



John and Jenn
SAMSON
serving DOOR International
Kenya

PRAISE

- Good news, we're now at 10% of our monthly support raising goal!
- Many of Jennifer's ISI donors have decided to continue supporting us.
- Many people have decided to support us without us even asking!

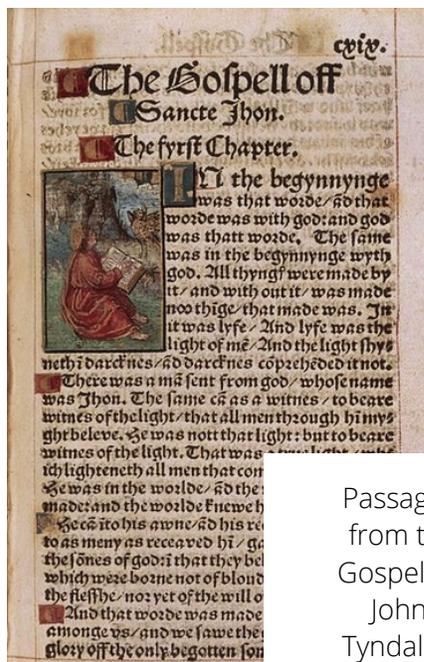
PRAYER

- We need God to continue to help us reach full financial support.
- John needs diligence to complete his Master's Thesis in Linguistics.
- Jennifer needs encouragement juggling interpreting, ISI, and raising support.

America would not exist without one man 500 years ago that you've likely never heard of: Humphrey Monmouth, a cloth merchant. Perhaps you have heard of William

THE MOST *important* MAN YOU'VE NEVER HEARD OF

Tyndale. He was the first man to translate the Bible into English from the original languages. His contributions were central to sparking the Protestant Reformation in England. However, Tyndale was a scholar and broke. He was unable to translate the Bible on his own. That's where Humphrey Monmouth comes in. It was Monmouth who used his finances to fund Tyndale's translation and used his merchant fleet to distribute the contraband Bibles. Without Monmouth, there would be no Tyndale Bible and therefore no King James Version.



Passages from the Gospel of John in Tyndale's Bible and the ASL Bible



The King James Version (KJV) is the most printed book in human history. The number of copies sold is estimated to be in the billions. But 80% of the KJV was simply a copy of William Tyndale's translation. The KJV is what the pilgrims used when they came to America seeking religious freedom. "It is found in George Washington's addresses, Abraham Lincoln's speeches, Charles Spurgeon's preaching, Billy Graham's sermons, Winston Churchill's speeches, and Martin Luther King's famous "I Have a Dream" speech." The world as we know it was shaped by this one translation. And that translation was funded by one man: Humphrey Monmouth.

WORLD | CHANGER

DO YOU WANT TO CHANGE THE WORLD?



Typically, that sentence is only said with a good dose of hyperbole. Here there is none. **This is proven by history over and over in people groups around the world: translating the Bible into a language will change that culture permanently.** The Deaf are one of the largest unreached people groups in the world. We plan on changing that by providing the Bible in the native sign languages of the Deaf across the world.

Are you willing to be a Humphrey Monmouth?

Do you want to change the Deaf world forever?

To get involved and partner with us as we serve with DOOR International in Kenya, please see the sidebar on the right.

3,2,1... PRAY!

If we are going to raise support and continue doing full-time ministry, we will not get far without prayer. **We are already experiencing spiritual warfare and need you to stand with us.**

DOOR International has a prayer initiative called 3, 2, 1... Pray! The idea is to set your phone to have a daily alarm at 3:21 as a reminder to pray for the work of sign language Bible translation and for the spread of the Good News of Jesus to the international Deaf community. The time of 3:21pm (in military time, 15:21) is taken from Romans 15:21, "Those who were not told about Him will see, and those who have not heard will understand."

Will you please set an alarm for 3:21pm each day to pray for the Gospel to reach the Deaf and for us? Thank you for standing with us in prayer.



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ABOUT DOOR

DOOR International's mission is to bring God's Word and reproducing Christian fellowships to the Deaf of the world. DOOR is a non-denominational, non-profit 501(c)(3) Christian mission organization.

Send gifts to: Dept. 9012, P.O. Box 30516, Lansing, MI 48909-8016

While DOOR seeks to apply every gift as intended, all contributions are solicited with the understanding that DOOR has complete discretion and control over the use of all donated funds.

If you would like to partner with us, you can contact us at: johns@doorinternational.org or call/text us at 469-734-3357.

PARTNER *with us*

If you would like to learn more about DOOR and sign language Bible translation, visit www.doorinternational.org.

Partner with us in reaching the Deaf with God's Word in sign.



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Fill out the enclosed response card, and send in the return envelope with your donation.



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AUTO PAY

Give through an Electronic Funds Transfer. Call the DOOR office to set it up today: 616.741.7200.

