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BART EHRLMAN BLOG RAISES \$3 MILLION FOR CHARITY, ADVANCING EDUCATION AND HUMANITARIAN AID

Durham, North Carolina, March 20, 2025 – The Bart Ehrman Blog has now raised over \$3 million for charity, marking a milestone in its mission to make academic biblical studies accessible while supporting those in need. Founded in 2012 by scholar and NYT bestselling author Dr. Bart Ehrman, the blog donates 100% of membership fees to nonprofit organizations addressing hunger, homelessness, literacy, and medical aid.

"When I started this blog I simply wanted to make serious biblical scholarship accessible to a broad audience and raise a bit of money for charity doing so. I never imagined it would also become a force for philanthropy," said Dr. Ehrman. "The generosity of our members has made an incredible impact, demonstrating how educational outreach and community interest together can lead to meaningful change in our world."

Scholarship That Gives Back

With nearly 9,000 members, the blog continues to grow, drawing readers from all backgrounds interested in the historical and literary study of early Christianity.

Through The Bart Ehrman Foundation, the blog's charitable giving supports:

- **Urban Ministries of Durham** – Fighting homelessness through shelter and job placement.
- **Food Bank of Central & Eastern NC** – Providing meals to families in need.
- **Durham Literacy Center** – Teaching literacy and job skills to underserved communities.
- **CARE** – Delivering humanitarian aid in 90 countries.
- **Doctors Without Borders** – Offering emergency medical relief worldwide.

The foundation has also provided one-time donations to disaster relief efforts. All donations to the foundation are tax-deductible.



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Continuing the Impact

As the blog surpasses this milestone, Dr. Ehrman remains committed to fostering public engagement with early Christian history while continuing the blog's dual mission of education and philanthropy.

For more information or to become a member, visit www.ehrmanblog.org.

Dr. Ehrman is available for interviews on the intersection of academic biblical studies and philanthropy. To schedule an interview, contact:

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