

The month of April as been extremely slow due to stay at home orders around the world due to Covid 19 Coronavirus. We received two emails asking for help and we gave them directions to open a group understanding it might be difficult to do so in this day and age. We also provided them with the phone meeting information to at least keep in touch with the fellowship or at least get some type of exposure. The two countries asking for help were Kazakhstan and Indonesia.

Another question we received was about video meetings such as Zoom, skype etc. I explained to them GA does not recognize these due to violation of the guidance code and the best thing to do was join in with the phone meetings.

We have one member from Austria working on translation of our literature to German, which we will ask to approve at the next conference. Hoping it will be San Diego. He has already finished the combo book and "Towards 90 days". I also had these translations looked at by a German speaking member we have in Burbank and said the translation was done as close as possible word to word.

Hope we will have more to report in May.

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