



Training leaders to impact the nations and encouraging front line Kingdom warriors is one of our key missions. I am always honored when I am invited to share at Global Teen Challenge Regional or Nation al Leadership Mexico was a strategi c opportunity.

One of the most touching moments occurred after I

ministered in devotions Thursday morning. I shared that Mexico City was integral part of the Global Teen Challenge family of 400 centers in 89 countries. Gam aliel Cerda, the national director of Mexico came front and began to weep. He asked us to pray for Teen Challenge Mexico. He shared . . . "For 20 years we have labored in our country alone. We read the Cross and the Switchblade Training Institute. and used the curriculum, but when we heard of the work of Teen Challenge around the world, it hurt. It was as though trafficking and sexual slavery, we were hearing of our father, but he had abandoned us. I know this is not your fault, but we have waited for decades for this training and are so grateful that all of you have come. Now we finally feel like a part of the Global family." As the team prayed for them, a spirit of revival was released as people broke, wept, and took hold of fresh oil, fresh fire, fresh vision.

> It is a humbling experience as we travel, to meet these silent heroes of Teen Challenge who labor an onymously in poverty and obscurity to bring the message of the gospel to the lost and dying addicts, orphans and victims of human



Dr Jerry Nance New President and CEO Global Teen Challenge present LTI Diploma to Rev. Gamaliel Cerda

of the third world. These are radical who just read the Cross and the Switchblade and step out to engage the needs of their city. They are women of faith like Rosa, director of the Teen Challenge Women's Center in Juarez, Mexico. She goes to the highways and bi-ways to "compel them to come in" reaching women abandoned by society, lost to their families and children. An incredible source of inspiration, they are faithful servants, ... silent heroes ... kingdom warriors.



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THANK you! Thank YOU! THANK YOU! Without your support we could not go. If we did not go, who would tell them! Rom 10:8-17

14How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed? How will they believe in Him whom they have not heard? And how will they hear without a preacher? 15How will they preach unless they are sent? Just as it is written, "How BEAUTIFUL ARE THE FEET OF THOSE WHO BRING GOOD NEWS OF GOOD THINGS!"





ALTAR MINISTRY



Ministry concluded powerfully in Cuba. Thank you for your prayers for health and strength. I tolerated the flights and returned safely. Packed altars, open heart and seeking souls characterized the mission

To the right, is the logo of the UJS, Unidos Jovenil de Cuba the communist youth movement. Three words at the top of the logo define their mission: ESTUDIO (study), TRABAJO (work) & FUSIL (weapons). This motto defines the earthly task of the communist youth. We saw them marching in the streets and shouting, "Patria O Muerte," patriotism or death!

At Cuba's 60th Annual XA Convention, we saw fresh fire for Cuba in the lives of Pentecostal Youth. It was not just words recited, but passion fired by God's Love and Holy Spirit power. These young people love God and their nation.

They too will study, work and defend their nation, but the weapons of their warfare are not carnal, but mighty ... spiritual, not earthly weapons. Jesus said, "Our kingdom is not of this world." What an honor it was to minister the Word to thousands of these wonderful young people in Cuba.

Meetings with government officials as well as the General Superintendent, Hector Hunter regarding Cuba TC were fruitful.



The CUBA team included Rev. Harry Rentas with wife Maria of Sanford Teen Challenge/Voice of Hope Ministries, Jimmy Huf naglefrom TC New England, Hector Taverez, Pastor in New York City (Tenn Challenge Choir alumni, graduated 1987, credentialed with Spanish Assembly of God) as well as Ricardo Zelay a, executive director of TC El Salv ador.







There is so much to be thankful for this November, not the least of which is that I am still alive. On July 23 when, the doctor said I would not survive the night, that was in question. only that, but Cathy's recent cancer bi ops ies came back: no evidence o f cancerous o r precancerous growths.

While we know that this the work of God, we also know that this is the partnership with your prayers and intercession. I am so thankful for all of you that have

prayed for us, supported us, and even now are still helping us as we battle through thousands of dollars of medical bills and pray about our future.

Our thank you letters end with one of my favorite partner verses, Phil 1:3-5:

Every time you cross my mind, I break out in exclamations of thanks to God. Each exclamation is a trigger to prayer. I find myself praying

for you with a glad heart.

I am so pleased that you have continued on in this with us, believing and proclaiming God's Message.

Thanksgiving is not just a government holiday to get time off of work and eat turkey, it is the will of God.

Do you want to know God's will? Listen: "In everything give thanks; for this is the will of God ... for you" (1 Th 5:18).

We are called by G o d t o thankfulness. When we think of you it is easy to be thankful because of all you

have done for us.

I thank God for family and partners like you that have taken us through this powerful year o f ministry. Through your prayers a n d support have ministered 5 on continents in first 6 months of this year. I thank God for Global Teen Challenge and the privilege to partner with them as they oversee over 230 centers and 165 outreaches in 89 countries on every continent except Antarctica.

We not only thank God, but we also want to thank you! ORDER
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