



Monthly Update

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The Carpenter's Project is an independent Baptist ministry dedicated to church planting and church growth in closed countries



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...ye shall receive power... and ye shall be witnesses unto me... unto the uttermost part of the earth.
Acts 1:8



The task ahead of us is never as great as the power behind us.
Unknown

Independent Baptist College of Asia-Pacific

For slightly more than a year, we've been assisting with the formation of a new Bible college in metro-Manila. The college is the result of a partnership among two Filipino pastors, the Dave Young Evangelistic Association, and The Carpenter's Project. Its vision is to prepare men and women for church ministries with an emphasis on church planting and foreign missions.



Marsk Building in Quezon City
Home of IBCAP

IBCAP is indigenous. It is supported through Filipino churches and individuals, and through student tuition and fees. It is Independent Baptist in doctrine and association. It is traditional in theology and practice. It is local church centered, local church supported, and local church planted.

By God's grace and with your help, IBCAP is ready for it's official opening for more than 30 incoming freshmen on November 3rd!

IBCAP's Leadership

Joselito Avila is the founder and President of IBCAP. He is a graduate of Asia Baptist Bible College, Sta Mesa, Manila with a M.A. in Theology from Louisiana Baptist University. He is the founding pastor of Lipa Baptist Bible Church, Lipa City Philippines. Brother Avila will be the primary instructor for the first semester.



Joselito Avila
Founder & President



Roger Billiones
Vice President

Roger Billiones is Vice President of IBCAP. He pastors Trinity Baptist Church in Tala Novaliches, Quezon City. He is a graduate of Asia Baptist Bible College, Sta Mesa, Manila, and has taught at Landmark Baptist College, Pasig City, Philippines.

Evangelist Dave Young is a Director and adjunct professor. He is President of the Dave Young Evangelistic Association. He received his B.A. in evangelism, M.A. in Biblical Exposition and a D.D. (honorary) from Pensacola Christian College.

The IBCAP Advisory Board includes Dennis Patterson, Pastor of Nolensville Rd Baptist Church in Nashville, TN, John Conrad, President of The Carpenter's Project, and Kerry Copeland, Vice President of The Carpenter's Project.



*the gospel of Christ...
is the power of God unto
salvation to every one
that believeth...
Rom 1:16*



**“What Christ can do
for any man, He can do
for every man.”**

Dr. Samuel Zwemer
1867-1952
American Missionary
to Egypt and Asia Minor
Nicknamed
"The apostle to Islam"

*...go into all the world...
Mark 16:15a*



**“For the gospel
to go where it isn’t,
someone has to go
from where it is.”**

Dr Ralph Winter
1924-2009
Presbyterian Missionary

IBCAP’s Curriculum:

Evangelist Dave Young has developed a comprehensive four year Bible program. With the assistance of evangelist David Corn, they have examined course materials from pastors, evangelists, missionaries and instructors from Bible colleges and institutes across the United States. Some of IBCAP's course material has been used by permission, some purchased, and some developed "in-house".



David Young
IBCAP Director
& Adjunct Professor

The first year courses are complete, and preparation of the other three years are well underway. A complete list of the academic program can be found on IBCAP's web site, www.IBCAP.org.

Student Profile: Pastor Bernardo



Pastor Bernado was saved in 1997 and almost immediately surrendered to serve the Lord in full time ministry. As a young Christian, he served in his local church where ever he was needed. As he grew in the Lord, he became a church worker, choir director, song leader, and soul winner.

Today he preaches at Bible Baptist Church in Caloocan, and plans to continue to do so throughout his studies at IBCAP.

Student Profile: Aizah Posadas

Aizah had a difficult decision. Her family is struggling financially and her aunt offered to help pay for nursing courses, but Aizah didn't have a peace about being a nurse. She felt that God wanted her to be a missionary.



After praying six months for the Lord to give her direction, she met Pastor Roger Billones, one of the Directors of IBCAP, at a youth camp. They got to know each other and as they talked, Pastor Billones shared with her the vision and philosophy of the college. After further talks with her parents and pastor, Aizah decided to enroll at IBCAP.

"I opted to follow the will of God through IBCAP, and I strongly believe that when God is above everything, there is something laid for us more than what we have sacrificed"
Aizah Posadas



*the church
which was in Jerusalem...
sent forth Barnabas...
Acts 11:22*



India City Street

**It is one thing
to be concerned
that the church
grow where it is.
It is something else
to make sure
the church goes
where it isn't.**

Ralph Winter
1924–2009
Founder
US Center for World Missions

Dear Friends,

Your prayers for the faculty and students of IBCAP are greatly appreciated. Early next year we will announce a student scholarship program. However, if you would like to help a student this fall you may do so by sending your gift to us. We'll make sure that your gift reaches the students promptly.

Thank you for your prayers for this ministry. Thank you for being The Carpenter's Friend. What is accomplished for Christ through The Carpenter's Project is credited to your account in heaven.

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