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From the Director

Any crisis will produce challenges. These challenges will either be confronted in faith or fear. Undoubtedly, the global pandemic has produced both; however, I believe faith is without question our main motivator – faith in the Lord Jesus Christ to overcome.

We at FMP operate in that faith to continue printing and sending the Word of God all around the world. We haven't missed a day during this outbreak and we are so grateful to God and to those who support us.

We've had to be creative at times. Sometimes the missionaries or pastors needed funds more than Bibles, or food more than literature. Of course, they ultimately need both. Our presses are active, yet sometimes the nations are closed. But the truth is that hearts, because of this crisis, are more open than ever – now is not the time to close down!

This year, our annual Gala, or banquet, is going digital. While I love the time together to see many of you, we also believe this is an opportunity to share our mission with many more. Maybe you've never been to our facilities or really know what we do.

I hope that this magazine and the digital live streams will either introduce you to us or encourage you in our partnership, as together we meet the global challenge to share the life-changing message of Jesus Christ.

Until Everyone Knows,

Bob Hunt Director – FMP

P.S. A special thanks to Pastor Jack Lankhorst, who is as gifted with a camera as he is in the pulpit. His photo on the cover is from Cambodia and to the right from Ethiopia. (see additional photo on page 21) Jack continues to minister around the world because of the generosity of his church in Riverside, California. Jack and Foursquare Missions Press are currently working on the Tibetan Bible Project. (photo right)





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ABOVE: CGBox Director in the Philippines, Rev. Delia Subio Vaughan, training children's leaders in a very dangerous region

The Miracle of the Philippines

From Mary Lou Canata to Della Subio Vaughan, generations have been reached for Christ One of the very last praise reports that Dr. Mary Lou Canata ever heard on this side of eternity involved the Children's Gospel Box ministry in the Philippines. She had ministered there many years before, seeing great fruit. But upon hearing how many children were now being reached by the ministry she co-founded, she wept.

Dear friends of Mary Lou's, Fred and Leah Horner, former missionaries of the Philippines, had returned to this many-island nation to initiate Mary Lou's CGBox ministry.

Among their two dozen early trainees, a young, gifted pastor with a passion for children, Rev. Della Subio. After training, Fred, the Asia Regional Coordinator for FMP, continued to mentor Pastor Della via phone, email, and return visits, monitoring her ministry.

God often uses one generation to inspire another generation to reach the next generation.

It didn't take long to discover that Fred had found the "Mary Lou Canata of the Philippines." Della, along with some of the other trainees, stormed the islands, fearing no man, only God. They won the hearts, minds, and souls of thousands of children, and even adults, while doing evangelism rallies and training of local children's ministry workers. Their exploits often led them to remote, rural areas – sometimes into dangerous regions. In some 15 years, this team of devoted workers, trained and supervised by Fred and led by Della, saw over a half million children attend rallies, most accepting Christ and being discipled through the local churches. Fred, like Mary Lou, thought he was "retired" until the Lord called once again. As Mary Lou had done so many times before, Fred invested in a team of younger, passionate believers who only needed some training, resources, and to be released into ministry.

After some 17 years, the Children's Gospel Box continues to be a primary reaching and teaching ministry to children in the Philippines. God often uses one generation to inspire another generation to reach the next generation.

Fred has officially "retired," although he often speaks in local churches; and Della has expanded her CGBox role, working in the US with husband Jerry Vaughan to not only supervise the efforts in the Philippines, but to also see expansion in Papua New Guinea and beyond.



ABOVE: Child sharing the gospel with other children in the Philippines using CGBox resources

J. Karl Williams Award

This year's recipients of the J. Karl Williams Award are Rev. Fred Horner and Rev. Della Subio Vaughan.

An honor that includes past recipients like Dr. Jack Hayford, Dr. Paul Risser, and Dr. Evelyn Thompson, the award is named after FMP cofounder J. Karl Williams. At the age of 70, Karl felt his best days were behind him until the Lord gave him a vision to start FMP and told Karl, "The next 15 years of your life will be your greatest."

Rev. Horner has served the Foursquare family in multiple roles, producing godly fruit, along with his wife, Leah. Past ministries include senior pastor, missionary work in the Philippines, FMI Regional Supervisor for Asia, and FMP's Asia Regional Coordinator. Fred and Leah live in Hemet, California where Fred often serves churches in an interim pastor role. They have three adult children and eight grandchildren, plus one great grandchild.

