

# CONVERSIONS IN INDIA

ELOQUENT EVIDENCE

(A STUDY BASED ON MISSIONARY REPORTS)



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## **ABOUT THE WORK**

This study is a humble effort to bring forth some self-evident proofs about the missionary activities in India. The uniqueness of this study is that the whole evidences are collected from missionary reports itself. In this study, analysis is done purely on the basis of primary evidences and own experiences.

## **THE METHOD USED**

The method used is analytical, free from prejudices and emotional approaches. Much importance is given to financial aspects. The tabular columns on conversions appended herewith, are elucidated from scattered, monthly Missionary Reports. Even though, four Missionary organizations are taken as specimens, all aspects of these four organizations are not covered. For studying a particular aspect, a specific group is selected. Evidences of all the facts and figures in this study, in **Original**, can be produced.

## **INCIDENT THAT INITIATED THE WORK**

It was the 1998 Dec, issue of ‘The National Missionary Intelligencer’ which I came across accidentally in the waiting room of a renowned doctor, to whom I was a patient, that invoked my curiosity. The cover picture of a forest cascade attracted my attention. With a secular mind, I just went through the book. That small book was a turning point. I was thrown into the dilemma. If I was to trust our secular media, I should not have seen this book. If I was to trust the book, I should admit the hypocrisy of our secular media. Conversions and conversions inside the book – still, the secular media kept silent and blamed “Hindu Fundamentalists”. Why This? . An answer of my own, within my limitations, was needed – I felt.

## **AS A SEEKER OF CHRIST**

A negative approach always hinders us from understanding reality. Becoming a seeker of Christ was the effective way. Collection of addresses of evangelical workers and organizations was the first step. About 250 addresses, both inland and foreign, were contacted through letters. The replies were prompt. Responses flowed in. None of the addresses remained dormant. (These addresses are included in **Appendix-1**) The replies reflected the personal management skill of Christian Missionary groups. The policies of the organization were evident from the letters of its office bearers. Request to enroll in “Free Postal Bible Course” rushed in. 16 out of many were chosen. The addresses of these courses with my student registration number are given in **Appendix-2**.

## **CORRESPONDANCE**

Nearly about 500 letters were written to these evangelical groups and nearly the same numbers of replies were received. Bibles, New Testaments, books, booklets and pamphlets flowed in and all of them were free of cost. 30 Bibles(with old and new testaments), 20 New Testaments, 40 books, 100 booklets and plenty of pamphlets were received by post. I even received a Free Bible which was sent to me with Registered Post with postage of Rs72/-. In the bible collection, an English bible signed by Gladdys June Staines. Remains significant. I wondered why this peoples show so much interest for these activities, and how much money spent for me.

## **STUDY MATERIAL**

Bible correspondence courses are free of cost. The method of teaching in each study material is well designed. The lesson plans echoes a high sense of modern educational psychology behind them. They give a comprehensive outlook of Christian Theology. The evaluated answer paper and the score sheet reaches the student very promptly even from abroad. Clarifications for our doubts touch our heart more than our brain.

## **THE RECCURING QUESTION**

Have you accepted Jesus Christ as your personal savior?"- Each and every module of these Bible courses concludes with this question. If our answer is 'yes', a chasing will start until the prey is trapped.

## **MISSIONARY REPORTS-MONUMENTS OF CONVERSION**

Missionary reports are restricted to the Christian believers only. It is very difficult to establish an intimate relationship with these organizations through letters, with Christ and Christian way of life as the central theme. Enquiry about us shall secretly be conducted by our nearest missionary or local evangelist. They may even contact us in person, with free bibles for us. If they are convinced on our faith in Christ, we can subscribe these Missionary Reports.

## **THROUGH THE PAGES**

Mission field news, messages from heads of churches, request for prayers and funds, evaluation of current situation faced by evangelists, detailed reports on missionary activities in each states and centers. Bible quiz, reports on healing and other miracles done by missionaries etc. fill the pages. Reports revealing the conversions serve as solid proofs, even though exaggeration and under-estimation can be seen here and there. They reveal the systematic work and the close monitoring they do in the name of evangelization. Some specimens of missionary reports as **Appendix-3**.

Sixty four issues of six Missionary Report of four organizations were collected in a span of two years and are preserved as primary documents. The details regarding these documents are listed in **Appendix-4**.

## **AMAZING NETWORK**

As a part of this work, an address namely, 'Workers Together' in U.S.A was contacted. To my surprise, a pastor of a Brethren Church, contacted me from my own town, his residence was only 1km away from that of mine. He called me over *telephone* and invited me for a personal meeting. (Similar incidents occurred oftenly.)

On visiting his house, he handed over to me an oxford Edition of the Bible, printed in New York, and a few booklets and pamphlets. What astonished me was, that the pastor had with him, a copy of letter which I had sent to U.S.A. On enquiring about how the nearness of my residence with that of the pastor was understood by the party at Bangalore, he showed me an official directory of the list of the evangelists working in India, with their family photographs and complete details arranged in the order of PIN codes. Another directory of their worldwide network was also shown to me.

## MUCH EFFORT FOR A SINGLE HARVEST

One day, an evangelist traveled all the way from Trivandrum to my office, about 120 Km away, to present me two copies of the Holy Bible – one in English and one in Malayalam, each worth Rs.150/- each, and a few booklets and pamphlets.

## ANALYSIS OF REPORTS

In this study, Missionary Reports are analysed on two aspects. One, analysis of the number of conversions done as reported by missionaries and, two, financial analysis. Number of conversions. Number of conversions done by two missionary groups are analysed and tabulated in three appendices. The conversion figures related to Friends Missionary Prayer Band as abridged from their monthly reports and annual reports are attached herewith as **appendices 5 and 6** respectively. **Appendix-7**

Shows the number of conversions done by National Missionary Society of India. A report by A.Bhaskaran, General Secretary of the National Missionary Society of India regarding the number of conversions in each mission fields in Karnataka, during his inspection visit to Bijapur, is produced as **Appendix-8**.

Even though analysis of Balance sheets is done elaborately, it is not described here. But tabular columns revealing the main heads are given as appendices so that a comparison can be made easily. Main heads from the Balance sheet of *Friends Missionary Prayer Band* as on 31-3-2000 is given as **Appendix-9** and that of *Vishwavani* as on 31-3-99 and 31-3-2000 is given as **Appendix-10**, **Appendix-11** brings us to the conclusion that even the death of a missionary has a catalytic effect in income generation.

## LIMITING THE SCOPE AND NATURE

By taking only 4 missionary groups for study, we are limiting the scope and nature of missionary activities. This study is only a tip of iceberg of the actual situation. Even though certain missionary groups could be traced, detailed study of all these groups is still defiance. The details of such Missionary organizations and their various ministries, programmes and activities meant for 'harvesting of souls' is noted in **Appendix-12**. The actual number of organizations will definitely exceed our estimation.

## A PEEP INTO THE STRUCTURE

The structural layout of two organizations was traced. Details of *Missions India and Viswavani* are given as **Appendix-13 and 14**. Growth in number of Missionaries and growth in income are graphically represented in Appendix-15.

## POLICIES ON CONVERSION-A THREAT TO SECULARISM

The policies betray the policy-makers. Two specimens of policies of one Indian and one International organization are given as **Appendix-16**. The so-called secularists, politicians, intellectuals and cultural giants accidentally or deliberately ignore these policies. They often project their own secular ideas as the policy of Christian Missionaries. For example, when there policy clearly states that,

“we view evangelism with **Conversion** as a goal and we want to see people leave their former faiths, whether they are **secular** or **religious** faiths, and

follow Christ as their **only lord**", our secularists hail the missionaries as apostles of secularism.

## **FOREIGN CONTRIBUTIONS**

The actual figures of foreign contributions can never be traced out precisely. A report submitted by Central Intelligence Dept. to Central Home Ministry regarding this matter is given as **Appendix-17** and an unofficial report published in a publication by The New Indian Express is attached as **Appendix-18**. The veracity of government reports and unofficial reports must be suspected. such a situation is explained in the note given in Appendix-18.

## **DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE BY BBC**

Whatever studies we conduct and whatever facts we reveal, are turned down by our 'secular' media and our pseudo-cultural giants and misinterpreted before the public as 'Indian Hindu Fundamentalism ' and atrocities against minority communities. The world renowned BBC had serialized a vivid and clear picture of the global Missionary activities, in the late eighties of the 20<sup>th</sup> century itself. When the BBC had serialized through the television, was published as a book named "MISSIONARIES" by BBC Books, a division of BBC, books, in 1990. this book researched and documented by Julian Pettifer and Richard Bradley, reveals the insuperable and inhuman methods adopted by missionaries of expanding the boundaries of Christendom, yet inconceivable for Indian intelligentsia. It clearly shows us how much securely and compassionate these missionaries are. This book is the one of the strong evidence of the cancerous and monstrous face of Christian missionaries, who have invaded and conquered nearly the whole of the world and it gives a deathblow to the arguments of the missionaries that they are the sole agents of love, charity, compassion and even modern civilization. This very book is more than enough for revealing the hypocrisy of the secular missionaries. Some extracts from the above book are given as **Appendix-19**. Have our secular media and secular cultural giants seen this book or they pretended not to have seen?

## **LIMITATIONS OF THIS STUDY**

- (1) Socio-cultural circumstances which pay way to conversions are not considered in the study.
- (2) Only four missionary groups are analysed and the rest are left. There may be much more missionary groups working in the same fields(selected missionary activity area).
- (3) The consequences of conversions are not covered.
- (4) The threat to national security in the north-eastern states due to missionary activities , are described even though studied.
- (5) The deceiving figures that Christian population forms only less than 2.5% in India is revealed in this study, but not explained.
- (6) The power politics played by the missionaries are not covered.
- (7) The role of Christian NGOs in missionary activities is not taken in to account, even though this is a key area to be studied and exposed before the public.

