



The Demopoulos family

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The news media has shifted the American public's attention toward the U.S. bombing in Iran.

From Nikita, another of one of our students. "...the scale of the war is not abating at all; on the contrary, it is intensifying. For example, at the end of April, the largest drone attack on Dnipro in the entire four years of the war was recorded. For an entire week, day and night, the city was bombarded by drones and missiles.

From another national –This is the report within the last week of May and June 1st; "73 missiles + 656 attack drones. The main target – Kyiv, significant destruction and casualties were recorded. I will not describe all the horrors of these attacks, suffice it to say that they have been happening recently once a week. During the attacks, we do not leave the house, because there is nowhere to go. We do not sleep all night - we pray, and missiles and Shaheds fly over our house."

"Gog" and "Magog" are still at it and will be in the future. **And there went out another horse that was RED:** [like RED Russia] **and power was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth,** [like the bloody Bolshevik, or Communist Revolution (1917) that overthrew Czar Nicholas II.] led by Vladimir Lenin. "...and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword. [From whence you get, "Scythians" (Col. 3:11), or a scythe, or a "sickle."]



Shamil, a Kazakh, from Astana, Kazakhstan (pop. 1,377,290) was saved last year, is now studying with us. Please pray he will grow and mature and for his family that they will be saved. The entire family is Moslem. Kazakhs have a Shemite, Mongolian blood in them. And now his friend holds up his Russian King James Bible with **Shamil** (Samuel).

Gintautas, in Lithuania ordered 2 boxes of the Russian translation of the King James Bible. Some of the Bibles are sent to Kazakhstan, then off to Russia. (right) Three more believers who ordered the Russian translation of the KJB. They live in **Taras**, Kazakhstan (pop. 428,000). The city of Taras is located on the far south-eastern border right next to Kyrgyzstan, another former Soviet country. The city the Bibles were sent to, in Russia is a 23- hour drive northeast of Kyiv.



Years back Bibles were smuggled into Russia and Soviet countries. Since the fall of Communism, God has allowed the King James Russian Bible and now the King James Ukrainian Bibles to come into Ukraine and former Soviet Union by containers. We never saw this coming, but God has given us an open door. **Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,**

Another Container – God has given us the opportunity to get a container loaded with the completed translation of the KJB in the Ukrainian tongue (first edition). A group of brothers helped brother Lohman load a U-Haul truck. They are from another local church in Knoxville.

Correspondence Course – God has given us yet another student, Olexandr, from central Ukraine. They go through 48 lessons either in Russian or Ukrainian. God continues to give us "men" (2 Tim 2:2),

Japhethites at that, that are serious about studying the word of God with us. *Please pray the Lord continue to give us more men to work with.* Maybe one of them eventually may want to get a Bible study going or even a church. That's what happened with Boris.

Trip to Ukraine – Lord willing my son-in-law and I will be traveling to Ukraine again. There are a number of pieces to the puzzle that are not in place yet. We're waiting for a container to get there and also that we'll have *access to that container.* *Please pray about THAT!* We are being delayed this year because of the *printing* and *container* situation. Lord willing, we're planning to spend some time with Boris; the man we helped get a small work going last year, also hope to evangelize a certain city. Then, from Warsaw, we might take a flight to **Cypruss** where there is a large population of russian-speaking people. There is a Greek missionary there, but he does not understand Russian. *For the entire trip we will be in need of extra funds for all of the expenses.* There is a lot of planning and preparation involved.

Paul's cycle of ministry - **Pray, Vision, Plan, Prepare and Proceed!**

More requests for literature – Requests from 3 different directions of Ukraine: north, west, and south. *Please send us for evangelistic work and spiritual development the King James Bible; New Testament and five books of wisdom 1 box; information about the correspondence Bible school 48 lessons; theological studies; various types of tracts. We will be sincerely grateful! Benzel Oleksandr Viktorovych...This literature is ordered for street evangelism.*



(left) (**2 Timothy 2:2**) This is another man that we trained, Oleg, (on the right). He is labouring **publicly** (Acts 20:20). He is not under threat as far as being drafted because he works a government job. Please pray for these men that have to deal with air strikes throughout the country. Of course, the cities, especially Kyiv, are the main targets along with military bases and infrastructure.

Vyacheslav from Canada writes, *Hi brother, my name is Vyacheslav. I currently live and preach in Canada, Winkler, 20 miles from the US border. I need children's literature, the New Testaments, in Ukrainian.*

We preach among non-believers in Russian and English. *Please pray we'll get even more requests.*

On the ships, our first "catch" (Lk. 5:10). We had a great visit on a few ships the last week of May dealing with Russian and Ukrainian seafaring men. **"...let down your nets for a draught..."** (Lk. 5:4) (right) Nikita, (25) from Odessa, Ukraine was open to the gospel. He made a sound profession of faith in the Lord Jesus Christ after we dealt with him for about twenty minutes. We exchanged telephone numbers. We left him with the Russian translation from the KJB. *Please pray he'll be open to our follow-up efforts* (Acts 9:10-19) *and that he will grow in the Lord.*



Alexi, (20) is from Moscow. He listened to our witness and received a gospel tract. *Please continue to pray for the salvation of Slavic, Russian and Ukrainian speaking people.*

Meetings We've had meetings in Texas, Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia, and South Carolina presenting **"the work"** of Former Soviet Union.

We sure do appreciate all of your prayers and support. They mean much to us.

Sincerely,

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