

Upcoming Trips For 2016

We are planning trips for 2016 and would like for you to join us. Many people think that they don't have the skills needed to be on the field, but that is not true. Yes we need preachers, but we also need doctors, nurses, dentists, people willing to hold VBS's, people to sew, people to paint, and people to just show others Jesus's love. Anyone and everyone are invited to join us on these trips. Our group trips for 2016 will include Haiti, Liberia, Cuba, and Curacao. Other trips will be posted when available. In the February newsletter we will have the dates planned for all the trips. Liberia is already set for November 3-15, 2016. If you have any questions please email me at wfzane@cableone.net.



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Immersion in 2015

We praise God that during the month of January thru December 2015 there have been 4,490 souls baptized into Christ for the remission of sins. These souls were won in Africa in the nations of Guinea, Liberia, Ghana and Gambia, and in India, Haiti, Curacao and Cuba. Please pray daily for the 129 native evangelists that White Fields supports worldwide.



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Joyous Homecoming From My Best Mission Trip Ever Evangelist Rick Deighton

Below is a copy of the email I sent to our amazing friends and co-workers in the gospel in Ukraine and Germany shortly after I arrived home.



When I was a child I learned a prayer from some relatives that they prayed at mealtime: "God is great! God is good! And we thank Him for our food!" Now in my more mature years I realize that I will never outgrow the truths expressed in this little rhyme. God is great! God is good! And I thank Him for a wonderful trip to both Ukraine and Germany! And I thank Him for thousands of miles of safe travel by car, plane, train, bus and by foot! And I thank Him for wonderful friends like you who exude love, grace, hospitality, generosity and prayer! And I thank God for my amazing and wonderful family! They still love me even though they know me better than anyone else - except God Himself.

By the way, when I mentioned "my more mature years" it reminded me that I will be seventy-two next Sunday, but I still feel and act like a kid much of the time. Maybe that is why I love my students in the universities - and they love me too. "God is great! God is good!" Amen and Amen!!!

Thank you for your love and prayers,
Rick

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Reflections Concerning America

As I write these thoughts it is only a few days past **Veteran's Day**, and I want to say **thank you to those of you who have served**, putting your own lives on the line to protect the rest of us. America - my home - as forged by the blood, sweat, tears, fortunes, and sacred honor of our forefathers is very special to me. A very good friend and faithful servant of Christ, Al Cinnamon, has asked me as well as many other Christians if we have allowed America to become our idol. Do we in our hearts believe that if America falls - Christianity falls (is destroyed) as well? I have thought about this and examined my heart. I know that historically there have been many civilizations - even empires - that have risen to power and prominence, then have degenerated through arrogance, apathy and indulgence to their own demise. They have burned out and fallen into the ash heap of history. I am aware of the pattern of discipline and sacrifice that raises a civilization to prominence and the slippery slide of degeneration and depravity that brings destruction. The America I love and that we sing about in patriotic songs such as "God Bless America" and "America the Beautiful" (which choke me up and bring tears to my eyes) is not the depraved nation that we have become. Now America is the biggest perpetrator of pornography in the world, the most powerful pusher of homosexuality, and we have on our hands as a nation the stain of over 50 million innocent babies. Do we think that Almighty God does not see this? I think Billy Graham was quoting his own wife, Ruth, back in the 1980's when he said that if God does not judge America, He would need to apologize to Sodom and Gomorrah. Do you recognize that in 2015 we are much further down the slippery slope of degeneration than we were in the 1980's?

While I was in Ukraine, I not only told our brothers and sisters in Christ that I am praying for them and for Ukraine every day (sometimes many times a day), but I also requested their earnest prayers for America. For the past few years I've been praying that we do not degenerate into another civil war, and I told Christians in Ukraine and Germany that the tensions continue to build in America that could explode into another brutal and bloody civil war. Are you aware that more American soldiers died killing each other from 1861 to 1865 than have died in all the other wars in which America has been involved? Last year Michael Savage wrote a book, "How to Avoid the Coming Civil War". Michael Savage, David Horowitz and several other conservative radio hosts and authors are astute analyzers of our precarious political position - but they are not proclaiming and promoting the only hope for America - Jesus Christ. I pray for them to be converted, as I do for Barack Obama and other radical liberals, who are intent on destroying the America designed by its founders.