## **SUGGESTIONS**

A collective intellectual work should initiated. Creative solutions should be elucidated from such works. Datas from missionary reports should be documented yearly. The work must be centralized. Arrangements should be made to reveal the facts to the public. The social backwardness in some of the sectors of hindu society should not be overloaded. Now our

strategy on conversions is antagonistic. The correct antidote should be applied considering each situations. Aggression always (even though they are highlighted) may not prove fruitful.

## **CONCLUSION**

A socially organized Hindu society with sound cultural awareness is the ultimate solution. First, we must know 'Swadharna' ,then only we can sense the merits an demerits of 'paradharna'. Cherish in our hearts, the lines from Gita, "Death in one's own Dharma is nobler then accepting Paradharna". Only by practicing it in our life, we can be true to ourself and true to our great tradition

**LIST OF ADDRESSES CONTACTED FOR COMPLICATION OF DATA**

Grace Bible Correspondence course Ettumanoor- 686631,Kerala.	V.C Thomas vazhapplethu Sharon ulloor, Trivandrum- 11,kerala	K.Varghese.Evg. Gospl home, Choyyankode Chayyoth P.O-671314 Nileswar, Kasargod,Kerala
Students Evangeline Fellowship, Pazhavangadi.P.O Ranni-689673, Kerala	Anna nagar Methodist Churchu AM/1A,12 <sup>th</sup> Main Road Annanagar,Madras-40	K.V.Mathew Kanatharayil, Mannarathara Ettichuvadu. P.O Ranny-689675,Kerala
Newspaper Evangelism P.B.No. 2291 Palarivattom Cochin-682025,Kerala	Penny Hawkins Church of Christ KS 010,13875 W.151 <sup>st</sup> Olathe,KS-66062,U.S.A	Evangel Ministries India P.B No.32 Pathanapuram-689695 Kerala.
Southern Gospal Team Ponkunnam P.O Kottayam, kerala.	Becky Thomas Vaughn park Church of Christ, 3800, Vaughan RoadMontgomery, AL- 36106,U.S.A	Mary Joshi Kattuparampil House Palluruthy veli.P.O Cochin-682006,Kerala
Br .N.Mathai Faith publications Chembumuku junction Kakkanad,Cochin-682030 Kerala	K.K.Viswanathan Yoga Centre Valavanad,Pollethai.P.O Alleppey –688567,Kerala.	Emmaus Bible School P.B.No.470, 12-E.V.K. Sampath Road vepery,Madras-7
Prof M.O.Varghese Madakkal Navarangam Lane Trivandrum-11,Kerala.	Christian Belivary Assembly P.B.1870, Kaloore.P.O Cochin-17,Kerala.	Frienda Missionary Prayer Band 29,Hifh School Road Secretariat Colony,Ambattur Madras-600053.
P.N.Mathai Green Gardens Thazhakkara Mavelikkara,Kerala	Navajeevan P.B.No:10803 New Delhi-30	Mission India P.B.No-16 Navajeevodayam Center Thiruvalla-689101,Kerala
Sister Lilly Maria Rita Bhavan “Jeevan Jyothi” Koothrappally,Kottayam Kerala	“SOON” Willington Derby ,DE 65,6 BN England	W.M.P India Bible Literature, P.B-1037 67/Beracah Road Kilpauk,Madras-10
Sharon Bible College Near KSRTC Bus Stand Thiruvally Kerala	d.stangi “SOON”,p.b.no8436 banglore-560 084	Edamaruku Christian Felloship C/O.Fr.Paulose Kunnummel Chennikkuzhy,P.O Thodupuzha,Kerala

Saleem Track Society, Vakathanam-686538 Kerala	Abundant Life Resources P.B.No.24 Secunderabad-500 026	Operation Mobilization India Aravind Commercial Building Sunmill Compound, Lower Perl Bombay-400 013.
Bible Correspondence Course C.M.C Good News Proclamation Media Mount Carmel Generalate Thaikkattukara, Aluva-6,Kerala.	Dr.P.P.George Christian Hospital Periyakulam-625601 Theni Dist,Tamilnadu	Sathyavachanangal Kottayam-4 Kerala
WET Bible Project “Vachanolsavam” Pottah,Chalakkudy-7 Kerala.	The AIDS Support Organization Govt.Regd.No.722/99 Aluva-683106 Kerala	Independent Baptist Ministries Of India Karamcode P.O Chathannoor,Kollam- 691579,Kerala
Fr. Fredrick Eluvathinkal Pastoral Orientation Center Cochin-682025 Kerala	Br.Gopakumar Thimothios Devine Express Aluva-683106,Kerala	Call Of Hope NIDA-AL-RAJA P.B.No.45 Kayamkulam-690502,Kerala
Bible Society Of India 206,Mahatma Gandhi Road Banlore-560001	Bible Society Of India 14,Thorn Hill Road Pb No 6;Allahabad-211001 Uttar Pradesh	Union Of Evangelical Students Of India Edapally .P.O Cochin-24 Kerala
Bible Society Of India Kerala Auxillary Pb.No 114 Kottayam-1,Kerala	Bible Society Of India Pb.No-502 Park Town Madras-600 003	Sister Isa Family Radio C/O Rev M J Alexander Tekkai-532201; Andhra Pradesh
Bible Society Of India Mahatma Gandhi Road Aizwal-796001	The Gideons International India 142/18, 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Lalbahudur Nagar Prenderghast Road Secunderabad-500003 Andhra Pradesh	Family Road PB 2140 Okland,CA-94621 USA
Bible Society Of India 132 Rashtrapathy Road Secunderabad -500003 Andhra Pradesh	Gospel Literature Udyog Bhavan 250-D,Worli Bombay-400025	Love India PB.No.8,Kallissery-689124 Chengannur, Kerala



Bible Society Of India Hazaribagh Road Ranchi-834001 Bihar	GLS Press Kanara Engineering Co.Compound Pant Nagar Ghatkopar(E) Bombay-400075	Christian Education Institute PB.No.8,Kallissery-689124 Chengannur, Kerala
Bible Society Of India Malhotra House Opp.GPO;PB.No-1453 Bombay 400001	Gospal Literarure Service Parayal Buildings;College Road Pathanamthitta-689645 Kerala	Hospital Ministry Of India PB.No.8,Kallissery-689124 Chengannur, Kerala
Bible Society Of India 23,Jawaharlalnehru Road Calcutta-700087	The Church Of God PB 2137 Front Royal Virgina-22630;USA	Gospal Tract Society Mylapur-689678 Pathanamthitta,Kerala
Bible Society Of India PB.No 66 Church Road Dimapur-797112	World Bible School Dept IND 22 P B.No 9346 Austin, Texas-78766,USA	Navajeevan Bhavan Villioonni.P.O Panampalam Kottayam-686008,Kerala
Bible Society Of India Near Gujarat College Ellis Bridge, Ahmedabad- 380006, Gujarat	The National Missionary Society Of India 207, Peters Road Royappettah Madras-600014	Gospel Of Asia PB.No 4 Thiruvalla-689105 Kerala
Bible Society Of India Pilli Kothi,1017,Napier Town Jabalpur-482001 Madhya Pradesh	Director Christ Message Center, Pb.No-5416 Kaundampalayam.P.O Coimbatore	Prathyasa Deepam Mercy Home Cheppad P.O.690507 Kerala.
Bible Society Of India 10,Sansad Marg New Delhi-110001	Vishwavani Samarpan 10-28/247,Anandapuram Hyderabad-62	International Correspondence Institute Ici University P.B.No.1,Andreq Ganj, New Delhi-110 049
Bible Society Of India Peyton Sali Cuttack-753001 Orissa	Evangelist C.P.Josh Ipc Hebron Hall Chittissery. P.O; Madavakkam Trissur-680301,Kerala	Open Bible Class 29/56e ,Janatha Road Vytila P.O Cochin-683572 Kerala.
Bible Society Of India Students Field Chilling-793002	P.V Alexander Panchamootill Near Railway Station Thiruvalla-689101,Kerala	Emmaus Bible Students Angamaly-683572 Kerala

Hospital Ministry India P.B.No-5 Kunnamkulam P.O-680503 Kerala.	Pastor In Charge P.B.No-159,Assembly Of God Aluva, Ernakulam, Kerala	John Ritchie Ltd 40-Beansburn Kilmarnock,Ka3-1 RH Scotland
Evangelical Literature Ministries I.S Press Road Ernakulam-682018	Pastor Babu George Assembly Of God Kalampoor,Enanalloor.P.O Muvattupuzha-686673 Kerala	Beracah House Of Worship Brooklyn Inc 5801,13 <sup>th</sup> Ave Brooklyn-11219 U.S.A
C.V.Samuel P.B.No-56 Dindigul-424001 Madurai, Tamilnadu	The Catholic Enquiry Center 115,Hill Road Bandar,Mumbai-400 050	G.D.Yisudas Living Waters,'Bhavana' 422,Veer Savarkar Marg Bombay-400 025
Angel Of Peace Angamaly-683572 Kerala	Gospel Trumpets 1-7,510/8,C/2-Zimistanpur Hyderabad 500 048 Andhra Pradesh	Living Waters Gospel Broadcasts P.B.No-19161 Prabhadevi Bombay-400 025
Pastor Johnson Chacko Assembly Of God Kattanam (Via) Kayamkulam, Kerala	We One In Christ Gospel Niranam West P.O Thiruvalli, Kerala	Dr.Lbrahimkhan.O.Deshmukh Payam-E-Najat P.B.No-11 Aurangabad Cantt-431002
Christian Literature Crusade Inc Front Wasington Pennsylvania ,Usa	Brother K.P.Jaison Goodnews For Youth Kambannet. P.O Idukki-685551, Kerala	James Anderson Millbank, Privick Mill Road Ayr, Ka6-5 Ja Scotland
Herbron Golconda Crossroads Hyderabad-500020	New India Church Of God Chingavanam P.O Bethesda Nagar Kottayam, Kerala	James,G.Huctinson Woodlea 50,Church Road Dundonald, Belfast,Northernireland
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Fr.Z.M.Moozhoor Aaraaman Arakkulam-685591 Kerala	John Kurian Kunnumpurathu House Kalathippady Kottayam-686010, Kerala	Alliance Publications Akola Maharasthra

