

# Pray Every Day for EVERYDAY

*Daily prayer requests for  
the overseas literature outreach of*

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## September 2010

**Wed. 1** “O LORD, You are my God. I will exalt You, I will praise Your name, for You have done wonderful things; Your counsels of old are faithfulness and truth,” Isaiah 25:1 NKJV. We say “Amen” to this and give all the praise to our God for all that He has done and is doing at EPI.

**Thurs. 2** Gertrud Harlow thanks the Lord that no further damage was done when she unexpectedly dislocated a hip for the second time (without fall or other specific reason). She will need to take care in her movements to avoid a painful repeat performance which could happen any time.

**Fri. 3** Praise the Lord for a wonderful trip to Japan in August for Grace Spence. She visited her son who is teaching ESL. Continue to pray for her unsaved family members.

**Sat. 4** Praise the Lord that final approval was given to the Beach family’s application for Permanent Resident status in early August (PED (*Pray Every Day*) Aug.5). They are now officially Landed Immigrants!

**Sun. 5** From Clive and Hazel Walker (Panama – U.K.): “There was a delivery...waiting for us from Everyday Publications. We spent a number of days sorting the books and delivering them to churches and Bible teachers all over the country. The men really appreciated the books as Bible study material is not readily available and too expensive for most people.”

**Mon. 6** Alma Turnbull reports that the Markham Bible Chapel Day Camp was “*physically exhausting for some of us seniors, but certainly rewarding*” with 140 children in attendance (PED July 26). Thanks for praying!

**Tues. 7** Pray for Caleb Beach as he begins his last year of High School. Pray that he would be a diligent student and an effective witness. Praise the Lord for help given as he worked at Agape Valley Bible Camp (PED July 7).

**Wed. 8** Pray for the Lord’s blessing and help as, Lord willing, a new Spanish title, *Paul’s Letters from Prison, vol. 1: Ephesians and Philippians*, and a reformatted Spanish title (commentary on Numbers) are proofread this month.

**Thurs. 9** Pray for Don DeBaeremaeker, Director of Emmaus Correspondence School for Canada, as he uses EPI books and test booklets in this ministry. Pray that these students would be enlightened and instructed in the Word of God. Pray also for safety as Don comes in to EPI to cut books on the digital cutter.

**Fri. 10** Praise the Lord for a safe and pleasant trip east for the MacDougalls (PED July 9). They are thankful for the good visits with family and friends and also time with assemblies in Moncton, Charlottetown, and Fredericton.

**Sat. 11** From Mark Beach: “Praise the Lord for the opportunity to send 510 English books to be used as textbooks in an English language Bible College that is being started in the highlands of Papua New Guinea.”

**Sun. 12** Thank the Lord for bringing John Storm through surgery (PED July 15) and back to the EPI booklet maker! We praise the Lord for John’s happy and helpful service in the print shop. Continue to pray for a complete recovery.

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**Mon. 13** Continue to pray for open doors for EPI books in India (PED Oct. 10, 2009). Pray that the Lord would answer in His time.

**Tues. 14** Praise the Lord for the wonderful summer Thirza Beach had serving at Agape Valley and Li Lo Li Bible Camps as well as a life-changing missions trip to Belize (PED July 13). Pray for Thirza as she seeks the Lord's will for her future.

**Wed. 15** Praise the Lord for how well the printers are functioning. For the two weeks in July that the print shop was running (after the MacDougalls' holiday) there were 4496 EPI titles printed along with 5 print jobs for 3 other ministries. Pray that problems will be kept to a minimum, allowing for efficient work days.

**Thurs. 16** Pray that Sara Townsend may make good progress typesetting the Portuguese translation of Dr. Harlow's commentary on Exodus and Leviticus this month. Pray for wisdom in setting priorities for her other work.

**Fri. 17** Praise the Lord for the 14,086 books sent out in July alone; pray that they will be used for His glory.

**Sat. 18** Ask the Lord to bless our faithful and hardworking volunteers: Arthur and Mary Jane Robinson, Desmond and Gayle McCurry, John Storm, Jimmy Rollo, Tom and Hilda Parkinson, and Don DeBaeremaeker. Please pray for their safety as they operate the bindery equipment.

