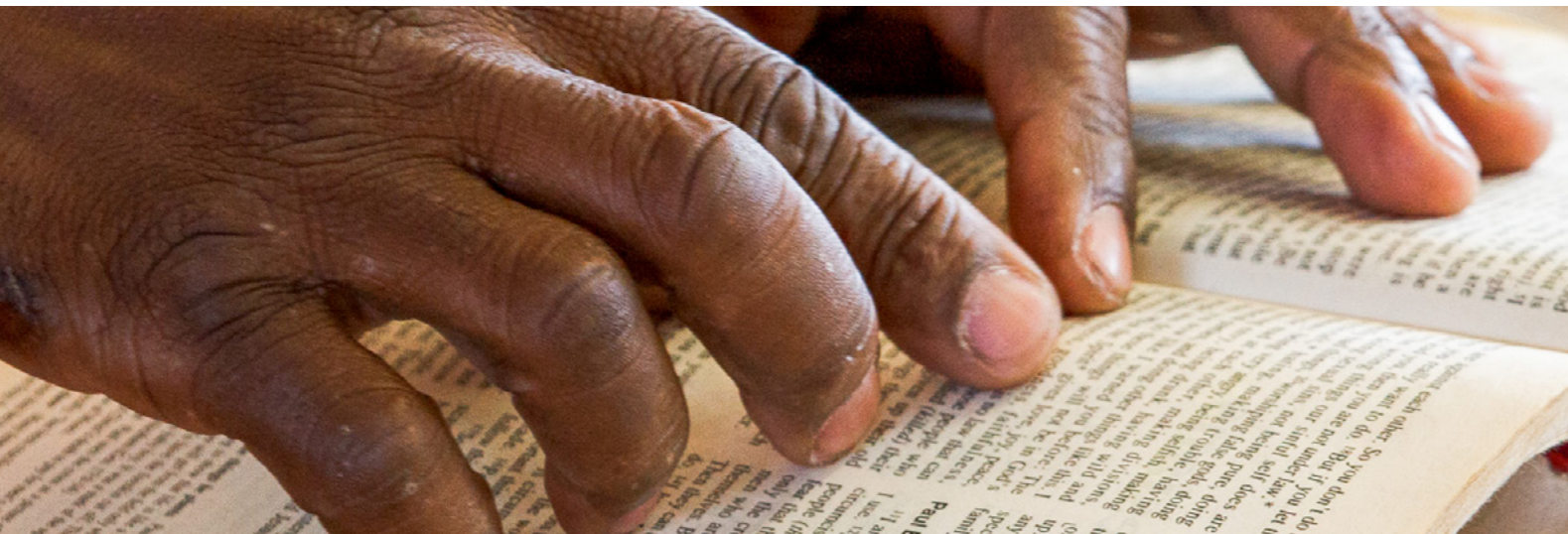


# CD CLUSTER



These four language groups live in an area where the dominant religion is not Christian. Over time, the number of believers has grown steadily. One of the languages already had some Scripture, but in 2017 they requested more Old Testament Oral Scriptures. This request was further reinforced after a devastating natural disaster in 2019 that destroyed several villages. When relief aid was being brought to the people, mission organisations reported a huge interest in audio Scripture. Availability of translated Scriptures into these four languages will help to make the God of the Bible known in an environment where it is very challenging and dangerous to preach the Gospel.

In the last few years, the region from which the language communities involved in this project come has been affected by armed conflict, making it unsafe to share many details about this project.

**Language:** Kiibo, Kichokwe, Kikabe, Kikhuxanga  
**People Group:** Kiibo, Kichokwe, Kikabe, Kikhuxanga  
**People Group Size:** 120,000, 22,000, 517,000 and 380,000  
**Location:** Southern Africa  
**Lifestyle:** Fishing, farming, trading and wood carving  
  
**Translation Time-frame:** Sep 2020 - March 2024  
**Translation Phase:** 1  
**Translation Goals:** Oral Bible translation of 60 narratives per language from both the Old and New Testament  
**Source Languages:** Lingua franca of the country and neighbouring languages  
**Managing Partners:** Wycliffe SA / local organisations

*Some details have been changed for security reasons*

## IMPACT

At one translation workshop, the team decided to include morning devotions in the programme. After three days, two translators gave their lives to Christ.

One of the men said,

“My life is better than before, so I am not turning back to my previous belief and lifestyle, no matter the cost”.

## PRAYER

1. Praise God for the great progress the teams have made despite all the hardships they've faced.
2. Pray for the safety of the teams and their families, and for God's hand over the situation in the region.
3. Pray for a suitable time and safe location to conclude the work and the dedication event which will follow when the phase is complete.
4. Pray that the translated Scriptures will reach the hearts of those in these communities and be a tool for hope, healing, and transformation in the region.

**This translation has been adopted by:**  
GodFirst Boksburg (in progress)

No. people praying for this translation:

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