Rev.Phillip David Vellimala Puthenvedu Plachery.P.O Pualur-691331,Kerala	Timmy Adams Evangelist Bethesda House-9-229 Vellikunnu-680005 Thrissur, Kerala	World Wide Publications C/O Billy Graham Evangelistic Association 1301,Hennepin Avenue Minneapolis,Mn-55403, U.S.A
Workers Together 5/8-John Armstorns Road Banglore-560 005	Living Waters (Emmaus Bible School) P.B.No-4,Puthuppally- 686001 Kottayam, Kerala	World Bible Translation Center P.B.No-820648fortwertn Texas-76182-6648,U.S.A
F.M.P.B Puthenpurackal Valiyappally Street Kottayam-686001,Kerala	Praise Ministries Tc-18/1703 Thirumala P.O Trivandrum-696006,Kerala	Evg.Varghese.M.Samule Penile Bible Seminary Keezhillam.P.O-683541 Perumbaveor,Kerala
Don.E.Stanton Marnatan Revival Crusad P.B.2076 Secunderabad	John Sebastian Grace Villa Puthupally-685011 Kottayam,Kerala	Bro,C.G.Samule Kodiyil House Sasthamkonam Punalur-691305,Kerala
Grace Villa Thekkumbhagam Thirippunithura Ernakulam,Kerala	Pauline Book & Media Center 35,Royd Street,Calcutta- 700 017, West Bengal.	
Faith Assembly Of God Bible School P.B.No-3 Pazhanvangadi,Ranni- 689673,Kerala	Living Literature Crusade T-1433,Camp Lane-7 Wazir Nagar,Kotal Mubarakpur Delhi-110 049	
Zion Prayer Fellowship Vettilappara.P.O Chalakkudy- 680721,Kerala	Pastor.G.Victor General Secretary Cross Road Prison Minister P.B.No.7439,JB Nagar Mumbai-400 059	
Bethel Fellowship Church No:17,14 <sup>th</sup> Main,3 <sup>rd</sup> Cross Mathikere Extension Banglore-560 025	Mrs.Rachel Benny Prison Ministries Muttada.P.O Trivandrum-695025,Kerala	
Scripture Gift Mission P.B.No.5316 18/1,Infantry Road Banglore-560001	Mrs. Eva Alexander The Comforter Ministries P.B.1044,Kizhpakkam Chennai-600010	

Ici 125/1,Park Street Calcutta-700 017 West Bengal	Prayer Tower 'Jesus Calls' 16,Greenways Road Chennai-600 028	
FEBA Radio P.B.No.2526 Commissariat Road Banglore-560005	Christian Heritage Publishing Co.In P.B.No.5010,Lake,Wylie Sc-29710,U.S.A	
Ici Pac Church Compound 14,Cockburn Road Banglore-560005	Bible School And Research Institute Janatha Road Vytila Kochi-682019	
Amar Jyothy India P.B.No.4548 Haus Khas, New Delhi-110016	Indian Christian Bible College Thengode Cochin-682 021	
Rev.Edision Christian Al.Bashir P.B.No.13,Patel Nagar Delhi-110 016	ICPI "Angelos" P.B.N:100,Changanasserry-  Kottayam Dist Kerala	
Viswavni P.B.No.4310 New Delhi-110 019		
Bethany Academy Vennikkulam Thiruvalla-689544 Kerala.		
Evangelical Literature Service 95A-Vepery High Road, Chennai-600 007		

**Bible Correspondence Courses undergone during 1999-2001  
for collecting evidence of Conversion through Bible Courses**

World Bible School, Dept. Ind22, PB.9346, Austin, Texas-78766, U.S.A

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Penny Hawkins, Church of Christ, KS 010, 13875 W. 151 St., Olathe, KS-66062, U.S.A

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Becky Thomas, Code-AL-36, VaughnPark Church of Christ, 3800 Vaugan Road,  
Montgomery, AL-36106,USA.

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“SOON”, Wiilington, Derby, DE 65, 6BN, England.

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Christ Message Center, PB.5416, Kaundampalayam.P.O., Coimbatore-641030  
(Reg.No:56280)

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Christian Education Institute, PB.No:8, Kailisserry.P.O-689124, Chengannur, Kerala  
(Reg.No:5938)

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ICI University, P.B.NO:1, Andrews Ganj, New Delhi-110 049(Reg.No:KLA/969/0)

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Open Bible Class, 29/56/E, Janatha Road, Vyttila.P.O-682019, Cochin, Kerala (Reg:No205)

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Emmaus Bible Studies, Angamaly-683 572, Kerala (Reg.No:17736)

\*

Grace Bible Correspondence Course, Ettumanoor-686631, Kerala (Reg.No:6487)

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Christian Believers Assembly, P.B.1870, Kaloor.P.O., Cochin-17, Kerala  
(Reg.No.S-7)

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D.Stang, ”SOON”, P.B.No.8436, Banglore, 560084(Reg.No.49-7-7-00)

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Abundant Life Resources, P.B.No.24, Secunderabad- 500026(Reg.No.21923/E)

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Emmaus Bible School, P.B.No:470, 12-EVK Sampath Road, Vepery,  
Madras-7(Reg.No:2002029)

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The Catholic Enquiry Center, 115, Hill Road, Bandra, Mumbai-400050(Reg.No:57/6253)

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Bible Correspondence Course, HEBRON, Golconda Cross Road, Hyderabad-  
500020(Reg.No:AE/3922)

## **Specimens of Missionary reports from their fields.**

### **Mr. Thomas Sundaram, Missionary at Merkathianur, Tamilnadu reports:**

“Over 1000 persons were presented with the Gospel. Sunday worship and evening classes for students were conducted. 25 students attended the classes and 800 people were met in the Good Samaritan Eye Hospital. A coolie by name paneerselvam has accepted Jesus Christ as his personal saviour. God has performed many miracles in his life. **25 persons has been baptized** and two are ready for Baptism. A church building is necessary here”.(page 11, *National Missionary Intelligencer, Dec.2002*)

### **Missionary Of Friends Missionary Prayer Band, from Harur, Tamilnadu**

“Seven new villages are reached and 2000 persons heard the Gospel. More than **100 persons are getting ready for baptism**. Shenthamarai, a women attempted suicide. Believers helped her at the right moment. Now the family consisting of five numbers has come to the lord. Party for a church needed at Harur. 21 families come there for worship. Pry for lord registration at sundakapatty and for church construction there”.  
(page 32, *Friend focus, sept.2002*)

### **Missionary From Silvassa, Dadra & Nagar Havan, Union Territory**

“**393 persons have begun new life in Christ**. In the two-days fasting prayer held at four places, 935 persons took party. Party for shankar bhai and his associates who disturb the ministry.”(page 17, *friends focus, Dec.2000*)

## **Missionary Reports taken as sourcematerials for this study**

### **National Missionary Intelligencer**

(Monthly issues:1998 Dec  
1999 June, July, Sep, Dec  
2000 Jan, Mar, June, July, August, Oct, Dec  
2002 Jan, Mar, Apr, May, June)

Published by

**The National Missionary Society Of India,**  
No:207, Peters Road, Royappettah,  
Chennai-600 014; Tel: 044-8531314,  
8583804,  
E-Mail:nmsi@md4.vsnl.net.in

### **NMS Varthapathrika(Malayalam)**

Vol:11,Nos:6,7,10,11,12

Vol:12,Nos:5,6,7,8,9,11

Vol:13, Nos:1,2,3,4

Published by **P.V. Alexander,**

Panachamoottil,

Near Railway station, Thiruvalla-689

101,kerala

[Tel:0473-601008(Resi);0473-630587 (office)]

on behalf of **The National Missionary Society of India,** 207, Peter's Road, Royappettah, Chennai-600 014

### **Missions India News Bulletin**

(Malayalam)

2000 Oct-Dec Issue

2000 Jul-Sept Issue

Published by **Missions India**

**Communication,**

Navjaeevodayam Center, thiruvalla-5,  
Kerala

[Tel: 0473- 634359, 630561;

Fax:0473-635815;

E-mail: [navjeeva@satyam.net.in](mailto:navjeeva@satyam.net.in);

Website: [www.missionsindia.org](http://www.missionsindia.org)

### **Friends Focus(English)**

Continuous issue from

2000 July 2001 June

Published by **Friends Missionary prayer Band**

29,Hifh School Road, Secretariat Colony,  
Ambattur, Chennai-600 053;

Tel:6250404, 6247343,6247353,6247363

Fax:0091-44-6233353;

E-mail: [friends@giasmd01.vsnl.net.in](mailto:friends@giasmd01.vsnl.net.in)

### **Mithrasamaachar(Malayalam)**

(Monthly issue:

2000 May to 2001 Jan, Feb, March)

Published by **K.C. John,**

Puthenpurackl, Valiyappally Street

Kottiyam-686001, Tel:585783

on behalf of **Friends Missionary Prayer Band,**

29, High School road, Secretariat Colony,  
Ambattur, Channai-600053.

