

Jaimashi my fellow followers of our Lord Jesus Christ.

“Jaimashi” is the greeting you will hear often in my future correspondence. It is a common salutation amongst Christians in Nepal and means “Victory in our Lord Jesus Christ.” Since the primary purpose of this ministry is to teach the Word of God with the result being obedience to Jesus as our Lord, I strongly embrace this address.

The plane tickets have now been purchased for my daughter and I to begin our mission trip together in Rwanda on March 9. After two weeks, my daughter will head back to the USA. I will continue doing mission work in Uganda for 12 days and then in Kenya for 3 weeks. Details about this trip can be accessed here:

<https://bibleapplicationministries.com/newsletters/>

There are three kinds of people. Those who make things happen. Those who watch things happen. And those who “wonder what happened!”

Everyone I am working with in other countries around the world are those who are making things happen. God, by way of our Lord Jesus Christ, has given them a calling. And they are fulfilling it.

I am so thankful that God has blessed me with an “all-star cast” to work with on this upcoming mission trip. Please pray for them, as well as me. We will be so grateful. And God will bless your efforts dearly.

Several weeks ago, I received a message on WhatsApp, complete with photos, from Rwanda. Someone has donated just over ¼ acre of land in that country which will be used to build a training center for Bible Application Ministries! Wow!

This is only the beginning. I am convinced God will soon provide the means for us to have training centers set up all over the world so we can effectively train disciples at these locations rather than having to travel all over the country to find them. Hints of this are already coming from Uganda, Kenya, Nepal and Bangladesh.

I would like to encourage you to get an Instagram and Twitter account, if you don't already have one. Then follow '**josiahbsparks**'. I will

frequently post 1-minute videos here with updates about the ministry. During my mission trip, I plan to share exciting things every day to keep you informed almost real-time about what God is causing to take place.

I also plan to post frequently to the 'Bible Application Ministries' Facebook page. If you 'like' the Facebook page, you will receive short, live teachings on a weekly basis, along with additional testimonies and frequent updates while I am on the mission field. These weekly live teachings I am categorizing under a theme called "Brighten Your Day" because of their comfort and encouraging nature.

I have teachings currently being translated into the Spanish, Urdu, Swahili and Romanian languages. My vision is that God will rise up volunteers to translate them into many, many other languages as well. Is God tugging on your heart to help with this project?

The next mission trip I am preparing my heart for right now involves Nepal, Sri Lanka and Pakistan. It will be at least a 2-week expedition in that country. It will involve at least 3 different locations, and many tribal areas.

I plan to start a new teaching series once I return from my African mission trip at the end of April.

God loves you and so do I.

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*For I know the plans that I have in mind for you," says Yahweh, "plans of peace and not of evil, to give you hope and a future.*

*You will call on me, and you will come and pray to me, and I will listen to you.*

*You will seek me and find me when you search for me with all your heart.*

Jeremiah 29:11-13