



BIBLE TRANSLATION

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COUNTRY
Sierra Leone
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**Bible Society in
Sierra Leone**
POPULATION
1,540,000

Themne

Themne Old Testament

PROGRESS

- Full Themne Old Testament drafted
- 1 and 2 Kings, 1 Chronicles team checked
- Deuteronomy, 1 and 2 Kings externally reviewed
- Genesis, Exodus, 1 and 2 Samuel back-translated
- Psalms consultant checked

PRAYERS

- Pray for internet connectivity and stable electricity.
- Pray for reliable transportation for the evaluation team.
- Pray for teams to faithfully correct all issues in the draft so the translation will be clear, accurate, and beautiful.

Rejoice! Thanks to your generous gifts and prayers and the efforts of the translation team, the entire Old Testament has been drafted. Now, the Old Testament books will progress through the remaining three stages: team review, community review, and consultant review. The translation must be clear, accurate, and beautiful to the Themne speaking people, so time and care are vital.

Several books have gone through reviewing stages despite the continued frustration of internet connectivity issues and power outages. Community reviewers were “brought from the various Themne dialects to ensure total involvement of the entire Themne people in the translation work in order to enhance the naturalness of the translation work.”

Scripture engagement on Genesis, Exodus and Nehemiah blessed the community!



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