



DEVOTIONAL BOOKS

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One day, a chat message popped up on my phone. It was from a missionary friend who's involved in church planting ministry. She shared the good news of people accepting the message of salvation through baptism during the first quarter Harvest 2025 evangelism program, conducted simultaneously in all churches of the Palawan mission territory.

Nurturing new believers is the next challenge, as it is crucial for their spiritual growth and retention in the faith. One of the means introduced to them is having daily morning and evening worship. We usually use the lesson quarterlies for evening worship, and we have the devotional books for morning worship.

I received a request for old devotional books from previous years, so they can ponder a daily morning message. For solicitation, I asked permission from our women's ministry leader to post a message in our church women's ministry group chat asking for old Tagalog devotional books they would like to share with newly baptized members in one of the newly planted churches in Cabigaan, Aborlan.

When our weekly Sabbath afternoon meeting came, I asked the women who attended if anyone had brought a book to share. Sadly, no one could share anything since most of the devotional books everyone was reading were in English. We need Tagalog versions since the new members are part of the local Tagbanua tribe here in Palawan.

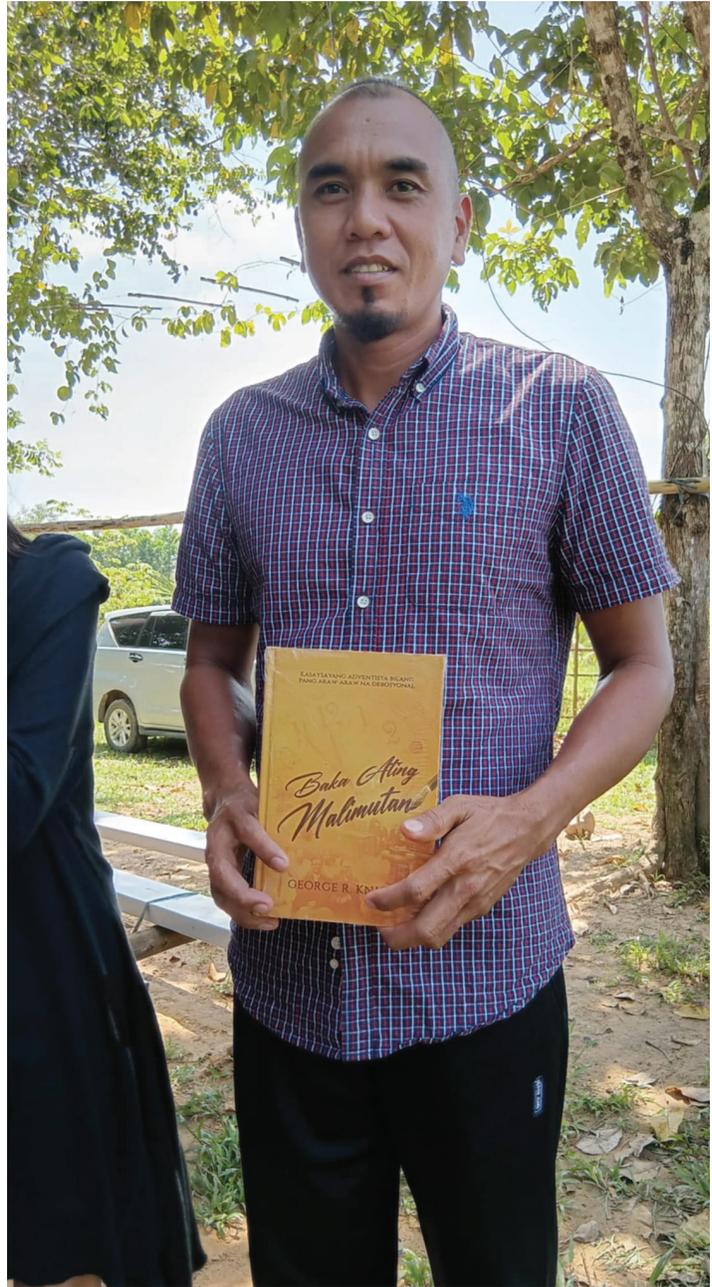
Some time later, I saw a response regarding sponsorship for some books in the local dialect from a former church member who is now based in the US. She messaged me that

she sent money to one of our church's student literature evangelists to secure the books for me to distribute. The amount she sent benefited three family recipients. When it was finally distributed, I was told that other families also longed to receive a book.

A devotional book costs around \$11 each. I praise God that the donor who gave the first books is once more sending an amount to buy a few more copies. If anyone else reading this would like to donate, we'll be more than happy to be your link to reach others for God's kingdom. Thank you for your continued support of God's work. May God continue to bless you!



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