### **Viswavani Samarpan(Malayalam)**

(Monthly issue:1999Oct, 2000 March,

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**Details of Proselytisations done by  
Friends Missionary Prayer Band  
From 2000 July to 2001 June**

<b>State</b>	'00 July	'00 Aug	'00 Sep	'00 Oct	'00 Nov	'00 Dec	'11 Jan	'11 Feb	'11 Mar	'11 Apr	'11 May	'11 Jun	<b>Total</b>
Jammu & Kashmir	48	--	22	6	--	14	18	--	22	--	--	19	<b>149</b>
Himachal Pradesh	13	--	50	--	--	--	50	--	--	--	--	--	<b>113</b>
West Bengal	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5	5	--	<b>10</b>
Haryana	--	--	22	8	--	--	--	--	22	--	17	--	<b>69</b>
Rajasthan	6	2	13	--	--	--	--	5	--	4	--	--	<b>30</b>
Uttar Pradesh	--	3	62	20	--	14	46	58	41	15	--	130	<b>389</b>
Madhya Pradesh	45	--	--	12	--	83	--	28	--	65	67	--	<b>300</b>
Jharkhand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	381	607	293	587	551	<b>2419</b>
Chathisgarh	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	12	--	<b>12</b>
Bihar	116	57	365	123	155	431	264	--	--	--	--	--	<b>1511</b>
Orissa	--	--	--	--	--	16	7	2	8	7	4	--	<b>44</b>
Gujarat	46	52	307	121	274	391	193	15	101	93	142	97	<b>1832</b>
Maharashtra	18	73	85	--	--	291	106	604	127	166	99	24	<b>1593</b>
Karnataka	81	54	117	35	28	47	15	39	46	125	41	70	<b>698</b>
Andhra Pradesh	116	--	--	20	--	--	1	--	--	10	55	--	<b>202</b>
Tamilnadu	374	218	319	302	270	194	63	307	299	265	86	65	<b>2744</b>
Punjab	--	21	5	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<b>26</b>
Delhi	--	2	4	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	<b>9</b>
Dadranagar Haveli(U.T)	--	--	--	--	393	--	--	--	--	150	--	--	<b>543</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>1371</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>1120</b>	<b>1481</b>	<b>763</b>	<b>1439</b>	<b>1273</b>	<b>1198</b>	<b>1118</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>12693</b>

**Note:**

The above details have been abridged from 'Missionary Report' which forms a part of 'Friend's Focus'(12 continuous issues from 2000 July to 2001 June) published by Friends Missionary Prayer Band.

A 'Family is counted as 4 i.e; where a missionary reports that a family has accepted Christ, it is presumed that 4 persons have accepted Christ, for calculation sake.It is to be noted that a north Indian family may have much more than 4 members.



**Proselytisations done by  
Friends Missionary Prayer Band  
From 2000 January to 2000 December -**

**Inconsistency in Missionary Report**

'Friends Focus', January 2001 issue clearly consolidates the numbers of conversions done by them in one year. The consolidation report can be tabulated as follows:

Haryana	- 1
Rajasthan	- 14
Maharashtra & Gujarat	- 9,575
Silvassa(Dadra & Nagar)	- 385
Silvassa(Dadra & Nagar)	- 393
Silvassa(Dadra & Nagar)	- 137
Boradi	- 316
Peint	- 258
Chamar people	- 447
Maltos people	- 1,822
Santhaslls people	- 1,835
Oraons people	- 137
Dungra Bhil people	- 51
Himachal Pradesh	- 43
Orissa	- 19
Jammu Kashmir	- 92
Punjab	- 89
Delhi	- 6
Andhra Pradesh	- 19
Karnataka	- 584
Tamilnadu	- 2,854
<b>Total conversions</b>	<b>- 18,433</b>

The total reveals that some figures are missing. The fascinating fact about this report is that these figures do not agree with the figures already reported earlier. For example, it is reported that in Himachal Pradesh, 43 persons have been converted. But the fact is that 63 people have been converted in 2000 July & September itself as per earlier monthly reports, 393 people have been converted in Silvassa i.e; in Dadra & Nagar Haveli(UT). But their early consideration tells us that 925 people have been converted. Similar anomalies can be seen on comparison of these two reports.

**Details of Proselytisations done by  
NATIONAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF INDIA  
For 15 months from '99 June to 2001 June**

<b>State</b>	'99 Jun	'99 Jul	'99 Sep	'99 Dec	'00 Jan	'00 Jun	'00 Jul	'00 Aug	'00 Oct	00- '01 Dec- Jan	'01 Mar- Apr	'01 May- Jun	<b>Total</b>
Tamilnadu	185	6	--	--	132	140	--	66	20	55	56	122	<b>782</b>
Andhra Pradesh	12	9	2	20	12	3	11	--	14	6	28	38	<b>155</b>
Kerala	3	3	4	--	2	--	1	--	2	--	7	12	<b>34</b>
Karnataka	22	27	66	--	61	67	21	5	--	16	13	23	<b>321</b>
Maharashtra	4	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	9	<b>14</b>
Bihar	4	6	8	22	36	--	20	--	4	4	2	--	<b>106</b>
West Bengal	1	--	--	9	8	--	--	--	115	--	--	18	<b>151</b>
Sikkim	42	--	51	10	--	--	69	47	--	35	23	37	<b>314</b>
Orissa	--	6	20	4	3	8	9	--	--	--	60	17	<b>127</b>
Punjab	--	8	--	6	--	--	--	23	2	--	32	9	<b>80</b>
Madhya Pradesh	--	8	--	--	5	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	<b>14</b>
Haryana	--	2	2	--	5	--	1	--	--	--	--	--	<b>10</b>
Uttar Pradesh	--	--	17	27	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<b>44</b>
Jammu Kashmir	3	--	9	--	3	--	--	1	2	5	--	--	<b>23</b>
Rajasthan	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	4	--	<b>4</b>
Jharkhand	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	55	--	<b>55</b>
Delhi	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	<b>3</b>
Nepal***	--	--	--	--	62	2	--	20	2	11	--	30	<b>127</b>
Bhutan***	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	<b>2</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>2366</b>

\*\*\**Note:* Nepal and Bhutan are not part of India. Figures regarding Nepal and Bhutan are included in this chart to indicate the Missionary work of this particular organization has spread even to our neighbouring countries.

**Details of observation made by A. Bhaskaran,  
General Secretary, the National Missionary Society of India,  
On his visit to Bijapur during 4.11.99 to 7.11.99  
(Ref:Page:3, National Missionary Intelligencer, 1990 Dec.)**

	Name of Missionary & Bible Women	Field	No. of Baptism	No. of Believers ready for Baptism	No. of Prayer Fellowships	Nearest Church
1.	Samuel B. Gangi Kasturi.S. Gangi	Darga	1	12	15	CSI Church
2.	D.Prabhudas	Bijapur	69	--	3	CSI Church
3.	Bhushnam.J.Balaji Ratnamma	Hosur	1	5	1	CSI Church
4.	K.A. Immanuel Jasmine	Halesagar	--	4	3	Methodic church 35 Kms away
5.	K.N.Basawaraj Swarna	Gogi	--	5	3	Methodic church
6.	T. Bhaskar Mary	Kodegal	41	10	35	Methodic church
7.	Yesudas Sabitha	Baratgi	--	12	35	CSI Church Bijapur
8.	Nemu.D.Pujari	Konandur	25	19	5	Pentecostal &CSI Church
9.	C.Kasinadh Chithramma	Thiruthahalli	--	4	--	CSI Bethal Thiruthahalli
10.	Kisan.N.Pawar Sarah.K.Pawar	Hosur	7	15	7	Methodic church 20 Kms away
11.	Simon Siddhappa Maharashtra	Bijapur	4	11	3	CSI Church Bijapur
12.	Aswin Kumar Suna Swarna	Marwade	30	6	1	Naderwar
13.	Ambaj Bandari	Kagal	4	4	5	CNI Church
		<b>Total</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>116</b>	

**Balance Sheet Of Friends Missionary Prayer Band as on 31.3.2000**

**Main Features**

Capital:	5,74,40,243.66
Fixed Assets:	3,71,32,356.66
Bank Deposits:	2,91,79,694.00
Land & Building:	2,55,75,773.50
Motor Cycles:	27,39,367.30
Total Income:	9,29,31,750.48
Total Expenditure:	8,24,75,000.34
Excess of Income over Expenditure:	1,04,56,750.14
Bank of Fixed Deposits During 99-00:	1,04,00,000.00
Foreign Contribution:	2,32,29,803.30
Donation to Church construction:	97,30,434.25
Income from Child Sponsorship:	53,96,672.25
Salary & TA(Domestic & FRC):	3,28,54,183.00
Purchases of Assets:	1,44,31,529.85
Project Expenses:	1,34,94,857.75
Depreciation:	48,31,411.55
Printing:	45,61,395.07
Posting:	13,08,671.75
Christmas Gift Expenses(Domestic & FRC):	36,89,592.90
Rent:	11,32,165.65
Telephone:	10,74,819.36

From balance sheet for the year ending 31.03.2000, audited by M/S. Jeyarag & Co., Chartered Accountants, 118, High Road, Tirunelveli-627001, Tel: 333954, 576899 and signed by Mr.Jeyaraj.V. Rayen, B.Com, F.C.A.(Balance sheet published in 'Friends Focus October 2000)

