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Dear friend,

Most intellectuals would readily accept Jesus Christ as a spiritual Superman, rather than the Creator God. However, biblical evidence proves both. According to the prophecy of Isaiah (700 BC), Jesus Christ is not only born (Heb: *yalad*) but also given (Heb: *natan*). He came to become the Wonderful Counselor, the mighty God, the everlasting Father, and the Prince of Peace (Isa 9:6). He was 100% Superman and 100% Supreme God.

In the first century, John the disciple described Jesus as the one who was with God and was God. Jesus was the Creator who created everything (Jn 1:1-3). In and through Jesus Christ, the Holy God made his dwelling among sinful humanity (Jn 1:14). He became *Immanuel* (God with us). Jesus often identified himself as the Son of God and as the Son of Man (Jn 5:25-27). He is the only who died on the Cross and rose again on the third day as He promised (Lk 9:22; 24:7-8)). Hence, Jesus is more than a morally upright human being.

A denial of biblical evidence is denial of the millions of saints whose life has been transformed by Jesus Christ and who lived a life of selfless love and sacrifice in the past two centuries. Recognizing Jesus in His true essence opens the door of faith — faith that comes from God through hearing of the Word of God and the faith that moves the mountain. May our faith remains established on this biblical truth.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year 2023.

Rev. Dr. A. K. Lama

Updates from Guwahati Center

Donation of Motorbikes, Smartphones, Scooter, Laptops, and PA System for the minstry:

Grateful to the Upton Brothers, the Words of Hope & the ReFrame Ministries for special gifts. They are given as follows:

- ⇒ Jehenabad, Bihar: Community Development Workers (CDWs) received six Smartphones and two Motorbikes
- ⇒ Siliguri, North Bengal received two laptops for Producers; one Scooter, one PA system and 1 guitar.



 \Rightarrow Pauri Grahwal, Uttarakhand received three PA systems

Obed Oraon, the administrator of Siliguri, North Bengal (pic right) is thankful to the do-

nors, "It is difficult to get a public transportation. I often used to walk. The public bus takes a lot of time to reach the main town due to the traffic but now this scooty has solved all these problems. Now this will help me in both my personal and ministry related works. Thank you. May God bless you all even more."

Mr. Rajesh Manshell, the Team Leader of Pauri Garhwal, Uttarakhand (pic left) comments that, "*This PA System is useful*

for outdoor outreach programs. We are carrying it to other villages and it has helped the listeners to hear our voice very well. We are thankful to the donors for these PA System."

<u>Internal Audit:</u> Suman Dadel (Pic right), accountant from Ranchi Center audited the accounts of Guwahati Center from November 16-26. It was a good learning experience for both Kadalung and Suman, the two Accountants, to work together and fulfill the government requirements.



Guwahati Tailoring Centre:

5th Graduation Service: 16 candidates got certificate on October 8. Mrs. Krishna Kakoti received the Best trainee Award. Mr. Vikash Sharma, the local Board Members encouraged the trainees

The new batch started from mid-October. 16 trainees got admit-



ted and 5 trainees are pursuing ad-

vanced classes. These trainees are preparing themselves for the upcoming exhibition of their products. There are three other similar tailoring centers under Lohardaga, Jehanabad, and Patna centers to serve the underprivilege

Project Libaas:

"Libaas" is a livelihood project which caters the need for financial freedom

of both the beneficiaries and the organization. It got initiated in the month of November where our five graduates are given advanced training for com-

mercial production of dresses for women. Special guidance was given by the Instructor. The final products were sold on December 16.

Children's Day Celebration:

November 14 is celebrated in remembrance of India's first Prime Minister Jawahar Lal Nehru. Guwahati Tuition Centre could celebrate this day on November 12 while Nine Tuition Centres of Jehanabad and Noonmati Tuition Centre celebrated on November 14.

The celebration began with prayer, followed by variety of fun filled activities- song, dance and games. All the children were given chocolates and valuable gifts as token of love. Similar events were held in all Tutoring centers under Udhampur, Pauri, Jehanabad, Patna, Ranchi, and Lohardaga.





Congratulation to Bendang and Rongsen.

They got married on Dec 12, 2022 in Mokokchung, Nagaland.

May God guide you both in our new journey together..



TLA-Educational Calendar: 2023

We are happy to inform that this year, the team could publish Calendar for the year 2023. It has been dispatched to different partner churches and fellowships all over Northeastern India for promotion and prayers.





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