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**God's Word to God's World  
supported by the General  
Fund**

Schools of biblical training provide short-term training in preaching that can be built upon year on year. One attendee shared what he had learnt with others: 'I have already multiplied what I learned by seven.'

Study partner (BEST students) are given bursaries for theology studies to equip them for teaching and training others. A former partner from Myanmar writes: 'I am now serving at the Church and Bible School. I am teaching the First Year and Third Year Catechists. We hope to add more in the coming years. Sir, thank you for your kindly concern, helping and encourage during my studies. You are always remembered in my prayers. May the Lord bestow His blessing upon you and your work.'

Projects that do not yet have dedicated supporters. This includes training in Uganda, an Indian Bible College and more.

Dear Friend

**'the water I give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life.'** (John 4:14)

I am writing this urgent appeal to ask you humbly if you could start making regular gifts or update your current ones. Even if you can't please, do read on because you may like to give a one off gift or ask for no further appeals by ticking the box overleaf.

**Why does Crosslinks need your support?**

Crosslinks helps people and churches to partner with people and churches worldwide. We seek to pass on your gifts and encourage each side of the partnership in prayer. But in order to give help we need funds to pass on and a little extra to cover our costs. We have many calls on our funds and this means that in 2005, 2006 and 2007 we did not raise enough money to cover our outgoings. **Crosslinks cannot continue in this way.** We need regular support to help us now and in the future.

**What would your support do?**

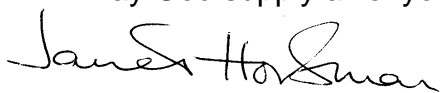
Taking God's Word to God's World communicates Jesus' offer of eternal life. Your support enables more people to hear about the Good News of Jesus Christ. Emergency disaster charities and development charities do worthy work, but Crosslinks has an essential component to all we do. Christ is not a footnote, He is the main message!

Like all charities some costs are necessary but unglamorous. In the boxes we have sought to give an

honest picture of where General Fund money goes.

Please consider today whether you can help many to hear of Jesus' water of eternal life. Please fill in and return the form.

May God supply all of your needs,



Janet Horsman  
Deputy CEO

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Regular gift form would be here. Due to the danger of fraudulent activity we do not publish our form on the website. Please contact [mjoseph\[at\]crosslinks.org](mailto:mjoseph[at]crosslinks.org) for a standing order form.

- Please send me information on becoming a member.
- I would like information on leaving a gift in my will.
- I would prefer no appeals for money. My magazine mailing will not change.

'Please pass on our grateful thanks; we pray that God will bless your ministry of the Gospel mightily.'  
(From a Short Term Project Partner update)

### ...the General Fund also supports

Finance staff to ensure we comply with charity law.

Short term project partners. One report says: 'Thank you VERY much for your support of Paulina. It has been just MARVELLOUS having her on board, the production of materials and preparation of the Moore College courses has gone ahead in leaps and bounds. The work continues to grow. Many thanks again for your support.'

Pensions for returned mission partners who completed their service before pension schemes were in place.

Communicating needs and praise points with materials like Prayer News and the magazine.

Volunteer and trustee travel expenses.

Preaching and teaching in UK churches, colleges and conferences including leading church Mission Consultations.

Computers.

Quotations taken from reports or emails. Paraphrased for brevity, but with the meaning maintained.