VOICE OF RLM

River of Life Ministries

October

P. O. Box 6128, Virginia Beach, VA 23456-0128 www.rlmva.org / riveroflife@rlmva.org / 757-554-0053

2021

Ministering at the Caleb Generation Meeting at WAVE Church





It was my honor and joy to minister at the Caleb Generation Meeting at WAVE Church on October 1st. Over 70 people attended the meeting that night which was led by Pastor Cameron. I shared with them about my personal testimonies of encountering the supernatural God who saved, healed, and delivered multitudes of people in the mission fields for the past 33 years. After the meeting, many people came to me and expressed that they were very encouraged by the stories. I give all the glory to the Lord. I shared my first experience of encountering the Holy Spirit moving in His great power to save over 250 Kaqchikel speaking Mayan people and to heal over 160 sick people who came for the revival meeting in June, 1988 in a remote village in Guatemala. It was my first mission trip to Mayan people after I graduated from Regent University in May 1988. When I arrived at the village to preach that night, I was surprised to see that over 500 people were packed in a dirt floor church building. Many of these Mayan people walked over three hours to attend the revival meeting. I did my very best to preach a powerful salvation message to save many of those lost Mayan people. When I had an altar call for salvation, over 250 came forward to accept the Lord Jesus Christ.

After that I tried to turn the meeting over to the Mayan pastor, but he insisted that I needed to pray for every sick people who came forward to the altar. It was my very first time praying for healing and I really didn't know how to do it. Mayan pastor told me to lay my hand on people's head and simply declare, "Be healed in the name of Jesus Christ!" I truly didn't have any faith for God's miracle healings to take place for many sick people with various diseases. Reluctantly, I began to pray for their healing and suddenly, the Holy Spirit showed up and He began to heal them with His mighty power. Over 160 people were supernaturally healed that night and I truly repented for my lack of faith and intellectual Christianity. I realized that Jesus Christ wanted me to demonstrate His power in action according to His command in Matthew 10:7-8, "As you go preach, saying, the kingdom of heaven is at hand. Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give." I understood that night, when I accepted Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior, His divine authority and power came with Him to indwell in me to do the work of the kingdom of God in the U. S. and in the world for His glory. "For the kingdom of God is not in word but in power." (1 Cor. 4:20) I realized then and I believe now that I must not only preach the gospel but also demonstrate the power of God to heal and deliver multitudes of suffering people under the bondages of the devil.

Training Pastor Avilov's Family with a new GHN Equipping Course





It was my great joy to train Pastor Avilov's family with a new GHN equipping course "How to release the power of God!" One of the subject was on "How to release the power of prayer!" I shared several Scriptures dealing with the subject: "Whatever you ask in prayer, believe that you have received it, and it will be yours." (Mark 11:24); "Confess your sins to one another and pray...The power of a righteous person has great power as it is working." (James 5:16); "If you abide in Me, and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you." (John 15:7); "With men it is impossible, but not with God; for with God all things are possible." (Mark 10:27); "Whatever you ask in My name (according to His perfect will), that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son." (John 14:13); ultimately, God answers our prayers because we obey His commandments and do those things that are pleasing in His sight (1 John 3:22). I believe that if we spend time before God in prayer each day, God will hear our prayers and answer them according to His perfect will and time for His glory. We must learn to wait patiently for God to answer in His own ways and time.



THEFT





The Children's Home in Kremenchuk has been progressing well. The outside is almost done and the first floor still needs to be fixed and needs the right kind of appliances to be fully functional. The 2nd floor is almost completed to accommodate the first set of orphans in the near future. May God provide all their needs!



On Wednesday mornings (9:00 am and 9:00 pm in Singapore time), I spent time with ICM Plus leaders from Singapore and Dr. Horner to pray for Asian pastors who we have been ministering to in the past. We especially prayed for Myanmar pastors and Christians who have been persecuted by the junta.

Spiritual darkness has been covering the earth, but the end is not yet here according to Matthew 24:14: The Lord Jesus Christ declared, "And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations (ethne: all the families of the earth), and then the end will come." There are still over 4,500 Unreached People Groups (UPGs) in the world and each of them needs to hear the gospel of the kingdom before the end will come. When the last people group hears the gospel of the kingdom, then the end will come and Jesus Christ will come again. Therefore, we need to do everything possible to evangelize the UPGs as God's light to the dark world according to Isaiah 60:1-2, "Arise, shine; for your light has come! And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you. For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and deep darkness the people; but the Lord will arise over you, and His glory will be seen upon you." It is God's appointed time for us to arise and shine His light unto lost people who are in darkness from our own Jerusalem to the end of the earth. Please, pray for my next mission trip back to Ukraine from Nov. 12 to 26. I will be ministering in three different cities and visiting the Children's Home in Kremenchuk. Also, I will be ministering in Netherlands from Nov. 26 to Dec. 1st. As the doors to the nations will be gradually open next year, I am planning to go to Uzbekistan, other Asian countries, Costa Rica, and Panama next spring. I will be preaching to the congregation in Barranquilla, Colombia via Zoom in December. Your faithful support of RLM makes it possible for us to do our part in fulfilling Matt. 24:14 for His glory. Please ask the Holy Spirit to guide you to sow into RLM such a time as this for His glory!