



GideonsUK

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About Gideons

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations”... Matthew 28:19

The Gideons International is an Association of Christian business and professional men and their wives dedicated to telling people about Jesus through associating together for service, sharing personal testimony, and by providing Bibles and New Testaments.

GideonsUK in BBC's Songs of Praise



Link to Songs of Praise clip: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p06p2y4z>

Changing Lives for More than 100 Years

- ▶ Founded in **1899**, The Gideons International began distributing the Word of God in **1908**. Today, there are more than **269,500** Gideons and Auxiliary – and an untold number of supporters – in some **200** countries, territories and possessions across the globe.

The Aim of GideonsUK

The aim of GideonsUK is to simply to introduce others to the Lord Jesus Christ through Scripture distribution and personal witnessing.



UK Distribution in one month

▶ Personal Gifts	2500
▶ Large Print	1200
▶ Ultra Giant Print	200
▶ Hospital	1000
▶ Medical	1400
▶ Prison	1900
▶ Camouflage	2200
▶ Service	1000
▶ Hotels	2400
▶ Schools	23000
▶ College	2000
▶ Friends	700
▶ Total in Jan 2017:	40,000

**Every year, we
distribute more
than 800,000 in
the UK**

Worldwide to date...



Faith

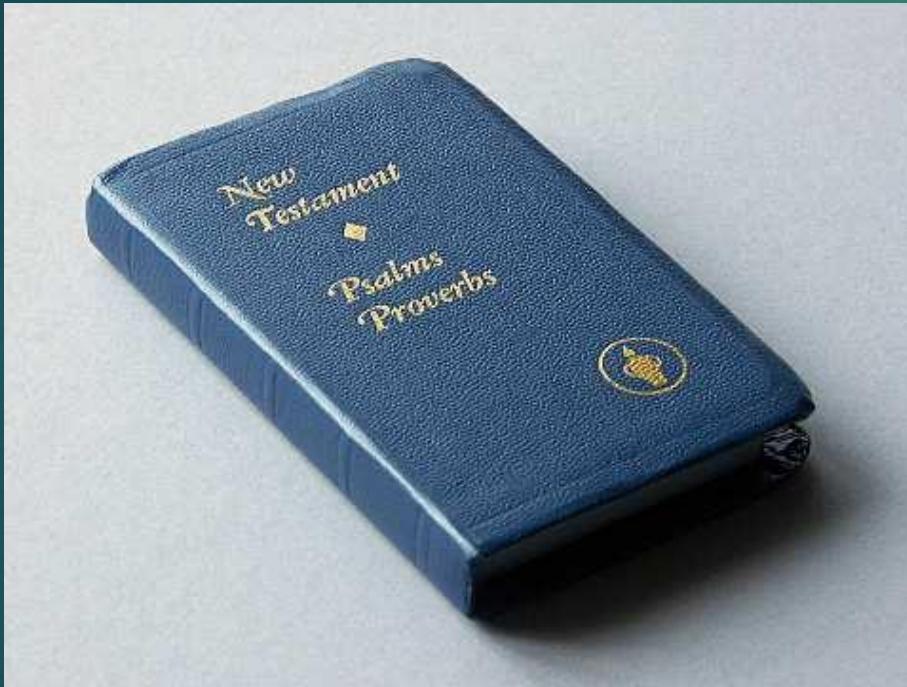
Paul asks, “How can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them” (Rom 10:14).



**Faith – It
also comes
by reading
in hotel
rooms!**



My Testimony



Received a Gideons testament at my school in India when I was 12 or 13 years old – In fact I don't remember when it was!

Started reading the testament when I was about 20 years old, then questioned the Lord about His authority.

My thinking and world view changed based on the Word of God and accepted Lord Jesus gradually in a few month's time.

Badged Bibles for Cambridge United Football Club



Scripture Distribution to Lancashire Police



Gideons Bible are presented to Prisoners



Ivory Coast Scripture Blitz





In Ecuador

GIDEON BIBLE APP

A great reading or witnessing tool featuring the Bible in your language, plus the Helps from The Gideons.



