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All Glory To HIM...



After nearly **three decades** of sowing the seed of God’s Word in Ivory Coast, our churches are reaping a bountiful harvest. Churches recorded 235 people who trusted Christ as Savior during 2023. Satan loses his grip when the GOSPEL is shared and thousands of lives have been changed by HIS grace through the years. Nothing compares to what the LIGHT of the GOSPEL can render. And, that LIGHT continues to shine in a very dark land.

This month our churches will gather for the National Convention. God’s hand of blessing on this ministry is certainly evident. Representatives from all churches will gather next week in the western region near Mahapleu. This distance is 475 miles from the orphanage. Members coming from long distances will travel by bus. Those who live in the villages of the western region will travel by bakka bus, ride motorcycle taxis, or walk. It’s very dry and extremely hot this time of the year.



This has been a difficult year as far as farming is concerned. People survive in the “bush” by growing gardens and farming. Some will be unable to come simply because of a lack of finances. We hope you remember to pray for them. Last year an entire group traveling on a bakka bus were stopped by thieves and robbed of all their possessions. But they take it in stride saying that is just the way life is in our country. They are especially vulnerable on the back roads.



During the year 2023, the *“Jungle Riders Evangelistic Team”* has shared the gospel in 28 villages. People living in remote villages will likely never hear the truth of how to get to Heaven, unless we take the story of Christ to them. More than 5,200 watched the “Jesus Film” this year and 181 souls trusted Christ as Savior.

It is rough traveling through the jungle on motorcycles, and there are sometimes dangers along the way, but we are thankful for three dedicated men who love to share the story of Jesus with those who have never heard.

The three orphans attending university this year are doing very well. It’s a different life being separated from the protection of the orphanage, but they are great witnesses for the Lord in this new environment. Several orphans are now in Jr. High and High School. Donors have graciously taken care of the financial burden of paying for their schooling bills each year. It’s always a test of faith to see the next year coming but God has always proven His love for orphans and has placed the need on someone’s heart every passing year. Pray for our young ladies... they grow up fast!