America - the true America - is worth fighting for! However, we who are believers in Christ must remember that the "weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the putting down of strongholds, casting down arguments, and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ..." (2 Corinthians 10:4-5). Bloody warfare is not the solution - submission to Jesus Christ is! Yes, America - genuine America - is precious to me, but it is not my idol. Nothing in my hand I bring - only to the cross of Christ I cling. What about you? Where is your trust? Are you resting in Him? Rejoicing in Him?

Our daughter, Sandy, and I are nearing completion of the revision and clarification of my book, "More Than Conquerors in Cultural Clashes", so it can be republished by WestBow Press to go out to over 38,000 booksellers, plus electronically. Please pray with us that God will use it as a powerful tool for revival and spiritual awakening in America. We still have a few copies left of "More Than Conquerors in Cultural Clashes" from the first printing, published by our good friend, Bruce Malone, in March 2014. You may have a free copy on request if you will read it and share it with someone.

What Are the Weapons of Our Warfare?

1. Fully trusting Jesus as our Captain and obediently following His leading.
2. Skillfully using the Sword of the Spirit, the Word of God.
3. Confidently living in the Triangle of Triumph.
4. Powerfully praying Kingdom prayers. See Ephesians 6:10-18.
5. Boldly witnessing to friend and foe of the transforming power of the Gospel.

A Thrilling Report From Uday Kumar and 40 White Fields Preachers in Anrha Pradesh, India

11) Babu Rao: He is a senior preacher and my co-coordinator over all the preachers. He is having a wife and 3 children. He is working with us from the past 15 years.

12) Sudhakar: Sudhakar is also a senior preacher and working with us from past 10 years. . All glory to Lord Jesus Christ.

13) Daniel: Daniel is a senior preacher and working with us from past 20 years. He has 7 children and all of them got married except one man. I am requesting you please pray for his marriage. His name is Murali. Daniel is suffering with diabetes. He is working in Vallivedu Church as a preacher. Please pray for him.

14) Stephen: He is a new preacher and he is not receiving any support from White Fields. Even though I am giving support to him. He is working vakadu village as a preacher. I am requesting you please pray for him.

15) David Agni: He is a new preacher and not receiving any support from White Fields, even though I am supporting him because he is a faithful preacher. He is working in Kota church with tribal people. Please pray for him.

16) David paul: He is working in periarum church as a preacher. He has a wife and two kids. He prepared 3 villages and 5 people accepted Jesus Christ. I am requesting you please pray for him. He requested me to buy a motor bike for ministry work. The church was collapsed during the heavy rains.

17) Salman : He is a senior preacher and working in Venkatagiri as a preacher. He was absent and unable to send his picture.

18) Yesu Das: He is a senior preacher and working in Jangalapalli church as a preacher. He prepared 3 villages for crusades. He was absent and I am sorry to send his picture.

19) Krishnaiah: He is a co worker in Bramhanapalli church and a faithful worker.

20) Rajesh: He studied in GLA Orphanage and now he is doing Gospel work in villages. Previously he had a problem of epilepsy, but Lord Jesus healed from his sickness. I am requesting you please pray for him. He wants to do preacher training to become a preacher. Please pray for him.

21) Adamu: He is also a senior preacher but due to lack of financial support we unable to give support to him. But he is working in chinnanna peta church as a preacher. He has a wife and 3 children. He is a diabetic person. I am requesting you please pray for him.

22) Elumalai: He is working in Tangedupalem church as a senior preacher in our ministry. During the rains this church was totally damaged. He was absent in this meeting. So that I didn't get the report from him.

23) Raja: He is working in karakollu church as a preacher. This church building also damaged very badly. He is a faithful preacher in our ministry.

