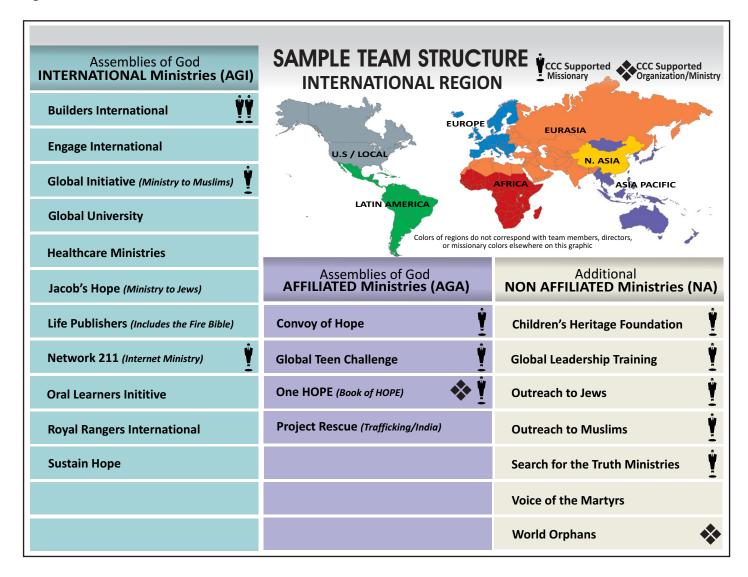


#### TEAM STRUCTURE OF THE INTERNATIONAL REGION

The International Region, similar to the U.S. and Local Region, is divided into TYPES of ministry, rather than geographical AREAS like foreign regions. In the example to the left you see that the International Team is made up of a CCC REGIONAL DIRECTOR, with team members serving various roles. From left to right, you see some team members serve as "MINISTRY" REPS (red circles). These team members focus on ministry leaders and directors, and the entire MINISTRY on a GLOBAL level. Whereas "MISSIONARY" REPS (blue circles) are focused on CCC supported missionaries and the immediate ministry in which they are personally engaged.

For example, If you are a "MISSIONARY" Rep for "Paul Smith" who serves as a Convoy of Hope missionary, your role would be focused on Paul, his family and specific ministry with Convoy of Hope. If you were a Convoy of Hope "MINISTRY" REP, you would have a much broader focus including Convoy of Hope's leadership and ministry on a GLOBAL level. A "COMBINATION" REP (blue/read circles) using the same example, would encompass BOTH the roles of a MINISTRY REP and MISSIONARY REP focusing on Paul, his ministry AND the GLOBAL leadership and ministry of Convoy of Hope. Finally, there may be team member serving in OTHER more specialized roles. (gray circles)

**Assemblies of God INTERNATIONAL Ministries (AGI)** AGI ministries are a part of AG World Missions. They are presented as one of 7 AGWM "Regions". **Assemblies of God AFFILIATED Ministries (AGA)**, have ties to the AG,but function separately with an independent administrative structure. **NON AFFILIATED Ministries (NA)**, are additional global ministries that have NO direct affiliation or administrative connection to the Assemblies of God.





AGWM
International
Ministries

JoAnn Butrin is the director of AGWM International Ministries, which focuses on meeting specific and strategic needs of missionaries and national fellowships worldwide. Assigned to these ministries are 250 missionaries and missionary associates who use their unique skills to create and provide resources and training requested by the fields in all regions of the world.

When JoAnn was 5 years old, her family hosted Lillian Trasher, pioneer AG missionary to Egypt and founder of the Lillian Trasher Orphanage, in their home. The visit sparked a passion for missions in JoAnn's heart that never wavered. After receiving training in nursing, she went to Zaire (now Democratic Republic of Congo) in 1972 as a missionary associate. She received full missions appointment two years later.

Over the next 14 years JoAnn learned the value of blending medicine and evangelism. She worked with mobile clinics in remote areas and assisted at health outreaches in large communities. Her work in compassion ministry allowed her to learn both French and Lingala, Zaire's two main languages, and helped her build relationships with people in desperate circumstances.

