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The loss of authority of the AV 1611 in the churches and the major Christian schools in the Indian subcontinent and the Indian language Bibles which are based on corrupt Greek and Hebrew texts led brother Nic and other Bible Believing pastors in Andhra Pradesh to start the Bible Believers Ministries in 2010, with a desire to give back the pure words of God in the Indian languages, to the churches in India.

Telugu Bible Institute

A Telugu Bible institute was started in Hyderabad to train young men using the AV 1611 in Telugu as the main text with ten students and four teachers. The students graduated in 2011 and are now serving the Lord as Bible believing pastors in various parts of Andhra Pradesh.

English Bible Seminary

Since most higher education in India is given in English, it was decided that the medium of instruction in the Bible institute should be English. The Hyderabad Theological Seminary was started in 2011 with ten students joining the Seminary from various parts of India representing six different language groups. The course was broadened to a two year Bachelor of Divinity with a focus on Manuscript Evidence, Hebrew and Greek languages, soul winning, extensive discipleship training and rightly dividing the Holy Scriptures.

So far we have had sixteen students graduate with a Bachelor of Divinity in February, 2013 and 2014. The highlight of their training is their participation in the typing and proofreading of out-of-print Indian Bibles from the time of missionary William Carey, which will be reprinted and which the students take with them to their own people that they may have the pure words of God.