Della Subio Vaughan has planted churches, and has served as a senior pastor. She had multiple roles as a district administrator for the Foursquare church in the Philippines. She currently serves as Director of the CGBox - Philippines, while living with husband Jerry Vaughan in Hemet, California. Both Jerry and Della are often available to speak and also to share how your church can get involved in the CGBox ministry.

The Children of CO A global pandemic threatens the most vulnerable

When the world shut down in March/April of this year due to the coronavirus, no one could foresee all the ramifications, especially for children in de-

However, the Children's Gospel Box ministry began to get reports from its ministries around the globe. Action, in many different forms, needed to happen, and happen quickly!

veloping nations.

Tragically, in the poorest nations children are often the most neglected and the last to receive assistance. A shutdown of restaurants can mean no more throwing out of food in the garbage. Many street children survive on the food others throw away. We were told of this crisis by our CGBox volunteers in Honduras, Panama, and Egypt. In Kenya, leaders saw hungry children come to CGBox rallies.

Fortunately, under the leadership of CGBox Director Natalie Werking, a "Snack Pack" given out prior to rallies was instituted months before the pandemic. According to one African leader,

"The children actually listen to our message when we feed them first."

When the crisis hit, the snack packs were even more critical. In Kenya, despite all the challenges, ministry continued with the help of funds for food sent by FMP. One of our CGBox leaders there wrote,



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EGYPT

"Sometimes I wish the whole congregation could have the commitment these children have... they have devoted their lives to do God's will... even though they come from poor backgrounds, this has not hindered them from preaching the Good News."

The president of Foursquare Kenya recently wrote FMP saying,

"On behalf of the children's ministry in Kenya, we thank you for the support you have given to the children which has led to their growth, both spiritually and physically."

In Egypt, where the CGBox ministry has seen hundreds of street children clothed, fed, and given the gospel, funds from FMP helped their outreach during the pandemic, reaching 200 of these orphans, giving them shoes, clothing, food, and the gospel.





While in Honduras, our gospel resources were used by a local couple to bless their street children suffering from the restaurant closures. They also fed and comforted these kids, and do so on an ongoing basis.

Even in America, families that have lost jobs due to the shutdown faced essential food and gas needs. One local church, ministering in an economically challenged city, was assisted by FMP donors to be able to feed and give gas cards to hundreds of local residents in need, often praying over them, in Jesus' name.

Although the pandemic continues, FMP and CGBox ministries will also continue to ship resources and wire funds where most necessary. Your prayers and support make it possible.

Who is that M How a Foursquare president is loving

Pastor Juan Muzquiz left the pulpit of his church in Tijuana, Mexico to greet the people outside. Only those he greeted were little – dozens of children climbing all over this big man of God. They screamed and laughed, vying for his attention. Somehow he gave it to them all. You couldn't tell by looking who enjoyed it more.

Fast-forward nearly 20 years later. Juan is in his last year as President of Foursquare Mexico. Under his leadership, the church in this nation has grown exponentially, not only in numbers, but also in spiritual health. Foursquare Missions Press, for over 20 years, has produced millions of pieces of literature for Mexico, and placed a mobile print system that has produced over a million pieces. (God bless you, Beverly Hills Foursquare.) Juan is a prolific author with over a dozen discipleship books to his credit. His passion: disciple a nation.

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But his other passion is blessing children. Juan and his gifted wife, Chella, have started an orphanage, ministered consistently in juvenile prisons, and developed effective small group settings throughout Tijuana that reach out to kids. The drug crisis in Mexico, especially in Tijuana, is of epic proportions; if the Church doesn't reach the children and youth, the drug cartels will.

Juan's alter ego is a lucha libre (wrestling) character called Super 4 (based on the Foursquare gospel, of course). If you meet him, he's liable to entice you to wear one of his masks (even Jack Hayford has donned the famous mask).

Out of this character developed by Juan, he wrote a tract and a series of comic books – all wonderfully creative – that share the gospel to kids who could never afford such luxuries. Of course, FMP prints them all, and they have gone not only back to Mexico, but also to Latin America and even Thailand.

Juan's vision is for every child to know Jesus. He loves the privilege of serving fellow pastors as their president and always inspires them to, in the words of Jesus,

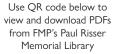
"Let the children come to me and forbid them not."