In 1988, she joined the staff of HealthCare Ministries. With teams of volunteer health professionals, she traveled throughout the world to conduct health clinics in needy areas. She was named director of HealthCare Ministries in 1996 and led it until her appointment as International Ministries director in 2005.

JoAnn was trained as a registered nurse at Geisinger Medical Center in Danville, Pennsylvania, and received a bachelor's degree in nursing at Evangel University. She completed further study in health professions, earning a master's degree at Penn State University and a Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota. In addition to lecturing on a variety of health-related topics, she has authored three books on health care in developing countries and ministry to people affected by AIDS. Her latest book, "From the Roots Up," concerns justice and compassion in missions.

# **Assemblies of God INTERNATIONAL Ministries (AGI)**

AG Regional Director: JoAnn Butrin

In addition to Assemblies of God World Missions (AGWM) six foreign REGIONS, the **INTERNATIONAL MINISTRIES** arm provides a number of ministries that are **global in scope** and share one focus: **assisting missionaries and national fellowships worldwide**.

International Ministries is made up of strategic outreaches that focus

on meeting specific needs for missionaries and national fellowships worldwide. (See insert right) Missionaries serving with International Ministries are uniquely skilled in creating and providing materials and means that help resident missionaries in their outreach efforts. Using printed resources, one-on-one training, construction expertise or medical assistance, International Ministries is helping to fulfill the mission of Assemblies of God World

# The Assemblies of God

was founded in 1914 in Hot Springs, Arkansas with **300 people** at the founding convention. Today there are **12,792 churches** in the U.S. with over **3 million** members and adherents in the U.S. AG alone.

Since its beginning, the Assemblies of God has expanded globally to more than 67 million members and adherents and today, many countries have established their own National Assemblies of God fellowships making us the world's largest Pentecostal fellowship.

Missions by reaching the lost, planting churches, training disciples and touching people in need around the world.

By offering specific skills, missionaries with International Ministries help make witnessing and discipleship more effective, which can help open doors for the church. Their specific abilities are particularly useful in restricted-access areas where nontraditional outreaches and offerings are needed.

The tools used by missionaries with International Ministries range from computers to concrete mixers to stethoscopes. Their methods of ministry may not be typical, but their goal is the same: reaching the lost with the love of Christ. Called by God and gifted with unique skills, they work to provide what is needed to open doors for the gospel.

AGWM International Ministries currently includes the eleven ministries listed below. A brief description of each ministry is presented in the pages that follow.

BUILDERS INTERNATIONAL
GLOBAL INITIATIVE
HEALTHCARE MINISTRIES
LIFE PUBLISHERS
ORAL LEARNERS INTERNATIONAL
SUSTAIN HOPE

ENGAGE INTERNATIONAL GLOBAL UNIVERSITY JACOB'S HOPE NETWORK 21-1 ROYAL RANGERS INTERNATIONAL







# **BUILDERS INTERNATIONAL** — Ryan Moore, Director

Builders International was founded on the two-fold vision of building Bible Schools, training centers and other vital evangelism centers in every nation of the world and lifting up the arms of the missionaries on the field to assist them with construction projects. BI provides missionaries and national churches with the expertise and resources required to plan, implement and build construction projects worldwide by serving in areas including: Master Planning, AGWM Maps Construction, Drafting Project Management, and Fund Raising. BI strives to be innovative and effective in its impact on building projects around the globe.

## Our vision is simple and straightforward:

To build facilities that help carry the Gospel to all nations. Facilities are vital to meet the rapidly growing needs of the global church and to train leaders for the future. Every construction project is more than a building — it is a catalyst to fulfill God's Commission to reach the world with the Gospel.

## **ENGAGE** – Steven & Amy Shoop, Directors

Engage is an Assemblies of God program for college-aged students. Each ENGAGE site (Location) shares the same core values and beliefs — providing a clear path for students to DISCOVER and CLARIFY their destiny in a missional environment, while pursuing their educational goals including a college degree. This is accomplished by immersing students into a new culture and by providing hands-on training. Engage students will have the opportunity to develop lifetime goals, work together with career missionaries and assist national pastors. Each location is unique in ministry scope and focus, responding to the specific needs of the area.

