

THE Witness PROJECT

2012

UPDATE

WORLDWIDE INTENSIFIED TRAINING OF NATIONALS FOR EVANGELISM AND SCRIPTURAL SOUL WINNING



Our Vision

“- - Preach the Gospel to Every Creature.” - Mark 16:15

In May of 1999, we took on the challenge of starting THE WITNESS PROJECT. It has been a bold adventure. Our initial vision, when we started, was to train and equip 100,000 men and women in soul winning and church planting – indigenous believers such as pastors, evangelists, missionaries and church planters who had taken up the call of the Great Commission to get the Gospel to all the millions of hard-to-reach people groups around the world.

Many have sacrificed to form a team of believers who have seen this INITIAL goal surpassed many times over – to God be the Glory!

50% of the world has never heard!

Our Method

“Go Ye - - Teach All Nations, Baptizing Them - - Teaching Them - -”
- Matthew 28:19-20

The WITNESS Project was a defining moment in the outreach of David Wood Ministries. Within the framework of faith and through the help of committed Christians, we can “fit the Gospel” to every people group across the changing frontiers of the Globe.

The WITNESS Project is a whole new way of looking at missions - -

- Trains and equips NATIONALS to spread the Gospel immediately
- Reduces the time to evangelize the lost and plant churches
- Partners the American local church and the believer with National pastors worldwide
- Less expensive than traditional missions – minimal investment in each NATIONAL LEADER explodes your stewardship.

For every 25 cents invested - - one precious soul has come to Christ...and our stewardship continues to expand through multiplication.

To learn more about the countries, provinces, and states where you serve with us – go to www.TheWitnessProject.org and click on the GLOBE!

God's Blessings

" - - And the Lord ADDED...daily - - -" Acts 2:47

Following this Biblical plan has given us a glimpse of the book of Acts in ACTION.

Our trained leadership teams have expanded worldwide. With Biblical accountability in place, the reported results have been thrilling. (See pg. 8)

Paul instructed Timothy to train and equip "faithful men" who in turn, do the same for "others." (II Tim. 2:2) We see a model of this in Acts, chapters one thru eight, when 100,000 were reached in two years - - by "addition," "multiply" and "multiply greatly."

**God has now
positioned us
for Biblical
multiplication.**



Our Challenge

*“...The number -- MULTIPLIED -- -- And the number --
MULTIPLIED -- GREATLY --”*

Acts 6:1, 7

God's abundant blessings have now resulted in hundreds of National leaders from all countries who stand ready to sacrificially take the Gospel to the unreached millions. These leaders have now trained thousands of lay soul winners who stand ready to advance the Gospel where veteran missionaries are unable to enter. All they need is prayer and funding.

The Witness Project positions us to accomplish this **TASK** in the next several years. We invite you to partner with us and dare to **DREAM** of fulfilling the Great Commission in our day!

We must not stop until the 50% of our world that have never heard...HEARS!

We Invite you to

Partner with Us

The past twelve years have taught us that, on average, every National Pastor that is trained and equipped will return to his church and train 100 SOUL WINNERS who will each reach 10 PRECIOUS SOULS with the Gospel. Together, we train ONE – and within 18 months, 1,000 can be reached – most of whom have never heard of Jesus.

We humbly ask you to consider SPONSORING a National pastor. Your gift will be multiplied by enabling 100 soul winners to reach 1,000 or more in just a few months. Most of these National leaders live on less than \$200 per year.

Just think: A gift of \$250 provides everything we need to reach into a foreign country, house and feed a pastor, train and equip him, send him home with the material in his own language so that he can do the same thing for his people.

Your gift may be given on-line or by mail. It can, also, be given as a one –time gift or monthly... just \$21 per month for 12 months provides for one National pastor. All contact information is found on the last page of this UPDATE.

With the difficulty of our present economy, it has been a testimony to God's faithfulness to see how He has enabled His people to provide the necessary funds to, not only sustain the present work; but, open new countries and people groups to the Gospel.

Please pray about making THE WITNESS PROJECT part of your charitable giving for 2012. We thank you and pray Colossians 1:9-17 for your life and the lives of your loved ones.



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2012 – A NEW YEAR

God has set before us another great year of opportunity to serve Him. While praying and meditating upon God's priorities for this ministry... He led me to a prayer prayed by Bob Pierce, a leading, Christian humanitarian: *"Let my heart be broken by the things that break the heart of God."*



Statistics began to flood my mind that you and I have shared over the past several months: 50% of the world's population have never heard of Jesus Christ — every single second: two people die worldwide — that's nearly 7,200 per hour — 97% of America's current mission efforts and mission dollars go to the 5% of the world's people groups that **have already heard**.

In light of this: consider Romans 10:14. "How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher?"

UPCOMING EVENTS



David A. Wood

A team of 8 will be traveling with us to India, January 16-25. Crusades, reaching thousands, will be conducted in addition to the training and equipping of another 1,000 pastors — in their language.

Brother Adams will be returning to Honduras, San Salvador and Cuba — moving each countries outreach to the next level, plus, establishing National Leadership.

