

**AVBC AUDIO-VIDEO RESOURCE CENTRE**

**Bulletin #2**

**NEW DVDs**

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**ADULT DVDs**

**“Holy Bible - Old Testament - Complete King James Version” [A120a]**

**“Holy Bible - New Testament - Complete King James Version” [A161a]**

For those who would like to read the Bible, or hear the Bible being read, or both read the Bible and hear it being read, but cannot do so because of problems with vision or hearing or back and joints, comes this reasonably large print presentation of the complete written text of the King James Version of both the Old and New Testaments narrated in a crystal clear mellow baritone voice (often dramatized with other voices), on two DVDs which can be played on a television set or on a computer monitor equipped with a DVD player. The complete Bible takes about 70 hours to narrate, and thus, if one were to devote one hour per day or one half hour per day, one could read and / or listen to a reading of the whole Bible in about 70 days (one fifth of a year) or 140 days (two fifths of a year). One can play the DVDs on a Testament-by-Testament basis, a Book-by-Book basis, or on a chapter-by-chapter basis. Interactive menus allow direct access to any book or chapter. Although the DVDs do not have a “pause and continue” function, one can pause at the end of each chapter and one can go back and re-read or re-hear the entire chapter containing a certain passage if one plays the DVDs on a chapter-by-chapter basis. For those wishing to hear the Bible being read, the two DVD disks replace a box full of audio tapes and CDs. Personal copies can be purchased at local Christian resource stores. Try out the AVBC Audio-Video library copy, first, to see if it suits you, before purchasing your own personal copy.

**“Candle in the Dark”**, biography of William Carey (1761-1834), English Baptist Missionary, the “Father of Modern Missions” and revered “Friend of India”. He oversaw more translations of the Bible [into many Indian vernacular languages] than had been done in all previous Christian history combined. He helped abolish the practice of burning alive widows when their husbands died. **[A720e]**      END