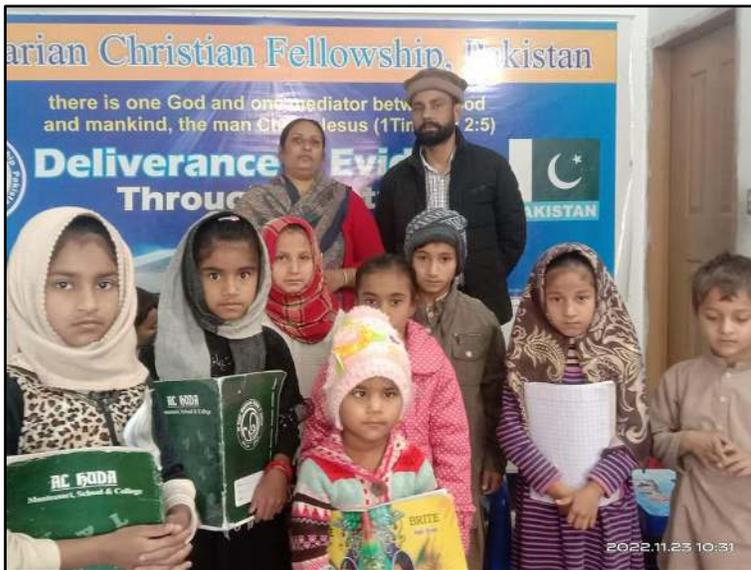




Kingdom Newsletter

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Pakistan School Ministry



The Pakistan school year will be starting in January and the children once again need workbooks and books. Sarah has taken over Maryam's senior teaching role since Maryam went to the UK for work. The pastors also help in the classroom as they can.

There are about 40 students that are put into two different classes due to space. They need approximately \$130 for each child's schoolbooks. We still need to fund about 21 students. Please consider what you or your church can do.

This school gives an education to children who cannot afford to go to school, and to many girls who would never get an education or learn to read. Many learn the Bible as well.

Please continue to pray for the pastors and evangelism team. They are working hard and adjusting to Haroon and Mayam being in the UK. Haroon continues to work with the pastors and leaders and support them spiritually.

You can [donate here](#) for the children's books.

(100% of all donations received goes to the school needs.)

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Another New Brother!

We welcome another brother, Alisher from Uzbekistan, to the family! Maksim met Alisher three years ago on his social media group (that has over 98 thousand members!) Alisher made a post trying to win others to his faith and Maksim reached out to him to find out more about the cult he was in. The two men spoke and exchanged their beliefs and went on their way.

Six months ago, Alisher got in touch with Maksim and said he left the cult and when he did, he remembered what Maksim had shared and thought it made a lot of sense. (So be encouraged! Plant the Kingdom seed, even if it takes three years to germinate!)

Maksim spent the last six months talking with Alisher and discipling him. We rejoice with Maksim and Alisher in his choice to repent and follow Christ.

Brother Mohammed from Tajikistan went to baptize him since Maksim cannot go there. Please pray for them because both are Muslim countries.



The cult he left was a combination of Islam and Christianity and he experienced abuse. Please pray for God to heal the psychological damage done to our dear brother.

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Russia 2022 in Review



With all the problems Maksim has endured over the last years, he prayed that God would encourage him in 2022 and confirm the Kingdom work he was doing.

Even with all the turmoil since the pandemic, and now with all that is happening in the world, Father has showed his faithfulness and has brought a harvest in and around Russia. Maksim has been busier than ever planting seeds and discipling the many whose soil has been receptive. Even though sometimes it can be a long process, he has experienced such joy in his labor.

Maksim says that he feels like a doctor for spiritual health. He rejoices that he can serve with his whole life because then he is available every minute to use as needed for the brethren and the ministry.

The other day when he was ministering in the hospital, he ran into his 3rd cousin. He has not seen any of his relatives since leaving behind a successful career in law almost 10 years ago, and putting his hand to the Kingdom plow. His cousin said some very demeaning and awful things to him, reminding him what a fool he was; but Maksim had peace and just replied that he was very happy doing what he was doing.

Maksim is overjoyed that this year has been blessed by God and

that we have 9 new brothers and sisters.

Over the past 8 years he has baptized over 50 people and the Russian-speaking church that is scattered in 9 different countries, continues to grow.

Maksim continues his work in the hospital, children's home, and with a little brother, and he is constantly on the phone or online patiently talking with those who are seeking truth, encouraging and strengthening the brethren.

Please continue to pray for his health in 2023, and for wisdom when ministering, especially with everything that is going on around him. Pray that God would encourage him as He often has with your faithful prayers and thoughts. Maksim thanks each person for the role they play in this great Kingdom work.

