



# TAKING THE LIGHT

UPDATE ON GOD'S WORK



Kelli and the Girls "Mother's Day" 2025



For so hath the Lord commanded us, saying,  
*I have set thee to be a light of the Gentiles,*  
that thou shouldst be for salvation unto the ends of the earth.  
Acts 13:47



## May's Peru Update

### GOD IS WORKING IN THE ANDES MOUNTAINS!

For the month of May, the ministry experienced many opportunities for the advancement of the Gospel, especially among mothers during Mother's Day. Through our radio program, we were able to distribute Bibles to listeners. In the city of Arequipa, around 25 people heard a clear presentation of the Gospel, and many of those who heard made a decision to follow Christ.

There are some specific stories that I would love to share. If you would like to read more, you can sign up for our email list by emailing me at [rcanfield@lighthouse-baptist.com](mailto:rcanfield@lighthouse-baptist.com).



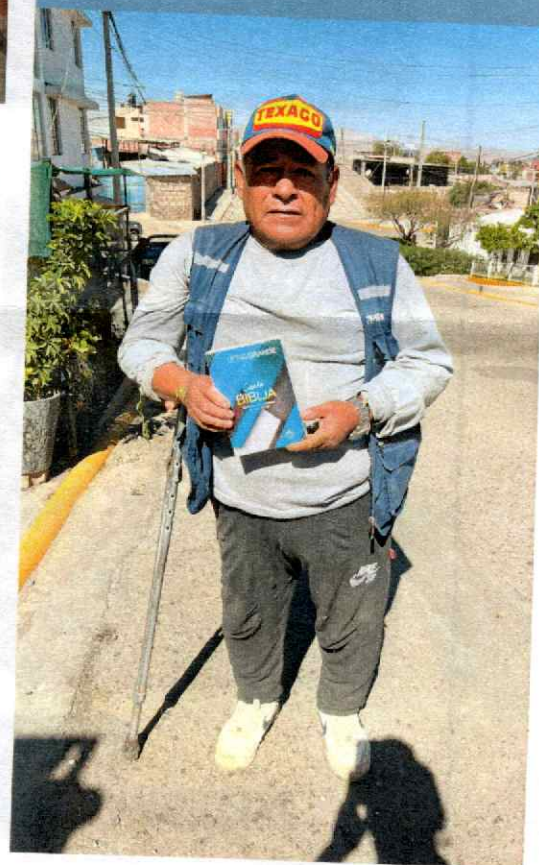
Mrs. Elsa was grateful when we gave her a large-print Bible. She stated that she had been praying for God's help, as it is now harder for her to read due to her age. Mrs. Maruja, a listener from our program, is now attending a church in her area. God is truly using "Taking the Light" in Peru.

Another exciting opportunity this month was in the city of Majes, two hours from Arequipa, where we were able to deliver a radio transmitter to a pastor who is working in this city of 150,000 people. This transmitter is now broadcasting in an area called San Juan del Alto, a town of approximately 5,000 people on the edge of the city, where there is no Bible-based church. We praise the Lord that He is using our efforts to proclaim His Gospel and Word in places where the need is great.

Please continue to pray that we receive all the funds we need to keep advancing this ministry.

**"The light that  
shines farthest  
shines  
brightest  
nearest home."**

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## Lighting the Way: May's Burkina Update

PARTNERING FOR EDUCATION AND EVANGELISM IN BURKINA FASO

As many of you know, Taking the Light is partnering with Jason Rishel in Bobo-Dioulasso. Jason has been a great friend for many years, and we are thrilled to aid and support his ministry. In 2023, we helped install a recording studio, provided funds for broadcasting and evangelistic outreach, and even sent a transmitter to Burkina Faso to help reach remote villages.

On my trip this past April, I noticed a significant challenge that we are now working to address: literacy. In Burkina Faso, public schools are often overcrowded, with an average of 75+ students per classroom. Teachers lack adequate training and resources.



Seeing this need, Jason has taken the initiative to start a Christian school to provide quality education and share God's love with these children. He is already making progress, and we want to come alongside him in this vital work.

If you would like to support this worthy cause, please contact me by email, phone, or whichever way is most convenient for you. I want to assure you that 100% of the funds donated for the school will go directly to this project. The same is true for any donation you designate—whether for motorcycles, radio, Bibles, or studio equipment—every dollar goes exactly where you intend. Taking the Light exists to reach the world with the Gospel in this generation. There are no hidden administrative fees—this is not a business, but a ministry.

Thank you for being a faithful partner!

"Where the light  
of knowledge  
and the love of  
Christ meet,  
hope takes root  
and communities  
flourish."

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## Prayer Requests

### Ministry Support

*Praise the Lord for the new churches that have partnered with Taking the Light this past month.*

### New Studio for Peru

*Cameras, Computers, Microphones, Sound Mixers and other Media Equipment*

Goal **\$25,000** needed

Raised **\$16,000** already received!

# What is needed

# \$9,000

## *(Funds Needed by July 2025)*

Please Pray!!!



*Thank you for your support!*

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