The "Christmas Wish List" has been established for the first time ever — helping orphans, children and National Bible Institute Students. I trust that everyone will do something - LOOK FOR: an opportunity to participate next year. We hope to include Manila with Joey Saucó and the orphans in Malawi, Africa.

Malawi, Africa — reports that Soul Winning efforts in five places have seen 1,349 saved. Praise The Lord!

Southeast Asia and beyond continues to expand — My, how God has blessed our efforts — far exceeding our expectations.

MYANMAR REPORT

PAUL SYN – MYANMAR DIRECTOR

I thank God for what He has done in the past few months here. This year we began a new seminary and the Lord gave us 40 students that could receive Bachelor and Master Degrees. He gave us 11 professors. Praise the Lord.



Riding the "bus" to church!

Moreover, we are thankful to the Lord for His wonderful provision for our orphanage. He brought us 50 orphaned, poor children to our Destiny Grace Home and has provided for them every day.



Brother Paul Syn

Over the years, we have seen 12 go on to other colleges and are now serving the Lord. Thank you for your prayers and support. To God be all the glory and honor.

INDIA – 1.2 BILLION PEOPLE WAITING TO HEAR

***1,036 National Pastors
Trained And Equipped
In India***



Thomas Maher and family

On Friday, September 23, 2011 Thomas Maher, the Witness Project India Director, and his team finished step #1 in a 6 step approach to reach this needy nation with the Gospel. Each National pastor is trained from a prepared syllabus for three days in Soul Winning and Church planting. Then, each receives the entire *Operation GO* program in his own language. Returning home, he will train 90 to 100 Soul winners from his congregation in the next year. Each of them will reach 10 precious souls — most have never heard before!

This means that each of these six steps enables us to reach approximately one million with the Gospel. A full report may be seen online — with an exciting pictorial review.

LATIN AMERICA EXPANSION

JAMES ADAMS, LATIN AMERICA DIRECTOR

New Country Opened!

Our first campaign in EL SALVADOR, this new country, was greatly blessed of God. Team lead by: Dr. James Adams, Latin America Director & Bro. Scott Winters, International Director



James and Pat Adams

In spite of many social, economic and spiritual challenges, God is ALIVE and WORKING in the ministries of our faithful brethren in El Salvador and other parts of Central America! It was my privilege along with Bro. Scott Winters to lead a SOULWINNING DIRECTORS INSTITUTE on July 27-29 hosted by Pastor Roberto Gomez and the Zacamil Baptist Church in San Salvador, the capital. There were 157 registered delegates representing 49 churches and pastors from various parts of El Salvador as well as Honduras. At the close of the Institute these 49 pastors committed to train 19,034 soul winners in their

various ministries and to plant 60 new churches during the next two years using *Operation GO* in Spanish!

They were eager to receive the material to establish a ministry of training soul winners in their local churches. Please PRAY for these dear men.

THANK YOU FOR PRAYING FOR CUBA!

God was so good to hear and answer! What a tremendous and challenging time in the “Pearl of the Caribbean!” From the very first day until the last we sensed your prayers and witnessed the results. The Lord gave us many opportunities to share the Gospel in various venues and with good results. Two of our group, Bro. Trinidad Garza from Town East Baptist Church and Pastor Keary Jordan, pastor of the Ft. Hope Baptist Church in Leesville, Louisiana, won a family of 5 to the Lord in Baracoa, Cuba. Pastor Jordan’s church has added our ministry to their missionary efforts.

The International Soul Winning Directors Institute was a great success! It was well-attended with delegates representing 38 churches in 3 different states and 15 different cities. Some of the Nationals attending traveled 11 hours just to get there. The spirit of the sessions was inspiring. At the close 147 of those attending committed themselves to training 10,130 soul winners in their respective ministries in the next 24 months! What a JOY to see their earnestness and zeal! I have been invited back for one and possibly two ISWDI in two new areas of the country in 2012, God willing. We are excited about the possibilities of HARVEST in this fruitful field of labor!

STAND UP FOR AMERICA RALLIES

God has deeply burdened my heart for our nation. We need revival — a turning to God — a fresh touch of Heaven. The November 2012 presidential election will be one of the most important events in our Nation’s history. Much planning, work and prayer are being invested in a five month tour of one night Rallies across America. Watch for announcements and be part of this step towards spiritual awakening. My friend, your part in this ministry team is critical. Without you; we could never have been positioned for the release of a report like this —and — our ability to reach hundreds, thousands, and “yes” millions worldwide in the coming months could not continue.

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- **The Beginning** - and catch a worldwide vision.
- **The India Strategy** - and discover a 6-year plan to evangelize this key country.

Join our missions team and be part of a miracle!

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Twelve Year Report

FOUNDED MAY, 1999

- National pastors trained and equipped: **39,925**
- Countries/Provinces/States working in: **56**
 - International field offices: **9**

Reported Results

- Number of lay Soul Winners they have trained: **2,026,194**
- Number of souls these have won: **24,314,324**
- Number of churches planted: **3,594**

To God's glory, the number increases daily as trained believers reach and train others. ~ Acts 2:47

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