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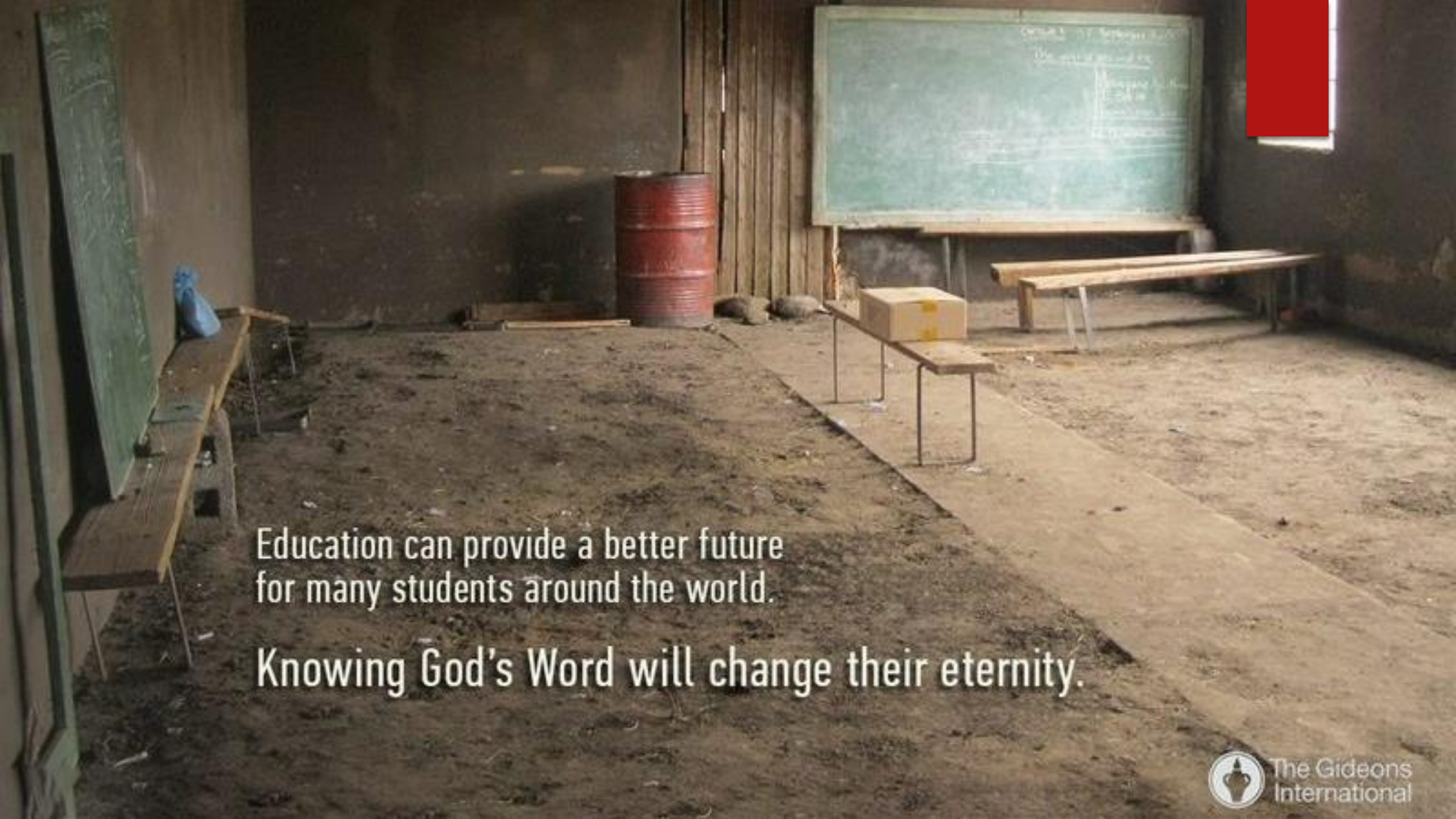


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Testimony – Issy Carroll



A photograph of a simple, rustic classroom. The room has a dirt floor and wooden walls. There are several wooden benches arranged in rows. A large red barrel stands in the background. A chalkboard is mounted on the wall, displaying some faint writing. A small window with a red shutter is visible on the right wall.

Education can provide a better future
for many students around the world.

Knowing God's Word will change their eternity.



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