

## Celebrating Disciple-making Around the World!

It is a great joy when we get requests for **Certificates of Completion** from around the world. They are a tangible way we can join disciples and disciple-makers in the celebration of finishing a quarter (13 lessons) of discipleship journeys.

Some have learned to be creative: meeting online, in parks, and other contexts where social distancing could be practiced during the pandemic.

**DJJ Ambassador David Ngwa in Cameroon** shared, "I will be pastoring another Church in a different City by mid-June, but thank God, three Elders who have caught the DJJ Vision - and are helping to teach Journeys lessons - have consented to continue teaching the lessons."

**Carolyn Williams's group in the USA** participated in Gamma-testing the New Testament Quarter 4 lessons over Zoom. This group helped us edit the lesson content, thus allowing them to be released on the website.

**Gladys Bett in Kenya** attended the Partnership Training Event held online in December 2020. After the training, she decided to start one discipleship group with three young ladies and another with some young people. Notice some wearing graduation gowns when they received their certificates.

As you partner with DJJ, you are part of each of these graduates and the celebrations. Of course, we always remember the real goal is discipleship. Each of these certificates represents growth in fulfilling Jesus' command to "Make Disciples!"



**Pictures from top to bottom:**

1. New Testament Q1-David Ngwa-Cameroon-The Apostolic Church
2. NT Q4-Carolyn Williams-USA-New Song Community Church
3. NT Q1-Gladys Bett-Kenya

**Making Discipleship Doable,**

*Mark Alan Williams*

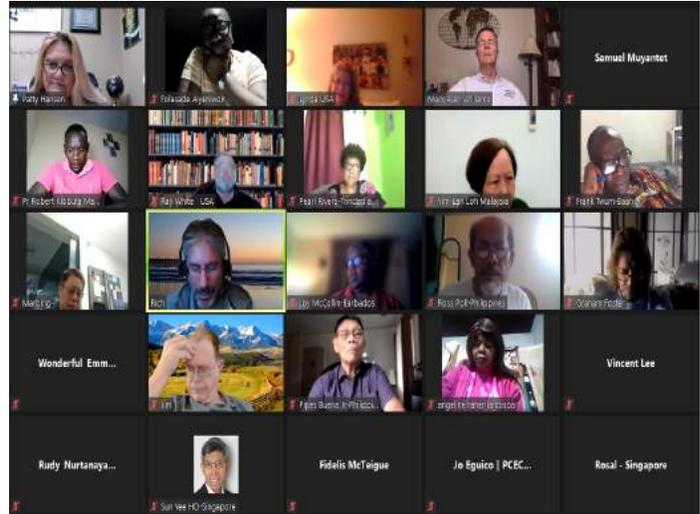
**Dr. Mark Alan Williams  
Founder and President**

## Partnership Training Update

On June 2 we finished another online 3-week Partnership Training led by Headquarters with Dr. Mark hosting.

**Over 30 people from 15 countries attended** each week! Praise God!

Partnership Trainings are an excellent way to understand the heart and mission of DJJ, sample the discipleship journeys, get to know leaders from around the world, discover how to overcome discipleship landmines, and learn how to start a discipleship movement.



Prayer Time at the End of Training

**If you are interested in attending an online Partnership Training, the next one will be on July 20 and 27, 7-11 AM Pacific Daylight Time. Look for registration information in an email soon!**

## Partnership Team Prayers

1. **Thank God for the current team around the world who are mentoring and discipling.**
2. Pray for God to bring an Administrative Staffer who can work from Headquarters to assist with the team's growing needs.
3. **Thank God for the Partnership Training Materials revision (version 5) that will be translated into Swahili, Ateso, Luganda, Spanish, and Portuguese starting in July.**
4. Pray for many more to be added to the Partnership Staff Team as Ambassadors and in other roles..
5. **Thank God for the Ambassadors who helped to train the Headquarter Partnership Training online in May and June: John Forde (Barbados), Jim Carpenter (USA), Vincent Lee, and Sun-Yee Ho (Singapore).**
6. Pray that those going through the discipleship journeys will complete each quarter and ask for their certificates.

## DJJ Ambassadors Worldwide

- Barbados:** John Forde
- Brazil:** Jason Resende (Also, Latin America Representative)
- Cameroon:** Bishop David Ngwa
- Kenya:** Kennedy Chenge Karanja (Also, Kenya Regional Coordinator), Hudson Bande
- Liberia:** David Gbalee (Also, Liberia Regional Coordinator), Morris Nuah, Wilmot Bulu, S. Barlu Goe
- Singapore:** Sun-Yee Ho, Vincent Lee
- Uganda:** Godfrey Kakembo (Also, Uganda Regional Coordinator), Charles Peter Okiror, Jeremiah Isingoma, Paul Mata, Jovia Kabagho, Darrius Bwambale, Baguma Shahuka
- USA:** Jim Carpenter, Graham Foster, Lynda White

## Materials Department Update

Recently one of our Ambassadors sent the DJJ lessons for review by Trinity Theological College in Singapore and received resounding approval from one of the professors.

