

Dear Friends,

We had asked you to pray for the typesetting of the Minimimb New Testament – for Emma the typesetter, and for Lindon and us during the whole typesetting process, that we would all keep in good health, and that all would go smoothly and well. Well, the Lord answered your prayers! We all kept well, the typesetting was completed in record time, and the carton containing the manuscript and pictures and maps was sealed up ready to be sent off to the printer in Korea in less than four weeks! Thank you for praying.

Please continue to pray that the printers will do an excellent job of the printing and that all will go smoothly. Printing will take some months. When completed, the New Testaments will be shipped from Korea to the port of Lae in Papua New Guinea. From Lae they will be trucked to Ukarumpa, and from there they will be flown to Dusan. Please pray that the finished product will bring honor and glory to our Lord, and speak to the hearts of the Minimimb people.

By the time you read this we will be in Dusan training new teachers for our Living Word schools. We need new teachers to staff new classes and to fill vacancies left by a few teachers who have taken a leave of absence. We will also be conducting a separate course to give further training to our existing teachers to help develop their teaching skills. In both courses *our* main goal and role will be to assist and train the District Superintendents so *they* do the training of the teachers, not *us*. Our goal is that through this coaching they will develop the skills and confidence to do the training *themselves* next time. Please pray for them – Timothy, Hibru, Lindon, Lukson, and Joel. And pray for all the trainee teachers too.

Then on July 22 we begin our journey home via Port Moresby, and Cairns, Australia. Please do not send any letters to Papua New Guinea after you read this because they probably will not reach us before we leave. Instead, send any mail to us at 8565 Trinity Cir #825A, Huntington Beach, CA 92646, USA.

In His Love and Grace,

Pastor John and Maila

