

# GLOBAL IMPACT

## INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES OPEN BIBLE CHURCHES

Vince McCarty, Executive Director

### *God Will Make A Way* by Dr. Nick Venditti



Marlo Philip, INSTE Director in India, and Sheril, his wife, live in New Delhi.

Visiting the great nation of India was a great privilege and blessing to me. With a population of over a billion, it is a diverse nation with two official national languages –

Hindi and English – and 17 official state languages, plus hundreds of other languages and dialects.

Pastor Marlo Philip, the INSTE (Institute of Theology by Extension) National Director, and Sheril, his wife, live and minister in New Delhi. They have a passion and burden for discipleship and leadership training. They belong to an Indian denomination started in 1976 called The New India Church of God, which has 2,650 churches throughout India, especially in the north where persecution is more intense.

I participated in the first graduations of Level One INSTE in India. Fifteen students graduated in New Delhi.

These students had studied INSTE in

English. One INSTE student, Joyce Abraham, the wife of one of the founders of the New India Church of God and the mother of Marlo Philip, is a medical doctor. She was healed of cancer when she had only two weeks to live. Pastor Marlo wants to extend INSTE to urban areas such as Bangalore, Calcutta, and Mumbai. What a vision and opportunity!

Graduation was held for nine Level One INSTE students in Coimbatore.

The students attend the English-speaking Open Bible Church of God and were

led by Pastor Blesson Joy, son-in-law of Open Bible Field Director John Paul. The majority were Indian college students from other parts of India and overseas, three of them from Dubai. What a wonderful blend of nations and ambassadors of our King Jesus Christ studying the same books we study in the United States!



Nick congratulates Blesson Joy, facilitator of INSTE groups in Coimbatore.

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Arun and Anna are on the INSTE  
Tamil translating team.

I met with Pastor John Paul, Anna, his wife, and Arun, who oversee the translation from English to Tamil, spoken by 75 million people in the Tamil Nadu province. The first two books, Discipleship 1 and 2, are almost complete – pilot groups may begin this summer.

In New Dehli the Philips expressed strongly a need for the INSTE program to be translated into Hindi because it is the most spoken language in India. The Tamil translation team echoed that need.

INSTE Global has taken on the challenge of the Hindi translation in partnership with the Department of International Ministries. This would be the fourteenth language for INSTE as we continue our initial vision of helping to disciple believers and train leaders around the world. God continues to open doors of opportunity. I immediately remembered the words of the song: “God will make a way where there seems to be no way.” Truly He is the Great Way-maker!

### MISSIONARY BIRTHDAYS

#### May

- 12 Bill McConnell
- 15 Ashleigh Lumbard (1994)
- 22 Tom Moore
- 31 Ada Hernandez

#### June

- 3 Ron Wilson
- 19 Del Brown
- 25 Vince McCarty
- 27 Nelson Gaitan
- 30 Cathy Brandt