

Michael and Lori Johnson — working to bring the Word of God to people in their own heart languages  
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## Sowing Good Seed

In the month of June, we had a new web traffic record of 3,408,909 hits on our Bible web sites. Sounds good, but what is a hit? It is like a seed. Some hits are from search engines, some from academic research, and some from people reading or listening to the Bible in their own language. Of the last group, we pray that many will put their faith in Jesus Christ and grow in their faith through the Word. How many? God knows. I just know that if we are faithful and do our part, God will bless His Word.



In mid-June, Evan graduated with an AA in fire science from Southwest Oregon Community College. He is now working on paramedic certification. Photo by Trevor Fleshman.



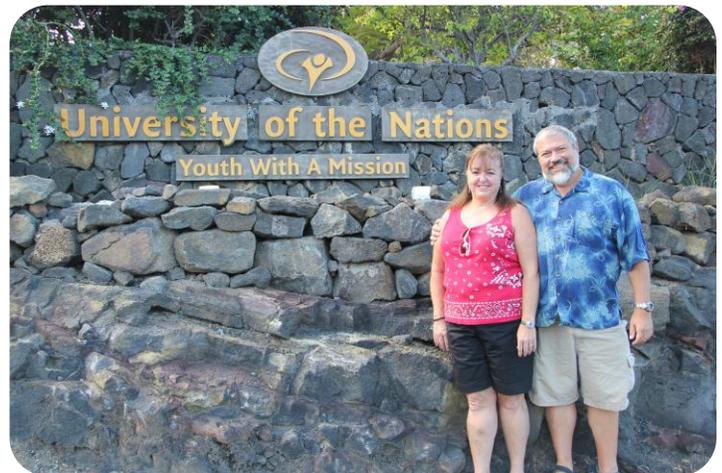
Ben graduated with a BA in philosophy from Grove City College in Pennsylvania and moved to Philadelphia. Ben & Naomi are interested in inner city ministry and working among the urban poor.



Nate graduated with a Master of Theological Studies from Notre Dame University in Indiana. He is planning to volunteer as a teacher at a Christian school in Papua New Guinea.



Ben married a wonderful woman named Naomi, June 16th. It was a beautiful celebration of their love.



Lori is helping with the International Primary Health Care School, and Michael continues to work on electronic Scripture publishing, making more translations in more languages available in more formats. Next month, Michael will attend a Bible publishing conference in Canada.

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## Rachel's Column



Grandpa and Grandma have kittens. They were kind of wild, but I caught them and tamed them. I love kittens.



We traveled around a lot to see my big brothers and to see Ben and Naomi's wedding. We also saw some friends and relatives. I got to see the Atlantic Ocean and the Appalachian Mountains.

### Got email?

If you would like to start (or restart) getting our email updates, please email us and ask to be put on our partner mailing list.

## Praise God for

- Over **2.4 million hits/month** total on all of the web sites that Michael operates that have Scriptures on them.
- **230 Scripture translations** posted; permission from copyright owners is coming for more.
- Progress on the **World English Bible OT**.
- Progress on **Scripture publishing software**.
- **Faithful partners** who make our work possible!

For as the rain comes down and the snow from the sky,  
and doesn't return there, but waters the earth,  
and makes it grow and bud,  
and gives seed to the sower and bread to the eater;  
so is my word that goes out of my mouth:  
it will not return to me void,  
but it will accomplish that which I please,  
and it will prosper in the thing I sent it to do.

— Isaiah 55:10-11

## Prayer Requests

- Productivity and fruitfulness (Mat. 13:18-23; Ps. 1:1-3)
- Prosperous soul and health (3 John 2; 1 Pet. 2:24)
- Protection (Is. 54:17; Ps. 91)
- Provision, more partners (Mat. 6:35-23; Ps. 23:1; 1 Pet. 1:3)
- Wisdom, understanding, love (Eph. 3:14-21; Col. 1:9-14)
- Bountiful harvest of souls from the Scripture seeds sown. (Matthew 13:3-23)

# Jesus Christ is Lord!

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