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"You shall give to him freely, and your heart shall not be grudging when you give to him, because for this the Lord your <u>God will bless you</u> in all your work and in all that you undertake."

DEUTERONOMY 15:10

Empowering Faith in Pakistan: Bibles Bring Light to Dhulam Village

Greetings to Vision Beyond Borders,

I want to share some news about Dhulam Village, where Pastor Moris's church has been a cornerstone for the local Christian community. The church itself, a simple structure, took years to build with whatever resources the villagers could muster. One of their long-standing needs was Bibles for the literate members to read and learn from.

Last year, we were fortunate enough to distribute 300 Bibles to several villages with the help of Vision Beyond Borders, and Dhulam received 15 of these. An encounter I'll never forget is with a 74-year-old man from this village. After a church service, he approached me, desperately asking for a Bible. Despite being unable to read, he wanted one. Moved by his desire, I gave him an extra Bible from my bag. We agreed he would tell me what he did with it in a month's time.

When we met again, I was amazed. He had protected the Bible with a cover and marked passages in it with the help of others who read to him. This man's commitment to understanding God's Word, despite his illiteracy, was nothing short of inspiring. Though he has since passed away, his story has motivated many in the village to engage more deeply with their faith.









In response to the growing need and inspired by stories like this, VBB sent us more Bibles this year. We've distributed 50 new Bibles to Dhulam - 30 for immediate need and 20 to keep at the church for newcomers or guests. It's heartening to see the community come alive with more people reading and discussing the Bible.

Your support has been invaluable in this journey. Each Bible you help provide is not just a book; it's a source of comfort, learning, and spiritual growth for individuals and the community. Let's keep working together to meet the spiritual needs of these villages.

Thanks for being part of this mission.

Warm regards, Eric





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