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SPECIAL EDITION: TRANSLATION APPEAL

Translators of Antiquity and the Middle Ages worked under the protection of either the Church or the king. Putting quill to scroll to propagate ancient wisdom was considered a sacred task. Early translators such as Ulfila, Cyril and Methodius were actually missionary-evangelists charged with spreading the Gospel by making it accessible to other language groups. Translators usually worked in teams, and they would kneel before the king to present a completed manuscript. Many dedicated their lives to this holy calling; they translated because they had a mission.

The English Church has been abundantly blessed with written resources, and to a great degree, these are available to the Spanish community as well. But, the French Church desperately needs written resources.

Some time ago a French speaking lady approached Liane, shaken by a dream she had the previous evening. A table loaded with delicious food was spread

out before her and when she reached to take some, Liane stopped her and in French told her, "This is not for you; I'm sorry, but you can't have any yet." Immediately it came to Liane what that dream meant. Apostolic written materials are available in abundance in English but are almost non-existent in French. It is her burden to help change that. She is now a month away from receiving her Bachelor's degree in English to French translation and has recently put together a team of twelve volunteers: The King's Translators.

The team's advisory committee identified Sunday School materials as the most pressing need. Since January, the team has completed the translation of the first Kids Power Hour book, and have started on a second book. It's awesome to work with people who are passionate about what they are doing!

However, our second priority is reading materials for leadership and ministerial training. In order to give impetus to revival among the French, poten-

tial leaders and ministers need to have reading material in their mother tongue for crucial subjects such as doctrine, lifestyle and pastoring.

The scholarly nature of these types of books requires a different process and a different skill set. For the sake of coherence in a book, the ideal would be to have no more than two translators working on a book, and they need to be experienced. We have access to qualified apostolic full-time translators; all that is missing is the funding for the translation contracts.

We are looking for partners willing to invest in the French translation of books by our General Superintendent, David K. Bernard and other apostolic authors. If you are interested in supporting this great cause, please contact us. God bless you!

The King's Translators

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