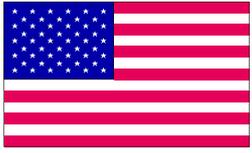


ADVENT BOOKS

Taking the message to the World



THE GREAT CONTROVERSY To England and the World



OUR OBJECTIVE: to send a leaflet to every home in the United Kingdom, offering The Great Controversy and postal Bible studies totally free. This is being done primarily by bulk mailing to entire postal areas.

It is now over 10 years since Jonathan Bennett was first led by the Holy Spirit to start sending out The Great Controversy leaflets, when he was 16 years old and still at school. Many people have been reached and a great number of books and lessons have been sent to souls hungry for the Truth.

In the next few pages you will read of people going to church, attending outreach meetings and by God's grace a Baptism. Please pray for this work as there are many souls needing to be found.

Many people have been reached but there are lots more who need the opportunity to hear the Truth.

NEWCASTLE

If only we followed the Lord's callings all the time. Four years ago my company sent me to the North of England to carry out some work. One of the luxuries associated with this is being accommodated in a hotel. On this occasion I was based in a hotel overlooking the city of Newcastle.

After work one evening I found myself looking through the window and watching the lights of all the cars driving through the city by night and the thought came to me

"THIS CITY HAS NOT BEEN REACHED". Yes an entire city needed to hear the truth.

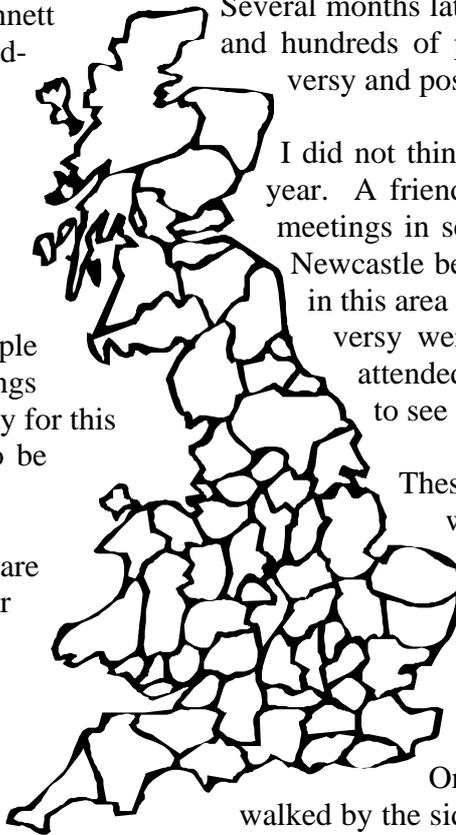
From this point it was decided to ensure that every home in the city of Newcastle would receive a leaflet advertising The Great Controversy and postal Bible studies. Several months later the whole of this city was covered and hundreds of people requested The Great Controversy and postal Bible studies.

I did not think any more of this mailing until this year. A friend decided to organise some outreach meetings in several of the large cities in England, Newcastle being one of these. So all the contacts in this area who had requested The Great Controversy were sent an invitation. When later I attended these meetings it was overwhelming to see all the people sitting eager to listen.

These contacts were enthusiastic and wanted to know more. The meetings lasted all day and when it came to break time the people wanted us to shorten the break so they could hear more and be enlightened as to current events.

On taking a break from the meetings I walked by the side of the building where the meetings were hosted and amazingly this was located right next to the hotel I had stayed in 4 years before. Praise The Lord.

Amongst these people were a couple who had received The Great Controversy and Postal Bible studies and have now started attending church every Sabbath. Praise God for this, praise Him for His mercy in helping these people to be reached.



