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Another New Sister in Kazakhstan & a New Brother from Uzbekistan



Pastor Maksim, Sister Polina, & Sister Olga

In October Pastor Maksim traveled five days on a train to Vladivostok to baptize brother Ibragim. Ibragim is one of five men left from a church in Uzbekistan where the pastor left and the church disbanded. They have all been very cautious because of being misled once. Brother Ibragim came to Russia to work so Maksim was able to spend about a week with him after baptizing him. He is 52 and has embraced the truths of Scripture and rejoices in his new faith.

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He has been working with the five men for several years now and rejoices in his new brother. He saw one of the other men when he was in Kazakhstan. Please pray for the four men as they continue to study. Pray that they would see that they can trust Maksim and not worry about being lied to a second time.

not ask for a photo.

After a five-day train ride back to Omsk, Maksim traveled about ten hours by a small bus to Kazakhstan and then 5 more hours on a bus to



Because Ibragim is from a the city where he met up with sister Olga and Muslim country Maksim did Polina.

Maksim met sister Olga on an ex-JW chat forum a few years ago and after she was baptized, she shared these wonderful truths with Polina who was a former sister in her Kingdom Hall. She put her in touch with Maksim and after studying together for about a year, Polina told Maksim that she was ready to repent and be baptized.

Maksim spent five days with them and then headed back home.

Please pray for our new sister and brother as they continue to grow in their faith and pray for all the other people Maksim is talking to and studying with. May God's Kingdom hope continue to be preached throughout the Russian-speaking world!



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2023 KOG Missions Conference -Online

JOIN US November 9-11 ONLINE for the Saturday – 11th 6th Annual KOG Missions Conference.

This year's theme is "Finishing the Task." God has given each one of us a task to do and we only have this life now to finish it.

When we think of missions, we must remember Jesus' mission in Luke 4:43. He was sent on a mission to tell people about God's coming Kingdom that will one day conquer every present kingdom and be set up over all the earth.

God will have His King on the throne and His resurrected and immortal people governing alongside His chosen Messiah.

What greater hope do we have than to take this message to our families, neighbors, and the nations?

How has God prepared you to share with others? Has He called you to go, to give, or to pray?

Thursday – 9th - Session 1

7:00 pm – Opening (Tracy Z – Minnesota)

7:15 pm – **Anthony Buzzard** (Georgia) – Finishing the Task Strong & Without Compromise

8:15 pm – Clare McNaul (Canada) – "Love, Light and Lies: Discerning New Age Practices in the Christian Church"

Friday – 10th - Session 2

6 pm -Opening

6:15 pm – Dan Gill (Tennessee) - *Missions* to Calvinists

7:15 pm – Shelley Ward (Canada) -Testimony & Missions to JWs

8:15 pm – Joe Martin (Arizona) - Africa Missions

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Session 3

8:45 am opening

9 am – Welcome (Special Guest)

10 am – David Dav (India)

11 am – Carla Baixeras (Florida) - Missions to Women Who had Abortions

Session 4

1 PM – Opening

1:15 pm – PANEL (Laureen, Carlos, & Robin): Missions to our Evangelical & Catholic Friends

2:30 pm – **Robin Todd** (Washington) – Missions to the Scattered Brethren

3 pm – Ken LaPrade (Texas) - Missions to Ex-Way International

4 pm – Haroon & Maryam (Pakistan/England)

Session 5

6:30 – Opening

7 pm – Laureen (Lori Jane) (Florida) -Missions to Ex-JWs

8 pm – Carlos Xavier (Georgia) – *The* Millennial Reign: First Stage of the Kingdom

9-9:30 Closing with Tracy Z



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Mission Fields

Many people think that a mission field must be one overseas. In reality, we must think of all people who have never heard the good news of the coming Kingdom of God, and the need to repent (not only of sins, but of disbelief or misbelief) because God's King and Kingdom is coming soon!

We all know that Muslims, Hindus, and Atheists must have the chance to hear this Gospel message, but unfortunately, many people and churches neglect sharing the hope Jesus proclaimed and died for to those in a neighboring church.

The trinitarian mission field is a big field! There are Catholics, Lutherans, Baptists, Oneness Pentecostals, Calvinists, Methodists. Hebrew Roots. Jehovah's Witnesses, Mormons, and many more churches and people who have never heard about the coming Kingdom or the Human Messiah Jesus.

It is not just about the One God - even the demons believe in the one God and shudder, and we know that they will not be saved.

We must be diligent and not compromise or leave out pieces of Jesus' teaching. We must preach the full Gospel! It isn't about numbers or "growing." It is about being faithful with all of what we have been given. We must sow the seed that has been provided. Don't let Jesus find your seed bag tied up or half full when he returns.



Your youth lesson today – brilliant and bold! Wonderful. Stats beyond disturbing – parents take note! ("The Birds & The Bees and Pornography" – Youth Lesson)

Thank you, Tracy. I appreciate your words of wisdom and comfort. We must keep our focus on the Kingdom gospel and the Truth that our Messiah Jesus taught! May His Kingdom come! (YT- "Israel & Palestine – What's Next?")

If the congregations in church believe the taught doctrines without checking their own bibles to determine if they are true, then it is dangerous territory indeed to believe those teachings just because of the respect of the minister. Whose salvation is at stake... the pastor's? We must be accountable and walk away if biblical truth is being compromised. I am blessed beyond words to be welcomed into the online ladies Bible study and discussion that Tracy mentioned. God's love, light, and discipline is authentic even in this setting. (YT – "The Deceived & the Deceiving Church")

Women's Bible Studies



Tuesdays 7:00 PM *UK time* (2 PM EST) Wednesdays 8:30 PM EST

Email me for Zoom Link or more information: tracy@kogmissions.com

Men's & Women's Bible Study

Sundays, 7:00 PM EST

"Disciples in Training"

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