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“... Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature.”
Mark 16.15

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Dear Praying Friends,

Greetings from beautiful Croatia! Glory to God!

Since my last letter, we have continued with the Bible distribution program and God is blessing it greatly. We just finished our Free Bible promotion for the month of May, and I am happy to report that we individually mailed 1,283 Bibles during the month.

We started the Free Bible promotions very soon after my return from furlough back in late October, and we will soon be reaching the milestone of 10,000 Bibles individually mailed to people who ordered them through our Facebook Free Bible advertisement!

To put 10,000 Bibles into the hands of people who requested them will represent a \$20,000 investment in postage, packaging, and a Gospel tract, but I can't think of a better investment to make. I surely appreciate everyone who has given toward Bible Postage to support this effort. It is a huge help and blessing! We also certainly appreciate the Bible and Literature Missionary Foundation for supplying us with the Bibles!

We've made some more necessary upgrades to the warehouse. We just had some new double hung windows installed and purchased a fan. I think an air conditioner will be a must for the summer, but it's a joy to spend hours out there packaging Bibles, when you know the power of the Word of God! It continually amazes me when I think of the facilities God gave us here JUST BEFORE he opened our eyes to this glorious opportunity to blanket Croatia with His Word!

We've got plenty of work left to do. Soon, we will have sent out 10,000 Bibles, but Croatia has a population of 4,000,000.

May also brought great sadness to our church family. In my last letter I had requested prayer for one of our very prominent church members, Baka (grandma). Sadly, she passed away in mid-May. She was at church with stomach pains one Thursday evening in March. She went home ill after service, and she was never able to be in church again. It turns out she had cancer all over her body. So, in two short months she was gone. She will be greatly missed by our church because she was one of a kind. She was a bright light, and she warmly greeted all who came to the church. She showed the love of Christ to everyone in a great way and witnessed to all. Please pray for her husband, Mladen, and her son, Dahlen, as they navigate life without her. We do rejoice that the funeral was well attended, and everyone who came heard the Gospel twice, and relatives who joined us for the church service that followed heard it a third time. We pray they will be gloriously saved.

Thank you so much for all your support, whether financial, or through prayer and encouragement. Without you, this would not be possible. Having therefore obtained help of God, I continue unto this day, witnessing.