

Project REDEMPTION

'Sharing hope in the French Speaking World'

To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins, and inheritance among them which are sanctified by faith that is in me. Acts 26: 18

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Dear Friends,

The French program at the Independent Board of Jewish Missions in Hixson, Tennessee was very fruitful and I praise the Lord that I was a part of it! It's goal is to help short term missionaries to be more productive during their time on the field and to give long term missionaries a jump start on their language training.

In addition to preparing the lunch meals for all of the students and program staff., my role is to be a dorm mother to the students who are staying on the premises, helping with homework and having conversations in French. At lunch only French is allowed so were able to observe the progress of each of the students throughout the six-week program. It was great to see them give God the glory for helping them in such a challenging endeavor.

One of the things that I enjoyed was listening to the students try to tell stories with their limited vocabulary and how happy they were when they finally got it out. It was harder for some than for others but they all seemed to be giving their best effort for the sake of lost souls. Each one learned to present the Gospel and to give his/her own testimony in French.

One of the missionaries in this session will be going to Larodde, France for the next 2 years to learn the language and culture before going to Marseilles to work with a French Missionary/Pastor in an effort to reach the large Jewish population in that area. I am looking forward to seeing what he accomplishes for the Lord Jesus Christ in his service with the French people.

The other students include a family and two single ladies who are all going to Togo for various ministries.. Two of the ladies are nurses and are going to work in a christian hospital. Another is going to be a teacher. The man will be setting up and operating a radio station. It's a joy to be a part of helping these missionaries on their way to the field,

Thank you all for your prayers and support!

In His service,

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