

#### **A New HOPE**

changing lives

#### **OUR MISSION**

HOPE *worldwide* is an international charity that is advancing the ministry of Jesus through the compassion and commitment of dedicated volunteers and staff to deliver sustainable, high-impact, services to the poor and needy.

#### OUR VISION GOAL

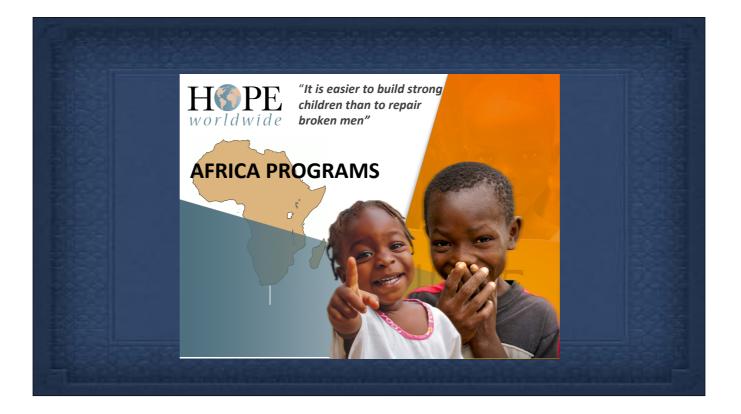
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HOPE worldwide's vision is to mobilize one million volunteers around the world to bring hope to the poor, sick and suffering.

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### CAMBODIA

- · Compassion
- Quality Service
- Excellent Standards
- Top Training center





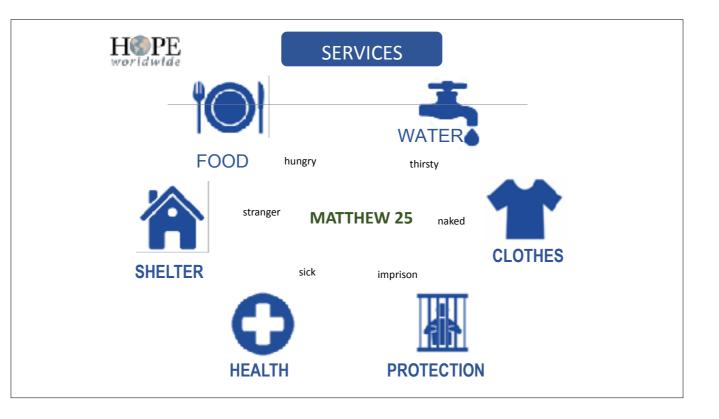


- 1,300,000 patients served
- 60% Medical staffs of Phnom Penh trained by HOPE
- HARVARD & MAYO Clinic
- Published New England Journal of Medicine & many others









We know that this conversation is imminent







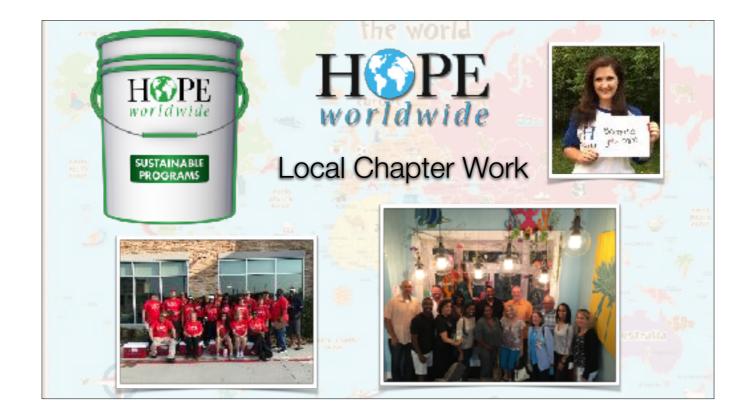
This Bucket includes one of our most important mission. That of youth development300 applications received so far for the 2019 programs. Best start ever!

• Really focusing on the sustainability of Volunteer Corps, aiming to serve in long term existing programs, adding value and skills. The New Zealand recent trip was a great example of that.

• Very excited about scholarships, as we want to make the volunteer trips accessible to kids who would never dream of going on a program.