Engage began in 2004 in Guadalajara, Mexico with two students, under the direction of Steve & Amy Shoop. The program has since grown and has 10 sites currently operating including: *Bali Indonesia*, *Bolivia, Congo Africa, Czech Republic, Dominican Republic, Greece, Panama, Nicaragua, and Venezuela*, and new sites scheduled to open every semester, some in restricted access countries.

## **GLOBAL INITIATIVE** — Dr. Mark Hausfeld, director

(formerly Center for Ministry to Muslims)

Global Initiative's mandate is to **equip the Church** to reach Muslims and to **mobilize church planting teams** among Muslim peoples. AGWM's scope of ministry to Muslims was enlarged in 2009 and a name change ensued. The ministry that began in 1982 continues to enlist believers as intercessors, encourages an understanding of Islam, equips Christians to provide a culturally sensitive witness and effectively trains people to disciple Muslim-background believers.

Global Initiative also focuses on assisting in the planting of churches. Jumaa Prayer Fellowships are active throughout the world, with 30,000 individuals fasting and praying an hour on behalf of Muslims.





## **GLOBAL UNIVERSITY** — Dr. Gary Seevers Jr., President

Global University uses printed materials and Web technology to reach the lost and train workers for the harvest. It encompasses the following four schools:

**Graduate School of Theology** that offers Master of Arts and Master of Divinity degrees.

**Undergraduate School of Bible and Theology** that provides Bachelor of Arts, Associate of Arts, diploma, and certificate programs to prepare people for ministry and service.

**Berean School of the Bible** that offers continuing education programs to meet the training requirements of many local churches as well as fulfill personal educational goals.

**Center for Evangelism and Discipleship** that presents study courses to help students begin Christian life, become strong disciples and enter Christian service in local churches.

GU is accredited by the Distance Education and Training Council in the United States. Schools operate in the United States and around the world, making GU a truly global institution. All programs have one common theme — to exalt Christ and present God's truth.

New materials are developed regularly, and existing materials are translated for use in Bible schools and churches worldwide. GU expands the church's outreach into closed countries and areas that are inaccessible through traditional means.

## **HEALTHCARE MINISTRIES** — Dr. Beth Davis, Director

HCM coordinates volunteer teams of health care professionals to offer medical and spiritual care in needy areas. Doctors, dentists, nurses, pharmacists and other allied health professionals share the compassionate touch of Christ with the sick and suffering around the world.

Short-term medical evangelism teams partner with AG missionaries and national church leaders to give medical, dental and optical assistance and physical therapy to people who have no ready access to health care. Teams also are involved in health development, HIV/AIDS testing and education, disability awareness, and other endeavors that directly impact people's health. HCM disaster assessment and relief teams are deployed immediately following a crisis or natural disaster.

The ministry has produced a children's book on health that has been translated into eight eighteen languages and book and manuals to assist pastors and those ministering to people with HIV/AIDS. Deworming and vitamin supplement programs are carried out in coordination with AGWM child care programs.







## JACOB'S HOPE—Brent Johnson, Director

Jacob's Hope, established in 2009, is working around the world to bring hope to Jewish people, the "Children of Jacob," by bringing humanitarian and medical aid, and sharing the good news of Messiah. Missionaries with Jacob's Hope work in Jewish communities throughout the former Soviet Union, Ethiopia, Germany, France and Israel and provide training to Messianic leaders and congregations, equipping them to reach their own communities and telling them of the relationship between Israel and the Church. Compassion ministries open hearts to the gospel and seminars and conferences bring unbelievers to the knowledge of Y'shua, Jesus the Messiah. Through these means JH aims to plant new congregations.

In 2010 JH opened a fourth compassion center to minister to the physical needs of thousands of Israelis and link seekers with believers. JH also shipped a 40 foot container with clothing, household goods and medical equipment to these centers, helping believers, holocaust survivors, Ethiopian and Russian immigrants and needy Palestinian residents in Israel.

