## DIRECTION IN SPIRITUAL GROWTH

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## Dear Fellow Pastor:

I'm writing this letter on behalf of Brother Paul Jones, whom our church has supported as a prison chaplain. He has also pastored a Baptist church for many years in southern Colorado. God has now called Paul to train Filipino men for pastoring in the Philippines. Tiffany, his wife, will help prepare the wives for their role in the ministry. On March 13, 2016, Northside Baptist Church unanimously voted to be his sending church.

The Philippines is one of the most fruitful fields for the gospel and church planting in the world today. But most Filipino men have limited financial means to pursue a pastoral education. Brother Jones wants to bridge the economic-educational gap with a mix of online classrooms and hands-on supervision, which is a very affordable means of instruction. Paul has enlisted a core of American pastors to assist him with the teaching load.

At present, Paul and Tiffany plan to move to the Philippines around the last quarter of this year. This involves getting the proper paperwork filed and approved, along with locating a permanent residence. Your prayerful and financial support will greatly help them in taking this exciting step!

With Catholicism, Charismatics, the cults, and even radical Islam all working to make converts, we must prepare an army of Filipino men to establish Biblebelieving Baptist Churches to stem the tide. As you consider this missionary, I assure you that there's a lot of spiritual "bang for the buck" in this work! It is strategic thinking at its best, and Paul is just the man to do it.

Thank you for taking the time to consider this wonderful missionary venture!

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