



VERNACULAR VIDEO MISSION INTERNATIONAL VVMi & VMN PARTNERSHIP PROJECT

MACBOOKPRO LAPTOP COMPUTER

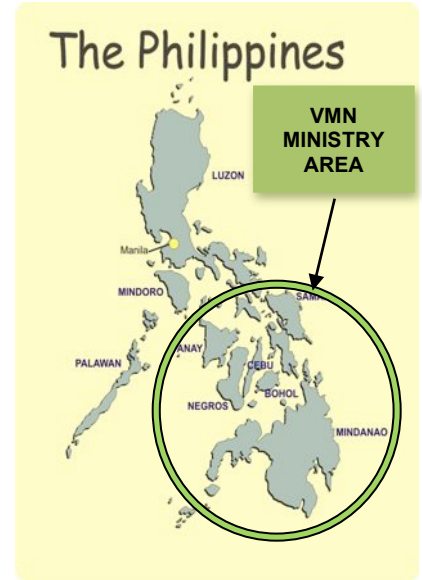
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LAPTOP COMPUTER NEEDED TO CONTINUE WORK

In 1996, VVMi joined forces with *Overseas Missionary Fellowship (OMF)* to start the beginnings of *Vernacular Media Network (VMN)* on the southern Philippines island of Mindanao. Since its start, VMN has made and shown Christian videos in many of the various Manobo languages of Mindanao, and occasionally in Cebuano, the regional trade language. VMN has at least 5 ministry teams working around Mindanao. One of these teams has been pushing outwards and is now working with and encouraging local churches on the barely-reached islands of Leyte and Samar, as well as on some other islands north of Mindanao.

Over the years, VMN's indigenously made vernacular videos have been very effective in sharing the truths of God's Word with the people of the southern Philippines. Last year two new Manobo-language movies were made that are both being used by the Lord to touch hearts. The VMN Production Department hopes to be very busy in the next 5 years making new movies for the indigenous peoples in VMN's expanding ministry area. In fact, the VMN Production Department plans to shoot new vernacular movies in several locations. This effort will require a dependable and speedy computer for editing. VMN's existing iMac desktop computer is about 7 years old, and while it is still working, it is very slow, which makes movie production difficult. In addition, the machine's age makes it effectively obsolete for many upgrades and incompatible with newer software.

This project will provide funding for the purchase in the Philippines of a new Apple MacBookPro laptop computer. This laptop will allow continuation and expansion of VMN's ministry. It is also a cost-effective solution that will provide VMN with portable production capability, and will also allow the VMN staff to be in sync with their newer existing cameras, software, and other tools involved in producing quality media.



A MACBOOKPRO COMPUTER



THIS IS A PHOTO OF THE EXISTING IMAC DESKTOP COMPUTER THAT NEEDS REPLACED SINCE IT IS FUNCTIONALLY OBSOLETE AND NOT FUNCTIONING WELL. ALSO, IN ORDER TO HAVE THE ABILITY TO REVIEW AND MODIFY FILM CLIPS IN THE FIELD, IT IS ESSENTIAL TO HAVE A PORTABLE MACBOOKPRO LAPTOP COMPUTER

VVMi partners with and equips ethnic Christians who proclaim the Gospel through video and other media in their common language.

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