## LIFE PUBLISHERS — Jeff Dove, Director

Life Publishers, a multi-language, multinational publishing entity of Assemblies of God World Missions, exists to assist missionaries and national churches worldwide by publishing and distributing gospel literature. Life Publishers is committed to being a "field-driven" ministry, providing a variety of tools and services for evangelism, discipleship and leadership training.

Life Publishers offers **children's Bible curriculum** in 10 languages and eight foreign language editions of Enrichment Journal. The ministry also partners with Africa's Hope to publish 45 courses in English and French and 40 courses in Portuguese.

The Fire Bible, a distinctly Pentecostal, one-volume theological library, is available in 32 language editions with 25 more in development. Three million Chinese Fire Bibles have been published. A vital part of Life Publishers is the Assemblies of God Bible Alliance, a strategic team of ministers, churches and lay people that work together to publish the Fire Bible.

## **NETWORK 211** (Twenty-one – One) — Mark Flattery, Director

Network211 works with a global, multilingual coalition of local churches, schools, ministries and individuals to reach millions of people for Christ.

The numbers "211" express this ministry's mission: to use **21st** century technology to communicate the **1st** century gospel.

Network211 assists existing ministries by building a trained army of thousands of volunteers who communicate the gospel to people via the Internet. It also partners with Global University on projects to bring Bible schools and online training to restricted countries in the local languages. Its evangelism strategy includes building and maintaining evangelism Web sites while providing evangelistic messages for existing sites.



# **ORAL LEARNERS INITIATIVE** – Robb & Rhonda Hawks, Directors

The Oral Learners Initiative has a thirty year history of reaching out to Oral Learners using various innovative means to spread the Gospel and make disciples. Over 100,000,000 people across five continents have been exposed to the Gospel or discipled through the efforts and partnerships of OLI utilizing three specific types of outreaches: SHOUT, CHAT and WHISPER.



### **SHOUT**

SHOUT is an innovative outreach created by the Oral Learners Initiative designed to deliver the Gospel directly to the unreached on their own mobile phones!

Many of these unreached people live in oral societies where they prefer to communicate and get information orally as opposed to reading and writing. It is among these people that we find the largest emerging mobile phone markets in the world. People without running water or electricity, often living in primitive housing miles from any city, own a mobile phone. Third World countries have become First World mobile phone users! (India - 894 million mobile phones, Indonesia - 250 million mobile phones, Bangladesh - 85 million mobile phones)



#### CHAT

Many unreached people groups have no written language of their own. CHAT, an innovative, yet ancient method of communication-Bible storytelling!

A tribal storyteller shares stories from the Old and New Testaments in his own language and familiar style. The stories are recorded and placed on solar powered audio players along with ethnic songs that reiterate God's principles.

Then a tribal evangelist, equipped with the player, goes from village to village and CHAT(s). Imagine the curiosity when someone in a remote are hears a CHAT song, in his own language! Soon a crowd gathers, everyone joins in and sings along. The recorded storyteller shares from the Bible and CHAT is in motion - discussion which leads to salvation!



## **WHISPER**

There are some countries which are closed to the open evangelism of the Gospel. In these places the Gospel is whispered from individual to individual. Whisper is OLI's digital outreach to countries that are closed to the Gospel. **Micro SD** 

cards loaded with evangelism content designed to be loaded on phones around the world! Imagine what an English lesson would be like if a story from the Life of Christ was the content of the lesson.

Imagine a pastor using Whisper as a Micro Enterprise to fund the start of his new church. Inviting the "English" students to a group meeting where they can practice their English while discussing the lesson's story.





Royal Rangers has a reputation as one of the best soul-winning ministries for young people in the United States. In recent years its influence has grown rapidly in other nations. RRI is shaping boys' lives by establishing outposts around the world. Amazing testimonies of changed lives are regularly reported from each region.

