



Kathryn, Brian, Jennifer, Carissa, and Kaela Teaching at Conferences in Uganda

JUNE 17-30



The Ritchies and Kathryn with Pastor Steven and his family in Kakiri, Uganda

Brian and Kathryn have been speaking to the adults in three different conferences at churches. They mostly focused on the gift of eternal life. Their biggest battle has been eternal security. They were asked about passages that seem to teach the loss of



Brian Ritchie with Umar (his translator) explaining the Living Water Gospel of John booklets at Christ Reigns Church in Kakiri, Uganda



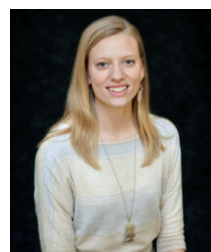
Jennifer, Carissa, and Kaela Ritchie with VBS kids at Christ Reigns Church in Kakiri, Uganda

everlasting life. At the first conference, attendance was around 100 on day one and 200 day two.

Jennifer, Carissa, and Kaela had very effective ministry teaching the children in the three churches.

They gave everyone at each conference a *Living Water Gospel of John* booklet. And the Ritchies' church donated Bibles which gave out as well. Kathryn also gave the pastors and some of the church leaders GES books.

Bethany Taylor Leaves GES



Bethany Taylor has been a valued employee with GES for nearly thirteen years. The first ten years she served part-time as assistant to the Director of Publications. The last three years she served part-time as assistant to the Executive Director.

As part of our reorganization, we eliminated the part-time position Bethany currently fills, effective June 30, 2025. We hope to hire one or more half-time people and a chief of staff. If you are interested, please contact us at ges@faithalone.org.

Please pray for Bethany as she decides what her future path will be.

GES Seminary

The GES Seminary is currently taking in fall applications. If you or someone you know is interested in furthering their Biblical knowledge, we encourage you to consider taking a class. You can apply by going to www.faithalone.org and clicking on Seminary and then Seminary Info.

We want to give a special thank you to all our donors for making the seminary a reality. This year, we have added Angelology/Anthropology (taught by Philippe Sterling) and Greek 105, Exegesis of James, to our catalog of classes, as well as a Pastoral Ministry Practicum and a Thesis Project. We have a wonderful lineup of professors and are excited to see what the Lord accomplishes this semester.

Ken's June Ministries



Ken with the Indy Bible Study that may become a home church

Recently, I traveled to Indianapolis to gather information about starting a Free Grace home church in the city.

I also met Flip and Cheri Burrer, who are also interested in starting a Free Grace work there. They invited me to teach a home Bible study they are currently leading. I was able to do so for three weeks before returning to South Carolina. The Bible studies started



Ken with Flip and Cheri Burrer

with the free offer of eternal life that cannot be lost. We then talked about rewards. The last study looked at the Gospel of Mark and how FG theology impacts interpretation.

During the month I continued my various Zoom courses, writing blogs, magazine articles, weekly videos, and podcasts. (I have finished writing my OT commentaries on Deuteronomy, 1-2 Kings, Psalms 90-106, Proverbs, and Jeremiah.)

Bob's June Ministries

My Sunday school class has about five to seven in-person people. However, the online attendees have been steadily growing. We now have twenty or more each Sunday online, with people from Mexico, Spain, the Philippines, Italy, Brazil, Canada, and various U.S. states. The classes become blogs and YouTube videos as well. On the last Sunday of each month, I preach the sermon as well as teach my Sunday school class.

I continued writing several blogs a week, magazine articles, OT commentaries (I just have two chapters to go until I have completed all my commentaries, which are Genesis, Leviticus, Psalms 1-41, Jonah, and Obadiah.), this newsletter, getting the July-August magazine in print, editing the September-October magazine, and doing podcasts with Ken Yates, Kathryn Wright, Sam Marr, and other FG friends in the area.

International Work on Zane Hodges' Commentary on James

Over the last six months, our international translators have been working on completing Zane's commentary on James as found in *The Grace New Testament Commentary*. We are almost finished and should have these available on our website as free PDF downloads by July. It will be available in nine languages, including Spanish, Italian, Chinese, Polish, Russian, and more! James is one of the strongholds for those who teach a Lordship message and other views that proclaim a works-based salvation. To provide the FG alternative in these languages is undoubtedly going to be a fruitful resource. GES is thankful for your partnership in making this work available.



Notes and Letters

Thanks so much, brother Ken, for your blog about bears and difficulties in our lives! Also, wanted to thank Bob for his insightful posts as well! By the way, my wife and I are presently reading through Bob's book, *Secure And Sure*.

The frequent GES videos are definitely a good use of our time as well!

Anyways, this is mostly just a message of sincere appreciation for all that you guys are doing there at GES! Blessings and Maranatha!

—Steve, former Kentuckian and now Kansan, email

I'm thankful for the conference videos that you've posted on YouTube. I have watched quite a few and will continue until I finish. I also thank the Lord for John Claeys' commentary on Revelation and Ken Yates' on Mark. I'm looking forward to the OT Commentary too.

—Ruth Ann, snail mail card

We Added Grace in Focus Sunday on KFNX Phoenix

A major station in Phoenix approached us about being part of their Sunday morning line up. They had a great opening, 8:00 to 8:15 AM. We jumped at the chance. Danny Webster, our radio engineer, and I (Bob) selected thirteen of our favorite shows for the first three months. If you have friends in Phoenix, please let them know we are on the air.

YouTube Mini-Videos Reaching More and More

In June of 2023, we had 8,000 subscribers. In June of 2024, we had 10,700. In June of 2025, we had 14,900.

My thanks to Ken Yates, Mike Lii, Kathryn Wright, and Brian Rossen for all the work they do on our videos.

Fiscal year-end financial report should be ready next month.