

ABI Students

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Thank you letter
Tonin Koceku
April 15, 2008
Albanian Bible Institute

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I wanted to write and thank you for your support of our school. We are receiving much training and many blessings from God through this school. I also want to tell you what God has been doing and how he has been changing my life during this time I have been in school.



In the local church where I serve, I have begun to preach the Word of God. God has used Albanian Bible Institute to give me this training. I also have grown in my knowledge of the Bible. It has really grown in comparison to where I was before I came here. Thus, I believe, it has been the plan of God for me to be at ABI. I am sure of this and continue to fulfill that plan.

From my heart, I thank you for everything you have done for us. God bless you!

Your brother in Christ,
TONIN KOCEKU

Thank you letter
from Mira Lleshi
Albanian Bible Institute
April 15, 2008

Greetings!

Thank you for the support you have given us. I thank God in my prayers for your lives. You have contributed to us so that we can grow and be



strengthened in our lives here at ABI. We have the felt the strong hand of God on us as he has blessed and led our lives. This has been for the purpose of growing his church.

We have teachers who are really qualified and know the word of God. They explain it well and in a way that we understand. We have learned important things from them including how to lead small group Bible studies. I like these Bible studies and find them helpful for the growth of the body of Christ. We have also learned how to analyze passages of the Bible so we can understand them better. We have also learned how to preach the word of God, something that for me would be impossible in my own strength. However, with God's help I have learned and made progress in giving sermons.

I want to wish all of you God's blessing for your lives and your church. Thank you for everything. May the Lord Jesus add to your blessings.

With respect,
Zamira Lleshi

**Thank you letter
from Gjergj Lleshi
Albanian Bible Institute
April 15, 2008**

Dear Friends,

The grace and peace of God be with you. From my heart I thank you for your support for our training. Without your help, it would be more difficult for me



to attend ABI. May God bless you and reward you for your support!

During the time that I have been at ABI, I can say it has been a great blessing. I have learned many different things that are necessary for fruitful service in the church. We have learned to preach, to lead small group Bible studies, and to lead chronological Bible lessons. We have also had courses in Christology, Ecclesiology, and Soteriology. These courses have helped me to understand more about our faith and its truths.

The staff of ABI has been wonderful and very encouraging to us. They have taught us with all their hearts, and not from a desire just to do a job. Their teaching has been very effective for me.

Once again, I thank you for the love you have shown us by your help for ABI. May God bless you and may his grace abound upon you.

**With gratitude and prayers to God,
Gjergj Lleshi**

**Letter of Thanks
Luka Sema
Albanian Bible Institute
April 15, 2008**

I am happy that I have this possibility and privilege to thank you for your help, both financially and through your prayers. It has been a



great privilege to study at Albanian Bible Institute.

It has been a great time when God has blessed our lives with knowledge and wisdom. I am

pleased for the time I have spent with the others here, our harmony with God, and the unity and

communication we have with the teachers and

staff of ABI. Now that we are finishing this year, I

see how much we have changed in our knowledge of the word of the Lord. Every day God has worked in miraculous ways through all the

activities of ABI. For this, I am grateful to God that he has placed in your heart to pray for us and to support us financially. I believe that

God sees our hearts and one day he will reward us. I want to thank

you also for what you have done to provide for our conditions and

care at ABI. Allow me to thank you in the name of our Lord Jesus

Christ. God bless you!

Sincerely,

Luka Sema

**Thank you letter
Elona Shehu
April 15, 2008
Albanian Bible Institute**

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your support of our training here at Albanian Bible Institute. I am very pleased that this opportunity has been given to me to be a student in the missions program, even if I am only a part-time student right now. I have taken several of the courses and they have been very good and have helped me in my service in the church. They have also given me the ability to serve better when



God gives me the ability to serve as a missionary to another place. (I want to go to Turkey.) The introductory course we have had in missions has also encouraged me to pursue my calling to be a missionary. I now see that world missions is the theme of the Bible.

I have also learned many things in the courses for Chronological Bible Teaching. Before, I thought it was enough for people to understand the facts of the gospel and to accept Christ. Now I have learned that this is not enough. They must have the beginning of the Bible to understand the gospel and to have a firm foundation on which to believe. Centuries of living with an unbiblical worldview do not disappear quickly. Changing their worldview is important, but first we must understand their worldview. This is so important for missionaries to do their work effectively.

I have been in a course on leading small group Bible studies. I have learned how to form questions that stimulate thinking and discussions so that people learn. In this course I have learned how to better study a chapter of the Bible and to make a Bible study out of it for small groups.

The course on preaching has also been one that has helped me learn how to preach. In the past, I thought this was not something I could do. However, it has been a blessing for me to learn how to do this, even if I will not be preaching on a regular basis for my church.

The whole school has been a positive influence on me. It is not just a positive reflection on the teachers, but also on you who have given us your support. I appreciate your support of ABI and with all my heart wish you God's blessings.

**Your sister in Christ,
Elona Shehu**