Would you like to see more of Juan's comic book series?

They are in both Spanish and English and are awesome tools to bless the children.

Use QR code below to order set(s) from FMP's Resource Store









ABOVE: Coloring books recently created for children by Juan Muzquiz and printed by FMP

FMP loves the ministry of Mike and Bee Arter, living in Thailand. Not only do they run a wonderful home to exploited young women; Mike teaches English to hundreds of Thai students. In his spare time he also, in the spirit of Juan Muzquiz, dons a costume – that of a clown. Like Juan, it is a unique way to love kids and share the gospel. Mike also uses the Super 4 materials created by Juan to bless the kids in Thailand.

Recently, FMP sent funds to train leaders in Thailand, and sent dozens of EvangeCubes, an amazing tool, to share the resurrection of Jesus Christ to their hill tribes people.

Giving Life: PROJECT

FMP Partners with Curriculum GIANT David C. Cook To Provide Beautiful Resources

Years back, a longtime missionary to Latin America lamented to FMP of the lack of children's gospel curriculum in their region of the world. Ever since, FMP has looked for a way to solve this challenge.

Enter Foursquare Latin America NextGen Coordinator Aaron Hunter, and the "king of curriculum" publisher, David C. Cook. Aaron approached FMP Latin America Coordinator Rev. Daniel Vergara about printing a customized to Foursquare curriculum. It was a huge undertaking, but something FMP knew it had to do.

Unfortunately, a series of setbacks and then the Covid-19 shutdown slowed the printing

in Colombia; but finally the material has been printed and is being distributed. The initial print goal and distribution is to five nations, reaching a projected 15,000 children and 1,500 children's ministry leaders.

> The curriculum includes both teacher materials and interactive books for the kids, ranging from ages 5-13.

Because this is an ongoing project, with the potential to reach tens of thousands of children, FMP will continue to need generous donors, like Rev. Fernando Castillo and the Pacific Southwest District (who gave an incredible initial gift) to make it all possible.

onduras Foursquare has done an amazing job reaching the children of their nation. Led by Sister Gladis Velasquez de Sanchez, and resourced by the Children's Gospel Box, tens of thousands in the last few years have been reached.

A recent outreach called "And Now What?" was an event teaching dozens of children who had Christ in their life to continue to grow. They used CGBox resources and the Dr. Mary Lou Canata classic, *Living the Christian Life*. They will be receiving "Project Vida" resources.

RIGHT: Honduran boy gives his heart to Christ during recent CGBox rally

AND NOW

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DID YOU KNOW ?

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FMP provides free Bibles and gospel resources to US church planters

Also to all chaplains: military, police, hospital and prison

Contact Bob Hunt at bhunt@foursquare.org

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ABOVE: Pastor Kunle Muriana is planting a church in Baltimore. After receiving FMP free Bibles and literature wrote, "Please keep us in your prayers for the seed of these materials to yield a great harvest."



"THE HOME How FMP is

When Pastors Javier and Norma Morin toured the FMP facilities in Anaheim to pick up resources for Kenya, Javier looked up at all the materials on pallets around the warehouse. He quipped, "This is the Home Depot for missions!"

Just as a farmer needs tools for the harvest, missionaries, local pastors, NextGen leaders need resources for a spiritual harvest. FMP's tools are focused on evangelism, discipleship, and leadership development.

FMP is nearing 40 years of faithful service to the mission field – not only printing, but identifying new authors, creating new materials, translating hundreds of books, booklets, and tracts, and, of course, providing New Testaments and Bibles. These valuable materials and the expense of shipping are always free to the field, because most nations we serve cannot afford the cost. Simply, without FMP, they wouldn't have the resources for all generations that they desperately need.

Here are just a few of the different types of quality materials we provide...



(Nearing 225,000,000 books, booklets, and tracts to 116 nations)

3 Examples:

Now that You are a Christian (Discipleship) by James Lowen continues to be a staple for new believers. FMP has shepherded some 35 translations and printed over 25 million copies.



The Greatest Promise (Evangelism) by Vernie Schoor Love works in tandem with *The JESUS Film* and *The JESUS Film for Children*. FMP has translated it into over 20 languages.

