

BERNARD AND RAWN'S BRIEFINGS

SERVING THE GREAT COMMISSION MOVEMENT OF NIGERIA

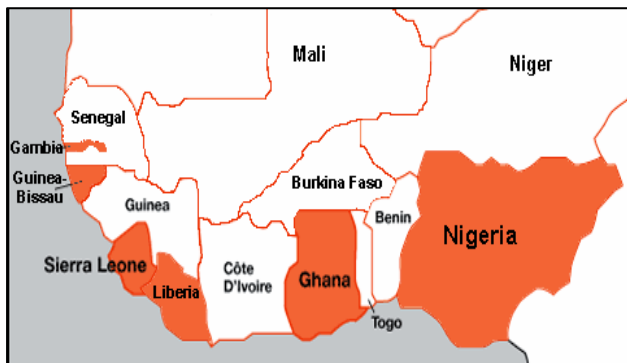
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HOPE WEST AFRICA

Dear Friend,

2005 marks Campus Crusade's 36th year of helping to fulfill the Great Commission through ministry in Nigeria. By dividing the country into seven regions, GCMN is reaching out to every part of Nigeria with the gospel. We have expanded our strategies to include ministry to athletes, police, military and professionals in the work place, and are witnessing many coming to a per-

sonal faith in Jesus Christ and growing in their faith.

In 2001, we launched a seven-year plan called *Destiny Nigeria 2007*, which has been the driving force behind our ministry operations in recent years. One part of this plan is a major evangelistic campaign called *"Hope West Africa"* aimed at offering people hope in the midst of chaos through the life-changing power of Jesus Christ.

PHASE 1 of this campaign involved a rural focus and took place from 2004 through the end of September, 2005. Thousands in the rural areas experienced new life through the ministry of the JESUS film in over 80 languages throughout Nigeria. Also, manpower was raised regionally through evangelism trainings and prayer mobilization. In our region, the Southeast, we focused particularly on the cities of Enugu, Calabar, and Onitsha for mobilization.



The first showing of Jesus in the Lokaa Language in Ugep, Cross River State, Nigeria.



The Enugu Hope West Africa Volunteer Staff at their graduation.

PHASE 2 started on **October 1** and will continue until **November 30, 2005**. We will focus on 60 major cities in West Africa, more than 40 of those being in Nigeria. Each of our regional ministries has plans to reach the cities in their region using various creative strategies including campus seminars, drama, HIV/AIDS awareness, bus evangelism, executive outreach dinners, market women and taxi driver outreaches, plus many more. In the southeast,

we are particularly reaching out to police and doing widespread video distribution with the JESUS film.

PHASE 3 will begin on December 1, 2005 and is known as "Reach the Rest". We are trusting God that the momentum built up during this campaign will continue going and we will work on giving every person in Southeastern Nigeria an opportunity to make a decision to live for Jesus Christ.

FULFILLING THE GREAT COMMISSION IN THIS GENERATION

HOPE WEST AFRICA CONTINUED

Partnership is the key as we seek to partner with many churches and Christian organizations who share our burden and vision to reach 35 million people for Christ. You are already partnering with us in this project, as ministry partners for and/or friends of Bernard and I. Bernard's role is particularly significant in this project as he is the Regional Coordinator for all ministry activities in the Southeastern Region of Nigeria—a region of 7 states with approximately 30 million people. You can become even more involved in the following ways:

Pray: Join us to pray for God's blessings on this campaign. See prayer requests on the back of this letter.

Give: Funds are being raised locally and internationally. Please let us know if you may be able to give a special gift to help make this campaign a success and we will give you the necessary details.

Personal involvement: By bringing a group for a short-term project during Phase 2 (Oct. 1-Nov. 30, 2005) you can experience first hand the move of God in West Africa. For more information please contact us by email.

In Christ's service,
Rawn

NOTE: RAWN IS IN THE US RIGHT NOW. CALL HER AT HER MOM'S HOUSE IN CA AT (562) 696-4229, OR ON HER CELL (973) 393-7172 OR E-MAIL RAWN.WOODLIEF@CCCI.ORG TO GET MORE INFO.

PRAISES AND PRAYERS

- Thank God for answering baby prayers: Baby Ugwuoke's "EDD" is November 2! (Call or e-mail for more personal news.)

HOPE WEST AFRICA REQUESTS

- Pray for the Regional Directors and those on the field in the "front lines" in the cities where the saturation campaign will actually be taking place. Pray for faith-stretching, yet realistic planning, foresight, strength and good team relationships.
- Pray for the National Director and those working with him at the country level – to give vision and good coordination to the plans from the various sites around the country.
- Pray for effective follow-up. HWA is not just an end in itself. Thank God for the many people who will be won to the Lord and pray that this campaign will lay a strong foundation for our objective of "building spiritual movements everywhere" as these converts are followed up and disciplined into strong, mature Christians.
- Pray against spiritual attack—the enemy will seek to distract us in many ways during this time.