

CREWNS

to lay at Jesus' feet

WE'RE IN THE NEW BUILDING!

Praise the Lord, I'm so glad to report that we were able to make our deadline to vacate the location in Mooresville. We are back in business. Our shipping department is busy!

We had several wonderful things happen while we were finishing our construction work inside the building. The drywall work was donated! We received expert concrete finishing just-in-time that allowed us to finish



Mark Mackensie finished our concrete. before the Winter weather set in. The concrete finisher was able to save us about 25% of the cost on concrete because of his business relationship with the supplier.

We had wonderful volunteer help



Terry Siddons installed doors and trim. with hanging the doors, installing trim, finishing electrical work (installing the 3 phase converter) and moving.

The Lord gave us the health to keep working even though we were going 6 days a week, many days over 12 hours a day.



Toby Roberts installed the 3 phase rotary phase converter and electrical panels.



Our friends from Hazelwood Baptist Church came to help us move and clean.

\$25.000 TO THE FINISH LINE

We still have more work that must be done this Spring. We need to pave, pour a sidewalk at the curb to meet our neighbor's sidewalk, and do the final grading and landscape work. We have a provisional occupancy permit.

We anticipate the cost being about \$25,000 to do this work.

This building project has been a daily walk of faith for us. I have to admit that on some days the process seemed impossible but our God is the God of the impossible.

I know many of our friends gave generously and some gave sacrificially. We thank you and thank God for your prayers and gifts. We are partners in God's work of evangelism. It is amazing to me that He has chosen us to be co-laborers and heirs of Christ.

OUTREACH IN FRANCE

Missionary Jeremie Dodeler, with Baptist World Missions, reported about a printing project in France to print 10,000 *God's Simple Plan of Salvation* in French. These tracts were used in evangelism efforts in the city of Thionville in north east France.

In October Pastor Briard held a special concert for the celebration of his church's 40th anniversary. **GSPS** were distributed to all who attended.

In December his church was also able to distribute to residents in a retirement home as the church people sang Christmas carols.



Later they were granted permission by the mayor of a city nearby to hold a small concert in the market place. Tracts, Bibles, and calendars were given to people passing by.



We praise the Lord that these believers in France are involved in evangelism.

WE HAVE A NEW WEBSITE



Please go to: www.godssimpleplan. org to see our new and improved website. Scott Foreman is our resident artist and web designer. This is a work in progress so there are still many things we can add to improve our presence on the web.

Scott has been working on new artwork for many of the languages that were on our old site. Eventually we will have fresh artwork for all the major languages. We hope to have previews of many more of the 123 languages online this year.

We also will be adding more video and audio. Please check back for new media as we are able to upload these files.

We have a new salvation testimony from a reader of the **Peace** tract. This is why we do all the work we do—we want to reach lost souls who need Christ.

We will be adding audio files of native speakers reading the gospel message of *God's Simple Plan of Salvation*.

A special message by Ford Porter was recorded at the 29th anniversary of *God's Simple Plan of Salvation*. He tells the story of the writing of the tract and the first printings. If you have never heard his preaching and these stories you will enjoy listening to this message.



Evangelist Jim Kilgore presents the gospel wherever he goes and uses God's Simple Plan of Salvation tracts to share the gospel point by point. Here Jim is on a bus presenting the good news to this gentleman. Jim's goal is to lead someone to the Lord every day.

MORE PHOTOS OF OUR MOVE TO MONROVIA



Scott Foreman and his son Carter are moving a unit of our new Ricoh 8200 printer.



Scott Foreman and David Page are repacking a skid of paper



You will never see this much of the shop floor again! Terry Siddon's class did a thorough cleaning of the shop floor before we moved into our new shop and warehouse.



Carol Porter painted the trim.

Have you considered extending your life's ministry after your death? Please consider naming Lifegate in your will. Your gift can be designated to provide gospel tracts going around the world!

MINISTRY NEEDS

We have been asked what we need or what are our prayer requests. Here are three projects that we believe should be done this year as the Lord provides:

- 1. Paving for our new property's parking lot is our highest priority. This is not just something we would like to do, but rather is something that the Town of Monrovia requires for the final approval of our building. A current bid is \$21,500. We are still receiving bids.
- 2. Also required is the landscaping of our yard. We will also have to pour a concrete sidewalk along the street. After the paving is done we must backfill around the paving and plant trees and other permanent landscape shrubs and perennials. This is required for our final inspection by the Town of Monrovia. We estimate \$3,500 for the walk and landscaping.
- 3. We use a color laser printer for our office work, contribution receipts, and mailing pieces. The two printers we are currently using are over 15 years old and are becoming unserviceable. We have been shopping for a color laser printer and we believe we will need \$5,000 for a unit that can handle our work load for the next 5 years or so. We would consolidate our office printing through one color laser printer.

HOW DO YOU USE **GSPS** AND **PEACE?** PLEASE WRITE US AND LET US KNOW!

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