

January 15, 2024

Dear Friends of Higher Ground:

As we enter the New Year I am extremely grateful for all who support Higher Ground Bible Ministry through your prayers and offerings. 2023 has been one of our most successful years. We satisfied our goal of getting Higher Ground into all 148 of Kenya Federal Prisons. We were able to launch training for chaplain assistants into the country of Uganda. Thanks to Jefferson Gathu and his team for their planning and progress in achieving these goals. In addition, enrollments in HGBM village ministry tracks are at an all-time high, with close to 100 students presently enrolled. I would like to thank Sarah Kariuki for her work in overseeing this ministry. This year Higher Ground will be partnering with Rizty and Nenita Siroco who use HGBM courses in their Bible College curriculum in Tagaytay, Philippines. Jefferson is also collaborating with pastors in Tanzania to introduce Higher Ground curriculum into their federal prisons.

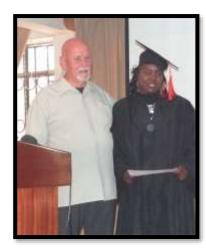
Thank you once again for your partnership in the gospel. None of this would be happening without your prayers and gifts. "I thank my God upon every remembrance of you...for your fellowship in the gospel..." (Philippians 1:3,5). God bless you for your love for Jesus and your commitment to reach people around the world with the Gospel.

Happy New Year to all of you.

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The Lord gave the word; great was the company of those who proclaimed it (Psalms 68:11).





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The growth of HGBM has created some financial needs in moving forward:

- (1) Due to the increased number of lessons being printed, Sarah Kariuki has recommended we purchase a copy machine which would reduce our printing costs. The purchase price is \$2600.00.
- (2) Sarah has also requested the rental of an office at a cost of \$300 per month. She has worked from her home from the beginning, but we have reached the point where an office would be beneficial.
- (3) We are planning a graduation ceremony for the recent graduates of Higher Ground. I am hoping to visit Kenya this year for the graduation. This would allow me to conduct a pastors' conference and a retreat for the prison chaplains and evangelists.

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