The ministry provides evangelism and discipleship curriculum for children, as well as training materials for leaders serving as mentors in the areas of life and faith. Regional conferences promote fellowship among national leaders in each region, assuring them of RRI support and encouraging them to reach into areas that do not have a Royal Rangers ministry.

Royal Rangers is now active in 85 countries, and RRI is working with several other countries that want the program started in their area.

Besides the ministries listed above, the IM office also serves AGWM missionaries working with AIM, Chi Alpha Campus Ministries, Engage International, Third Culture Collegians in Transition, Sustain Hope, Convoy of Hope, Global AIDS Partnership, Nurture Hope Anti-Trafficking Network, Strategic Missionary Resources and Pediatric Rehabilitation for Children with Disabilities.



# **SUSTAIN HOPE** – Carol Young, Director

Sustain Hope partners with local missionaries, national churches and impoverished communities to develop health, sufficiency, and their ability to become self-sustainging.

Sustain Hope believes that local resources need to be utilized effectively and efficiently through available technologies including the use of alternative fuels, land utilization for gardening, agriculture and aquiculture, raising livestock to provide for family needs both nutritionally and economically, identifying appropriate water sources including the most resourceful ways to clean water, addressing sanitation and other environmental issues that will assist in alleviating diarrhea, malaria and other life-threatening diseases.

As the message of Jesus Christ is consistently and passionately shared, alongside the local church, lives will be spiritually, physically and socially impacted, providing a holistic response to the felt needs within individuals and their communities



#### **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

1,027 Community events since 1994.
362,951 Volunteers since 1994.
121,561 "Guests of Honor" served in 2013.
25,520 Churches & local organizations involved since 1994.
580 Tractor-trailers of food & product distributed since 1994.

## CHILDREN"S FEEDING

146,676 Children enrolled in Children's Feeding Initiative.
10 Countries where we feed children.
102,484 Children who are fed each school day.
\$120 (avg) to feed a child for an entire school yr thru Convoy.

#### **DISASTER SERVICES**

234 International and domestic disaster responses.
2,117 Tractor trailers of food/relief supplies distributed.
3,575,005 3.58 m Total volunteer hours.
37,548 Disaster response volunteers.
1,516 Local church and organization partners.

## **AGRICULTURE**

3 m Meals locally grown & purchased in Haiti since 2013.
100% Increase in our trained farmers' yields
3,600 Haitian farmers trained in managt. and cropping.
400 Community gardens established in the U.S.
7 Local agronomists working internationally.

### **WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT**

1,000 Ethiopian women attended the program since 2010. 240% Increase in income afterward. 503 Graduated Mother's Clubs in El Salvador & Honduras. 300 Graduated from the program in Ethiopia in 2013.

## **RURAL COMPASSION**

419 Local churches and organizations involved. 6,881 Pairs of shoes received by rural public schools. 6,655 School kits distributed to rural public schools. 48 U.S. states served.

#### PARTNER RESOURCING

\$413.53 m Of food, water/relief supplies procured since 1994. 305.77 m lbs. of food, water/relief supplies dist. since 1994. \$64 m Of food, water/relief supplies dist. in 2013. 14 Intn'l warehouses & offices throughout the world. 8,728 Tractor-trailer loads delivered since 1994.

# **Assemblies of God AFFILIATED Ministries (AGA)**

Assemblies of God "Affiliated" Ministries (AGA) are ministries that are officially connected with the AG, but are not directly a part of AGWM International Ministries group.

## CONVOY OF HOPE - Hal Donaldson, President & Co-Founder

Convoy of Hope, was founded in 1994 and has served MILLIONS of people throughout the world through community outreaches, intl. children's feeding initiatives, disaster response, agriculture, empowering women, rural compassion, and partner resourcing.

# ©COMMUNITY EVENTS

We serve dozens of communities throughout the world—by providing them with free groceries, health and dental screenings, haircuts, family portraits, hot meals, job placement assistance and much more.

# CHILDREN"S FEEDING - Kevin Rose, Senior Director

We feed more than 145,000 children in 10 nations. Nutritious food opens doors for education, clean water, a sense of hope and much more. Children are fed in the Philippines, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Honduras, Haiti, Kenya, Ethiopia, Guatemala, So. Africa and Tanzania.