**Balance Sheet of Viswavani as on 31.03.1999 & 31.03.2000**

**A comparison of Main heads**

	<b><u>31.03.2000</u></b>	<b><u>31.03.1999</u></b>
Capital:	1,06,48,092.86	1,04,62,702.09
Fixed Assets:	87,24,980.40	89,07,445.90
Deposits:	37,27,621.46	23,12,976.19
Land & Building:	73,71,928.00	69,88,374.50
Motor Cycle:	81,562.80	53,286.00
Total Income:	3,02,31,953.00	2,42,39,923.97
Total Expenditure:	3,00,46,563.00	2,19,26,271.09
Excess of income over Expenditure:	1,85,390.77	23,13,652.88
Offertory box collections:	1,22,48,336.26	87,99,353.29
Income From Sponsorship:	1,15,92,111.55	90,95,240.10
Salary & TA:	1,96,62,755.00	1,39,90,195.50
Staff welfare, Product Fund & Gratuity:	29,59,043.85	21,28,424.20
Fixed Deposits:	11,00,000.00	-----
Purchase of Assets:	16,78,890.50	-----
Depreciation:	4,71,356.00	-----
Printing:	5,39,182.25	6,01,734.40
Postage:	9,64,160.00	4,01,295.00
Christmas Gift Expenses:	6,93,656.00	6,29,500.00
Telephone:	6,81,737.50	4,65,838.72

From balance sheet for the year ending 31.03.2000, audited by M/S. Leo Amalraj & Associates, 3-6-226, Himayatnagar, Hyderabad -500 029; Tel:3221148 and signed by Mr.Leo Amaljaj.(Balance sheet published in 'Viswavani Samarpan, July 2000)

## Marketing a corpse

**Figures from the Balance sheet of  
National Missionary Society of India  
207, Peter's Road, Royappettah, Chennai-600 014**

	@	@	#
	<u>96-97(1 Year)</u>	<u>97-98(1 Year)</u>	<u>August 2000</u> (1 Month)
Income	48,45,701.00	51,16,860.00	7,96,664.00
Expenditure	44,25,714.00	54,10,535.00	4,07,716.00
Missionary Expenses	38,20,498.00	43,97,749.00	Not Available
Salary	28,59,401.00	31,18,834.00	Not Available
Administrative Expensive	2,23,320.00	2,87,209.00	Not Available
Financial Charges	---	3,19,407.00	Not Available
Charitable Activities	3,68,479.00	3,93,660.00	Not Available
Printing	3,31,668.00	3,67,964.00	Not Available
Data Processing Charges	18000.00	18000.00	Not Available
Loan from Indian Overseas Bank, Royappettah, Madras	35,81,538.00	---	---

The average monthly income during 96-97 and 97-98 is nearly 3.5 lakhs. A sudden increase in monthly income can be observed from the income of a single month-August 2000. the total income for one month has risen upto nearly 18 lakhs i.e; 6 times of the previous year. This figure should be viewed, considering the fact that stains was burnt on January, 23,1999 and mass propogated about |Christian persecution in India was raised worldwide. Considerable increase in income can be seen in the case of similar missionary groups after the "Staines Episode". Average monthly income of National Missionary Society of India has grown up to the range of 8-10 lakhs.

@ - Figure from the balance sheet 1996-97 & 1997-98, published in National Intelligencer, Dec1998.

# - Income and expenditure for the month of August 2000, published in national Missionary intelligencer, Dec 2000.

### **Some Important Evangelical Organizations in India**

- |   |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| 1. Indian Pentecostal Church            | 10. Church of God                    |
| 2. Assemblies of God                    | 11. Indian Pentecostal Mission       |
| 3. Jehova's Witnesses                   | 12. Missions India                   |
| 4. Gospel for Asia                      | 13. Mormons                          |
| 5. Harvest Mission Church               | 14. Viswavni                         |
| 6. Born Again                           | 15. Evangelical Free Church of India |
| 7. Friends Missionary Prayer Band       | 16. Baptist Church of India          |
| 8. Seventh Day Adventist Church         | 17. Indian Inland Mission            |
| 9. National Missionary Society oh India | 18. India Mission Association.       |

### **Various Ministers, Teams, Programmers etc. For the promotion of evangelization**

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|--|---|
| 1. Pioneering Ministry                 | 24. Women's Camp  |
| 2. Literature Ministry                 | 25. Adult's Camp  |
| 3. Bible Correspondence Ministry       | 26. Seekers Camp  |
| 4. Personal Contact Ministry           | 27. Follow-up Camp  |
| 5. Training Ministry                   | 28. Village Camp  |
| 6. Social Development Ministry         | 29. Church Construction Team                                |
| 7. Leadership Training Ministry        | 30. Survey and Research Team                                |
| 8. Church Building Ministry            | 31. Jeep Team   |
| 9. Film, Drama & Music Ministry        | 32. Jungle Team   |
| 10. Satsang & Gospel Ministry          | 33. Fellowships   |
| 11. Revival Ministry                   | 34. Conventions & Melas                                     |
| 12. Educational Ministry               | 35. Survey to Find out Receptive Areas of Gospel            |
| 13. Prison Ministry                    | 36. Health & Medical Treatment of Missionaries              |
| 14. Hospital Ministry                  | 37. Scholarship for higher studies of Missionaries children |
| 15. Vocational Training Ministry       | 38. Pension Scheme for Missionaries                         |
| 16. Adult literacy programme Ministry  | 39. Missionary support endowment fund                       |
| 17. Children's Home Ministry           | 40. Provision of Church Subsidy expenses                    |
| 18. Juvenile delinquency Home Ministry | 41. Cycle, Motor Cycle, Jeep, Van etc for Missionaries      |
| 19. Ministry of mentally retarded      | 42. Warm Cloth Allowances for Missionaries                  |
| 20. AIDS awareness Ministry            | 43. Holiday Allowances                                      |
| 21. Children's Camp                    | 44. Employees Feature Provision Fund                        |
| 22. Teenagers Camp                     | 45. Higher Study Scholarship for staff and Missionaries.    |
| 23. Youth Camp                         |   |

**A BRIEF OUTLINE ABOUT  
'MISSIONS INDIA'**

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A children congregation started at Thiruvalli, Kerala, in 1951 by navajeevodayam K.V. Cheriyan, with its main objective as 'Evangelisation of India', grew up to form "Evangelise India fellowship" in 1964. A bible school for imparting training to Missionaries, was started in 1983. it was in 1989 that "Mission India" came into being. Missionary work started at yamunanagar in Haryana. Missions India mainly concentrates outside kerala.

- ❖ Motto "Reach the unreached At any cost"
- ❖ Mission fields:81
- ❖ Missionaries:225
- ❖ Missionary Training centers: Yamunanagar(Haryana), Jammu(J&K), Jalp(MP),  
Khurda (Orissa), sindhipet (AP)  
These Training centers produce 45 missionaries each, every year.
- ❖ No. of conversions: Approx:600
- ❖ Service area :India & Nepal
- ❖ No. of Churches built:5
- ❖ No. of conversions through medical service:150  
(This was made possible by the effort of the hospital ministry group aiming at  
Evangelisation through medical service", consisting of a team of 14  
missionaries, 2 doctors, 2 nurses and 2 lab technicians)
- ❖ 14 orphans are sheltered in Chappadkhanda in Orissa
- ❖ Tailoring classes conducted in khanspur (Haryana), and Jalap (MP)
- ❖ 2 public schools are being run at Yamunanagar (Haryana) & Jalap (MP)
- ❖ Literacy classes are conducted by the Missionary especially in northeast India, and  
Nepal, to enable the illiterate to know about Jesus.
- ❖ Skilled training in composing, printing, typewriter, shorthand, tailoring etc is conducted  
at various centers.
- ❖ From 1994 onwards, an electronic diploma course has been started with a view to  
spreading the message of Jesus.
- ❖ The organization is registered under 'Societe's Act'.
- ❖ **Aims & Objectives:** To establish the kingdom of Jesus, incorporating other similar  
organizations and various sects of Christian community, & utilizing every facilities and  
media which may accelerate evangelization. to extend a helping hand to those who are  
involved in "Total evangelization of India ". To spread the Gospel in places where it has  
not been reached.

(Data as in 1998, as started by MISSIONS INDIA, vide their pamphlet published by George  
Chrian, General secretary Missions India)



## About 'VISWAVANI'

Started in 1987

Headquarters: Hyderabad

Area of work-24 states (in2001)

Mission fields-321

Full-time evangelists-723

Prayer groups-411

Publications: *Viswavani samarpan* in

English, Bengal, Kannada, Oriya,  
Gujarati, Marathi, Hindi, Malayalam,  
Tamil, & Telugu.

## Available details of some states as on June 2001

<u>State</u>	<u>Mission Fields</u>	<u>Missionaries</u>
Sikkim	4	4
West Bengal	16	27
Delhi	3	8
Haryana	3	10
Rajasthan	7	13
Uttar Pradesh	27	49
Madhya Pradesh	4	15
Bihar	10	16
Orissa	20	31
Gujarat	4	97
Maharastra	8	28
Karnataka	18	43
Tamilnadu	2	4
Manipur	1	2
Himachal Pradesh	3	6
Jammu Kashmir	2	4
Chathisgarh	3	5
Jharkhand	9	11
Andhra Pradesh-1	29	58
Andhra Pradesh-2	77	147

**Know “Viswavani”...up to date**

**Details as on 2002 November**

<u>State</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Villages</u>	<u>Missionaries</u>	<u>Mission fields</u>	<u>People groups</u>
J & K	77,18,700	6,652	7	16	Kashmir, Ladakhi, Hindi
Himachal	51,70,877	19,831	2	1	Himichal Pradesh
Punjab	2,02,81,969	12,729	2	1	Punjab, Hindi
Haryana	1,64,63,618	6,955	7	12	Haryana, Hindi Jatt
Delhi	94,20,644	165	5	20	Hindi
Rajasthan	4,40,05,990	41,353	11	30	Bill, Marvi, Mina Rajput.
UP	13,20,67,287	1,07,440	38	102	Avadi, Taru, Garwali, Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Bihar	6,45,74,465	45,113	2	12	Avadhi, Taru, Garwali Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Sikkim	4,06,457	452	6	12	Avadhi, Taru, Garwali Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Tripura	27,57,202	870	17	42	Kukbora, Riang, Limbu Neo Buddhist, Dhabaram Yamathiy, Uchhai
West	2,18,00,000	32,615	9	37	Oravan, Sadri, Mundari Santhali, Loha, Gungsi, Bengal Maithli.
Orissa	3,16,59,736	51,352	35	96	Oriya, Saura, Kui, Bitiya, Munda, Ho, Oravan, Sambipure, Tibetan, Santhali.
Gujarath	4,13,09,582	18,544	101	294	Gimit, Vasava, Chowdari, Bili, Dhodia, Kathiawadi, Dulpa, Kotavalia, Kathudia, Garasia, Patelia Mouchi, Plathode, Garmali,