**Sun. 19** From Spencer and Phyllis Dibble (Nigeria): *"Greetings to all at EPI. We do appreciate these books for camp because we know that the girls and the fellows will be pleased to have them, and we know that you will be praying with us that they will fulfill the goal of growing Christians."*

**Mon. 20** Iain MacDougall has been hired full time at Gospel Folio Press to work in the warehouse and help with shipping (PED April 30). Please pray for guidance for his long-term future.

**Tues. 21** Praise the Lord for the 2877 books sent out "no charge" to missionaries in Nigeria, South Africa, Zambia, and France in June and July. Pray for these dear ones as they labor for the "Best of Masters". Pray for their encouragement today.

**Wed. 22** From Harold MacDougall: *"Pray for wisdom to know when to call for service on equipment not covered by a service contract. Pray for wisdom in solving problems as they arise from time to time."*

**Thurs. 23** Praise the Lord that Noel and Dwana Bondt were able to travel to Prince Edward Island at the end of August. They were able to introduce their happy and healthy daughter Estella to family and friends.

**Sat. 25** Thank the Lord for our present facilities as well as the stock of books, equipment, and supplies stored on the premises. Pray for the Lord's continued protection from all forms of harm or attack from the enemy.

**Sun. 26** *"Before they call, I will answer,"* Isaiah 65:24. We can praise the Lord that He hears and answers prayer – sometimes before we realize we have a need! The Lord is faithful and uses faithful saints to pray. Thank you for standing with us.

**Mon. 27** Please pray for staff with aging parents and unsaved loved ones. Pray for wisdom from the Lord and His blessing as we seek to minister to them, mostly from a distance.

**Tues. 28** Praise the Lord for the opportunity to serve "other ministries" from time to time. Pray for much blessing to result from the reprinting of a commentary on 1 Corinthians in Portuguese by the late Clifford Beggs, which is urgently needed in Angola. Pray that the Lord may expedite its printing and shipment.

**Wed. 29** From Gail Beach: *"Thank you for praying as I continue to 'keep the books' at EPI along with the helpful support of Mark in this area."* Please continue to pray.

**Thurs. 30** EPI's fiscal year ends today. Pray for safety and accuracy during the annual book inventory and for the Lord's enabling to properly and successfully "close the books".

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**Fri. 1** *“But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin,”* 1 John 1:7 NKJV. Let us never forget it is the “blood of Christ” that makes all we do possible. Praise Him.

**Sat. 2** Thank the Lord for directors Steve Adams, Bill Allison, Ron Gee, Hanniel Ghezzi, Gertrud Harlow, Bill Letkeman, and Don MacMullen. Pray that the Lord will bless them for their continued interest and love for the work of EPI.

**Sun. 3** From Simeon Havyarimana in Burundi: *“The additional books you have suggested is what we call in my local language ‘Milk that gives birth to butter’...it simply means that it is a wonderful addition.”* Praise the Lord for this new contact for Swahili, French, and Everyday English titles.

**Mon. 4** Praise the Lord for opening doors for EPI books through the above contact. We have the opportunity of stocking libraries at Timothy Bible School in Kigobe and the Emmaus library at Bwiza. Pray that these books will be an encouragement to the students.

**Tues. 5** Also from Simeon: *“...your suggested idea about books for sale is a great one. This will help our assemblies in Burundi to start, for the first time, a Christian Bookstore. We would not have imagined that this will one day be possible.”* Pray for great blessing.

**Wed. 6** Praise the Lord for two generous bequests that will be used to further the Lord’s work here at EPI. We are humbled at how the Lord continues to provide.

**Thurs. 7** Alma has had some upgrades to her computer programs and it is proving challenging. Pray that she will adjust quickly and be able to carry on with her reformatting of Dr. Harlow’s commentary on Luke.

**Fri. 8** Praise the Lord for the 5840 books sent to prison ministries in July and August. Pray for those who deal with prisoners via letter, by marking exams, or in personal visits. Pray that the Word of God will change lives.

**Sat. 9** Pray that Noel will regain his strength after the long hot summer. Pray that he will have the required energy for all his daily tasks.

**Sun. 10** Praise the Lord that we are *“workers together with Him,”* 2 Cor. 6:1. Praise the Lord for the wonderful prayer support EPI receives on a daily basis. It is felt and appreciated.