The Spirit of the Lord is Upon Us (Leadership) by Dr. Leslie Keegel with Robert Hunt is a fairly recent publication, already in eight languages. This book represents the average of two dozen new titles produced every year at FMP.





LEFT: Pastors Javier and Norma from Sycamore Park Foursquare Church along with CGBox Director Rev. Natalie Werking at the FMP warehouse in Anaheim, California

DEPOT for Missions" Meeting a Global Need

TECH

(FMP continues to provide digital solutions through multiple vehicles.)

The Paul Risser Memorial Library—

Almost all of our print publications are available online via our website. You can send a PDF version anywhere in the world with the click of a button.





When print is not an option, FMP provides solar-powered Bibles and projectors that can show *The Jesus Film* in the most remote regions.

Mobile Print Systems-

In areas that forbid Christian materials or where shipping is difficult, FMP has established over a dozen mobile print systems. (Established in 2002, the Children's Gospel Box has sent materials into 55 nations, supplying and training well over 15,000 children's ministry leaders, and reaching over one million children.)

The Box— Not only does a "CGBox" provide everything from videos, puppets, curriculum, and outreach materials, it is only given out after quality training.

CHILDREN

Curriculum— FMP provides curriculum through partnerships with Gospel Light and David C. Cook. It will soon be printing new Foursquare based children's curriculum produced by the National Church Office.

NextGen— Recent innovative publications for youth include *SQUAD*, *UnComplicated*, and *Yes!* FMP also offers free Bibles to youth who want to share it with a friend.

LEFT: Young Ugandan man with his new solar-powered projector from FMP







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NEXTGEN WHY IT MATTERS

The missional slogan for FMP is: "Igniting a passion for God's Word in <u>every gen-</u> <u>eration</u>." We take it very seriously.

The Children's Gospel Box ministry was founded after multiple international leaders asked the Press for children's materials. There existed a huge lack of gospel resources for children, especially for developing nations.

While the CGBox has met the need, older youth wanted their own materials and in multiple languages. FMP partnered with author Dr. Daniel Brown to provide an excellent tool for discipleship in a 4-booklet set called *The Journey*. We also joined with Every Home for Christ to create a booklet challenging youth in Africa to reject materialism and embrace Christ.

Pastor Tim Mossholder updated his classic new believer handbook for youth called Yes! We've shepherded it into multiple languages. But recently, NextGen leaders, including Pastor Tim, led by Ashton Fish, wrote SQUAD, which is an excellent book for youth, published by FMP, that clearly and effectively explains the Foursquare gospel.

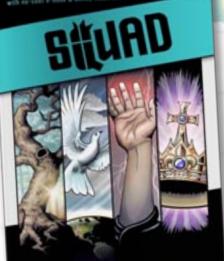
This summer, due to Covid-19, all US Foursquare camps were cancelled. So, the Foursquare NextGen team created a digital camp which not only included SQUAD books, but also other creative print resources to supplement an online experience. Additionally, FMP offered every teen free Bibles, *Journeys*, Yes! booklets, and the excellent book *UnComplicated* by Justice Coleman. FMP's burden is to see more youth and youth leaders write and create their own resources, not only for here in the States, but globally as well. It is often said that youth are the future, but in many ways the future is now.

YES

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A Youth Guidebook to Understanding Jesus



SQUAD teaches youth about Foursquare

The 70-page book called SQUAD, printed by FMP, is an excellent tool to teach young people about the Foursquare Gospel. Each of the chapters involves explaining, in contemporary terms, Jesus as Savior, Baptizer, Healer, and Soon Coming King. FMP hopes to send tens of thousands of SQUAD books to youth around the globe in the coming months.

ABOVE: FMP offered free Bibles and other resources to teach 10,000 youth. These resources are still available at no charge for young people interested to grow and share.

DO YOU NEED A FREE BIBLE OR OTHER RESOURCES

TO TELL OTHERS ABOUT HIS STORYT



Kids Digital Experience Box

The CGBox provided a great new journal for kids based on the S.O.A.P. concept created by Pastor Wayne Cordiero. This new journal, written by CGBox Director Natalie Werking, and a prayer calendar were part of a literal box sent to thousands of children who also missed their camp experience due to the coronavirus.

