



In 2017, your prayer and generous giving changed lives.

Thousands encountered God's Word in their language for the first time last year, and His presence transformed their hearts.

Among those affected by your involvement, we heard from Juan, a former alcoholic living in Peru who—after he accepted God's Word as truth—reconciled with his wife and children. He is now serving in his church. Honorine, in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, told us how she is experiencing healing from the trauma of seeing her family murdered by the Lord's Resistance Army. One elderly First Nations Canadian told us that finally having the Word of God in her Cree language makes her feel "complete somehow." And in her rural village in South Asia, Mya endures persecution for her faith but she is encouraged by Wycliffe's ministry and perseveres.

Even children are affected by this vital work. On a plain in central Asia, Amena, a female student in the first coed classroom in her region, has now learned about Jesus and is excelling in school! **Brayan, a South American boy of only 11, thanked a Wycliffe worker for helping his whole family come to Christ.**

These people are not alone. You've had a part in teaching thousands of children, in training pastors and leaders, in sending out new recruits and in helping individuals experience the restorative power of the gospel. Thanks to your prayers and support, local churches have been built up through access to the Scriptures in their mother tongue.

There are now more languages with the Bible than those without. **In 2017, Scriptures translated with Wycliffe involvement were published in 32 languages spoken by more than 2.2 million people.** The first translations of two New Testaments and one Bible were completed with Canadian involvement. One in nine active language projects has Wycliffe Canada involvement. This progress was only possible because of your support for our dedicated members and their ministries. Thank you!

In our lifetime, we could see translation begin for the last languages that still need God's Word. But it won't be easy. The next decade has potential to be the most challenging, the most painful and the most joyous years in Bible translation. However, we will not stop until the last person, in the most remote language community, has access to Scripture in a language that speaks to their heart.

I believe that God has given the Christians in this generation a challenge that is on par with landing on the moon—the challenge of giving all people on the planet access to God's Word. It's a monumental task. But that's just what Cameron Townsend envisioned when he founded Wycliffe. **Eighty-five years later, we can see the finish line! Thank you** for doing your part and helping end Bible poverty.

Your partner in ministry,



Roy Eyre
President, Wycliffe Bible Translators of Canada



Translation Statistics

Languages currently in use worldwide: **7,099**

Languages with some Scripture: **3,312**

Known active translation/language programs in progress: **2,584**

Languages needing Bible translation to begin: **1,636**

Number of speakers awaiting translation to begin: **114,000,000**



Jannice Moore
2017 Board Chair

On behalf of the board of Wycliffe Canada, thank you for your investment in the lives of minority people groups who do not yet have God’s Word in their heart language.

Your prayers and financial support play a crucial role in this vital work. The Word of God becomes more real and meaningful for Bibleless peoples when they realize that “God speaks my language.” The impact is far-reaching. It includes mother-tongue

literacy; it impacts education. Where people come to know God, communities are transformed. Most of all, lives are transformed.

We thank you for your faithfulness and look forward to continued partnership with you in this important work of the Church.

Jannice Moore
2017 Board Chair, Wycliffe Bible Translators of Canada
For details about Jannice and the rest of the Wycliffe Canada board members, visit board.wycliffe.ca



Summary of Financial Information

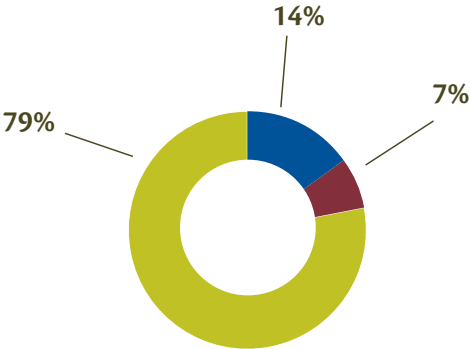
These figures show financial activity for Wycliffe Bible Translators of Canada Inc. for the fiscal year ending August 20, 2017. Complete audited statements are available at statements.wycliffe.ca.

Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances (thousands of dollars) over 12 months.

Income	2017 Aug	2016 Aug
Contributions income	16,411	15,446
Other income	67	117

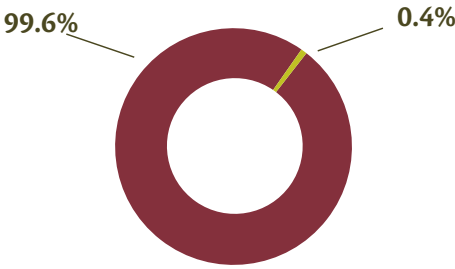
Expenses		
Wycliffe approved programs	13,384	12,234
Administration	2,394	2,265
Fundraising	1,124	1,094

Deficiency of revenues over expenses	(424)	(30)
(Loss) on sale of assets	(4)	
Fund balances at beginning of year	3,505	3,535
Fund balances at end of year	3,077	3,505



Expenses

- Administration
- Fundraising
- Programs



Income

- Contributions Income
- Other Income (Investments and Grants)



Wycliffe Bible Translators of Canada Inc. is a charter member of the Canadian Council of Christian Charities (CCCC). Spending of funds is confined to Wycliffe approved programs and projects. Each restricted contribution designated towards an approved program or project will be used as designated, with the understanding that when the need for such a program or project has been met, or cannot be completed for any reason, the remaining restricted contributions designated for such program or project will be used as determined by Wycliffe Canada policy and guidelines. The total costs of all programs and projects include costs imposed by governments as well as a fixed percentage to cover administrative costs. Gifts of \$25 or more will be acknowledged and receipted with an official receipt for income tax purposes. For more information, please see our web page “Financial Practices and Principles” at principles.wycliffe.ca. Revenue Canada Charitable Registration #10822 3371 RR0001.

Wycliffe Canada exists to end Bible poverty by facilitating translation of God’s Word among minority language communities worldwide.



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