# DISASTER SERVICES – Nick Wiersma, Volunteer Services Director

We are highly regarded for our scalable distribution model, Disaster Services teams, 6 intl warehouses and Mobile Command Center, and are among the first to respond to disasters globally. We have helped millions in the aftermath of disasters by working with and through churches, businesses, government agencies and other non-profits.

# AGRICULTURE – Jason Streubel, Ph.D., Director

We equip impoverished farmers/families with skills, tools & seed to produce life-sustaining crops through the agricultural work we conduct globally. Yearly, tens of thousands of meals are harvested for children's feeding work and income generated for farmers and their families.

# WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT – Kara Edson, Director

We encourage women around the world to realize their value and reach their potential through job training and education. As a result, many now own a business and feed and care for their own children.

# RURAL COMPASSION – Steve Donaldson, Senior Director and Co-Founder

We resource, empower and partner with rural churches through training, mentoring and coaching so they can enhance their presence in, and help strengthen, their communities. T

# PARTNER RESOURCING – Erick Meier, Vice President -- Supply Chain

We empower like-minded organizations that do good work among the poor and suffering in their communities. Each year corporations donate tens of millions of dollars' worth of food and supplies to Convoy of Hope, which we in turn distribute through our channels and partner organizations desiring making a difference in their communities.





## GLOBALTEEN CHALLENGE - Dr. Jerry Nance, President

David and Don Wilkerson started the first Teen Challenge center in New York City in 1958. Thirty-seven years later Don Wilkerson established Global Teen Challenge to facilitate the creation and growth of Teen Challenge centers worldwide. As of 2011, GTC numbers 455 residential rehabilitation centers and 271 evangelism outreach points in 75 nations. GTC also partners with 312 Christian rehab coalitions in Russia and Ukraine.

At residential rehabilitation centers, people leave their addictive environments, encounter the power of God and learn skills that will help them establish a lifestyle free from drugs and alcohol. Many TC graduates have attended Bible school and become leaders in their local congregations.

Team members fulfill the ministry's purpose: to develop global outreach programs to help youth, adults and families with life-controlling problems become established in society through faith-based mentoring, counseling, education, job training and microenterprise development.

ONE HOPE (Formerly Book of Hope) – Rob Hoskins, Director It is the mission of One Hope to "affect destiny by providing God's eternal Word to all the children and youth of the world."

# To affect destiny ...

As one Hope creates and distributes Scripture engagement tools, alongside our ministry partners, it is the goal to constantly target the Word to meet each segment of the youth population at their point of need and move them toward a decision for Jesus, a biblical worldview and the means to live their life like Christ. **Vision 2030** outlines how OneHope, can impact every young person with a meaningful presentation of the Gospel by the year 2030.

## By Providing God's Eternal Word ...

Scripture engagement in meaningful ways

OneHope's roots go back to 1987 when we first presented a simple children's Scripture book to every schoolchild in the nation of El Salvador. While we still work extensively in print media and utilize the Book of Hope, we realized that to fulfill <u>Vision 2030</u>, it would require more than books.

**Book of Hope** has been developed in hundreds of languages and a variety of specially-targeted editions for various age groups, cultures and circumstances.

The **GodMan film** about the life of Christ, has been tailored to several cultures and languages.

**God's Big Story.** A Scripture engagement plan, used in conjunction with 17 Stories, that helps children with low Bible literacy develop a comprehensive biblical worldview.

ONE HOPE Continued...

# PROJECT RESCUE HOPE STARTS HERE>>

#### ONE HOPE Continued...

**17 Stories.** Originally designed to impart Scripture's most important themes in Ghana, 17 Stories is now being used for primary-aged children in many cultures. It consists of 16 individual trading cards, each with an illustration from an important Bible story on one side, and on the other side, part of a graphic illustrating the bible's overarching meta-narrative.

**Stories of Hope**. This 75 lesson program is designed to communicate God's Big Story to children in club-based settings and provide Biblical teaching on key issues identified by research.

