

Instructions:

- 1 - Attach a photograph of your family. If you are single, attach a "full body" photograph of yourself.
- 2 - Attach any other photographs you may have showing your family or ministry, such as church members, a baptism, a preaching service, etc.
- 3 - Please answer all questions with as much detail as possible. Use extra paper if necessary.

Application for Support from the Final Frontiers Foundation, Inc.

Personal Information:

Name: Marko Ndelilio Nassari

Name you are called by if different: No

Your birthday: February (Month) 3 (Day) 1956 (Year)

Your wife's name: Tumunieli Marko Nassari

Your wife's birthday: December (Month) 28 (Day) 1961 (Year)

Your tribe (if any): Mmeru

Your wife's tribe (if any): Mmeru

Date of your marriage: June (Month) 15 (Day) 1985 (Year)

What is your nationality?: Tanzanian

What country do you live in?: Tanzania

What city/town do you live in?: Ngarenanyuki

How far away is a large city if you live in a small town: 60 Kilometers ☐miles ☐kilometers

In what direction is the large city if applicable?: South ☐North ☐South ☐East ☐West

Your children's names:

Samsoni Marko

Nurueli Marko

Sheduraju Marko

Esironi Marko

Your children's birthdays:

July 20, 1986

September 16, 1989

June 30, 1994

August 7, 2001

1 - Please write a detailed testimony of your salvation and call to the ministry.

TESTIMONY

My name is pastor Marko Ndelilio Nassari. I was born in a pagan family in the 1956. My parents were typically pagans who were strictly faithful in our tribe customs and practices. It took me time before coming to give my life to the Lord Jesus because years back I used to follow the ways of my parents. There were several activities you must go through to reach a stage to be considered as a brave man in the community. One of those activities includes initiations whereby you have to know and practice the worship of our traditional ancestors. I stayed as a member of that society who attempted to follow those ways but my life was typically worse. The goal of traditional practices in my tribe is lead a member to become a witch doctor or a specialist who knows how to carry on traditional activities.

In the year 1990, God made a good plan for me to get saved. A team of preachers came to our village and called for a big meeting where they preached. Many people gave their lives to Jesus, including myself. The preacher preached on the love of God to all humankind which led Him to send His Son to come to dye on the cross to save us freely. He used John 3:16 and found myself receiving the gift of salvation.

In the year 1996, I received the call to serve the Lord. The Holy Spirit really convinced me to tell others about their evil ways and the need to accept the Lord Jesus. My church gave me a go on and prayed for me as a church evangelist. In the year 1999, my church called me as pastor a position which I am still serving in.

2 - Please write your personal doctrinal statement.

On my side I believe that the Bible is a revelation of God written by people through the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. I believe that God is the cause and initiator of all seen and unseen things. I believe that the Holy Spirit is our helper who leads and gives strength to know and to accept the gift of salvation. According to the Scriptures judgment is there and all those who do not receive the Lord Jesus will be judged. I do believe that Jesus Christ is our Savior and Lord of Lords who came to save us. I do believe in the forgiveness of sins as declared by God to those who accept the Lord Jesus. I do believe in the new life which a believer gets after Christ entered into his life. I do believe that the church is fellowship of born again believers who are given the ministry to carry on the message of the Great Commission to proclaim to the lost people about the coming judgment and the need to be reconciled with God through Jesus Christ.

3 - Please write a brief testimony of your wife.

My wife was born in a pagan family whereby both her parents were pagans. She grew up in that family until the time we met and got married. This means that she stayed with me for a long time without being saved.

In the year 1990, it was when she got saved. This was at the same time I got saved. God planned that day for her to be saved through a Gospel meeting which was conducted in our village. Preachers shared the message of the Gospel and she confessed the Lord Jesus as her personal Savior. She was then baptized and began a new life in Christ.

In our church, she works as a teacher for women and youth. She also use to help the young ladies who are about to enter into marriage relationship and those who are already in marriage. She works with me in evangelism. During the time of difficulty, she uses to encourage me.

Financial:

4 - List your monthly needs and costs.

Food: flour, rice, sugar, milk, cooking oil, and banana - 270,000/- monthly
Other family needs like soap, etc are: - 75,000/- monthly

Total - 345,000/- per month

5 - Do you have any monthly income, and if so, how much?