• Whatever the age, background, skills, we now have a trip that is a good fit for everyone.

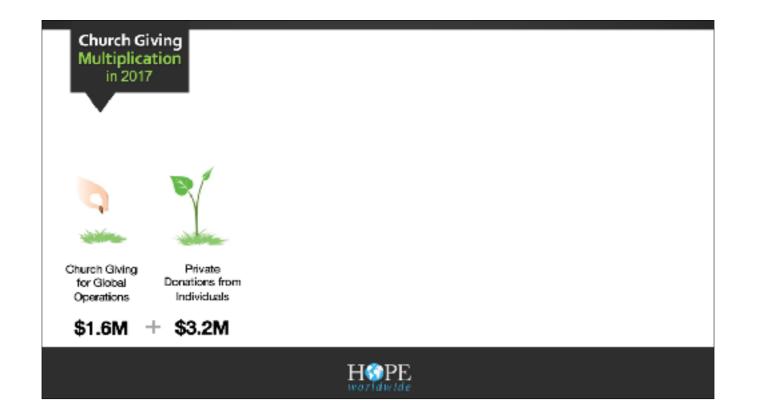


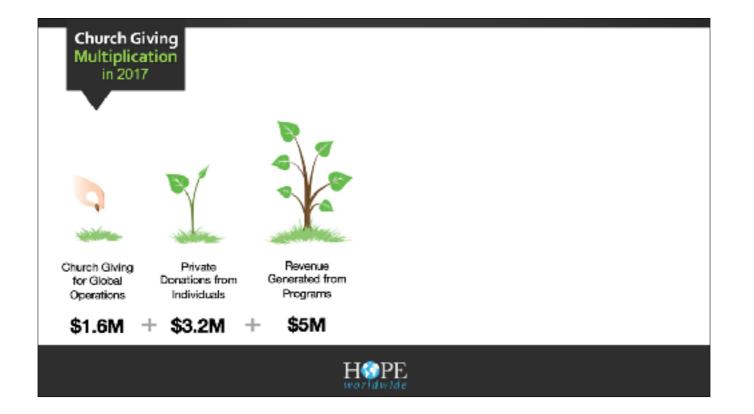


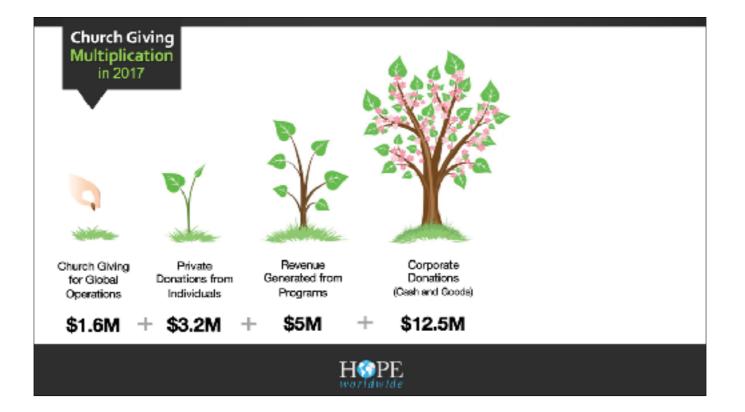


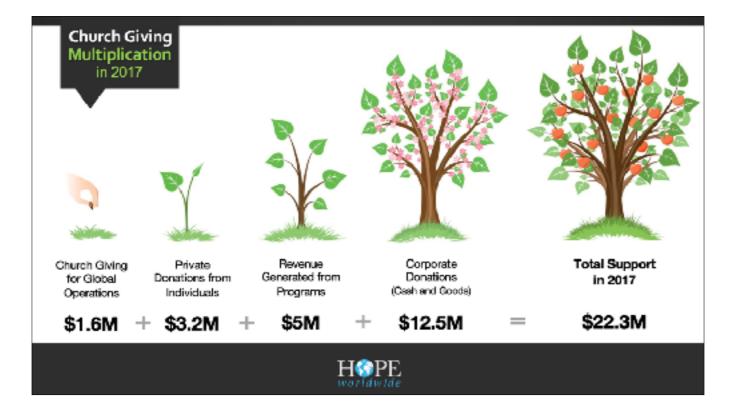


















## Luke 10:25

On one occasion, an expert in the law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he asked, "What must I do to inherit eternal life?"



