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Daily Prayer Guide

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25 FRI Roland King

Pray for Roland who supervises the Shipping Department, the last leg of the Production process. He is thankful for volunteers Brad and Andrew who come regularly and especially for their help with heavy shipments.

26 SAT Nigeria Challenge

Global Recordings Network Nigeria is challenged by the 55 languages in the NW of the country. This area needs the light of the gospel to shine in places where there is much spiritual darkness. Pray for recordist Joshua who recently completed recordist upgrade training. Pray for a travel assistant to accompany him to dangerous regions.

27 SUN Charles Gutierrez

Charles does CD duplication and loading of SD cards for orders. Charles asks for wisdom and strength to continue to keep up with the new technology for uploading the Word of God.

28 MON Production Department

Several staff members assist in the ordering, production, and distribution of materials for our users. Pray for careful attention to detail and for processing everything promptly.

29 TUE South Sudan Longs for Peace

The country of South Sudan needs respite from its conflicts. Pray that teams will soon be able to reach more tribal groups in this troubled nation with the message of hope, peace, and salvation in Christ.

30 WED Beverley Cruthers

Beverley has worked for many years duplicating cassettes. As that is nearly phased out, she helps with other areas of orders. Pray for her as she moves toward retirement and moving back to Canada.

31 THU South America Recruits Needed

In South America, Global Recordings Network is asking God to call many young people from Ecuador, Colombia, Peru and Venezuela to join. Ask the Lord of the harvest to call choice South American workers into the mission—those who love God and have a passion to reach the lost for Christ.

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Dear Friends,

I've been reflecting on death, after several people I know have died recently. During my recent trip to Africa, the first time opening email in Nigeria I heard of two deaths: one a cousin, who passed away from cancer just 30 days after going to the hospital with pain, and the other an Israeli friend with whom I had dinner in Jerusalem just a month prior. Pastor Antony was on one of his trips to minister to Syrian refugees when he was run over by a car in Iraq.

I also read a post from a missionary friend in Indonesia. He spoke of an exchange with a merchant he knew, and later his weeping at the thought of her spending eternity apart from Christ.

As I write this I await the death of my brother, from early onset Alzheimer's disease and Primary Progressive Aphasia. He was just 59 when he was diagnosed. Death can come fast or it can come slow, but as long as the Lord tarries, it will come for everyone.

What are we doing to prepare those around us for their coming death? Are we like Antony, who one described as "always busy in evangelism and deeds of charity. Always moving... He said you meet more people when you walk, and the more people you see the more chance you have to share Christ with them." Are we like my brother, who after being raised on the mission field of North Africa generously supported missions during his career? Do we weep over those who are headed to Hell?

Peace of Christ,

Dale Rickards



1 TUE **Dale Rickards**

Global Recordings Network USA Director Dale Rickards is on a two-month sabbatical. He returns to work in August. Pray he will feel refreshed and rejuvenated and ready for the challenges ahead.

2 WED **The Moluccas**

In Indonesia, Global Recordings recordist Ronny recently recorded gospel messages in the Molucca



language. This should be followed by distribution of those messages to the people. Pray for life-changing outcomes.

3 THU **Healing**

Jeanette Ndiba, wife of National Director Joseph, from Cameroon, West Africa, and recordist Boaz from Kenya, East Africa, both have painful back problems hindering their ministry. Ask for the Lord to heal them.

4 FRI **The Rulison Family**

Global Recordings Network Thailand Director, Jon Rulison and wife Clair, are on a five-month home leave in the USA. Pray for a good balance between having times for rest and refreshment, fulfilling responsibilities of visiting supporting churches, and getting their son settled in college in Michigan.

5 SAT **Next Generation**

It is not too early to ask God to prepare the next generation of Global Recordings Network leaders. In addition to leadership abilities, it is essential that leaders be filled with the Holy Spirit and have a passion to make Jesus known among the least-reached peoples.

6 SUN **The Buddhist World**

Pray that the Spirit of God sweeps through this religious stronghold breaking down barriers of deception and giving people a hunger to know the True God. Ask God to encourage Global Recordings Network teams in Thailand, Myanmar, Nepal and elsewhere to know that their labors among Buddhists are not in vain.