Baptism

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A Personal Invitation

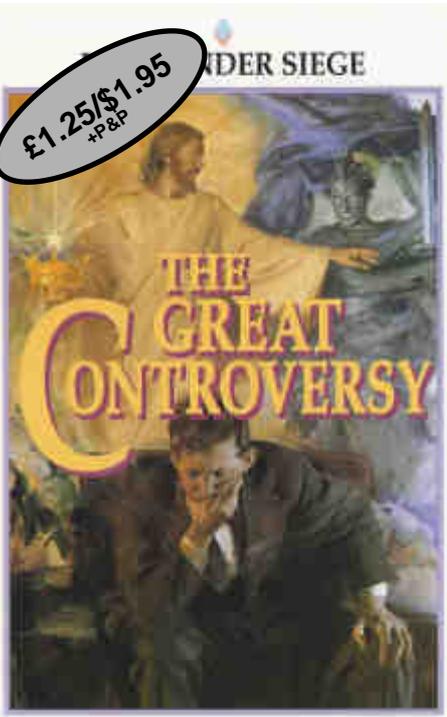
Advent Books is a small family run ministry and in order to help us reach more people in Great Britain and around the world I personally invite you to help us take this message forward.



- Distribute leaflets: Every home in your neighbourhood needs to receive the truth. Each home needs to receive a leaflet inviting people to hear this final call to the world. Contact us to receive leaflets so you can be a personal soldier for our Lord in your area.
- Order copies of the GC: The best witness is a personal witness. When we give gifts to people whether they be our neighbours or those we meet on the street they appreciate the gifts we pass on. It is our desire to encourage fellow SDA's to request copies of The Great Controversy to use in their personal outreach.
- Financially sponsor the work: If the Lord is impressing you to help reach Great Britain then why not sponsor the work. It costs just \$72 to reach 1000 homes and in those homes there maybe 2000 – 3000 souls needing the truth.

Great Britain needs people to pioneer the SDA message. Yes to start out alone in reaching towns and cities. With God's help let's bring this message back to England and the British Isles – will you help?

“THERE IS A GREAT WORK TO BE DONE IN ENGLAND The light radiating from London should beam forth in clear, distinct rays to regions beyond. God has wrought in England, but this English-speaking world has been terribly neglected. England has needed many more laborers and much more means. London has been scarcely touched. My heart is deeply moved as the situation in that great city is presented before me. It pains me to think that greater facilities are not provided for the work throughout Europe. I have sore heartache as I think of the work in Switzerland, Germany, Norway, and Sweden. Where there are one or two men struggling to carry forward the different branches of the cause, there should be hundreds at work. In the city of London alone no fewer than one hundred men should be engaged. The Lord marks the neglect of His work, and there will be a heavy account to settle by and by.” 6T p25



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Stock Up On The Great Controversy

“The Great Controversy should be very widely circulated. It contains the story of the past, the present and the future. In its outline of the closing scenes of this earth's history, it bears a powerful testimony in behalf of the truth. I am more anxious to see a wide circulation for this book than for any others I have written; for in The Great Controversy, the last message of warning to the world is given more distinctly than in any of my other books.” Colporteur Ministry Page 127

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The Precious Fruit

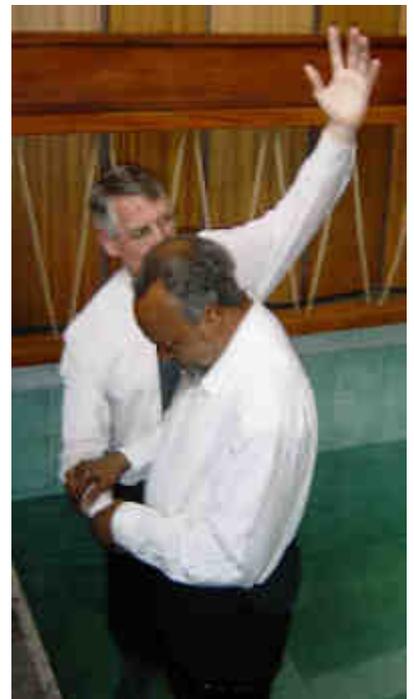
“I am not here” said Jesus to the man as he walked into a Pentecostal Church. Later as the man walked into another church he heard the same words “I am not here”. This happened many times as Christian – (the brother looking for truth) - searched for the True church where he could find Jesus. After searching for many years he picked up the leaflet advertising **The Great Controversy**, and heard the familiar voice of Jesus saying “But I am here”. Praise The Lord he had found The Truth.

Christian read the leaflet and sent for The Great Controversy and the postal Bible Studies and several years later (just recently – refer to picture) he was baptised and has become a Seventh-day Adventist believer and is sharing with his family the truths which he has learned.

It was our greatest pleasure to witness Christian giving His life to our Lord and I pray that one day soon we can see many more souls walking down the same path leading to the foot of the Cross.