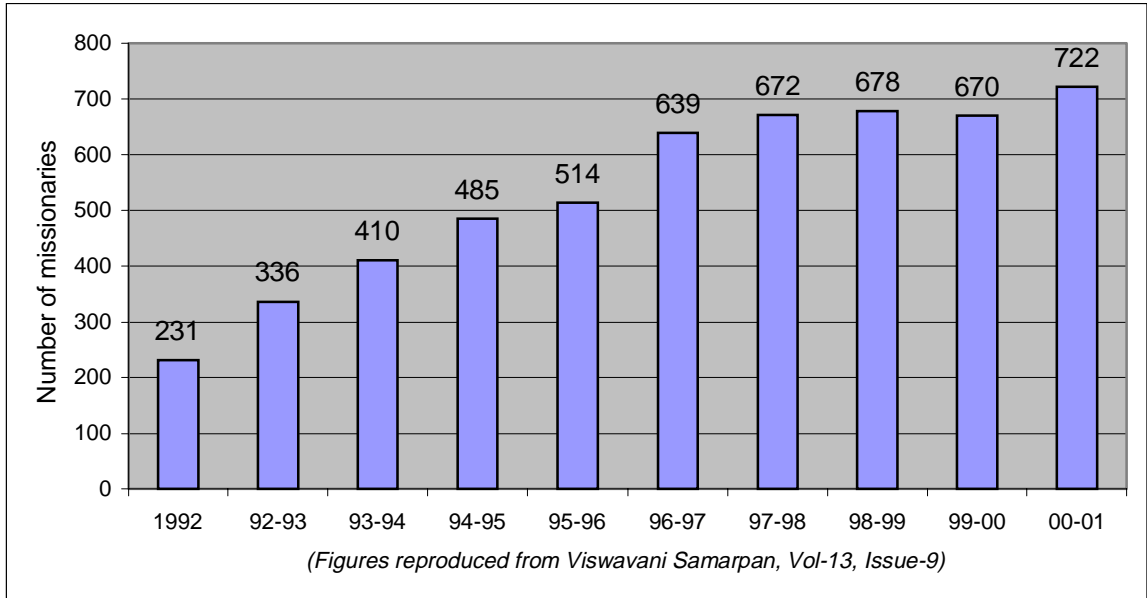
					Majirana, wanker Kukkuna, Godia, Gondia, Kogal, Chowhan, Mayavanshi, Nayaka, Gujarati, Gari.
Maharastra	7,89,37,187	43,722	34	54	Marathi, Benjara, Gondia, Neo-Buddhist, Kohadi, Mong, Mahar, Sambar, Teli.
AP	7,89,37,187 (Population and number of villages erroneously repeated by Viswani)	43,772	321	895	Telugu, Chenchu, Benjara, Saru, Mathuri, Gondia, Paidi, Erukkali, Kondadur, Jatap Valmaki, Kumari Katamba, Koya, Ediga Mahavir, Dekkani, Nayak, Enadi, Pradhan, Dodi.
Karnataka	4,49,77,201	29,483	42	75	Kannada, Lingayath, Kurumba, Nayak, Idaga Boya, Lambadi, Bollass Adi, Karnataka, Madika, Madika, Kshathriya, Deccani.
Tamilnadu	5,58,58,496	16,317	1	6	Irular, Benjara, Kuravar Tamalir.

\*\*\* People group means the community which the missionaries have targeted for conversion.

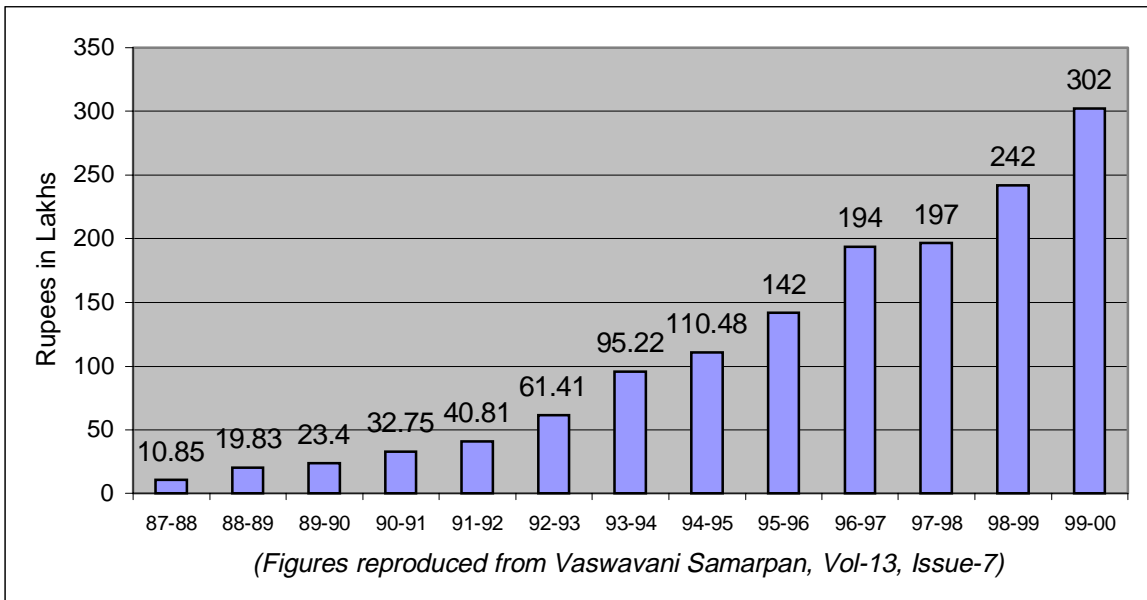
\*\*\* A detailed study of this chart shall reveal the tactics behind the anti Hindu propoganda about Gujarat, all over the country. This study shall also point out the Andhra Pradesh is yet another potential area where allegations of the atrocities of 'Saffron bridge' may rock the country in future.

\*\*\*This Missionary organization does not concentrate on Tamilnadu & kerala as others do. This does not mean that they have no activities in these states. A major portion of their manual income is donations and offertory box collections from Kerala.

### Growth in number of missionaries of “Viswani



### Growth in yearly income of “Viswavani ‘from 1987 to 2000



## **Policies of Christian organization on Conversion-**

### **Two examples**

#### **The National Missionary Society of India**

*(The National Missionary intelligencer-Sept-1999)*

“If there is there is an opportunity for the Church to have a public debate in our country on conversion ,as suggested by our prime minister, Vajpayee, the Church and the Christian institutions must explain the mandate they have received from their Lord Jesus Christ unashamedly with conviction, to bring about a transformation in the life of individuals as well as the communities. On the bases of the Constitution of our country, which gives us the freedom of practice and propagation of faith, we ought to be involved in the mission of god. What else is the purpose of the existence of the Church today? I believe the church has to taken its mission of training the lives of people and the evil structures of the society. For this noble cause, |Christians should be willing to fight till the end”.

**Gospel Literature Service** (*chapter:13, page:171-182, 'Christian's attitude towards world Religions'* by Ajith Fernando originally published by Tyndel House Publishers Inc., Wheaton, USA in 1987 and republished in India in 1988 by Gospel Literature service, Udyog Bhavan,250-D, Worli, Mumbai-400025)

“By now, it should be clear that, we view evangelism with CONVERSION as a goal. We want to see people leave their former faiths, whether they are secular or religious faiths, and follow Christ as their only Lord”

“Proselytism has taken place often in the history of the Church. Whenever people become Christians that do not touch the core of the Gospel, proselytism has taken place. It took place often when Christian countries ruled other nations. Many became Christians because it was economically and socially advantages to do so. Sometimes, political pressure was exerted on non –Christians and people become Christian to save their skin and not their soul. Some people have felt that Colonialism has helped in Evangelisations. Certainly, we can affirm the Sovereign God uses all situations to work out some good.”

“Five signs have emerged out of these experience that we have found, give evidence to true conversion”. ”First, we must find out weather this person has understood that salvation is a gift of Grace. In place of the rituals and practices of their old religion, they have taken on the rituals and practices of Christianity. To accept Christianity is to accept Church “. “a second evidence of conversion is the willingness of the of the convert to make Christ , his only Lord. He is willing to give up the idols in his life, Secular and religious. He is willing to stop worshipping at the temple or to stop looking for guidance from his horoscope when he is told that Christians do not do such things. If he shuns the practices of his former life, then we have evidence that he is no longer trusting in another god for salvation and that he has placed his trust in Christ alone”. “Thirdly, this person is willing to obey Christ, even if it is costly to do so”. “Fourth sign is that the person is willing to pay the price of Love”. ” Fifth, this person has the desire to study the Scriptures.”