7 MON **Blaise VanderLinden**

Pray for Blaise who serves as Production Manager. Blaise has been on the USA staff about two years and brings good experience and efficient practices to this department.

8 TUE **The Gospel Progresses in Myanmar**

Recordists David and Naing Oo have recently completed recording in a remote area of Myanmar. Pray that as they prepare these materials for distribution, the speakers of these newly recorded languages will soon hear God's Word for themselves, are convicted of sin and come to faith in Christ as they listen to the truth.

9 WED **Recordist Intern Program**

Global Recordings Network Australia is planning for a recordist intern program in 2018. They are also offering a Nepal Trekabout short-term trip experience for early 2018. Pray for God's choice of people to take part in these programs and that one of the outcomes will be the recruitment of young recordists.

10 THU **Ethiopia and Eritrea**



There are 19 language groups in the East African countries of Ethiopia and Eritrea that need to hear the truths of God's word. Pray that, despite troubles in the region, gospel recordings

and players would soon allow many to hear those truths and believe.

11 FRI **John Steinmetz**

John is our order master who does a wonderful job working with all those who call in and need assistance finding the right language and the right resources. Pray for John who also works with the Language Tracking Department.

12 SAT **David Gutierrez**

David is the Media Manager overseeing our in-house printing needs, Bible Box production and various other media related jobs. David asks for wisdom and strength to do all the pending orders in the media department.

13 SUN **East Asia Recordings**

New recordings were completed recently in East Asia. Pray for the editing and programming in progress and that the recordings will bring many to faith in Christ. Thank God for faithful staff who live and work in difficult situations and for language helpers and translators.

14 MON **Eastern Europe Recordings**

Global Recordings UK Director/Recordist Kenny McKee is arranging for scripts to be translated in preparation for recording languages in Europe: two Roma languages in Serbia, and the Russian, Czech and Belarusian languages. Once translations are completed, Kenny and wife Joan will travel to record the prepared scripts.

15 TUE **New Version of 5fish**



The development team in Australia is working on a new version of the 5fish app for cell phones. This app enables users to play gospel recordings in any of 6,000 languages on their phone. Pray for an early release date and that this app will increase the number of people reached through Global Recording Network's recordings.

16 WED **Summer Intern**

Pray for Deborah, a college student from Evangelical Institute, Greenville, South Carolina, who is spending her summer in Temecula learning about recording and distribution and participating in refugee outreach.

17 THU **Board Meeting**

Pray for our board members, Mack Timm, Bill Cornthwaite, Jerome Hannaman, Don Wight, David Overstreet and Dale Rickards. They meet today and seek the Lord's guidance and wisdom on many issues.

18 FRI **Advisors**

Pray for those who serve on our Advisory Board, assisting the Board of Directors with various areas of expertise. Pray for Jason Pena, Tim Middlebrook and Mark Kearcy.

19 SAT **Cross-Country Deputation Trip**

Australia CEO Christine Platt is making a cross-country deputation trip from Sydney to Adelaide in August. Pray for safe travel, good meetings and for many people to get behind the work of Global Recordings Network.

20 SUN **Tracking Trip**

Language Tracking Coordinator Gerry Gutierrez plans to visit three areas of Africa at the end of August, to work with Global Recordings Network centers on language tracking matters. Pray for God's timing and provision.

21 MON **David and Gail Rogne**

In Vanuatu, Global Recordings Network recordists, David and Gail Rogne, are delaying their home leave to continue recording and distribution work. Pray for encouragement for them and safety in travel to the islands.

22 TUE **The Sheni Language**



Sheni is a priority language for the Nigeria team because there are no known believers in this group. There are dangers traveling in some areas where the Sheni live. Pray for the safety of the team and for

God's supply to cover the expense of recording this language.

23 WED **Slow Recovery**

Michael Abel, a member of the International Director's accountability group, was seriously injured in a fall earlier in the year. Recovery is quite slow. Pray for grace to go through his rehabilitation and for encouragement for him and his family when progress is slow.

24 THU **Moving Forward in South Africa**

Dalene Joubert and the South Africa board continue the process of reestablishing Global Recordings Network legally in South Africa. Pray for success and that the recording and distribution work will become increasingly effective.