Kids

Experience



ABOVE: Success created by Rev. Cheyne Jackson in conjunction with a dozen key African leaders

ABOVE: Some 5,000 S.O.A.P. Journals printed by FMP for the 2020 Summer Digital Experience

Jolunteers Keep the Press Running

LEFT: FMP volunteers, Le and Lonnie Robbins on their porch in Texas

LEFT: Blanche Lewis, who has volunteered since day one of FMP

hether it's an aspiring actress working at the shrink wrap machine, a cancer survivor making gospel bracelets, a church in Rancho Cucamonga producing a prolific amount of puppets, or a pastor in New Hampshire drawing Bible stories – FMP partners with volunteers around the nation to create and produce resources that help win the lost and strengthen the saved.

David Grasso and his wife, Cindy, are incredibly talented artists. They also serve as sen-



LEFT: Charlotte Eardley has made over 100,000 Gospel Bracelets despite a major stroke

ior pastors at Life Fellowship church in Charlestown, New Hampshire. David wanted to share his gift in illustration for global outreach and offered to create key Bible stories. One of the biggest obstacles in producing resources is translation. With David's *Illustrated Bible Stories*, FMP can simply "drop in" portions of the Bible and quickly go to press. Already, this creative booklet is in six different languages!

Pastor Helma Van der Pol from Rancho Cucamonga, California is simply amazing. Her passion for children's ministry has produced some of the most creative children's church background sets ever. Every year, the children wait in anticipation for Helma's annual Bible theme. Helma and her team of artists have made hundreds of thousands of gospel bracelets, Bible story cloths, and puppets.

Sammi Gainer is an aspiring actress, currently studying the theater arts at the prestigious Belmont College in Nashville, Tennessee. Since an early age, she and her sisters and brother have collected their loose change for the Children's Gospel Box. Now on her trips back to California, this energetic young believer volunteers at the production facilities at FMP. She has been FMP's sole ongoing volunteer during the Covid-19 pandemic, as she has had the virus and now the antibodies. The rest of our volunteers, many of which are retired, are anxiously waiting to return to their stations.

255,450 gospel bracelets and counting! Le and Lonnie Robbins from Wills Point, Texas have been very busy indeed. Since October 2012, battles with arthritis and cancer, this amazing couple continues to serve the youngest generation globally with the beautiful and purposeful bracelets. Their original goal was 250,000 and according to Le,

"Shortly after setting that goal, I had a dream. I was in heaven and someone walked up to



ABOVE: Sammi Gainer, Volunteer. Watch her tour of FMP at foursquaremissionspress.org

me and said, 'Thank you, I'm here because of a gospel bracelet.'"

No question the selfless labors of the Robbinses, Grassos, Helma, Sammi, and hundreds of others will return dividends in eternity. Well done.

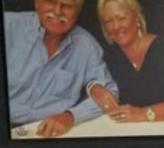
Would you like to join the Press team?

There are so many ways to get involved.

- Pray for the Press
- Volunteer at our production facilities
- Volunteer at home or church by making supplies for our Gospel Box
- Tell others about FMP
- Take our resources to the mission field

LEFT: Children who have been blessed by FMP volunteers

The Giving Generati



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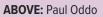


s a young girl, living in poverty, Winnie Long never imagined she would become a successful businessperson, author, and philanthropist. Anyone who visits the FMP offices in Anaheim is greeted by the large Mel and Winnie Long Wall of Faithfulness – which lists, annually, FMP's faithful supporters. Winnie and her husband, Mel, are part of a generation of generosity. They represent believers interested in sowing into Kingdom work and modeling to a younger generation the joy of giving.

Have you remembered the Press in your will and estate plans?

If you'd like to do so and have any questions, contact Bob Hunt at **bhunt@foursquare.org** or call (213) 989-4540.

The late Paul Oddo, a WWII veteran and friend of FMP, believed greatly in the Word of God. He



gave Bibles and other Scriptures to many. FMP's "The Paul Oddo Bible Fund" continues his legacy, focusing on purchasing Bibles around the world, like new Bibles for Sri Lanka and Tibet.

Charlotte Eardley lost her ability to speak and the use of half her body due to a severe stroke. Yet, after hearing about the Children's Gospel Box ministry, decided to make gospel bracelets. With the use of only one hand she has made well over 100,000 bracelets that have blessed children around the globe.