24) Akula: He is working in Basavannagunta church as a preacher. He was absent.

25) A. David: He is a co worker in venkatagiri

26) Sikamani 27) Manohar 28) Ramu 29) Raju 30) Jakaraiah 31) Rajamani 32) Babu 33) Prasad 34) Yesepu 35) Nagamma 36) Prakash 37) Daniel 38) Babaiah 39) Peter

40) Suresh: these persons are co workers and working in different areas of my ministry.

We the preachers, co workers, GLA Orphanage children and my family members are praying for you every day. And we are special thanks to each and every one those who are sending their valuable support for my ministry and orphanage. Our almighty Lord Jesus Christ will give you good health, wealth and energy to each and everyone. God bless you all. I am requesting you each and everyone please pray for my ministry, my preachers, and my damaged church buildings and for January crusades, 2016. If you have a vision to help my ministry please send your valuable support to my Dad Reggie Thomas through White Fields ministry.

Prayer Requests:

- 1) My ministry is very much needed to buy a car for ministry evangelism. It will cost \$5000/- dollars to take second hand car.
- 2) My ministry is required help to repair damaged churches and to buy mike sets and church furniture. It will cost \$5000/- dollars.
- 3) My preachers needed 5 motor bikes and it costs \$2000/- dollars.
- 4) We needed to purchase Holy Bibles 300 for my church members. It will cost \$1250/- dollars

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6) **Abraham:** Abraham is a senior old preacher having 70 years of age. Due to the age and health factors he did not prepared villages. But he is a good and faithful preacher. During the floods he lost his clothes, furniture and everything. His is a single man, wife died and children are living in another city. He took a rent house and doing gospel work in Bramhanapalli village church. I am requesting you please pray for him.

7) **Karunakar:** He is a senior and faithful preacher working in Poolarangareddy church as a preacher from past 10 years. He is having a son and a daughter. This church building is a small church and can sit 20-25 members. But now the church members increased and reached at 100. And it is not possible to sit everyone in the church building. The church members are increasing rapidly. Why because means this church building is filled with full of prayers and Holy Spirit. Many of them cured from their diseases. The church building is needed to be extended. Please pray for the church. During the rainy days the church building almost all filled with rain water. Electricity cables, bulbs, furniture, mike set and fans were damaged very badly and not working.

In seemarajupalli there is a Hindu woman, she is having severe back ache and hip bone problem and unable to walk. She went to many doctors but no used. Every day she worships 10 gods and goddesses, but no use. She heard the good news about Jesus miracles and she came to karunakar's Church and listen the word of God then she believed Jesus whole heartedly. She removed all witch craft ties on her body and troughed all portraits and idols of Hindu gods from her home. Miraculously she cured from her sickness without any surgery. Our almighty Jesus healed her completely. Now she is running and jumping without any pain. That much of energy, she got after believing Jesus. By seeing this miracle her husband, children, relatives and friends are also changed their minds and worshiping Jesus. Karunakar is needed to buy mike set and church furniture. And he needed to extend the church building. Please pray for him

8) **Poul Raj:** Poul Raj is a tribal pastor and he has 25 years of experience in preaching. He has one wife and 6 children. He is working with zypse (nomads) tribe and also working in Sunkuvaripalli Church as a preacher. He is suffering with arthritis and having a cardiac problem. In these rainy days he suffered a lot. His 10 bags of rice, provisions, home furniture and church furniture fully damaged. He suffered with swelling of legs, hands and face. I think these are the symptoms of kidney problem. But he didn't visited doctor due to the financial problem. In spite of these bitter situations he told me in **John chapter 16:33** "these things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world". I am requesting you please pray for his health conditions and for new converts.

