuing
Together in Prayer

The GRN USA Team



1 The year of 5fish: This Gospel app is accessible in every country of the world, including North Korea, and has our own messages plus (in some languages) basic teaching materials, the Jesus Film, and even audio Bibles. Pray many will use this tool to share the Gospel with others.

2 5fish in Malawi: A ministry in Malawi contacted GRN looking for recordings of the Lambya Bible. They were directed to the link on 5fish and played it to the people, who were soon sharing files via Bluetooth. Praise God for this resource.

3 USA Admin Team: Recently they held a planning and vision retreat. Pray for Dan, currently the Assistant Director; Marc, IT; Ralph, Finance; Roland H., Mobilization; Ed, Field work; John S., Orders; Deb, Communications & Personnel.

4 God's Call: The USA is asking God to call a people-oriented and visionary administrator to join the Arizona office as site director. Pray for just the right person for this important area of service.

5 80 recordists: Two years ago we began asking God to add 80 recordists to the field army of skilled workers recording the remaining languages. Thank Him for those who have begun with us already, and those still to come.

6 New languages: Mexico recordist, Chuy, recently recorded two languages in southern Mexico: Huave de San Dionisio del Mar and Huave de San Francisco del Mar. Pray that these recordings of the Gospel will transform lives.

7 Support teams: May each of the staff members of GRN have strong support teams to uphold them in prayer and donate resources for their ministries, whether it be on the field or at a home office.

8 ILT meetings: It has been several years since the International Leadership Team has been able to meet together in person. Pray about plans and preparations for these important ILT meetings to take place in Switzerland in March.

9 Mexico recordists: Pray for each one as they develop their support team, and as they continue their adventures in recording the over 100 languages spoken in Mexico in which there are no Christian resources or witness.

10 Mexico victories: The teams have been able to make initial programs of Gospel messages in 17 new languages. Many still need to be edited. Pray that the recordings will impact many lives.

11 Nigeria team: Praise God for Kish and the GRN team in Nigeria as they continue to serve God despite the ongoing chaos and violence. Pray for God's provision for their upcoming outreach to a community with many medical care needs.

12 Global workforce: Ask God to enlarge our global workforce. GRN needs recordists, researchers, distributors, IT staff, and volunteers from many nations to join with us. Pray for people who love God, have a strong work ethic, and will bring needed skills and joyful service to GRN.

13 Players for Thailand: GRN Thailand has ordered 2,300 MP3 players. Pray they arrive safely and are used effectively. Pray also for Lot, who is being prepared by Jon to take over the leadership of GRN Thailand in mid-2022.

14 2022 plans: The Brazil team, along with all GRN centers, is looking to God to direct their steps for next year's projects. May God fill all of us with the knowledge of His will and grant open doors for the recording and distribution of the message of the Gospel.

15 West Africa update: GRN Switzerland coordinates the support of the work of GRN in West Africa. Pray godly insight and understanding for Philippe, the Swiss leader, as he provides advice and practical support to these teams.

16 Cameroun recording project: Pray for Joseph and the GRN team in Cameroun as they work on recordings in six languages. Pray for a good translation process, and expressive and capable language helpers. Pray too for effective distribution of the recordings.

17 Increase in listeners: Pray for a great increase in the number of people who hear the gospel through the 5fish phone app, GRN websites, and personal encounters. With a longing to see Christ receive the reward of His sacrifice, pray that GRN media materials will be shared far and wide.

18 Europe director: Samuel recently started work as the new GRN European Director. Please pray for him as he settles into this new role, and as he builds relationships with GRN centers and bases in Europe. Pray to for Samuel's family as they settle into their new home in Lyon, France.

19 Kenya recordings: GRN audio and visual materials were recently distributed in the Rabai and Kigiryama language groups of Kenya. Pray that these materials will be effectively used to evangelize and to provide teaching resources to the people who speak these languages.

20 France's refugee ministry: Give thanks for Daniel, who leads the GRN work in France. Pray for many opportunities for Daniel and his team to reach out and share the Good News with immigrants and refugees, as well as any practical help they can give.

21 European needs: Ask God to supply workers, materials and finances so that European centers can carry out an effective ministry. Pray for a great harvest of souls amongst immigrants and refugees all across Europe.

22 India still a huge need: There are still hundreds of people groups in India that do not have the Gospel in their language, and 450,000 villages have no Christian presence. Currently, there is no GRN center to coordinate a strategic recording and distribution program. Pray.

23 Soqotri of Yemen: Ask the Lord to send workers to the Soqotri people who live on Tan Island off the coast of Yemen. Pray for a harvest of souls for the kingdom of God from amongst these people and ask our Lord to give GRN the privilege of capturing God's Word in their language.

24 New leadership: Indonesia has a large number of unrecorded languages. Pray that a new GRN leader will be found for this task. Jopie, the current leader, hopes to retire soon.

25 Indonesia needs recordists: Pray for more recordists to join our two steadfast recording team members, Candra and Ronnie. Indonesia is a large country so let's ask God for big things to extend His Kingdom in that land.

26 Personnel in AZ: Many departments need more full-time staff to assist current members: IT, Accounting, Personnel, Property Maintenance, Orders, Research, Communications. Pray for those of God's choosing to answer the call.

27 Phase two: Phase one of Larry's two-year field assignment has concluded (recording projects in Mexico). Pray for him and from two to four interns as they travel far today towards their next assignment: advanced training in Australia.

28 Visa need: Pray for Marcos, who needs a visa for Australia. He must also learn more English before he travels there with Larry and Nathaniel for advanced recordist training.

29 Pakistan projects: The GRN team is asking big things of God. One project is recording 14 languages in the 'K' district of the country. The team also wants to purchase a smaller second vehicle for their growing field work. Pray!

30 Training Center: The Pakistani team is embarking on building a Cross-Cultural Training Center. Pray that God will grant them much success in this and other projects.

31 Praying Scripture: *Where there is no vision, the people perish.* . . Proverbs 29:18 May the Lord expand our vision as we seek to reach those who are perishing.



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