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CHRISTIAN BIOGRAPHY

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A) INDIVIDUAL BIOGRAPHY [C700.....]

Aylward, Gladys

“Gladys Aylward” in Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C700 Aylw G-1]
{This video has just been published: will be ordered shortly}

Bradford, William 1590-1657 English Pilgrim befriended North American natives. First Thanksgiving

“William Bradford” in Inspiring Heroes animated series - NEST [C700 Brad W-1]

Bunyan, John 1628-88 English Baptist preacher imprisoned for his faith: he wrote Pilgrim’s Progress Parts 1 & 2 in 1678 and 1684 - 67 years after the King James version of the Bible was published in 1611.

The long title of Bunyan’s book was “Pilgrim’s Progress from this world to that which is to come”. It was in two parts:

Part 1: Mr **Christian** Pilgrim’s journey

Part 2: his wife Mrs **Christiana** Pilgrim’s journey: she was accompanied by their children.

The Video Library has 5 different videos. Though they are classified as “Adult and teen” they may also be of interest to children, but they will require parental guidance because the English language has changed dramatically in the last 330 years.

“John Bunyan”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-1, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-1]

“John Bunyan story” in Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C700 Buny J-1]

Carey, William, 1761-1834 English Baptist missionary to India,
translated the Bible into various Indian vernacular dialects:
defender of widows

“William Carey”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-2, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-2]

Charles, Rev Thomas 1755-1814 Welsh clergyman, inspired by
example of Mary Jones, founded British & Foreign Bible Society
to distribute reasonably-priced Bibles to people

“Mary Jones”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-1, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-1]

“Mary Jones & her Bible”: in VHS format, Cdn Bible Society [C700 Jone M-1]

See also: **Jones, Mary**

Damien, Father 1840-89 Belgian missionary to Molokai, Hawaii, to help
and comfort the outcast lepers

“Pastor Damien”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-3, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-3]

Egede, Hans, 1686-1758, Norwegian pastor and missionary to Greenland.
translated Bible into Inuit (Eskimo). Christianized Greenland

“Hans Egede”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-2, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-2]

Elliott, Jim, 1956, 1 of 5 US missionaries to Ecuador killed by
South American natives, Aucas: martyr

“Jim Elliot story” in Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C720 Auca W-1]

Jones, Mary, 1784-1866, Welsh teenage girl wanted a Bible so much
she saved her money for 6 years and walked 50 miles to buy one,
thus inspiring foundation of the British & Foreign Bible Society

“Mary Jones”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-1, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-1]

“Mary Jones & her Bible”- VHS format - Canadian Bible Society [C700 Jone M-1]

See also: **Charles, Rev Thomas**

Keller, Helen 1880-1968 US blind and deaf girl, became author & lecturer with help of her special teacher **Anne Sullivan**

“Helen Keller” in Inspiring Heroes animated series - NEST [C700 Kell H-1]

“The Miracle worker” (MGM) [A700 Kell H1]

Liddell, Eric 1902-45 Scottish Olympic champion runner refused to race on Sabbath: minister: missionary to China: purpose was to glorify God: died in communist prison in China

“Eric Liddell”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-3, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-3]

“Eric Liddell story” in Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C700 Lidd E-1]

Livingstone, David 1813-1873, Scottish missionary to and explorer of Africa; combated slave trade

“David Livingstone”:Children’s Heroes Christian Hist. series-1, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-1]

Nommensen, Ludwig, 1834-1918, Danish missionary to Indonesia. Translated Bible into Batak language of Sumatra. Transformed people.

“Ludwig Nommensen”:Children’s Heroes Christian Hist series-3,ages 5-10[C720 Chil H-3]

Paton, John 1824-1907 Scottish missionary to New Hebrides in Oceania. Transformed people

“John Paton”:Children’s Heroes Christian History series-3, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-3]

Patrick, St 385-461 Roman-British missionary to Ireland, preached in Irish, converted all Ireland to Christianity

“Patrick, Brave Shepherd of the Emerald Isle” [C700 Patr S-1]

Raikes, Robert, 1735-1811, English philanthropist launched Sunday School movement to educate exploited children - to teach them to read and write in order to read the Bible.

“Robert Raikes”:Children’s Heroes Christian History series-2, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-2]

Singh, Sadhu Sundar 1889-1929 Sikh Indian turned to Christ: missionary who brought Gospel to India & Tibet & Nepal

“Sundar Singh”: Children’s Heroes Christian History series-2, ages 5-10 [C720 Chil H-2]

Sullivan, Anne

See under Helen Keller

Tubman, Harriet-1820-1913 African-American woman, nicknamed ‘Moses’, led her people from slavery to freedom

“Harriet Tubman” in Inspiring Heroes animated series [C700 Tubm H-1]

Tyndale, William 1494-1536 English Protestant reformer: translated Bible from the original Hebrew and Greek into English so that even the common people (“a plough-boy”) could read it: martyr

“William Tyndale story”: Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C700 Tynd W-1]

Wilberforce, William, 1759-1833, British evangelical MP campaigned to abolish slave trade and slavery in British Empire

“William Wilberforce”:Children’s Heroes Christian Hist. series-1,ages 5-10[C720 Chil H-1]

B) COLLECTIVE BIOGRAPHY

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“Jim Elliot story” in Torchlighters Heroes of Faith series, ages 8-12 [C720 Auca W-1]

Children’s Heroes from Christian History, series 1 [C720 Chil H-1]

John Bunyan

Mary Jones

David Livingstone

William Wilberforce

Children’s Heroes from Christian History, series 2 [C720 Chil H-2]

William Carey

Hans Egede

Robert Raikes

Sadhu Sundar Singh

Children’s Heroes from Christian History, series 3 [C720 Chil H-3]

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