

# Bible For Today Baptist Church

# Prisoner Prayer Letter

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—**Gabriel from California**, “I received my *Defined King James Bible*. I love it. I look forward to learning many wonderful things about our Lord and Saviour. I also received the Bible study which I am returning at this time. I am very interested in the courses you have to offer.”

2350

**Juan from Texas**, ‘72

Fellow inmates to understand the gospel  
For the homeless and drug addicts  
For his safe return home

His favorite book of the Bible is Genesis

“But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night” (Psalm 1:2).

He reflects, “I think about what I have read and ask God to show me the insight of the verses that I am reading and studying.”

Release date: 2033

3254

**William from Mississippi** ‘68

For his father  
For his sister  
For his safe return home

“I’ve been on drugs for years but my mom pasted away. I let everyone down — the shame likely killed me.”

His favorite book of the Bible is Psalms

Pray that he will be able to get a Bible study started

Release date: 2014

3291

**John from Florida**, ‘85

For the Holy Spirit to work in his life  
For safety of his children  
To make a difference in the world

He remembers, “Being taken from my parents at age four, and put into my aunts care, then taken from her at age five and put in foster care, then adopted at age six.”

His favorite book of the Bible is Psalms

“After release, I am enrolling in college for computer tech while in search of a job to support my three kids.”

Release date: 2014

3287

**Scott from Florida**, ‘77

For his eternal security  
That he will learn more about God’s Word  
That he will receive and keep his Bible

“I was locked up in mental hospitals and like facilities from the time I was 9 1/2 to 18. Twenty-eight stops in twenty-one different programs / facilities.”

His favorite book of the Bibles are the Epistles of Paul

“Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth” (2 Timothy 2:15).

Scott writes, “This verse shows me that I study the Word of God correctly and learn to apply in my walk that my obedience in faith makes unnecessary to be ashamed.”

Release date: 2024

3209

**Stanly from Virginia** ‘63

That God will forgive him of his sins  
To stay clean and avoid jail in the future  
To get a good job when released

He remembers when his father died in 1973. He bases his salvation on baptism.

His favorite books of the Bible are Job and James

“Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good” (Romans 12:21)

Release date: 2014

3287

**\$300.00** was received last month the Prisoner Bible Fund — **10** Bibles & Bible Studies were sent

**45** questionnaires were sent — **0** Bible Studies were returned — **0** Thank you notes received

**Pray for Juan from Texas as he has begun work on the Bible studies**

**Jonathan from Iowa '79**

For safety of his son and former girlfriend  
For his sister's health  
For his mentor Dwight

"The Sacrifices of God *are* a broken spirit: a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise" (Psalm 51:17).

He explains, "It tells you all that God wants as a sacrifice from us. To me it lets me know what to do to get God into my heart to be my saviour."

When released he is going to, "Focus on sowing and investment as well as support of a son."

Release date: 2018

3343

**Joseph from Virginia, '73**

For the situation he finds himself  
For reconciliation with his bride  
For his diabetic uncle

His favorite book of the Bible is Psalms

"O my God, I cry in the daytime, but thou hearest not; and in the night season, and am not silent" (Psalm 22:2).

He pens, "God says he protects me."

When released he expects to, "Raise my children, get back with my wife."

Release date: 2015

3341

**Bruce from Virginia, '65**

For his wellbeing  
For his family  
For those in the facility in which he resides

His favorite book of the Bible is Psalms

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life" (John 3:16).

When asked when he was saved: "All my life"

When released he plans, "To get out of here and live my life to the fullest."

Release date: 2019

3340

**Robert from California, '80**

For deliverance from evil  
That restitution be achieved in his life  
That his knowledge of Christ will increase

He remembers when his father died in 1992. He best associates himself with the Church of Christ

Release date: 2027

3360

**These Men Recently Requested Bibles**

—**Clifton from Florida**, "The other man she married didn't life kids so my mom gave my grandmother full custody of us. I have completed a faith character program and now growing through another one to build up both my faith and character. I am still a babe in Christ but I am learning. I believe the *De-fined King James Bible* will help me with this. I also like verse memorization."

—**Gary from North Carolina**, "Greetings in the most wonderful name of our most precious Lord and Saviour, Christ Jesus, the Lamb of God Whom taketh away the sin of the world."

—**Robert from Mississippi**, "If you all will help me get a Bible that's big print and that will explain the verses so I could understand it."

—**Johny from Florida**, "I would like to know if you could send my daughter a *King James Bible*."

—**Daniel from Iowa**, "I am very much in need of a Bible. I am willing to answer any questions you may have."

—**John from Florida**, "I am self studied theologian for thirty plus years and would like to know about this if you could send me something on it."

—**Eric from Virginia**, "I was writing to request a *King James Bible* and Bible studies. I would greatly appreciate it. It would mean a lot to me."

—**Andrew from Nebraska**, "If you have anybody who would like to write me. I need companionship."

—**Jermaine from Florida**, "I am an inmate and I really need a *King James Bible*."

—**Robert from Oklahoma**, "I love the Lord Jesus with all my heart. I am a new Christian, I would love if you would send me a Bible so I can read and study more about the Lord."

—**Ronald from Florida**, "I was amazed and heart-broken that they would do that to our Lord's Words! I have dedicated my life to understanding the Lord's Words and His will."

—**Larry from Florida**, "Hello, I am writing to receive the Bible For Today large print Bible due to the fact I can not see small print."

—**Lamar from Virginia**, "I would like to request one study Bible. I have over the years learned a lot of things about God and would like to read more."

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