

Into Thy Word Ministries 2016 Year End Report....



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"Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
Matthew 4:18-19



As we come to the close of 2016, we, the board and staff of *Into Thy Word Ministries*, end our year with gratitude and indebtedness to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for the incredible work He has enabled us to.

Our LORD has used us exceedingly in the areas of Pastor Training, Discipleship, Church Planting, Research, Conferences, Web Ministry and Curriculum Development. Our Lord has also used us for Starting and Rebuilding Healthier Churches that glorify our LORD.

We were able to continue on in this ministry because of your partnership, as our Lord has used us to be an impact to LOVE, lead, offer, value and equip as we train thousands of church leaders worldwide. He has provided for the transformational encounters with the true Truth of God's Word.
Thank-you!

By your partnership, the ministry is bountiful, by Christ's grace, empowerment and call...

By the means of 'traditional missions' (serving this way since 1978):

- We equipped a myriad of Bible students and pastors with our Leadership, Sermon and Bible Study resources.
- We are training over 20,000 pastors in over 80 countries and enabled us to help them to plant hundreds of churches.
- We held over 6 pastor's conferences in crucial areas in the world, like Thailand and S/C Asia. And we have more in development for 2017!
- We held two pastor's conferences in the USA with over 1,800 pastors in attendance, gaining critical impacting information with our ministry partners.
- We conducted and published a major two year, post-doctoral level research project on the personal lives of pastors with the Schaeffer Institute.
- We participated in many other major conferences like *CMTA*, connecting with over 2,500 pastors and church leaders at workshops and conferences.
- We provided the essential training materials to over 100,000 pastors worldwide through other partnered ministries!
- We hosted over 2,000 pastors overseas in the harshest of circumstances in our partner training centers.
- We held over a dozen seminars on Inductive Bible Study and Church Leadership Development.
- Our people spoke at many conferences and pastor's gatherings around the world.
- We published over 50 new Biblical resources and in-depth Bible Studies that equip and serve thousands of churches worldwide.



- We continued our partnerships with dozens of ministries, like Olive Tree, iDisciple, Trochia and Discipleship Tools, and many others, helping them with devotions, research, curriculum development and discipleship training.
- We provided content for www.idisciple.com and are developing a new devotional smart AP and a Bible AP.
- We consulted scores of churches to help them overcome severe obstacles.
- We collected and gave away hundreds of Bibles, books and needed resources to pastors and church leaders around the world.

By cyber means of internet and social media (serving since 1989):

- We completely rebuilt our churchleadership.org site, making it up to date, and dynamic with several new channels of quality content.
- We have over 35,000+ unique visitors to our websites and blogs each day.
- We have over 250,000 connections in social media through our 'secret' Facebook groups and 'open' fan pages and other groups who use our materials! Where we instruct, inspire and equip. Our resources are also used by other ministries that we can't tally.
- We have over 15,000 pastors on our *Ezine* Newsletter that we send out bimonthly!
- We held scores of mini online cyber meetings and with over 25,000 connections.
- We had over 6,4547,000 unique users and millions of more page hits; who came to our websites, not including our bogs in 2016!
- Our online ministry is in the top 10 Christian ministries in the world!
- **We are big on real impacting ministry, small in administration.**

The ministry continues well, we want to give you all of the stories and details, but due to the areas we serve and the people we work with, that is just not safe for us or our people. Giving is always a challenge in missions, as it is with most ministries... Yet, we persisted. We have 8 passionately dedicated board members, over 200 people who support us, 2,500 people who wholeheartedly work with us, and even more planned for 2017!

We extend our deepest appreciation to all of you who prayed and supported us through the year!

Please continue to pray that God will increase our impact on pastors worldwide, helping them better know the precepts of the Bible to better engage their church and community for God's glory!

We can't do this vital Ministry without you! Please help us grow!

Please consider a monthly donation to *Into Thy Word*. Go to any of our websites with your credit card to our PayPal account. Or mail your donation by check made payable to *Into Thy Word*, 129 South Lotus Ave. Pasadena, CA 91107.



Our Purpose is to point to the Supremacy and Centrality of Christ, and with your partnership we can expand God's Kingdom by becoming and developing wholeheartedly, fully-engaged followers of Jesus Christ. If you want to help support us in these endeavors and our pastoral training overseas, then please let us know.

Please remember us in prayer!

