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December, 2018, Prayer Letter

Dear Fellow Helpers in the Lord,

Christmas is a special time to celebrate the birth of our Lord and Saviour and to spend time with family and loved ones.

Freda and I would like to wish each of you a very merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. (Luke 2: 1-14)



René and Freda Freret

BIBLE DAY: Sunday, January 6, 2019

For many years we have encouraged churches to set aside the first Sunday of each year as **Bible Day**. This is a good Sunday to challenge church members to start reading through the Bible. The BEAMS ministry has **Bible Reading Charts** available that we can supply to churches free of charge. These charts have every chapter of the Old Testament and New Testament. To order some charts, please call Suzanne at 228-832-1096.

Bible Offering Day: Sunday, February 3, 2019

For over 20 years, the first Sunday in February has been designated as **Bible Offering Day**. On this Sunday, we are asking Churches to receive a special offering for a special project for Bibles. This year we are raising \$40,000.00 to supply 5,000 whole, hardback Burmese Bibles for Bro. Banfe, a missionary working in the country of Burma. Any amount given toward this need will be appreciated.

Help Needed to Mail Boxes of Bibles

One of our greatest needs at BEAMS is mailing boxes of Bibles to missionaries on the foreign fields. As many of you know, when we visit churches to give a report on BEAMS, we bring boxes of Bibles for church members to take to the post office and mail. In the past month, we have given out 225 boxes of Bibles. That is over 1,800 Bibles mailed to missionaries. If you would like for me or one of our BEAMS missionaries to bring some boxes of Bibles to your church for mailing, please call me at 228-324-4175.

BEAMS National Bible Conference: February 27-28, 2019

Thank You. Freda and I thank each of you so much for your prayers and faithful support.

Your Missionaries

René and Freda Freret