Yes. It is Tsh. 12,000/- which is equal to almost 8.00 US Dollars.

6 - Are you employed by a denomination? (Do you receive a salary from a denomination?)

No.

7 - Do you work any other jobs, and if so, what are they? How many hours do they require each week?

I work in keeping cattle and small farming activities. I work 24 hours per week.

Ministry Experience:

8 - Please check the types of ministries you are regularly involved in.

☒ church planting	☒ discipleship	Bible teacher
Bible translator	radio preacher	leper ministries
☒ open air evangelism	film team	☒ evangelism
☒ literature distribution	prison ministries	slum ministries
tribal evangelism	child evangelism	other (explain)

9 - Are you actively and consistently involved in training others for the ministry?

Yes.

10 - What are the names of preachers that you have trained? Where do they serve?

- 1) Noel E. Nassari
- 2) Joel F. Nassari
- 3) Isaya I. Temba
- 4) Petro N. Nassari

They are serving in different villages as evangelists.

11 - Where did you attend Bible school? Who trained you for the ministry?

The teacher who taught me in seminary was Pastor John Kaipuko.

12 - What ministries have you been involved with in the past and where were they?

I was able to work with Reaching Soul International which came from America.

13 - How many churches have you started? I started 3 churches.

14 - What are their names? Where are they located?

- 1) Ngabobo Baptist church.
 - 2) Nkoasenga Baptist church
 - 3) Kandashe Baptist church, and
- These churches are in Tanzania.

15 - What countries do you serve in and what tribal groups do you work with?

I was able to serve in Tanzania and sometimes in Kenya with different tribes.

16 - How many languages do you speak and what are they?

Swahili, Kimeru and Kimasai

17 - How many souls have you led to Christ in your life? About 387 people or more.

How many have you baptized in your life?

The baptized ones are about 87.

18 - Do you work alone or with other preachers? Give details.

I work with others by making a group of evangelists to visit different villages. I sometimes join with other pastors to serve together.

Relevant Family Information:

19 - Are all of your children Christians and have they been baptized? If not, please explain.

All my children are Christians.

20 - What is your house made of and how many rooms does it have?

My house is made of iron sheet, wood and bricks.

21 - What are your favorite foods

Our favorite foods are: kande, banana, maize, rice, yams, finger millet and beans.

22 - Describe a typical daily schedule.

Monday to Friday:

from 7.00am – 8.00 am taking tea with my family

from 8.00am – 11:30 farming

from 12:00pm – 2:30pm lunch and rest

from 3:00pm – 5.30pm church services such as Bible study, evangelism and teaching new believers.

from 6:00pm – 10:00pm feed our cows

On Saturday I rest and read the Bible.

On Sunday I go to the church

23 - Describe your wife's typical daily schedule.

My wife's schedule is related with that of my wife but sometime she has to take some hours to prepare family food while we are at farming or other duties.

24 - Do you grow your own food or do you purchase it?

Yes we grow some food and purchase some.

Accountability:

- 25 - Though you will not be employed by Final Frontiers, will you be willing to acknowledge (when asked in person or in writing) that you receive support from us?
Yes.

Summary:

If you would like to give us any other information than what was asked for, you may do so.

I pastor Marko Ndelilio Nassari would like to thank you for considering my name into be in you organization to help me get a sponsor. Life is very difficult in my area. Serving God as a call is truly a call in my area. If a person was not called, no way for him to serve because of life challenges. God bless you.

Final Notes:

Remember that we will use the information you give us to write a short biography about your family and ministry. The more detailed information we have, the better. Also, we will need four to five photos of your ministry including one of your family). Such information will help us, not only in finding a sponsor for you, but also for other men around the world who need help. When sending photos, please remember to always write an explanation on the back side of the picture.

Funds will be sent to you (once approved and having found a sponsor) on a quarterly basis. If your report has not arrive at our office by that time, your support will be suspended until we receive your letter or quarterly report. If political or geographic barriers prohibit you from mailing quarterly reports, exceptions can be made. However, we must receive information as often as possible to be accountable to the donors.

Please pray for us daily that God will equip us to find sponsors for men like yourself, in need around the world.

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