

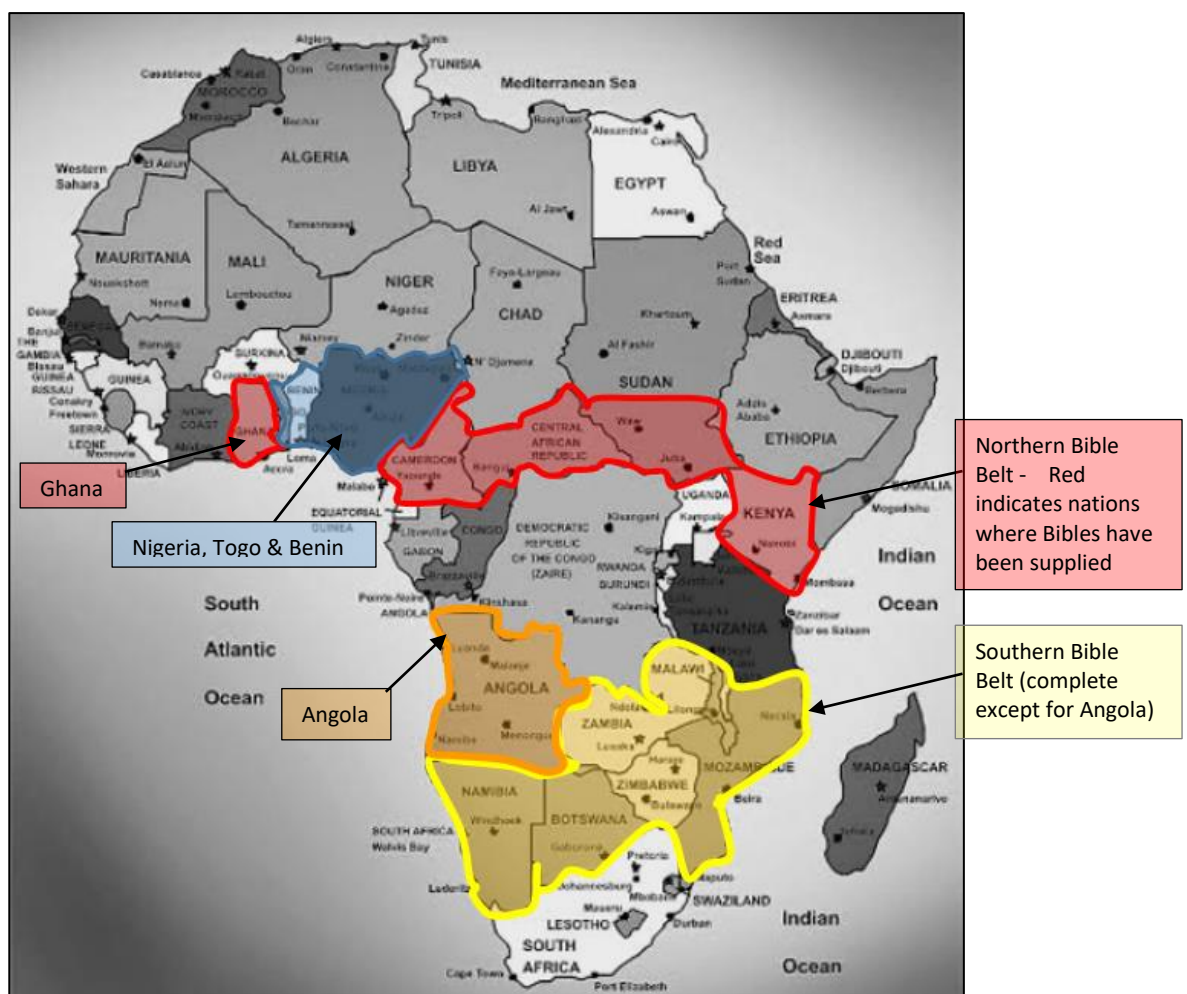
Our Vision statement:

“Every member of the African Security Forces honoured before God’s throne”

Dear Supporters,

Much has happened since the last newsletter of July 2020. The Bibles for the Ghana military grew from 18,000 to 20,000 and that container is now in the warehouses of the Bible Society in Ghana and ready for distribution to the military. The Ghana Bible Society took the initiative and increased the order by 2,000 Bibles at their cost.

Another 10,000 Bibles for Ghanaian military personnel have been paid for at a cost of US\$55,000. We are currently waiting for the Australian Bible Society to assign copyright to the Ghana Bible Society for a print run in Korea at the large Bible printing house in Seoul. This is our journey towards 70,000 to 80,000 Bibles for the Ghana military as we spend the next years building a northern Bible belt as per the following map. The map is presented to you again because it conveys our journey both in the past and in the months and years come.



Bibles for all Members of African Security Forces



The handover and unloading of 20,000 Bibles in Ghana at the end of 2020

Last time I spoke to you we had requests for 80,000 Bibles for Angola. Angola is shown on the left hand lower side of the map and is an extension of the southern Bible Belt. The Angolan project is being implemented in a different way from other projects. We have worked with the Angola Bible Society to write a submission to the United Bible Society (International Projects) in which Operation Africa will fund 50% of the project and the United Bible Society will fund the other 50%. We have made this initial project only 10,000 Bibles to prove the model and establish that the Bibles can be successfully distributed throughout the Angolan military. Please pray that the United Bible Society is prepared to partner with Operation Africa, because it makes the project twice as effective in terms of the number Bibles distributed. The Angola Bible Society leader is very excited by this project. She reports that it has given them “energy”.

If you were to look at the map above, you will see a small country called Malawi. Malawi is a very poor nation and our website (www.operationafrica.org) describes previous Bible projects. Malawi has been on the heart of the Operation Africa board for some years since meeting the head of that Bible Society in Sydney at an International Conference. He communicated the great need for Bibles and the desire for Operation Africa to work with him. In 2020, several organisations in Malawi approached Operation Africa to distribute Bibles to the military and so we made contact with the head of the Malawi Bible Society. Together we have put together a submission to the United Bible Society (International Projects) for 20,000 Bibles to be distributed between the police and the military in multiple languages. Please pray that this project is approved.

Once again, I do ask that you would consider talking to at least one person who may be willing to support Operation Africa. It is not difficult to become a supporter just go to our secure website at www.operationafrica.org.

Here at Operation Africa, the Board is praying for the Lord’s protection and blessings for you all at this challenging time, and once again we do thank you for your faithful support to get the precious Word of God out to hungry souls.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Roger Kahler'.

Roger Kahler – Chairman