



"...entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."



Dan and Susan Steere

They say that Africa gets in your blood - that once you have ministered in Africa, the desire to return is always with you. After nearly 15 years of regular ministry in Africa, that's very true for me. So I'm excited to be returning to Ghana!

Bound for Ghana!

Great Opportunities for Equipping

I leave this Friday (August 30) for two weeks of ministry in Ghana. During this trip, ELI will offer 5 seminary classes at the two MINTS sites. The other men coming with me will be teaching Biblical Ethics (Stan Armes), Synoptic Gospels (Ray Warwick), Doctrine of God (Mike Harper) and Our Covenant God (DB Atkins).

The first week, I will be teaching on Cultural Transformation in Sunyani. This course will review the basic ideas of Covenant Theology and then make applications in the areas of marriage, church, and culture. The Protestant Reformation will serve as a case study for how Biblical truth transforms the thought patterns and cultural interactions of believers (see Romans 12). Since the Sunyani students are near the close of their seminary program, I hope this course will help cast a vision for them of Christ's Kingdom in Ghana.

Starting September 9, I will be teaching a conference on Romans for the students at Shiloh Bible Training Centre for Pastors in Kumasi. This yearly conference is always a delight for me, as I love preaching the gospel! For these 100+ pastors and evangelists, it is often their first exposure to expository teaching/preaching. What an opportunity to walk through Paul's in-depth explanation of the gospel of grace! Please pray that God's Word will be powerful in the lives of these students and that God will use this conference to transform them and their ministries.

Thank you for praying for Susan through her surgery and recovery these past few months. As I wrote earlier, Susan's recovery took much longer than we expected and she was barred from even driving for over six weeks. So it is good that I was here in the US for that time. She is back to her normal (i.e. busy) schedule now and is doing well, by God's grace. As for me, I'm eager to return to my second home and share God's truth with my Ghanaian brothers.

We can do nothing on our own; we need you to partner with us in prayer. Please pray for each of these classes and conferences - for those attending and for the teachers. Ask God to give us safety as we travel both in the air and on the ground. Pray that the Holy Spirit will speak through the Word and give us each wisdom and the ability to teach clearly. Ask the Lord to give these pastors and leaders the courage to speak boldly and the opportunities to impact their culture for Christ. Most of all, ask God to glorify Himself by doing "far more abundantly than all that we ask or think" during this time of ministry.

Thank you for your faithful partnership with us!

For Christ's Kingdom,

Dan.