Our Questions and Jesus' questions are often very different. Why did this guy ask this question? Who knows. There are all kinds of motivations that could be inserted here. For me affirmation, insecurity,

Jesus asks him how he reads the law? He answers with the Sh'ma AND Lev 19. This was not a normal connection indicating that he had heard Jesus previously and repeated what Jesus had said. Okay, cool....

## Luke 10:29

But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"

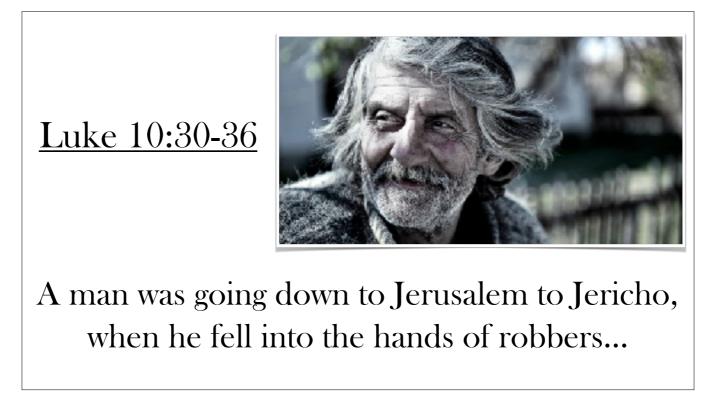


Sometimes we just can't leave well enough alone can we?

Anyway, he asks...for clarification or something we do not know..

Or maybe he just wanted to really appear thoughtful,

or like Luke says, he wanted to justify himself



...Whatever his motive, it was like Jesus says.. you want to go there now? Alright, with a smile, let's really unpack this...



A priest (evangelist) happened to be going the same way A Levite (Elder) when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.







But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him.

Imagine the hatred between Serbs and Muslims in modern Bosnia, the enmity between Catholics and Protestants in Northern Ireland or the feuding between street gangs in Los Angeles or New York, and you have some idea of the feeling and its causes between Jews and Samaritans in the time of Jesus. Both politics and religion were involved. Lots of history-Centuries of mutual rejection, fighting, and re-infroced prejudiced.

The Samaritan is the one who is able to rise above the bigotry and prejudices of centuries and show mercy and compassion for the injured Jew after the Jew's own countrymen pass him by!

After the separation of Judah and Israel in the ninth century, King Omri of the Northern Kingdom bought the hill of Samaria from Shemer (1 Kings 16:24). He built there the city of Samaria which became his capital.

It was strong defensively and controlled the valley through which the main road ran between Jerusalem and Galilee. In 722 B.C. the city fell to the Assyrians and became the headquarters of the Assyrian province of Samarina. While many of the inhabitants of the city and the surrounding area of Samaria were led off into captivity, some farmers and others were left behind. They intermarried with new settlers from Mesopotamia and Syria.

The fact that there was such dislike and hostility between Jews and Samaritans is what gives the use of the Samaritan in the Parable of the Good Samaritan (Luke 10:29-37) such force! The Samaritan is the one who is able to rise above the bigotry and prejudices of centuries and show mercy and compassion for the injured Jew after the Jew's own countrymen pass him by!





in Baton Rouge, we were in Denham Springs (when was David Duke's office there) SERIOUS Clan Stuff



So this is the question, which

# Go and Do Likewise

I want our final thoughts NOT to be Jesus question. But rather what is to be our answer? Our actions and expectations from Jesus' question and words...

Go and do likewise. Who is your neighbor this morning? Who in your life needs mercy? who in your life needs your forgiveness? Who in your life needs your grace? With whom do you need to just let it go.

Like I said at the beginning of this lesson, I don't know you. I don't know the actual answers to that question in your life. In my life...my next door neighbor Michelle who got a divorce from Bill 4 years ago? I am a evangelist who drives in and out of my neighborhood, saving the world and NOT stopping to save my own neighborhood.



