



Dear ministry partners,

I leave early Thursday morning for my next training in Africa, this time in Malawi. But before I go, I wanted to **THANK YOU** for your **powerful and earnest prayers** while I was recently in **Mali** and **Central African Republic**. God honored your prayers and did amazing works in the lives of the students in both locations, and in the church where I preached. God faithfully protected me every step of the way, and now those 44 ministry leaders are using and multiplying healthy Bible study principles in their home contexts and in ministry locations that are completely unreached. Emmanuel, the coordinator in Mali, wrote, "You are like a father for us. Thank you so much for the spiritual food that you gave us. May God bless you with more grace for his work." And so off I go to the next location. For more pictures, videos, and stories, [CLICK HERE](#).

The network in Malawi has about 16 master trainers from the southern and central regions of Malawi. Here are a few prayer points for the time in Malawi:

1. Please pray for the two coordinators (Rabson from the south and Edwin from the central) who have been working hard to guide the participants. Pray I can be an encouragement to them and the master trainers as I offer workshop 2.
2. Pray all participants are practicing principles and passing the training to other ministry leaders.
3. Malawi is extremely poor, and so the pastors need financial assistance to travel to and attend the training. Pray I can be wise with how much to give them, and how to do it so as not to create unhealthy dependency.

Thank you for your prayers and partnership! *Eric and Holly*

