

Snippets From KeyCom

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I'm Grateful

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

Last week those of us who live here in the States celebrated the national holiday of Thanksgiving. We are blessed to live in one of the few places on earth which sets aside a day to give thanks. My guess is that most other cultures either don't recognize the importance of gratitude, or tend to concentrate on what they don't have instead of the blessings they do have. I've also noticed that those who have a sense of entitlement are the least grateful.

The truth is we forfeited our rights to any blessings from God when we sinned and turned our backs on Him. Any blessings we have are ours not by right, but by His grace. Once we realize that, how can we not be grateful for all that we have and all the good which we experience?

In light of that, what do we have to be grateful for here at Key Communications? Here are a few of the blessings we've experienced this year:

Just a few days ago we recorded the 500th program in our expository series on various Bible books. After completing the Gospel of John (which, Lord willing, will happen next year) we will have covered most of the New Testament. The major sections still to cover are Matthew, the Corinthians letters and the Pastorals. How blessed we are to have God's Word and to be able to share it with others!

I've also been writing scripts for a series on the Prophets. The major emphasis is how the ministries and messages of the prophets point to the greatest Prophet of all – Jesus Christ. I'm over 40 programs in with at least that many to go. The study required has been a real blessing to me and deepened my own appreciation of how God has been working throughout history to reconcile people to Himself.

This year we were able to add our commentary on the book of Acts to the inventory of books we distribute. Over the years we have given away thousands of books to listeners and to churches. The stock on some titles has dwindled to the point where it's time to reprint. It's been a blessing to hear how people are using the material we've given them.

This year we've seen spectacular growth in the number of people listening to our streaming stations. When I mentioned this back in August, we had listeners in over 130 countries. Two months later it's increased to over 140 countries. Many of these listeners are spending significant time with us. Over 4,800 sessions lasted more than an hour. Another 7,700 sessions were between 30 minutes and an hour long. We must be meeting spiritual needs if people are willing to invest that much of their time listening to our proclamation of the Gospel!

During the last 12 months the traffic to our website (www.awazehaq.com) has doubled. Not only are people perusing program scripts, they are downloading significant numbers of books and other materials.

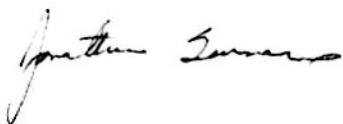
A couple of weeks ago, Fawn and I traveled to the International Conference on Missions (ICOM) where we manned a booth for Key Communications. It was a blessing to see and renew acquaintances with like-minded friends. We handed out calendars and brochures to those who stopped by the booth. We also took the opportunity to consult the good folks at LATM about what the changes in the publishing industry mean to us. We were blessed and challenged, not only by the main sessions, but also by seeing how God is working in other parts of the world.

Another blessing has to do with health. A staff member (who shall remain anonymous for security reasons) had to have a nodule removed from her thyroid. This was a major concern as the surgery had the potential of affecting her vocal chords and she is one of the voices in our programs. Our prayers were answered. The surgery was entirely successful. The nodule is gone and her voice is intact.

Speaking of health I, too, am very grateful. A year or so ago I suffered multiple infections from urinary tract issues. Sepsis put me in the hospital more than once. But in January I had surgery to correct the underlying problem. I felt better almost immediately. Since then I have regained my strength. It's wonderful to feel good again!

Another blessing we have enjoyed this year is your prayers and encouragement. All of us here at Key Communications appreciate your faithfulness. Thank you for your participation in our ministry of taking God's Word to those who speak the Urdu language. May you also continue to enjoy God's favor and blessings as you serve Him!

Yours in the Name of Him who gives us much to be grateful for,



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