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Missions Resource Bibliography

Top Ten Missions Resources for Parents and Teachers

- 1. It Starts in the Strangest Place DVD, Wycliffe 2011. Six videos highlighting the work of Wycliffe Bible Translators. Videos include the signature piece, It Starts In The Strangest Place, Literacy, Health, Trauma Healing, Cultural Preservation and Spiritual Transformation. Each video is approximately 4 to 6 minutes long. Available from Wycliffe.
- 2. In Search of the Source, Wycliffe. Re-experience the life-changing power of God's Word with Bible translators Neil and Carol Anderson. Watch with them as translated Scripture leads the Folopa people of Papua New Guinea out of bondage and into freedom in Christ, the Source of true life. Available from Wycliffe.
- 3. Building Great Commission Kids, Christian Publications, Inc. 2000. Four lessons for grades 1-6 that teach children to be ready, willing, and excited about living for Jesus and sharing his love and grace. Available from Caleb Project.
- 4. 10/40 Window Kids "THUMB" Video and Curriculum, Caleb Project 1998. For ages 5-10, this resource teaches children about a rectangular geographic region stretching from West Africa to East Asia. Most people living in the 10/40 Window do not know Jesus. Available from Caleb Project.
- 5. *Uncle Cam* biography, Wycliffe. From humble beginnings as a Bible salesman in Guatemala in 1917 Cameron Townsend caught a vision of the Bible in all languages for all people. Read more about the story and dedication of William Cameron Townsend. Available from Wycliffe.
- 6. God's Got Stuff To Do! And He Wants Your Help, Caleb Project 2002. 13-week curriculum for ages 5-12. Designed to build on teaching about unreached peoples, these activities mentor children toward their next step of involvement in the Great Commission. Children explore six roles: Pray-er, Giver, Sender, Welcomer, Connector, and Goer. Available from Caleb Project.
- 7. Kids' Missions Skits; Dramas and Skits that Mobilize, Caleb Project 2002. 20 presentations that allow children to communicate God's heart for the world to their audience. Includes historical narratives that can be performed by teens or adults. Available from Caleb Project.

- 8. Outside the Lines—Connecting Kids to God's Global Purpose, Pioneers. Bible curriculum designed for children whose parents are participating in the Perspectives on the World Christian Movement course. Outside the Lines focuses on teaching children God's heart for the world through Bible lessons; teachings on Perspectives' biblical, historical, cultural and strategies themes; prayer; music; video clips; active involvement and worksheets. Available from Pioneers.
- 9. Operation World. Concise information on every country from a Christian perspective, Survey of global situation in the 21st Century, Packed with informative and inspiring fuel for prayer, Calendar format to assist systematic daily prayer. Available from Gabriel Resources.
- 10. The Story of Jesus for Children DVD, JESUS Film Project 1999. This video tells the story of Jesus through the eyes of six fictional children who live in Jerusalem during the time of Jesus' ministry. They watch all that is happening around them and try to make sense of what they see and who this man Jesus is. Children of all ages will enjoy this captivating retelling of the story of Christ. Available from The JESUS Film project.

Top Ten Missions Resources for Children

- 1. From Akebu to Zapotec: A Book of Bibleless Peoples by June Hathersmith. Wycliffe 2002. Arranged alphabetically, the book introduces children to people groups who do not have the Bible. A to Z poster, memory game cards, calendar, and bookmark supplementary materials to go with the book "From Akebu to Zapotec." Available from Wycliffe.
- 2. Angel Tracks in the Snow coloring book, Wycliffe 200X. Follow Gary and David through the mountains as they search for a people group with no Bible in their own language. Color along as you read about the special way God leads them to the Bengi people. Angel Tracks in the Snow is a coloring book based on the story Angel Tracks in the Himalayas by Gary Shepherd. Available from Wycliffe.
- 3. Window on the World: When We Pray God Works, by Daphne Spraggett with Jill Johnstone 2001. 221 page book describes children's lives around the world, including religious beliefs. Each 2-page spread provides specific prayer requests. Available from Caleb Project.

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- 4. *The Twenty* DVD curriculum, Wycliffe 2011. This DVD has 20 lessons that you can use to teach elementary age children about the 20 countries with the most remaining needs for Bible translation. Available from Wcliff.
- 5. THUMB Prayer Cards, Caleb Project 2001. Shaped like baseball trading cards, this tool for elementary children encourages them to pray using the THUMB acronym (Tribal, Hindu, Unreligious, Muslim, Buddhist). Includes information on a people group from each religious block with requests. Available from Caleb Project.
- 6. Little Bean's Adventure, Wycliffe 2011. Share in Little Bean's adventures as he drinks from a steaming bowl of yak-butter tea, helps a man sell apples from a cart, plants rice with a Yao farmer and much more! This beautifully-illustrated book will inspire children to pray as they discover the needs of many minority peoples of China. Available from Wycliffe.
- 7. Christian Heroes for Young Readers, by Renee Meloche. Series of 8 books about missionaries written for young children in rhyme. Available from YWAM.
- 8. *Planet Word Bible*, Wycliffe. This sidebar-packed NKJV Bible features God's perspective on HIStory, reaching out to every people group. Global prayer and project suggestions, 150 biographies, Mark 1:1-4 in fascinating scripts, global maps and much more motivate children and young people to join God in making His Name known today. Available from Wycliffe.
- 9. *The Safari Adventures* book series, Wycliffe 2004-2010. These stories combine choose-your-own-adventure style perils with facts about real Bibleless people groups. Available from Wycliffe.
- 10. *PrayKids! Magazine*, NavPress. Colorful 8-page bimonthly magazine with prayer theme, Bible-based story on prayer, a prayer story by or about a child, and mission focus. To order back issues in multiples of ten, call 1.800.366.7788 or go to www.praykids.com