## To Every Child and Youth in the World ...

Statistics show that children between the ages of 4 and 14 — also known as the 4/14 Window — are those most likely to make a decision to follow Jesus Christ. This is the critical moment in a child's life to present a relevant and engaging Gospel message, and our desire is that no child should slip past age 14 without the opportunity to encounter Jesus Christ in a very personal way.

# PROJECT RESCUE - David and Beth Grant, Directors

Project Rescue began in 1997 when K.K. Devaraj and team members from Bombay Teen Challenge went to Falkland Road in the red-light district of Mumbai, India, with a passion to reach a young generation ensnared by drugs, gangs, and prostitution. Their ministry team was stunned to find an estimated 100,000 women and children living in sexual slavery, many of whom had been sold by their impoverished families from North India and Nepal.

In this first encounter, over 100 women were challenged to new life in Jesus Christ. However because they were in slavery they could not leave, but instead they asked K.K. Deveraj to take 37 of their little daughters to a place of safety in order to prevent them from a life of prostitution. So out of that night Project Rescue and Bombay Teen Challenge created a safe aftercare home. The shelter became a secure environment where meals were shared, homework completed, clean beds provided. Most importantly the children were introduced to a heavenly Father who loves them and has good purposes for them.

In 2013 Project Rescue affiliated ministries ministered to over 32,000 women and children impacted by sexual slavery. In India, Nepal, Bangladesh, Moldova, Tajikistan and Spain Project Rescue partners work to bring the love of Jesus Christ to prostituted women and children at risk. Through aftercare homes, vocational training, afterschool programs, night care shelters, HIV/Aids and medical clinics, red light district churches and Sunday schools, and awareness and prevention programs women and children are being rescued and restored.

Over the past 16 years Project Rescue has seen God miraculously work on behalf of women and children in the darkness of sexual slavery.

# **Additional NON AFFILIATED Ministries (NA)**

Additional Non-Affiliated Ministries (NA) are multi-regional missions ministries that are supported by CCC in prayer, finances or both. They often may work in cooperation with, but are not directly affiliated with the Assemblies of God.

## CHILDREN'S HERITAGE FOUNDATION – Curt Zastrow, Founder & Director

The Children's Heritage Foundation's mission is to help kids plug into their purpose and embrace the possibilities. CHF is the catalyst, committed to training those who work with children in leadership to effectively communicate ther message to their audience to facilitate life change. CHF has participated in reaching over 50 million children, through meetings, television, school assemblies and Special Events.

# **GLOBAL LEADERSHIP TRAINING** (Names withheld for security reasons)

These missionaries have served in Israel for many years. They establish churches and teach in Bible schools. They continue for provide oversight to churches throughout the Galilee region. Additionally, Andrew has been the director for the ministry of International Leadership Seminars for many years, providing leadership training for pastors and Christian leaders in 26 countries of the third world. He conducts around 30 leadership conferences per year as well as some evangelistic events.

# ISRAEL'S REDEMPTION (Outreach to Jews) – Raymond Gannon, Director

Ray and Kassiani Gannon serve as the National Representatives for Jewish Ministries for the Assemblies of God. The purpose of their organization **Israel's Redemption**, is to help to reach the 6.1 million Jewish people in the U.S. Tragically 59 out of 60 Jewish people are still Gospel-deprived. The Gannon's vision is to train, equip and mobilize Spirit-filled believers to reach their Jewish friends, co-workers, family members, and classmates with the Gospel of Yeshua the Messiah. Along with this burden for the American Jews, This ministry is involved in teaching, mentoring and evangelizing in Israel.

## OUTREACH TO MUSLIMS - Sobhi & Jeri Malak

Sobhi and Jeri Malak have ministered to Muslims for years, producing and distributing evangelistic literature, providing correspondence courses, preaching in Muslim countries, and reaching many trough radio broadcasts. Sobhi also wrights an annual "*Praying for Muslims*" prayer guide and has translated the Bible for Muslims. The project took 25 years and it has been acclaimed as the BEST Arabic translation of God's Word, marking the FIRST time in history the Bible is translated for 300 million Arab Muslims.











