

Note Taking Outline



There are many decisions to make regarding producing your audio Bible. Bring each important decision to your prayer team, ask them to pray for wisdom in to make the best decision for your needs.

Important decisions include:

- 1. Choose which Bible version to record.
 - a. Who is your _____?
 - b. What ______do you need to receive from the Bible society that owns your preferred version?

TIP: We recommend that you ask for full permission to record the Old and New Testament and permission to display the Bible text and audio in an app, website, or both.

- 2. Your quality level of production
 - a. Consider your ______.
 - b. Consider how you want them to listen, such as personal listening, at a church, or on the radio.

TIP: Your quality level will determine the expenses.

- 3. Raising money for your project
 - a. Expectant _____ prayer for God to supply what you need.
 - b. Philippians 4:19
 - c. Psalm 50:10-12
- 4. Create a simple ______.
 - a. Possible expenses:
 - i. Royalty to the Bible society
 - ii. Recording equipment
 - iii. Professional voices
 - iv. Transportation, food and lodging for voices
 - v. Audio editing
 - vi. App and website services
- 5. Key Elements of presenting your needs to potential donors.
 - a. Present your vision.
 - b. What needs an audio Bible in women's voices will meet.
 - c. Benefits
 - d. How you will do it.
 - e. Ask for donations.

Be clear about the cost of the project. You may want to set up a non-profit status to process your donations.

Next Assignment:

- 1. Create a checklist of decisions
- 2. Gather information
- 3. Pray
- 4. Research costs

Assignment Worksheet

1. Create a checklist of decisions (See page 13.)

There will be many decisions to make in the process of producing your audio Bible. As you watch the remaining videos, you may want to add any additional decisions for your context.

2. Gather Information

There are many areas in which you will need to gather information. This is a great way to initially engage the women on your work team by asking them to help you.

What are some topics/questions where you will need to gather information?

Here are a few of our suggestions:

- What Bible versions are presently available in your language? Which is most frequently used? Which one is the simplest to understand?
- Which Bible society owns the version of the Bible you want to record? What permissions do they require before someone may record it?
- Explore the different recording equipment and the costs of various ways to record it. i.e., What is the hourly cost of using a recording studio? If you set up a home recording studio, what would it cost? Do you know anyone with a studio that you could use?
- Create a simple budget for the project based on the information you have gathered.
- What is involved in creating an app or a website for your Bible?
- How will you attract future listeners?
- Develop a donor presentation or a fund appeal strategy.

TIP: Ask your coach for ideas about donor presentations.

As you can already see there is important work you can involve your team with from the very beginning.

3. Pray

Engage your prayer team in expectant, hopeful prayers for each aspect of the project starting now. Share your vision with them and continue to show them the need for prayer in order for that vision to be realized. Give them specific things to pray for and report back to them on progress and answered prayer. Celebrate often with your prayer team and your work team as God provides along the way.

4. Research costs

Your audio Bible can be recorded at a reasonable cost for your language in your country by national speakers. Research the costs of doing this project professionally, in a home studio, or in the studio of a ministry. Compare prices and equipment. Which will best meet your needs and quality?

Note: We have used several different ways to record the English version and have suggestions you may find helpful through the coaching.

Decisions List

Date	ltem	Completed

Budget Worksheet

Date	Item	Estimated Cost	Actual Cost	Total Cost
Total Cost				