

Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability

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Mr. Wendell Rovenstine Bibles for China Dept 400 P.O. Box 21568 Tulsa, OK 74121

Dear Mr. Rovenstine,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, it is my pleasure to welcome you into accreditation in ECFA (Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability). ECFA is an accreditation agency dedicated to help enhance the trust of churches and other Christ centered organizations. Founded in 1979, it provides accreditation to a growing number of America's evangelical charities. Your accreditation speaks of your organization's commitment to integrity and accountability.

We are pleased to welcome into accreditation a ministry committed to providing affordable Bibles to every person in a language and format that each can understand. We are showcasing Bibles for China on the ECFA's website: http://www.ecfa.org/MemberProfile.aspx?ID=32149. On our website, www.ECFA.org you will find hundreds of up-to-date documents on many topics of interest.

Included with this letter is a press release which will be posted on our website and is available to you for your distribution to media outlets in your area.

May the Lord bless all of your staff in the very important work to which He has called you!

Sincerely,

Dan Busby President

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Press Release

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Bibles for China Accredited by National Financial Accountability Organization

TULSA, OK – The Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA) announced today the accreditation of Bibles for China of Tulsa, OK.

ECFA accreditation is based on the <u>ECFA Seven Standards of Responsible Stewardship™</u>, including financial accountability, transparency, sound board governance and ethical fundraising.

<u>Bibles for China</u> joins a growing number of Christ-centered churches and ministries across America, supported by over 20 million donors that have earned the right to display the ECFA seal. When an organization is accredited by ECFA, it demonstrates its willingness to follow the model of biblical accountability.

"We are pleased to accredit a ministry committed to providing affordable Bibles to every person in a language and format that each can understand," said Dan Busby, president of ECFA.

Founded in 2010, Bibles for China (www.biblesforchina.org) has chosen to provide Bibles to remote economically depressed areas of rural mainland China. Bibles for China raises funds in economically developed countries to purchase Bibles printed in China which can be openly and legally distributed in China through the established church.

To learn more about Bibles for China and their stewardship opportunities, visit ServantMatch@, ECFA's program that matches God's servants with the stewardship options of ECFA members based on ministry sectors and categories. It is ECFA's newest online feature that allows you to quickly and easily find giving opportunities.

ECFA, founded in 1979, provides accreditation to leading Christian nonprofit organizations that faithfully demonstrate compliance with the ECFA Standards pertaining to financial accountability, fundraising and board governance. For more information about ECFA, including information about accreditation and a listing of ECFA-accredited members, visit www.ECFA.org or call 1-800-323-9473.

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