9) **Raja Rao:** He is a new preacher and working in 10th mile church as a preacher. He has a wife and 2 daughters. His wife is suffering with paralysis disease and bed ridden. Now he is taking care with two daughters. During this cyclone 10th mile church is fully damaged. The roof, flooring and main entrance door were fully damaged. The rain water entered into the church and walls also fully damaged. We don't know when the church building will collapse. **Brother Carlos Fields** was donated and opened this church building in 1995. I am requesting you please pray for this church building to reconstruct. The bore well also damaged. You can see the pictures of parts of the bore well. I am requesting you please pray for this church building.

10) **Johnson:** Johnson is a senior most preacher and he is working with us from the past 25 years. He is a paralyzed pastor even though he is supporting me in Kalahasti Church as a second preacher. He is also having many health problems even though he is working for the Lord Jesus Christ. He didn't prepare any villages because of his sickness.

Jesus Loves Me Home

We want to say thank you so much for all the support for the Jesus loves Me Home Christmas. We appreciate your help so much! The children are going to have a fantastic Christmas! The best they have ever had!

Zane, Lacey & I leave for Haiti December 30. We will give a full report in the February newsletter. Please keep us in your prayers.



Adventures With Alex & Holly



We first met Alexandria Hammontree in January 2012 when she went with us to Haiti. She attends New Life Church in Henderson, Texas. Since her first trip to Haiti, Alex has been on short term mission trips to Honduras, Ecuador and Bangladesh. Last winter Alex contacted us wanting to take a group from her church to Haiti.

The team included Alex and her friend, Holly Greer. The people of Haiti blessed them. Alex & Holly fell in love with the people and did not want to leave! This led to many, many prayers and then plans!

Alex and Holly will be moving to Haiti for one year!!! God has really laid on their hearts a passion for helping the Haitian people.

While in Haiti, Alex and Holly will visit the Jesus Loves Me Home, helping with schools and helping the preachers. Their main goal will be outreach to the communities around the churches.

Please be in prayer for them as they make this move, get settled in and work with the people of Haiti.

Hope For Bulgaria



This year for first time we will have opportunity to go to kindergarten in the town. There are 4 of them. We can share the Christmas story of the birth of Jesus. We are so excited. We have had so many conversation with directors. They were scared at first, thinking we are some dangerous cult and that we will do something bad.

We can only share the story, we cannot pray or anything else, there is a law where we are not allowed to! We pray to make contact with people later, outside of the school, and talk to them and teach them.

Satan is not sleeping. Georgy is under very big pressure at the work. As i wrote, we had election and the social (communist) win. The mafia wants to do lot of illegal things. They non-stop threaten him that they will fire him.

We are also preparing a Christmas party for unreached children around the church. Hope people will open their hearts. I cannot explain the life here in last year - sad people, in deep depression, i don't see a smile for long time, just rough people.

Elena Fileva



God's Little Angels

The children of GLA Orphanage are doing very well. Now they are having half-yearly examinations. And also they are preparing to celebrate for Christmas. My mother-in-law and my wife will go and purchase new clothes to children. Children learned new Christmas songs from Pastor shanthavardhan. During the cyclone effect all schools declare 10 days holidays. Children also suffered a lot. Lakshmi got high fever and we took her into the hospital. After taking medicine she is fine. Raha is going college every day and doing good.

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Dear Dad we are very happy to send this report to you. We are all so thankful to you for your kind and generous support. We are all praying for you. Please kindly give me your valuable suggestions and advice. We are very much needed your prayers.

1) Luke Kumar: Luke kumar is a preacher having 55 years old and having 25 years of preaching experience in our Ministry. He is working in Ramapuram Church as a preacher. He has 4 sons and one daughter. In last month on 29th November Sunday he was absent in his Sunday service due to the heavy rains. When he is crossing a river "kovanuru" by his byke, a big flood pushed him and fell down into the water. Suddenly the villagers through a rope and pulled him from river. Our lord saved him from the great disaster. The flood occupied into the church and filled with full of rain water. All the furniture, mike set, walls and roof of the church damaged very badly. In this month he covered 5 new villages and 2 families are coming to the church regularly. They accepted Jesus as their personal Lord and Savior and they are ready to take baptism. One of the family head named "Bathaiah" he got paralyzed and he visited many doctors and did many witchcraft things, but no use. One Sunday he listened the word of God through mike **Roman: 1:16; I Corin 1:20-23 and Hebr: 4:12**. After that he got a hope in his life then he accepted Jesus and started to come church. Miraculously he was cured from his sickness and now he is walking on his own legs. When this miracle saw his family members all of them accepted Jesus and they are also ready to take baptism. All Glory to Lord Jesus Christ. Praise the Lord. I am requesting you please pray for Luke kumar's church members and his damaged byke. He is needed mike set for his church.

