



My highlight last month was a 4-wheel drive day trip, to promote the AudioBible in the nearby Tairora (tie-RAW-ra) language. We gathered people together in 4 villages and 1 school to hear God's Word on these wonderful, light, small, sturdy devices. You can see the joy and excitement on their faces. Many didn't know about the AudioBible.

The following week, one man, who couldn't buy one at the time, spent most of the day walking around to our Highlands Office to get one. *"I'll tell my family to make sure they all get one too!"* he said.

We were also keen to check how well different Tairora dialects could understand this recording. It was a delight to see how they maintained their interest and attention as they listened. *"We understand it all!"* they told us.

So the Word of God going out in audio brings UNITY in 2 ways:

1) We found that, although they find it hard to read a different dialect from their own, they could understand if they heard it, bringing a new UNITY among these groups.

2) Above all, the AudioBibles open the way for them to know the UNITY Jesus prayed for in John 17:20,21. *"I pray for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them may be ONE, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you."*



Wycliffe Australia recognises the importance of audio Scriptures for Papua New Guinea (PNG) and have now launched a new "Solar-powered AudioBible PNG Project". So I will be closing my personal Ministry Account, which I created for the same purpose, to make these units affordable at a much subsidised price. We have been selling about 100/month recently and now need to buy more.

You can help make God's Good News available to the people of PNG by contacting Wycliffe below, or by using this link:

<https://wycliffe.org.au/projects/audio-bibles/>

Your prayers and support will help bring these communities into a new UNITY in Christ. Thank you!

Even if you can't give, I would love to get a: *"Thank you for your news and here's what we've been doing."* Always great to hear from you!

Yours because His,

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PRAYER POINTS

- Praise for the successful Tairora excursion recently and pray for more AudioBibles to be purchased, used and blessed.
- Praise that most of the 500 AudioBibles purchased last December have been distributed in over 10 PNG Highland language groups.
- Pray for our recording technician, Sakias, as he continues to edit the files of the Kanite recording of Mark's Gospel. Praise God for this godly man and pray for his wife and 4 children too.
- Pray for the PNG Highlands Regional Director, Terry Cirre, who leaves for 9 months furlough at the end of this month. There is still much I need to learn from him before he goes!