

Pioneer Bible Translators (PBT) is a mission organization existing to: provide scripture in the languages of people groups; develop mother-tongue literacy programs; and establish and strengthen congregations and train leadership among nationals for partnership in reaching its goals.



Brad and Tammie Harvey first worked in Bible Translation among the Bali people in Northeastern Zaire (Congo) from 1993-94, as well as survey for other language groups there. 1995 saw the PBT Zaire (Congo) work close due to political unrest. The Harvey's were on furlough at the time and lost all their equipment and personal belongings. The Zaire branch was renamed the East Africa Branch, and plans were made to begin working in Tanzania.

## About their Ministry

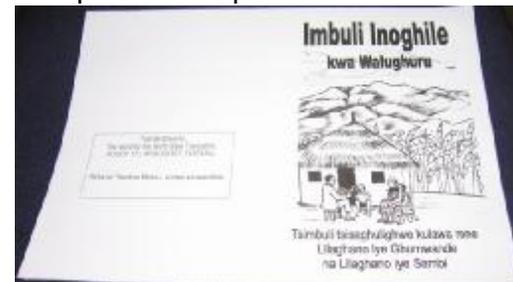
The Harveys arrived in Tanzania in 1997 as part of the PBT East Africa Branch start-up team, overseeing sociolinguistic surveys for three years in order to help the branch prioritize translation and literacy needs.



PBT officially began its first translation program in Tanzania in 2001, partnering with United Bible Society of Tanzania. The Kaguru NT was completed in 2006 and is awaiting manuscript checking and publication, as the Kaguru translators have begun work on the OT.

The Lughuru translation program began in 2005 in partnership with Word for the World (WW).

Five other projects were begun in the Morogoro Cluster of languages in 2006 thanks to national training and partnership with WW.



The book of Mark was published in six of the Morogoro Cluster languages in August 2007 and the Jesus Film was dubbed into Lughuru in June 2007 by Life Ministries (Campus Crusade) after the book of Luke was consultant checked and approved for publication. Four other language programs have begun since Aug. 2007. Brad is Assistant

Director of Language Affairs, overseeing



all language programs. Tammie is the East Africa Branch Director, and a trustee for a Street Children's Ministry.

## United Republic of Tanzania

- is on the East Coast of Africa on the Indian Ocean.
- has 28 million people:
- 30% Christian
- 35% Muslim
- 35% Animist
- consists of more than 130 ethnic groups, each with its own language.
- 61 languages have definite Bible translation need.
- 27 languages have possible Bible translation need.

## Special Dates

Brad Harvey Sr.

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## Brad & Tammie Harvey



Brad accepted Christ in 1979 in High School in Indianapolis, and shortly afterwards dedicated his life to full-time ministry. Tammie accepted the Lord in Junior High in Fort Smith, Arkansas. In 1982, they both went to Milligan College and met as Freshmen. They graduated in 1986: Brad with a BA in Bible and Sociology, Tammie with a BS in Biology. After graduation they married and moved to Dallas to begin training with Pioneer Bible Translators. Brad has a Masters in Linguistics and Tammie a Masters in Anthropology. In 1991, they studied French in France. In 1992 they completed then staffed Africa Orientation Course and interned in sociolinguistic survey.