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# Hmong AudioBook Production

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Some time ago, we wrote of the Hmong people of Southeast Asia. Many Hmong have come to know Jesus as their Savior and Lord, and now need to be

discipled in how to live for Jesus. But the Hmong are semi-nomadic; moving around every so often. This lifestyle makes it difficult to teach them. In addition, many are preliterate, which makes it even more difficult. But we have found the perfect technological solution for discipling them: Our discipleship courses in the AudioBook format.

AudioBooks can be read and distributed on cellphones and cell phones have become commonplace with the Hmong.

AudioBooks are also easier and cheaper to produce than most media productions, since they are based on a book that is already written and translated! One of our



Production of one of the Hmong Discipleship AudioBooks.

missionaries wrote the conversion procedure for AudioBooks, and we have already produced 9 of the 18 courses with a Hmong

speaker and they are being used in four countries! Please be praying for an editor

to continue the process and for the Hmong as they seek to learn more about their Christian faith in difficult circumstances.

### **Nepal Project Update**

We are now planning to bring Dr. Sharma to our studios for AudioBook production in January 2019. We will train him in the production of AudioBooks and he will then take these skills back to Nepal and train others so that they can complete the series of 18 courses needed!

Please be praying for God's provision and guidance in this project, which will assist the Nepali church in training pastors in spite of strict Anti-Proselytizing laws.

## **Kovach Praise and Prayer**

- † Please prayer for the Hmong as they train and minister under difficult circumstances; and that the production of AudioBooks would continue smoothly.
- + Please continue to pray for wisdom and provision for the Nepali AudioBook Project as we plan for training and production in January 2019.

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# Phillip, Stephen and Hope's Corner

Hello everyone! It's Stephen here once again with the summertime Kovach Kids Corner! It's getting hot here in Missouri, but we're doing just fine.

Phillip is continuing to work hard on his film composition, his most recent major project was helping with the sound design for a film called The Girl and the Spaceman in a local film festival called "SATO 48".

Hope was able to spend some quality time with her fellow Missionary Kids at a missionary retreat. She made new friends and got to see old friends.

My college education is going smoothly, I have just finished my second semester with great grades, and I was the recipient of the Missouri Pilots Association Scholarship as well as the Chick Fil A Leadership Scholarship.

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