2) John: John is a new preacher he is having a wife and two daughters. He is working in G.K. Palli church as a preacher. He visited 2 new villages named Tummaiah gunta and varalaved for January Crusades 2016. 3 family members (10) accepted Jesus Christ. These three family members are trapped in floods. Our preacher rescued them and preaches the word of God. We gave rice bags and provisions for them. They believed Jesus and accepted Jesus. I am requesting you please pray for them. Brother John is required a motor bike for Gospel work to preach the word of God in villages. Now he is doing gospel work by bus and sometimes by walk.

3) Prabhakar: Prabhakar is a senior preacher and he is working in Vathuru church from past 15 years. He visited 6 new villages and prepared for January crusades. During the cyclone time he got a typhoid fever. His church also fully damaged. The floor of the church filled with full of water. All furniture, musical instruments were fully damaged. His church members Padma and Ratamma are ready to take baptism. 5 new members are coming to the church from 6 new villages. He lost his 2 acres of Rice crop due to the floods. I am requesting you please pray for his health. His bike also fully damaged. Vathuru church is fully damaged. Here I am attaching some of the pictures. This church is donated by Bill Bryant in the memory of Patrica Bryant. I am requesting you please pray for the church.

4) Shanthavardhan: He is a senior preacher and having 10 years of preaching experience in our ministry. He is having a wife and two little daughters. He is working in Peddapadava church and Vatrappalem church. And sometimes he is also coming to Varadaiahpalem church. His house and two churches were fully damaged due to the floods. Varadaiahpalem church is safe because it is in high altitude. His family stayed 2 days in the rain water. All the water occupied his house and it looks like an Island. His two little kids suffered very badly and suffered with fever. He visited 3 new villages named "Mannemathu, Kesineni kunta and kurud" villages. 15 people accepted Jesus and there is no any church building. Our preacher shanthavardhan is giving the word of God in a small house in every Wednesday and Friday. I am requesting you please pray for them.

5) Sunder Raj: He is a new preacher and working in Periyavaram Church. He is a good preacher and he prays very well. He is a tribal man and then he converted as a Christian after that he became a preacher. He is having 30-40 church members in his church. Previously he has given baptism to 2 sisters (married). But their father (Krishna) and mother not converted. The two sisters are having children and they are living separately from their parents. Krishna is a drunker and daily he used to take alcohol and he beats his wife Ramanamma. One day he beat his wife very rashly with big stick in front of everyone. She was unable to tolerate his beating and left home. She went to her daughter's house and stayed there one month. Krishna got very angry and waited to give big punishment. But Ramanamma not returned home. Krishna got double angry and decided to kill her. One fine day morning he purchased a big knife and went to her daughter's house. He told his wife and daughter that "please forgive me I will never beat you afterwards and I am requesting you to please come back home". Ramanamma and her daughter believed his words and decided to go with him innocently. Before leaving the home Sunder Raj pastor came to his house and prayed. After that Krishna took his wife into an interior place to kill. But immediately God has changed his mind through the pastor prayers. He fell down on his knees and cried out loudly. He showed the knife which he brought to kill her. He through the knife and asked her to forgive. She was stunned and surprised of this incident. Krishna and Ramanamma both believed Jesus and accepted their personal Lord and Savior. I am requesting you please pray for them. The church floor, mike set and furniture damaged. Please pray for them. Sunder Raj prepared 3 villages for January crusades.