

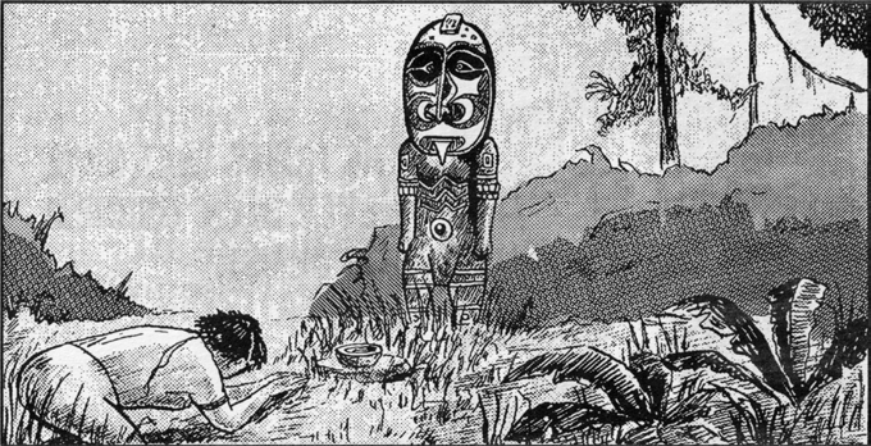


BREAKTHROUGH !

**THERE IS AN AREA WHICH
HAS BEEN A HEARTACHE
TO MISSIONARY-MINDED
CHRISTIANS FOR CENTURIES . . .**



**THE TRIBES THAT HAVE
NEVER BEEN TOUCHED
FOR CHRIST.**





**AS THE DECADES ROLL BY THESE TRIBES
SLIP INTO CHRISTLESS GRAVES.**

EVERY TRIBE BY '85



THE WYCLIFFE BIBLE TRANSLATORS ARE WORKING DILIGENTLY TO CRACK THE TRIBAL LANGUAGES. THEIR GOAL IS EVERY TRIBE BY 1985 AND THEY ARE DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.

**COULD THERE POSSIBLY BE
A FASTER WAY TO REACH
THEM?**

EVERY TRIBE BY '85



**WE TRIED . . . FOR MORE THAN TEN YEARS WITH
COUNTLESS SKETCHES, STRUGGLING TO WORK
OUT A SIMPLE ILLUSTRATED GOSPEL MESSAGE WITH
A MINIMUM OF TEXT.**

BUT, IF THEY CAN'T READ — IT WOULD BE USELESS.

THEIR GOAL IS EVERY TRIBE BY '85 AND THEY ARE
DOING A FANTASTIC JOB.

ONE NIGHT I WATCHED A SPECIAL
TV PROGRAM . . .

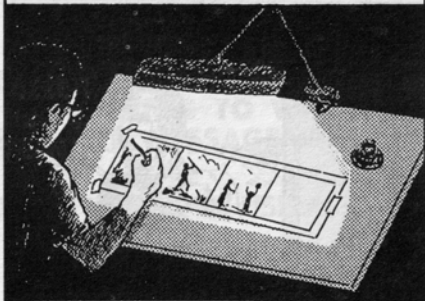


IT WAS ON NEW GUINEA

**IT DROVE ME TO MY
KNEES. IN SOME AREAS
THESE PRECIOUS SOULS
HAVE NO WRITTEN WORD
. . . GREATLY LIMITING
THEIR CHANCES OF
HEARING ABOUT CHRIST.**

**I BELIEVE WE GOT
AN ANSWER TO
PRAYER**

**A NEW IDEA CAME TO US . . . WE
STARTED DRAWING . . .**



A WORDLESS GOSPEL STORY

**WE MADE SOME VERY ROUGH
SKETCHES AND PUT THEM IN-
TO A LITTLE BOOKLET.**

**WE SENT IT OFF TO NEW
GUINEA, TO A MISSIONARY IN
A RATHER REMOTE AREA.**

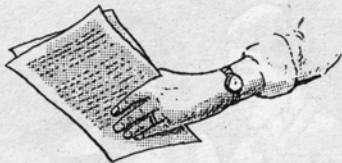
**THIS WAS OUR BIG TEST. —
COULD IT REALLY WORK??**



MONTHS WENT BY . . .

WE THOUGHT IT WAS A FAILURE

AT LONG LAST WE RECEIVED WORD ...



THE MISSIONARY TOLD HOW HE TRIED IT OUT ON HIS LOCAL NATIVES. — HE SHOWED THEM THE SKETCHES.



**THE NATIVE HAD NEVER SEEN A PICTURE BEFORE
... THE MISSIONARY EXPLAINED IT TO HIM.**

THEN THE NATIVE TOOK IT AND EXPLAINED IT TO ANOTHER NATIVE.



WHAT WAS THE VERDICT? COULD THE MISSIONARY USE THESE BOOKS FOR THE UNEDUCATED NATIVES?

Dear Brother Chick:

Thank you for your interest in New Guinea and we will enjoy receiving this new Wordless Gospel.

We have a Bible school of 25 men who go out every week-end and witness. Of course, most of their work is with the uneducated, WHO NEED YOUR WORDLESS GOSPEL.

We appreciate your work and prayers for us.