When people request The Great Controversy, we also offer postal Bible studies which are then processed by another ministry. It is our objective to first give people the opportunity, by planting the seed of truth in their homes - The Great Controversy - and then leading them on from there offering them other SOP books and the different courses offered by the postal Bible School.

It is so important that before someone is baptised they understand the commitment and dedication they are making to our Lord. Please pray that many more souls will give their hearts to our Lord.



Progress and Plans for the Future

• 25,000 Copies of The Great Controversy Ordered:

Yes another 25,000 copies of The Great Controversy have now been ordered to be printed for Advent Books and then shipped to Great Britain. These books need to go out into the hands of the people.

• 149,335 More homes booked to be covered:

Starting in August 2004 we are planning to cover 149,000 homes in the Canterbury area. The town which is famous for the Canterbury Tales will now receive the opportunity to receive the Three Angels Message.

This is just the start of plans to reach many more homes and to re-ignite the flame of truth in these isles.

• Nearly 2½ million homes to be covered:

Providing the test mail shot goes well in August we are planning to reach another 2 ½ million more homes. For this we need your prayers, that these people are impressed to respond to the leaflet and that the Lord provides the finances for this mailing.

• 10,000 copies of Steps To Christ

We are presently in talks with a printer to print 10,000 copies of Steps To Christ. These will contain an advertisement for The Great Controversy and postal Bible studies.

• John Wycliffe Booklet

We live 7 miles from the church of John Wycliffe. After visiting there recently and speaking to the church administrator, I had the idea of re-printing the chapter from the GC entitled “John Wycliffe”. This would form a little booklet for the church to give to tourists as a little gift and she was eager to receive it – Praise God for this.

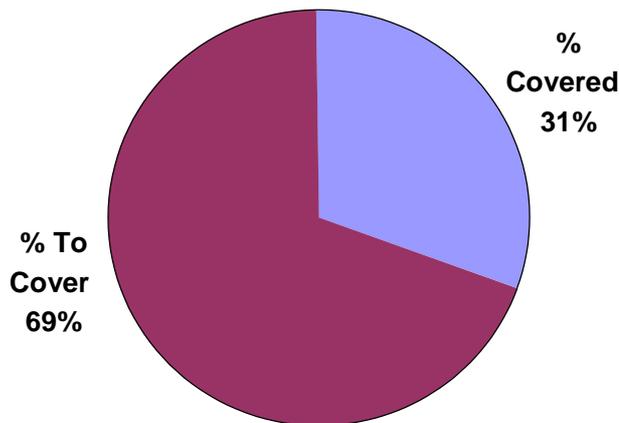
Progress So Far:

- **7.8 Million** homes covered
- **12,160+** direct requests for literature
- **5,590+** People wanting postal Bible studies
- **239+** people requesting other SOP books
- People wanting to keep the Sabbath
- People baptised
- Reaching back slidden SDA's

By God's grace from a small start, over 12,160 people now have a copy of The Great Controversy sitting in their home and we know that some of these are being read and are making an impression on people's hearts.

Let each one of us do our part in finishing the Lord's work.

PERCENTAGE OF GREAT BRITAIN COVERED



Sponsoring the Lord's work:

If the Lord is impressing it upon your heart to help finish the work and hasten our Lord's return, please send donations to Advent Books. Please make all cheques payable to "ADVENT BOOKS".

Areas Covered



From the Post Bag:

"I have been given your book "The Great Controversy" and I am in the process of reading it. It is such an encouragement to me. lady in Stockport

"Firstly I am writing to say that The Great Controversy book that I am almost finished reading..... is incredible and it has given me a lot to think about. I prayed that the Holy Spirit would lead me into all truth and save me from deception **and this book goes a long way to answer that prayer. I hope that I can spread this awareness to friends around me also, and our pastor in the near future. Thank you so much for sharing your message.**" lady in Newcastle This lady also requested other SOP books: DA, P&P, MOH and STC.

Make a Monthly commitment:

It costs \$72.00 to send out **1000 leaflets** which is just \$18.00 a week to send the gospel invitation to thousands of souls.

- Simply send a cheque to the address below at the end of each month to help forward the Lord's work.

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