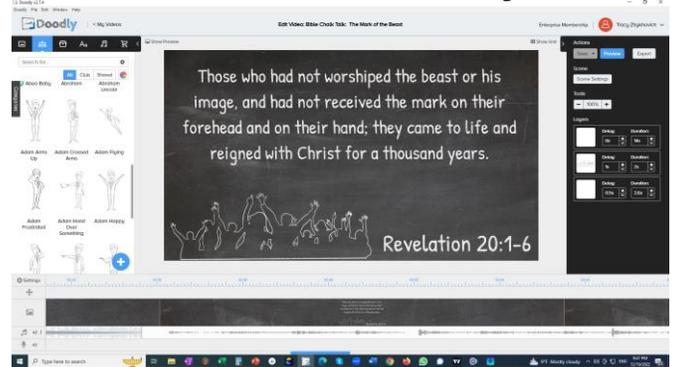
When we were talking today, he said, "This all started when God put Russia on your heart and you followed His leading to go to Russia." That was very humbling and it made me think back to where I was standing when God first put that thought in my mind, even before He called me to serve there. It seems like yesterday.

It has been a long hard road for us both, but we rejoice in seeing the fruit of our labor and how the Almighty God and His human Messiah are changing lives and how people are embracing the great Kingdom hope Jesus promised.

Please consider a year-end [donation](#) to the 2023 work. There is a great need. If you feel motivated by God to give, please ask Him how much. We are trusting that He will speak to His people for this need.

To God be the glory!

Video Ministry

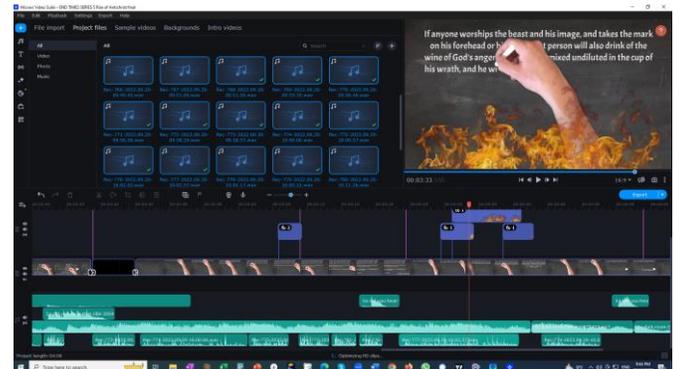


I have had people ask about how I make videos and how long it takes. Great question! It can be a day or two, or several weeks.

It really depends on the video, but they all start with a script (research, if necessary, like with the Jehovah's Witness ones) and then finding or creating images or video clips (which take a considerable amount of time!)

If I am doing a *Bible Chalk Talk* video, creation starts with the above program creating the scenes. I have several other programs I can create different animation as well, depending on the video.

When that is finished, I bring it into my video editor (below) and upload other graphics and overlays (more time searching or creating), and add other text if necessary while editing the video.



I also add an intro that I created in another program, and lastly, I add voiceover, music, and sound effects.

After I save it and upload to YouTube. I then create a thumbnail for YouTube and write the description, key words, and other info before publishing it live.

If it is not an animated one, like the *Simple Bible Truth* videos, then I shoot the video, edit it, add any text or graphics and finish as above. Often the videos have both live and animated features. I enjoy it, and God seems to be using them to bless others, praise the Lord!



It is so encouraging to hear Christian brothers and sisters are living to serve God with their lives. I'm blessed to live in the same country as David and Marlene and looking forward to meeting them soon. Thank you for sharing. Thank you, Tracy, for your work joining the scattered brothers and sisters through your gift on the internet. (YouTube Missions Conference [Video](#))

Thank you, Tracy, for a good lesson. Most people are completely ignorant of these facts. (Sunday Youth [Video](#), Incarnation, What is It?)

I came across your you tube channel and been following you for a while now. I watched the "Who are the Anointed?" [video](#) last night and am very interested in learning and unlearning what I was taught. Every day is a process. Watching other women talk about this and their experience has brought much comfort. I cried when the sister Pat I believe said from scripture we die and go to sleep and not heaven. I never wanted to go to heaven I want to live on earth LOL. Oh, and that we are ALL anointed, wow!!! (Email from an Ex-JW)

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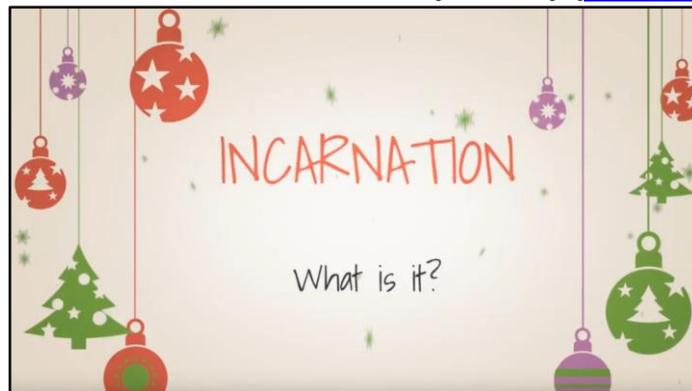
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