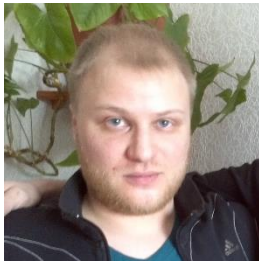


Greetings in Jesus' name!

There are so many exciting things happening in the world of evangelism and missions! If you haven't heard, there is a college professor in Israel, Bill Schlegel, (from Minnesota!) who came to understand who God and Jesus really are and as a result, he lost his job. He will be at the Theological Conference May 3-6, in Atlanta. There have been several [interviews](#) with him and he has a fantastic teaching on the [son of God](#)! You might want to consider watching it for a Sunday School class or Bible study! Follow the links here or you can also find it at: <http://kogmissions.com/podcasts>



Stories like this are so inspiring to hear! It is amazing what the love of truth will empower us to do! Please pray for Professor Bill and his family as they decide where they should be and what they should be doing. As Abrahamic Faith people, this is even more exciting! Maybe they will reach a remnant of Israel with the truth about God's Messiah, His Anointed One. Pray for wisdom and how we might help!



Please also pray for Pastor Maksim. These past few months have been very hard on him. In addition to all the work he usually does, he has been spending hours on the phone every night encouraging and strengthening several of the brethren in the faith as they are dealing with severe health issues.

Sister Ludmilla in Kazakhstan has been in the hospital and is not expected to live much longer, but she said she is at peace and very thankful that God extended her life so that she had time to hear about the hope of the kingdom and respond to it. Her daughter Alissa was living in Russia and after repenting and being baptized she returned home to Kazakhstan to live with her mother and help her since she was getting older. Her heart also longed for her mother to receive the good news and the hope that she had. With Maksim's help she was able to expose her mother to the truths of Scriptures and she was blessed to baptize her mother before her health deteriorated. Please pray for strength and peace for both of these sisters.

Brother Uli made it through another round of cancer treatment and is now home recovering again. Maksim hopes to be able to go visit him in May since Uli really wanted to see him again. This trip far into Siberia (plane and then helicopter) will cost \$900. If you are able to contribute towards these travels, all involved would appreciate it. Uli really wants Maksim to be able to share more with his daughter and mother-in-law as well.

Maksim shared that he is so blessed to be able to be serving God in the ways that he does, but he still gets tired and worn out physically, mentally and emotionally. April has been a tough month and he said that he was very weary. He said he felt as though he had a big metal chain around him and that he was pulling a train car. It has been a very emotional month ministering to these dear brethren and caring for them long distance. He said he feels when Satan attacks that he wants to crawl up into the Father's arms.

I am blessed to be used by God to minister to His servant Maksim and encourage him to keep fighting the good fight. Please pray for him and that God would continue to strengthen him and fill him with His spirit in a mighty way! Also, praise God that we got the website backup protection in place just in time

since it was hacked again. This time the provider got it back up and running right away and nothing was lost! A big thanks to anyone who donated toward that important need!



Lord's Harvest International has two mission trips planned for this summer. Amber Cain is leading a team to Peru and Joe and Rebekah Martin are leading a small team to Kenya, Malawi and Mozambique later this spring. Our brethren in Kenya are building a headquarters where they can all meet when the different regions gather for conferences, and for pastoral training. The vision is for a Bible college to operate out of it too, and for

teachers and mission teams to be able to stay there when visiting. This is quite expensive and even though they have about half raised, there is still a considerable portion needed. Please consider how you or your church might be able to contribute.

Please continue to pray for Majo from India (living in Oman now for work.) He continues to share his faith and the hope of the kingdom on the earth when Jesus returns every time he sees a chance. Pray for favor as he works there, and please pray for him as he learns to drive. His biggest prayer requests are for the people who have seen his kingdom videos and for those to whom he has given translations of *What Happens When We Die*. Pray for open hearts and minds and that they would turn to the One True God and His son Jesus.



The Theological Conference will be taking place in Atlanta May 3–6. This is an exciting conference where you can meet many people who love the truth they have found. Attendees come from around the world and around the country. If you are not able to attend this year, I would highly encourage you to try for next year! You will be inspired and encouraged hearing all the faith stories and will grow in your faith as well. I am blessed to be able to attend this year and I will share more next month.

Thank you for each prayer you offer and each penny you sacrifice to empower God's servants around the world to be able to plant and water kingdom seeds. Your prayers and financial help makes their work possible! Thank you for being a part of the global team reaching the lost and encouraging the brethren!

To God be the glory!

Committed to kingdom service,

Tracy Zhykhovich

MN Mission President

April, 2018

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Please specify if the donation is for the **Kenya headquarters** or **Maksim's travel** to see brother Uli.  
**Thank you!!!**