## NORTH AMERICAN DIVISION

MULTI-ETHNIC/LINGUAL MINISTRIES

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"God would be pleased to see far more accomplished by his people in the presentation of the truth for this time to the foreigners in America than has been done in the past...

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...we should be able to see in the multiplying opportunities to reach many foreigners in America a divinely appointed means of rapidly extending the three angles message into all the nations of earth.

God in His providence has brought men to our very doors and thrust them, as it were, into our arms, that they might learn the truth, and be qualified to do a work we could not do in getting the light before men of other tongues."

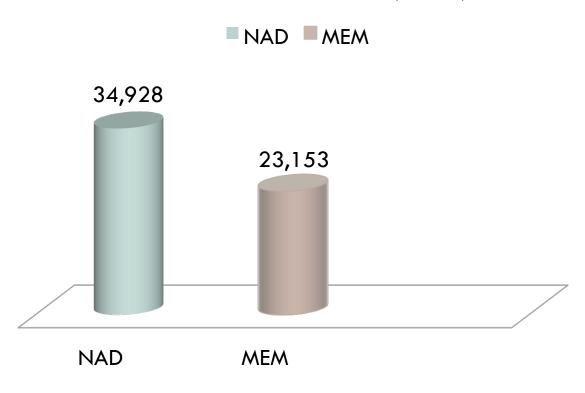
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#### MIEMBERSHIIP 2014

Hispanic Ministries	243,600
Asian / Pacific Ministries	100,020
Haitian Ministries	51,483
Korean Ministries	12,856
Portuguese Ministries	5,139
Southern Asia Ministries	975
Adventist Refugee/Immigrant Ministries	6,558
Romanian Ministries	1,374
Jewish Ministries	833
Zimbabwean Ministries	838
Euro Languages Ministries  Hungarian  Yugoslavian  Russian	541
Greek Ministries	300
Muslim Ministries GRAND TOTAL	(see attached sheet)  424,517

# Baptismal and POF -- 2014

#### **Multi-Ethnic Ministries (MEM)**



## Special Assistance Fund (NADEIF)

www.nadadventist.org

**Multilingual Ministries** 

# What is a Refugee?

□ A person who has been forced to leave their country of origin and flee to another country in order to escape war, persecution, or natural disaster.

Office of United Nations
 Refugee Agency

## What is an Immigrant?

An Immigrant is a person who has citizenship in one country but who enters a different country to set up a permanent residence. In order to be an immigrant you must have citizenship in one country, and you must have gone to a different country with the specific intention of living there.

- Home Land Security