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Nepal Matching Gift Project

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NEPAL BAPTIST THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE



Dear friend in Christ,

Thank you so much for your prayers and support. In the past, I have mentioned our team's Bible College here in Kathmandu, Nepal. I'm writing today to share a very special opportunity we have to raise funds in developing the Bible College.

Like most countries, one of the greatest needs among Christians in Nepal is to have trained national Pastors and full-time staff members to lead the churches in Nepal. The Nepali people, when trained effectively, can make a powerful long-term impact on their own country in the spread of the Gospel. With this vision in mind, a few years ago God led our team to start a Bible college in order to assist in the reaching of this goal. We offer a 3-year Bachelor of Theology degree. The college has now been open for 4 years and there have been 3 graduations. Many of the graduates have gone back to their own villages or churches and are serving the Lord in different full-time ministries. Some have started new churches. The Lord has really blessed the Bible College and it continues to make a huge impact in the country of Nepal.

Just this semester the Bible College grew from 17 students to a total of 40 students. As the Bible College continues to grow, we have needs to continue to expand the grounds of the College. We still need to complete the top floor of the church building to house female Bible students and also to purchase a small piece of land near the church to construct a dormitory for mail students. The estimated cost of these projects is around \$120,000.

The good news is that a friend of our mission (ABWE) is very interested in helping us reach these goals by means of a **matching gift fund**. If we can **raise at least \$60,000** by the end of this year, he will match that amount to bring us to the **needed**

\$120,000 total. In other words, he will match every dollar that other people give up to that amount! Please pray with us that the Lord will provide the needed funds to expand the Bible College and ministry here in Nepal.



If the Lord touches your heart to give monetarily to this project please see giving information on the left panel.

God bless you!
Leah Weldon

*If you are interested in knowing more details about specific students in the college please e-mail and I would be happy to share.

HOW TO CONTRIBUTE MONETARILY

By mail, please send your contribution to:

ABWE, Box 8585,
Harrisburg, PA 17105
Asia Matching Fund
Account# 840373-000

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for the Bible College in
Kathmandu

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