

# **This is a ministry to write a letter to our brothers and sisters who are imprisoned for Christ around the world.**

## **When you write a letter as an individual or as a group**

**Process:** Visit VOMK Homepage ([www.vomkorea.com](http://www.vomkorea.com)) and click **GET INVOLVED – WRITE TO A PRISONER**. Click on a prisoner picture. → Read prisoner profile → Read "Instructions for Writing a Letter" in the red box on the right side. → Write a letter or card in the prisoner's native language according to the examples below (refer to the picture of 'How to Write' below) → Put your letter or card in an envelope → Write your personal name (or nickname) as the sender. → Write the prison address as the recipient address. → Go to the post office to mail your letter. (In Korea, it costs about 1,000 KRW for mailing a letter on average.)

**It is good to let your church or family members know about the prisoner profiles on the bulletin board in your church, in your cell group gatherings, or in family gatherings. And you can tell the stories of those brother and sister prisoners and explain how you can all write and send letters to them at the post office (or, you can send or bring those letters to the VOMK office with about 1,000 won per letter (for a stamp) and VOMK staff will send your letters).**

**You are welcome to request prisoner profiles at any time from VOMK.**

## **When you write a letter at the Voice of the Martyrs Korea office**

Kindly read the instructions above and after writing a letter, please put 1,000 KRW for a stamp in the envelope. At this time, please do not glue the envelope, however, just put it in the box where the prisoner profiles are located on the shelf.

## **Remember!**

1. For the safety of the prisoners, please do not mention VOMK or specific organization (or church). It is acceptable to write your full name or your first name. Prisoners are allowed to get letters from outside, however, if the government would find out there are names of specific organizations such as VOMK in the letter, the prisoner might be punished or shown hatred due to suspected connection with a 'foreign organization'.
2. Please do not write any negative comments about the country the prisoner lives in or the government or political system of the country. We kindly ask you to write down and send only spiritual encouragements.

## How to write on the envelope

(For example, the sender is Hong Kil-dong and the receiver is Mussie Eyob)

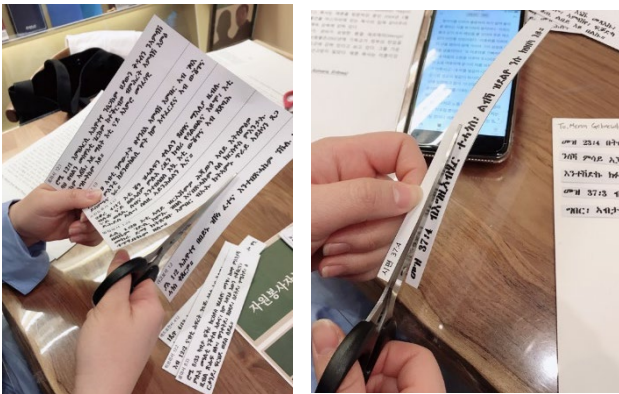
**Kil-dong** (Please write your first name only.)  
**Seoul, South Korea**

(Do not include a detailed address.)

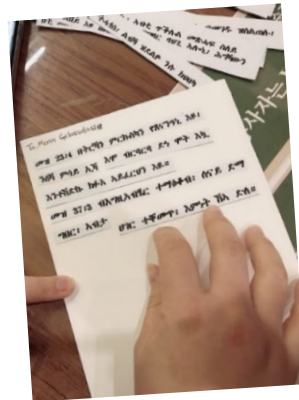
**Name(full-name)** **Mussie Eyob**  
**Prison name(address)** **Me'etr Prison,**  
**Asmara,**  
**Country** **Eritrea**

## How to write a letter

1) In the letter examples, select sentences you want to write and then, cut it with scissors.



2) Arrange them on paper.  
(Be careful not to mix or reverse the text.)



3) Paste them and decorate to complete.



4) Put it in a letter envelope and seal it.