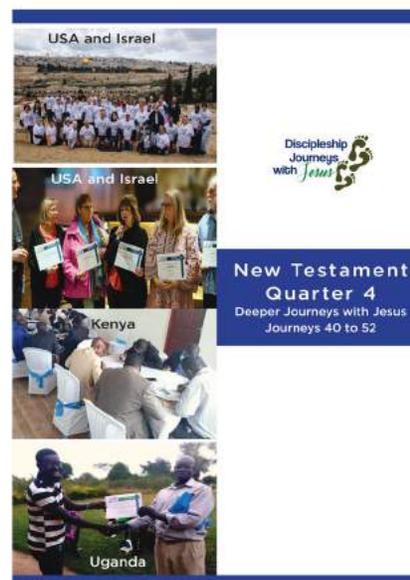
### A few disciples have shared the following about the lessons as well:

"An excellent study for 'new' Christians and also worthy for 'old' Christians - always to be reminded of why we have faith in Jesus Christ, God, Holy Spirit. I loved the video clips before and after each study. Also, his explanation of why Jesus said "the gates of Hades will not prevail against it" - the locals believed that area was the gateway to Hades - etc. I did not know this before this lesson. I loved the flow of the study, and all the Scriptures used." -**Josephine-USA**

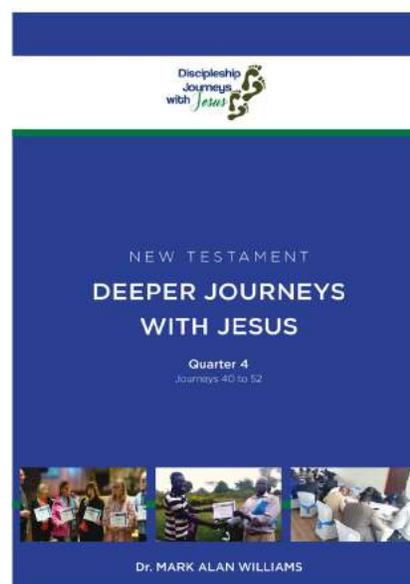
"DJJ is giving me the push and boldness I need to share Jesus with others. Through the journey lessons. God is confirming His purpose for me in serving Him. Never before in my 45+ years as a follower of Jesus have I been more committed. I was touched anew by Jesus' baptism in the Jordan River when His heavenly Father "introduces" Jesus in the Presence of the Holy Spirit. Journey 13 rekindled a spark of awe as Jesus ascended into heaven; hope for us all!" -**Barbara-USA**

"I am just amazed at the deep level of understanding using the DJJ Journeys. Students are coming to know Jesus on a level they never have before. They are praying with confidence now and asking real questions. The studies are simple but real. Jesus is becoming real to them as they engage with Him through the studies."-**Bronwen-Barbados**

**If you have yet to download the lessons, why not do so today? [djjministry.org](http://djjministry.org)**



**English New Testament Quarter 4 is now available to download as a PDF or an eBook!**



### TRANSLATIONS UPDATE

#### Materials and languages currently being translated:

New Testament Quarter 1: Tamil, Tagalog, and Guarani

New Testament Quarter 2: Chinese, Ateso, Lusoga, Portuguese, Spanish, Runyakitara, Swahili, Luganda, and Chichewa

#### Translations in the review or design phase:

New Testament Quarter 1: Oriya, Swahili, Telugu, Burmese, Urdu

New Testament Quarter 2: Russian and Luganda

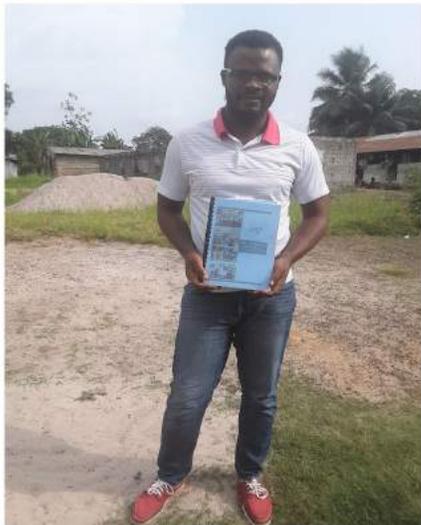
#### Translations we are praying to find translators:

New Testament Quarter 1: Arabic, Vietnamese, and Kpelle

## Testimony of the Month

### Testimonies of lives changed through DJJ discipleship

**Disciple's name:** Brother Mark Bango  
**Disciple-Maker:** Pastor Isaac K. Simpson  
**Church:** City of Light Church Church  
**City/Country:** Kakata City, Liberia



**Brother Mark Bango**  
**City of Light Church**  
**Kakata City, Liberia**

My name is Mark Bango. I am very thankful to God for leading me to His kingdom purpose. Before I met DJJ I was an alcoholic. One day, I got very drunk and was trying to go home, but fortunately, the Lord made me helpless near the City of Light Church in Sugar Hill Community, Kakata city, Liberia. At that hour they were conducting their disciple making class.

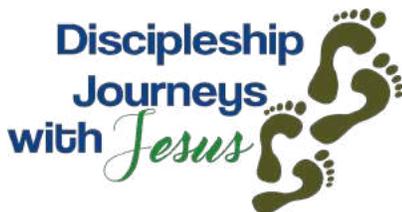
Something happened to me that day. I cannot understand, but the influence of the alcohol left me. I was too weak to move, but I could hear and understand. I listened to their discussion in the church. I became interested and called the church and one of DJJ class members came to see me.

In the class they were teaching about the death of Jesus on the Cross. The topic: Jesus' Journey to the Cross and the way Pastor Isaac Simpson explained that topic really troubled my heart, but I did not decide there, but went home and was meditating on the teaching I had just heard. My mind continued to be troubled throughout the night.

Early in the morning, I went to the church to ask Pastor Simpson to help me but before I got there he was gone to work. I followed him and explained to him and he told me to give my life to Christ and helped me. I accepted Christ Jesus as my Lord and personal Savior. I started studying with the DJJ class and today I am a full member of City of Light Church and practicing as a soul winner.

It is a great joy to celebrate the lives transformed due to the DJJ lessons! If you have a testimony to share, please use the "Share Your Story" button on the About Us/Stories Around the World webpage. Please include a picture, preferably holding the DJJ lessons or your Certificate of Completion.

**We may feature your testimony next!**



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