**Mon. 11** Ted and Dana Witmer (Shalom University – DR Congo) visited EPI in August and wanted all to know how thankful the people in Congo are to get the Swahili Bibles (PED March 8). Please pray that God’s Word will have real power in the believers’ lives.

**Tues. 12** Pray for Mark and Gail as they represent Everyday Publications at the US Workers’ and Elders’ Conference in Cedar Falls, Iowa, October 12-14. Pray for good contacts, book sales, and safety in travel.

**Wed. 13** From Mark: *“Praise the Lord for the opportunity to send 12,247 books to Operation Mobilization Ships to be used in the ministry of Logos Hope. Pray that these books would be widely used around the world.”*

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**Thurs. 14** Pray for delivery confirmation to be received for orders in transit. Pray that the Lord's hand would make the path straight for these shipments.

**Fri. 15** Pray that the Lord would see fit to guide many to the EPI website and that it will prove a blessing to many more in the future.

**Sat. 16** Pray for much wisdom for Sara in reviewing new test booklets for clarity of the questions and for conformity to Everyday English as well as in preparing an expanded answer key to go with each test booklet.

**Sun. 17** From David and Ruth Ann Rodgers (Chile): "...*there has been extra demand for evangelistic titles. We are very appreciative of this ministry, and the blessing that the books are. May the Lord bless you with health and resources to be able to continue.*"

**Mon. 18** Pray for Executive Director Mark Beach as he carries primary responsibility for the overall operation of Everyday Publications. Pray that the Lord may lead in the many decisions, great and small, which he must make.

**Tues. 19** Pray that Production Manager Harold MacDougall would have wisdom as he continues to coordinate volunteers, keep the inventory current, and keep the printers running.

**Wed. 20** Pray that assembly-commended missionaries who are eligible to receive EPI books as a donation may have liberty to request those they can use in their ministries, and that we may be able to supply the titles they need in the quantities they can use.

**Thurs. 21** Pray that the Lord may grant a smooth workflow for projects requiring the work of different people at various stages in the project.

**Fri. 22** Pray that all involved in the work of EPI will be faithful stewards of finances, equipment, and health as well as gifts and abilities. Pray that all will be done for God's glory and the furtherance of His kingdom.

**Sat. 23** Thank the Lord for the 23,464 books that have been sold so far this fiscal year in North America. Praise the Lord for the influence EPI books can have here at home.

**Sun. 24** From Marjorie Beckwith (Angola – refocused): "*The folks in Luau and Saurimo, [Angola], were overjoyed with David Long's book on the Kingdom Parables. We had 650 that were not damaged sent to that part of the country where David had worked. Only a few of the books in the wet boxes were salvaged, so we may need another lot printed*" (PED June 4).

**Mon. 25** Pray today for the children and grandchildren of EPI staff, directors, and volunteers. Pray for their protection from the deceptions and attractions of this world. Pray that the Lord would have first place in their lives.

**Tues. 26** Pray for alertness and attention to detail in the daily work of all at EPI. Pray that if mistakes are made they will be caught quickly, minimizing loss of time and extra work.

**Wed. 27** From Gertrud: "*It's a privilege and joy to continue with the translation of William MacDonald's **Believer's Bible Commentary (NT)** and be spiritually fed myself. Pray for wisdom to pick out the right words to convey the proper meaning for the passage. I am now beginning the translation of the commentary on Acts. Painful fingers and shoulder continue to hinder.*"

**Thurs. 28** "*As the deer pants for the water brooks, so pants my soul for You, O God. My soul thirsts for God, for the living God,*" Ps. 42:1,2a NKJV. Ask the Lord to cultivate this attitude in us so that those we serve and with whom we serve may be truly blessed.

**Fri. 29** Pray for a shipment of Swahili Bibles and books in transit to Ruth Willenbrecht in DR Congo. Pray that the Lord's hand would be on the shipment and that each Bible or book would find its way to the very person the Lord intends.

**Sat. 30** Pray that each edition of *Impressions* may be a blessing to those who receive this overview of recent publications and of encouragements and blessings in the work.

**Sun. 31** Praise the Lord for the total of 73,960 books sent out from EPI as of the end of July. This represents a lot of time, effort, and cost, so we look to the Lord for Him to complete the work only He can do.