**DETAILS OF FOREIGN CONTRIBUTION RECEIVED  
FROM VARIOUS COUNTRIES BY CHRISTIAN, MUSLIM AND  
OTHER ORGANIZATIONS FROM 1999 JANUARY TO MARCH 31  
AS PER GOVT.RECORDS**

<b>COUNTRY</b>	<b>CHRISTIAN</b>	<b>MUSLIM</b>	<b>OTHERS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
U.S.A	297.68	1.72	6.44	305.84
Canada	273.11	--	25.31	298.42
Britain	190.77	0.22	5.11	196.10
Switzerland	172.95	13.56	76.02	262.53
Netherlands	55.34	--	14.68	70.02
Norway	---	--	3.50	3.50
Sweden	13.82	--	--	13.82
Spain	21.58	--	0.29	21.87
Austria	6.19	--	--	6.19
Australia	2.64	--	20.74	23.38
Belgium	73.63	--	0.13	73.76
France	2.73	--	--	2.73
Italy	111.15	--	8.17	119.32
Japan	5.43	--	--	5.43
Kuwait	--	10.62	--	10.62
Saudi Arabia	--	10.62	--	10.62
U.A.E	--	6.22	0.08	62.30
Other Countries	30.87	2.65	1.20	1537.75

82.41% of the total foreign contribution is received by Christian organization. The main Christian organization who are in respect of the major portion of the foreign contributions, are the following:-

1. United Church Board Bombay
2. Dr. Graham's Home West Bengal
3. Quilion Social Service Society, Kerala
4. Little Sisters of The Poor, West Bengal
5. Catholic Diocese, Wynad, Kerala
6. Partnership Mission Society, Manipur
7. Bishops House of Darjeeling, West Bengal
8. Christian Medical Association, Delhi
10. Jayarani Convert, Punjab
11. Haryana Social Work Center, Haryana
12. Association of Mizoram, Mizoram

Country: A 13 paged report submitted by central intelligence Dept. to central home Ministry on 1999 April 28. Reported by Mahesh Tamankar in Kesari Weekly dated 1999 June 13.

**FOREIGN CONTRIBUTION BY INTERNATIONAL CHRISTIAN ORGANIZATIONS DURING 1997-98 FOR EVANGELISATION IN INDIA**

<b>Organization</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Amount in Crores</b>
Christian Children Fund	USA	64.78
Evangelical Gentrestel	Germany	59.00
Faster Perennous Plan International	USA	55.45
International Catholic Missionary Work	Germany	48.90
Counernet Hilf	Germany	46.00
World Vision International	USA	37.54
Age Of Enlightenment Trust	Britan	27.00
Inter Church /O.ARD Committee	Netherlands	23.00
International Plant Parenthood Foundation	Beitan	0.45
Christopher Binden Mission	Germany	20.00
Opera Zone Bonco	Italy	19.40
Inter State Invictship	Germany	19.10
Bread For The World	Germany	16.00
Mission Procure	Germany	15.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>451.62</b>

Figures are quoted by G.K. Suresh babu, in his investigative work on communalism in 'Samakaaleena Malayalam' weekly of the New Indian Express dated 25.02.2000. this work had been rated as the best investigative journalistic work in the year 2000.(Spelling mistakes of the organization may be due to translation from Malayalam and is regretted.)

**Note:**

As per government records, the inflow of funds of a period of 3 months is 15.38 crores.( I.e; about 60 crores in one year when projected). But the unofficial figures(451.62 crores ) reveal the government records are very much underestimated. Government records show only the foreign funds routed through the accounts of established organizations which come under the purview of Foreign Currency Regulation Act. If the fund inflow to the personal accounts or evangelists are also taken into account, this figure may reach unlimited heights. It is worth to be noted that most evangelists have NRI status, so that the income is exempted from the purview of the Income Tax Rules of India.

## **HOLY PATHS TO CHRISTENDOM**

(Extracts from the book "Missionaries" published by BBC)

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No country in the world has played host to a large, more determined missionary invasion than Papua New Guinea. The island's huge land mass supports a population estimated at 33,000,000. Yet a modest calculation puts the total number of missionaries at 2,300, or one missionary for every 1,430 Papua New Guineans. This, undoubtedly underestimates the number of missionaries in the country, yet as even it stands, it gives Papua New Guinea the highest proportion of missionaries anywhere in the world. In Indonesia, the ratio of missionaries to native inhabitants is 1:1,20,000. In India, it is 1:8,50,000. Even in Kerala the Mecca for modern missionaries, the ratio is 1:11,000." (page 53)

"Today HCJB is one of the seventy missionary radio and television stations worldwide. It has a staff of 600 missionaries and an annual budget of 10 million dollars...HCJB has long since expanded its audience beyond Quichua and Latin America beaming its Good News as far as Japan, Soviet Union and the South Pacific. To provide power to its ten transmitters with cumulative output of one million watts, the station has constructed its own hydro-electric power station, high in the Andes, generating enough electricity to supply a city of 2,00,000 people." (page 163)

"Whenever missionaries have encountered other great religious cultures such as Buddhism, Hinduism and Islam, the people have remained quite resistant and sometimes downright hostile" (page 165-166)

"In one reported case, a pilot from The Missionary Aviation Fellowship flew a Masai elder over the summit of his sacred mountain, Oldonyo Lengai where his god was believed to reside, to prove him that his God did not exist....with each new Masai (a Kenya tribal group) convert, the Mission (Baptist Mission of Kenya) edges nearer its target for the year 2000." (page 27)

"The United States Center for World Mission, Pasadena, has identified 16,750 unreached people groups or 'Hidden People'. To reach these people by the year 2000 is the evangelicals' dream....Today's missionary resources include not only fleets of vehicles and aeroplanes, but also radio and television stations with regular audiences of 1.1 billion, 22,000 books a year, four billion tracts, 42 million computers, and 200 million computer specialists

Southern California has the greatest concentration of Protestant missionary organizations in the world. Among the largest is Campus Crusade for Christ which has its headquarters on a magnificent 2700 acre estate at Lake Arrowhead that once a luxury resort hotel...(About Jesus Film) none of the major studios would get involved in a ten million dollar movie based on St. Luke's Gospel. Finally the cost of the film was underwritten by American tycoon Bunker Hunt and his wife Caroline...the film has been seen by five billion people in 271 languages and 1000 dialects by the year 2000. One hundred language versions of the film have already been completed (before 1990)... Campus Crusade is the very epitome of the modern American



Mission: large, rich, optimistic and evangelical. It has grown rapidly and has more than 16,000 full time and associated staff members in 151 nations and an income of around 80 million dollars year (page 27-28)

“ A village cobbler turned Baptist scholar and linguist, William Carey has been called ‘the father of modern missions’. With his wife and children as reluctant companions, he set out for India in June 1793. over the next thirty years, from their base in serampore, he and his colleagues completed six translations of the Bible, and twenty-three new testaments. Carey himself learnt Bengali, Sanskrit and Marathi. His theological view was uncomplicated and unexceptional for men of this time: “ the religions embraced by the Indians were delusions of the Devil”(page18-19)

“ Father Henri Verjus was one of a group of French Catholic Missionaries who went to New Guinea in 1885. He prayed fervently for martyrdom before undertaking his mission. The party soon encountered hardship, lack of food, and disease, but this suffering was not enough for father Verjus. He inflicted other physical penance upon himself, believing the words of the Epistle to the Hebrews that ‘with out flowing of blood, there is no remission of sins.’ In his exceptional appetite for penance, he went as far as living on a cross of nails and engraving in his flesh, a bleeding way of the cross, which he kept open with salt and vinegar”....”while there are still missionaries martyrs today, their deaths are exceptional enough to make headlines even in the secular press. Today missionaries are unwelcome, they are really murdered, Just excluded. A century ago almost every country was open to missionaries of one tradition or another. Today it is said that sixty five countries are closed to all foreign missionaries, with three more closing their doors every year.”(page24-25)

“In 601, Pope Gregory the great, who had initiated Augustine’s mission to England in 596, wrote: the heathen temples of people need not be destroyed, only the idols which are to be found in them.....If the temples are well built, it is a good idea to detach them from the service of the devil and to adapt them for the worship of the God”.(page 64)

“Africa is rapidly emerging as the most Christian continent on earth. Nothing better illustrates this than the unorthodox missionary ministry of the west German pastor, Reinhard Bonnke.... Bonnke raised enough money from private donations, principally in Germany and South Africa, to fulfill his dreams. He commissioned the building of an enormous marquee , big enough to seat 35,000 people, standing seven stories high, and held in place by twelve masts and eighteen tons of steel cable.....He then set out on a series of crusade across Africa. The vehicles in which he traveled, were purchased half-price in west Germany; they had originally been ordered by colonel Qadhafi of libya, but he had been unable to pay fro them....The trucks designed to carry rockets and bombs will now be transporting the dynamite of the Holy Spirit.....Pastore Bonnake has a fleet of nineteen six-wheel-drive-truck s to carry him and his equipments across the continent. Bonnke preaches in the world largest tent, as if he were the ringmaster of the greatest shoe on earth.’ I want to win souls for Christ. I want new blood to enter the kingdom of God. The crushing burden of my heart is to get the unconverted covered’ ....His mission team counts their converts not in five and tens, but in tens of thousands”.(page 101-102)

What the missionaries brought to central and south America at that time was not evangelism but mass baptism....Judging from the numbers baptized, the conversion rate was astonishing, with records of 8000,10000 and even 14000 people being baptized in a single day.”(page 133)