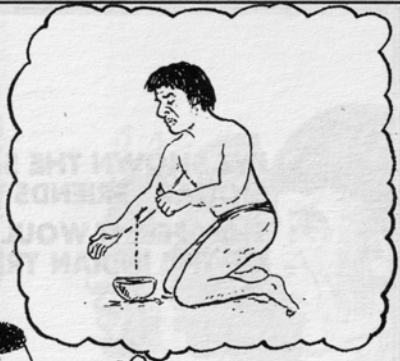
Sincerely,

The Mosleys

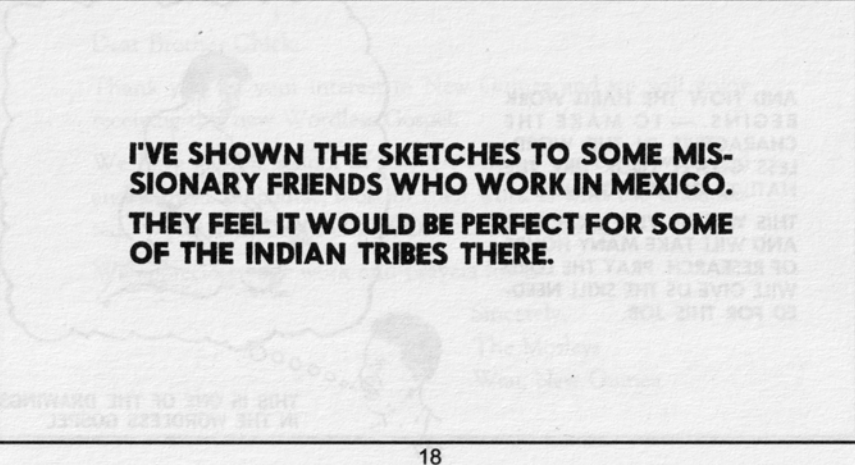
Wau, New Guinea

AND NOW THE HARD WORK BEGINS. — TO MAKE THE CHARACTERS IN THE WORDLESS GOSPEL LOOK LIKE THE NATIVES OF NEW GUINEA.

THIS WILL BE VERY EXACTING AND WILL TAKE MANY HOURS OF RESEARCH. PRAY THE LORD WILL GIVE US THE SKILL NEEDED FOR THIS JOB.



THIS IS ONE OF THE DRAWINGS IN THE WORDLESS GOSPEL



I'VE SHOWN THE SKETCHES TO SOME MISSIONARY FRIENDS WHO WORK IN MEXICO. THEY FEEL IT WOULD BE PERFECT FOR SOME OF THE INDIAN TRIBES THERE.

WE ARE PRAYING THAT SOME DAY SOON WE WILL HAVE VERSIONS OF THE WORDLESS GOSPEL FOR THE INDIANS OF MEXICO AND SOUTH AMERICA; NATIVES IN AFRICA AND THOSE IN NEW GUINEA.



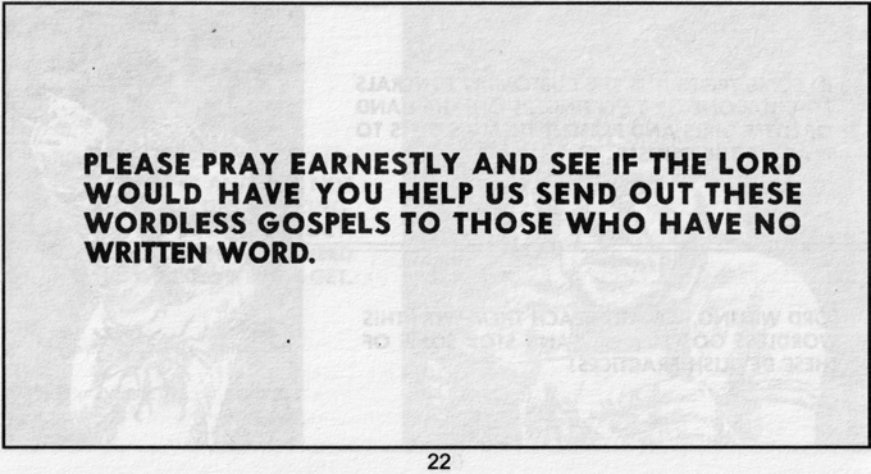
**BELOVED, THIS IS A BRAND
NEW FRONTIER AND WILL NOT
BE AN EASY UNDERTAKING.
THIS WILL REQUIRE MUCH
PRAYER FROM YOU. WE NEED
ALL THE WISDOM WE CAN GET.**



IN SOME TRIBES IT IS THE CUSTOM AT FUNERALS TO CHOP ONE OR TWO FINGERS OFF THE HAND OF LITTLE GIRLS AND PRESENT THEM AS GIFTS TO PLACATE THE GHOSTS.

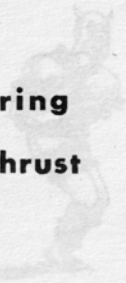
LORD WILLING, WE WILL REACH THEM WITH THIS WORDLESS GOSPEL . . . AND STOP SOME OF THESE DEVILISH PRACTICES!





**PLEASE PRAY EARNESTLY AND SEE IF THE LORD
WOULD HAVE YOU HELP US SEND OUT THESE
WORDLESS GOSPELS TO THOSE WHO HAVE NO
WRITTEN WORD.**

**We believe that we are now entering
into the last great evangelistic thrust
before the Lord returns.**



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