

Advisory Board

Dr. René J. Freret,
President
Dr. Lynn Martin,
Vice-President
Sis. Freda Freret,
Secretary
Dr. Joe Arthur
Dr. Bobby Bonner
Dr. Dan Carr, Sr.
Bro. Bennie Dill
Bro. Gary Fitzpatrick
Dr. Noah Frye
Bro. Curtis Gibson
Dr. Rodney L. Kelley
Bro. Delmas Knight, Sr.
Dr. Arthur Lockard, Jr.
Bro. Caleb Martin
Bro. Walter Pierce
Dr. Johnny Pope
Dr. James Preston
Dr. Bob Simpson
Dr. Mark Smith
Bro. Kim Stone
Dr. Tom Wallace
Dr. J.D. Weido

BEAMS Missionaries

Dr. Donald Benson
Bro. Raymond Dombeck
Bro. Randy Freeman
Dr. René J. Freret
Bro. Delmas Knight, Sr.
Bro. Robert Lethers
Dr. Arthur Lockard
Dr. John McElroy
Dr. Alvin Roberts
Dr. Don Smith
Bro. Jim Velazquez

BEAMS

Bible Education and Missionary Service (BEAMS), founded by Dr. Julian Pope in 1972, is a ministry of Faith Baptist Church of Gulfport, MS. The main purpose of BEAMS is to supply hardcover, complete Bibles, free of charge, to Independent Baptist missionaries on the foreign mission fields. We provide only the King James Version of the Bible in the English language or its equivalent in other languages.

To receive the newsletter, please send your complete mailing address to:

BEAMS
P.O. Box 10200
Gulfport, MS 39505
(228) 832-1096
office@beamsbibles.com



Dr. René and Freda Freret

Resignation

On Friday, February 12, for health reasons, I submitted to the BEAMS Board of Directors my resignation as Executive Director of BEAMS, effective June 1, 2021. I will continue as President of the Board and as a BEAMS missionary. The Board accepted my resignation and approved Dr. Arthur Lockard, Associate Director of BEAMS, as the Executive Director of BEAMS, effective June 1, 2021. He has served with me for almost ten years and has proven himself to be loyal and faithful to the BEAMS ministry and to me. We will appreciate your prayers as BEAMS continues to provide Bibles to missionaries around the world.

Bibles Being Mailed

At the home office in Gulfport, we are busy packing and shipping Bibles to missionaries in foreign countries. We are thankful that many countries have now opened back up to receiving Priority Boxes of Bibles. We are also busy supplying Bibles to missionaries to give to pastors. The 2021 Bible Day offering is being used to supply 5,000 Burmese Bibles for Bro. Peter Banfe, missionary in Myanmar (former Burma). BEAMS has supplied 3,000 Spanish Bibles to Missionaries Dan and Carrie Kaighen to be distributed to pastors and missionaries in Mexico. We have also provided 3,000 Bibles to Dr. Matthew Henry, missionary to India, to give to pastors and missionaries in his Annual Pastor's Conference.

Bibles Need to be Mailed

BEAMS has many Bibles in International Priority Boxes that need to be mailed to missionaries on the foreign fields. The post office has raised the cost of shipping. The average cost is \$83.38 per box. Would you prayerfully consider giving an offering toward getting these boxes mailed? Thank you for your consideration.

Thank You

Freda and I thank each individual, church, and pastor for your faithful prayers and support for us and the BEAMS Bible ministry.

Sincerely,

René J. Freret

From the President's Desk

Dear Fellow Helpers in the Lord,

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. I pray that you are doing well. Freda and I are looking forward to the time when we can get back to traveling and visiting churches.