"Serving the persecuted church through practical and spiritual assistance while leading Christians in the free world into fellowship with them."

## **VOM's Five Main Purposes:**

- To encourage and empower Christians to fulfill the Great Commission in areas of the world where they are persecuted for sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ.
- 2. To provide practical relief and spiritual support to the families of Christian martyrs.
- 3. To equip persecuted Christians to love and win to Christ those opposed to the gospel in their part of the world.
- 4. To undertake projects of encouragement, helping believers rebuild their lives and Christian witness in countries where they have formerly suffered oppression.
- 5. To promote the fellowship of all believers by informing the world of the faith and courage of persecuted Christians, thereby inspiring believers to a deeper level of commitment to Christ and involvement in His Great Commission.



# SEARCH FOR THE TRUTH MINISTRIES – Bruce and Robin Malone, Directors

The vision of Search for the Truth is "Awakening Hearts and Minds to Biblical Truth". SFTT implements this vision by connecting the Bible to the "real world" via books and lectures on the reliability of the Bible as it speaks on the origin of life and the universe. Their basis is Romans 1:19-23 which states that all mankind is without excuse for belief in God because of what he has made (through creation) and Matthew 3:12 where Jesus states that "If you do not believe me when I speak of worldly (physical) things, how will you believe me when I speak of heavenly (spiritual) things." By showing people how science confirms rather than contradicts God's Word, their confidence in His Word is solidified and they are lead into a deeper trust in Jesus.

# **VOICE OF THE MARTYRS** – James E. Dau, President

The Voice of the Martyrs is a non-profit, inter-denominational Christian organization dedicated to assisting our persecuted family worldwide. VOM was founded in 1967 by Pastor Richard Wurmbrand, who was imprisoned 14 years in Communist Romania for his faith in Christ. His wife, Sabina, was imprisoned for three years. In the 1960s, Richard, Sabina, and their son, Mihai, were ransomed out of Romania and came to the United States. Through their travels, the Wurmbrands spread the message of the atrocities that Christians face in restricted nations, while establishing a network of offices dedicated to assisting the persecuted church. The Voice of the Martyrs continues in this mission around the world today through their 5 main purposes (See Left):

## WORLD ORPHANS - Scott Vair, President

Established in 1993, World Orphans has worked to help churches restore and care for orphans in almost 50 countries. In the first 13 years of ministry, World Orphans helped churches around the world build almost 500 children's homes. In 2006 World Orphans transitioned to a more holistic approach to orphan care, engaging local churches around the world in the prevention and delay of orphans as well as residential care. Today World Orphans is passionately committed to partnering churches in the US with churches around the world to meet the needs of orphaned and vulnerable children in a holistic way.

There are an estimated 153,000,000 orphans worldwide. Some of these orphans have lost one parent, some both, and some are "virtual" orphans that have been turned out onto the streets by their families, but all are vulnerable and in need of help. Without assistance these orphans continue in the cycle of poverty, HIV/AIDS, trafficking, prostitution and slavery that haunts developing countries. Through our family focused programs - we equip, inspire, and mobilize the church to care for orphans and vulnerable children. Churches engaged. Children restored. Communities transformed by the Gospel of Christ.

## **SPECIAL OPS** (Special Operations)

Special ops was a subgroup of the International Ministry team but has recently formed its own group entity. Special Ops is the group responsible for setting up and putting away the furnishings, maps, flags, and other elements used in the monthly Global Prayer Initiatives. The Special Ops Team has been commissioned to pray over all of these things as they prepare them to be used to facilitate strategic intercession on behalf of our missionaries and the nations of the World!

Special Ops sets up from 4:30-6:00 and tears down from 7:45-8:45. ANY member of a regional team (except International Team) could help set up since most teams meet from 8:00-9:00, and MOST International Team members help tear down since their team meeting goes from 5:00-6:00. We are deeply indebted to the Special Ops team for all their labor!