“Rev. Thomas Bridges....argued as many have since that if civilizations did not come to the Indians (of South America) by the way of the Bible, it would come via a bullet and the Whisky bottle. The Indians were overcome not by the whiteman’s gun or his alcohol, but one of his children ailments-measles. The first serious epidemic was brought in by the crews of the Argentine Navy Vessels....This was the first of a series of epidemics-measles, scrofula, influenza against which the Indians had no inherited resistance....He received a grant of 50,000 acres of land from the Argentine Govt....so determined where the ranchers to get rid of the trouble some savings and some of them offered a bounty of 1 pound for every Indian killed. The natives was traced down like vermin and their only escape was into mission compounds, Indian reserves where they could be confined and disciplined. A reward of five pounds was given for every Indian delivered to the safe-keeping of missionary enclaves. Lucas Bridges(Son of Thomas Bridges) Wrote, ” Allen Gardiners plans were followed to a successful conclusion. I am well aware that, with in less than a century, the Feuglans as a race have become almost extinct, I deliberately used the word “successful”....A people had died out but the Gospel had reached them in time.” (page 141-142-143)

### **What Missionary Organizations Say.....**

1. Christians especially new converts, should be well aware of our constitution and be ready to use the helpful clauses.(Friends Focus: Nov.2002)
2. God, in his providence, has provided many clauses (in the constitution) of support to believers and new converts in the laws (Friends Focus: Nov.2002)
3. This year our target is 24,500 souls and congregations.(General Secretary's preface by R. John kirubakarna, Friends Focus: June 2001).
4. "Let us multiply in thousands". Our missionaries are working with the aim of bringing to the fold of Christ, 50,000 persons and forming 600 worshipping groups. Hope you all read about this, in my letter in the last issue of 'Friend Focus'. It was by mistake mentioned that " this year, our target is 24,500 souls and 350 congregations". In fact our missionaries work with the target of leading 50,000 persons to Christ and forming 600 worshipping groups.....We have to make sure, that the monthly financial needs of the field ministry is met every month. If this is not done, and the projects and programmes planed for, every month are not accomplished, the overall plan of leading 50,000 people to Christ may nor be a possibility. This is what the missionaries tell us, "Send us the money needed for all our programmes every month and then we will achieve our target."(General Secretary's preface by R. John Kirubakaran, Friends Focus:July 2001)
5. Be watchful of religious groups who add complications like religious ordinance, penances, works of insist on belonging to a particular denomination. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
6. Loss of believers who are about to enter eternal life, is costlier than the life of missionaries. New believers should see the evidence of concern for them in the missionaries. Entering the kingdom of God is not easy because of satanic opposition. It is good to have trouble for its sake. Importance of reporting incidences in the field, can not be emphasized less( Friends Focus: 2001)
7. Miracles helped to establish the superiority of Christian faith. The devil uses traditional prejudices to hinder ministry. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
8. During mass conversions, effective Bible teaching program is essential. Caring for the material needs of the new believers in distress is a sign of maturity for a Church. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
9. In China, 31 years ago, the Christian population was only 4 million, but now, it is mare than 100 million. One of the secrets of this growth is that the Gospel is in the hands of the laymen. The second thing is that the Church in China does not gather in an established church building but at homes. There are more than 100 under ground Churches in the city of Beijing itself. Leaders who were imprisoned for 20 to 30 years lead these Churches. They are not afraid to be arrested by the Govt. police because they are bold enough to go back to prison. The Govt. does not want to arrest these people because they are over 60 years old. Thousands of young Christians are in prison to day for Jesus Christ. ( as quoted by Friends Focus: 2001 from ' Tortured for Christ ':feb 2001)
10. Challenge people to follow Jesus, with cautions words, in sensitive places. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
11. In our missionary, we have 142 worshipping groups, built 199 Churches and have led 14,373 persons to the lord. These facts figured in our discussions with Rt. Rev. Gavith, Bishop of the C.N.I. This year target end ministerial methods also came up in the discussions. ( Friends Focus: 2001)

12. Be concerned, when people show no sign of being disturbed by the Gospel in place begin newly evangelized. Open minded people, eager to examine what they here scripturally are good soil to sow gospel seed ( Friends Focus: 20)
13. Get to know the literature and objects of worship of the target people and use the information as link points to present the Gospel. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
14. Endure the extreme swing in the emotions of superstitious people. Attract controversy and conspiracy. Face persecution and probable death. The worth Christian faith could be best understood by a Christian when the faith is under attack. Suffering is a part of Christian life, especially in missions. One can not enter in to the enemy's territory with out suffering. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
15. There is possibility for opposition when converts from non-traditional communities enter the church. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
16. Resourceful India...Retrieved brotherhood...Relentless dream to come true...Replenish India with Churches for his Kingdom( Friends Focus: 2001)
17. Disputes between missionaries should be quickly settled since they have adverse effect on the expansion of the kingdom. ( Friends Focus: 2001)
18. Observing the religious rituals of the target group so as to win them to Christ, may be a good strategy. ( Friends Focus: 2002)
19. We are working from the year 1974 in Gujarat, which is the home for 4,50,000 Kutch people. Now there are 49 missionaries and 118 local evangelists of F.M.P.B. who are working among them. There are 39,5000 believers and 425 worshipping groups. We have built and dedicated 165 Churches. ( Friends Focus: 2002)
20. Do ministry as if each day would be your last one. ( Friends Focus: 2002)

**STATES AND UNION TERRITORIES IN INDIA**  
**Some relevant figures based on Census-1991**

State/U.T	Total Population	% to all India population	Rural population	Density of population (persons per Sq.Km.)	Literacy%
Andhra Pradesh	6,65,08,008	7.86	73.11	242	45.11
Arunachal Pradesh	8,64,558	0.1.	87.20	10	41.22
Assam	2,24,14,322	2.65	88.55	284	53.42
Bihar	8,63,74,465	10.21	86.86	497	38.54
Goa	11,69,793	0.14	59.00	316	76.96
Gujarat	4,13,09,582	4.88	65.51	210	61.29
Haryana	1,64,63,618	1.94	75.37	372	55.88
Himichal Pradesh	51,70,877	0.61	91.31	92	22.00
Jammu Kashmir	** 77,18,700	0.91	--	--	26.17
Karnataka	4,49,77,201	5.31	69.88	234	56.98
Kerala	2,96,98,518	3.44	73.69	747	93.00
Madhya Pradesh	6,61,81,170	7.82	76.82	149	43.45
Maharashtra	7,89,37,187	9.33	61.31	256	63.10
Manipur	18,37,119	0.22	72.48	82	60.96
Meghalaya	17,74,778	0.21	81.40	78	48.26
Mizoram	6,89,756	0.80	53.90	33	95.00
Nagaland	12,09,546	0.14	82.79	73	61.30
Orissa	3,16,59,736	3.74	86.62	202	48.65

Punjab	2,02,81,969	2.40	70.45	401	57.14
Rajasthan	4,40,05,900	5.20	77.12	129	38.81
Sikkim	4,06,457	0.05	90.90	57	56.53
Tamil Nadu	5,58,58,946	0.60	65.85	428	63.72
Tripura	27,57,205	0.33	84.70	263	60.44
Uttar Pradesh	13,91,22,877	16.44	80.16	471	41.71
West Bengal	6,80,77,965	8.04	72.52	766	57.72
Delhi	94,20,614	1.11	10.07	6319	79.09
Andaman Nicobar	2,89,661	0.03	73.09	34	23.74
Chandigarh	6,40,725	0.08	10.31	5631	22.73
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1,38,477	0.02	91.53	282	41.00
Daman Diu	1,01,586	0.01	53.20	906	73.58
Lakshadweep	51,651	0.01	43.69	1615	79.23
Pondicherry	8,07,785	0.09	36.00	1605	74.91

\*\*(1991 census has not been conducted in Jammu Kashmir Figures relating to Jammu & Kashmir are projections prepared by standing committee of experts on population projects)

**Know “ Viswani”...**

<u>State</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Villages</u>	<u>Missionaries</u>	<u>Mission fields</u>	<u>People groups</u>
J & K	77,18,700	6,652	7	16	Kashmir, Ladakhi, Hindi
Himachal	51,70,877	19,831	2	1	Himichal Pradesh
Punjab	2,02,81,969	12,729	2	1	Punjab, Hindi
Haryana	1,64,63,618	6,955	7	12	Haryana, Hindi Jatt
Delhi	94,20,644	165	5	20	Hindi
Rajasthan	4,40,05,990	41,353	11	30	Bill, Marvi, Mina Rajput.
UP	13,20,67,287	1,07,440	38	102	Avadi, Taru, Garwali, Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Bihar	6,45,74,465	45,113	2	12	Avadhi, Taru, Garwali Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Sikkim	4,06,457	452	6	12	Avadhi, Taru, Garwali Brajbhasha, Bhojpuri Kumaouni, Bundelkhandi
Tripura	27,57,202	870	17	42	Kukbora, Riang, Limbu Neo Buddhist, Dhabaram Yamathiy, Uchhai
West	2,18,00,000	32,615	9	37	Oravan, Sadri, Mundari Santhali, Loha, Gunsi, Bengal Maithli.
Orissa	3,16,59,736	51,352	35	96	Oriya, Saura, Kui, Bitiya, Munda, Ho, Oravan, Sambipure, Tibetan, Santhali.
Gujarath	4,13,09,582	18,544	101	294	Gimit, Vasava, Chowdari, Bili, Dhodia, Kathiawadi, Dulpa, Kotavalia, Kathudia, Garasia, Patelia Mouchi, Plathode, Garmali, Majirana, wanker Kukkuna,

					Godia, Gondia, Kogal, Chowhan, Mayavanshi, Nayaka, Gujarati, Gari.
Maharastra	7,89,37,187	43,722	34	54	Marathi, Benjara, Gondi, Neo-Buddhist, Kohadi, Mong, Mahar, Sambar, Teli.
AP	7,89,37,187 (Population and number of villages erroneously repeated by Viswani)	43,772	321	895	Telugu,Chenchu, Benjara, Saru, Mathuri, Gondi, Paidi, Erukkali, Kondadur, Jatap Valmaki, Kumari Katamba, Koya, Ediga Mahavir, Dekkani, Nayak, Enadi, Pradhan, Dodi.