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On: Alegacy of generosity

Roy Bruyneel lost the love of his life, Bonnie, in a tragic accident. But, he did not allow his grief to overcome him, focusing his efforts on building the Kingdom of God. His generosity helped FMP place multiple print systems, send hundreds of Gospel Boxes, and tens of thousands of printed materials.

Phil and Dana Liberatore love to give. Dozens of ministries every year are sustained by the Liberatore's generous hearts. Their support of the Mary Lou Canata Fund is essential to the ongoing ministry of the Children's Gospel Box.

Joann Johnson is a force of nature. Though living in a retirement center in Palm Desert, she continues to create music, videos, and remain active in her community. Joann's many years of faithful support to the Press is representative of so many others who do the same, sacrificially, each month.

There are hundreds of friends and churches that literally keep the presses running. Without them, the doors close and the lights turn off. All of us at FMP, and those we serve, are forever grateful to all of you!

Would you like to give a gift in memory or in honor of someone?

Please let us know and we will send a card announcing your gift to the friend or family you designate. Your memorial or tribute will be published in our quarterly newsletter.



ABOVE: Roy Bruyneel

The Foursquare Board of Directors, under the leadership of Dr. Glenn Burris Jr., dedicated this year the new auditorium in Los Angeles to the memory of FMP co-founders, Karl and Leona Williams.



ABOVE: Norma Faulkner, Mary Louise Sherrill, daughters of Karl and Leona Williams

El Plan Perfecto de Dios:



ARRIBA: Cientos de hombres y mujeres escuchan el evangelio con la ayuda del tratado "Encadenado" de FMP



ARRIBA: El evangelio se comparte con la ayuda del tratado de FMP, "El Mejor Camino"

Cuando pienso en Latinoamérica, pienso en las dificultades que esta pandemia esta provocando a lo largo de todas esas naciones.

La gente esta sobreviviendo en muchos lugares, aun cuando sabemos que Dios quiere que vivan en la abundancia que siempre quiso para ellos. No les voy a mentir cuando hablo con los lideres nacionales de las iglesias cuadrangulares me lleno de dolor y aún más al saber que muchos están dejando esta tierra para una eternidad sin Cristo. Es allí, a esas personas a las cuales ninguna pandemia, ningún virus, nada nos puede detener de llevar las buenas nuevas de Jesús.

Todos aquellos que han sido impáctados por el amor de Cristo ahora están deseosos de llevar esa buenas noticias pero adivina qué? Necesitan nuestro apoyo, necesitamos poner en sus manos herramientas que servirán para alcanzar a los que aun no han sido alcanzados.

Es interesante que esta pandemia a servido para que mas se acerquen a Cristo, tenemos muchos testimonios de iglesias que nos han informado que en sus programas evangélisticos han logrado llegar a cientos de personas quien han recibido a Cristo como su salvador. Pero una historia que me toco el corazón es lo que ocurrió en Venezuela.

El pastor Enrique Villalba a quien meses atrás le enviamos dos cargas de materia-

Esperanza para Venezuela

por Rev. Daniel Vergara Coordinador de América Latina para FMP



les con miles de tratados y libros de discípulado, salió a la calle aun en medio de la pandemia a evangelizar, tomo un equipo de personas y comenzaron a caminar regalando alimentos y entregando tratados.

Esto lo hicieron semana tras semana y han logrado evangelizar a mas de tres mil personas, y mil de ellos recibieron a Cristo y comenzaron a ser discípulados semanalmente en lo que ellos llaman "cultos familiares".

En un principio lograron tener 501 grupos familiares y con los nuevos convertidos el número de grupos familiares llego a 2101 durante estos últimos meses. Cada uno de esos grupos trabaja con el material que gracias a ustedes hemos logrado enviar. No fue una tarea fácil ingresar el material a ese país tan difícil pero Dios hizo un plan perfecto, escuchó nuestras oraciones y ahora comenzamos a ver el gran fruto de nuevas almas.

Los invito a saber más información de Venezuela y Latina América siguiendo la transmisión del día miércoles.



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From Bob...

o doubt 2020 has been a "unique" year for FMP, yet one with great blessings for tens of thousands around the world.

2021, however, promises a push into new territories for the Press, while continuing fruitful projects. The Children's Gospel Box plans to initiate ministry in India. India is the second most populous nation, with literally thousands of languages. The need for children's resources and training could not be greater.

2021 will see more of FMP's Covid Gospel Relief to nations like Egypt, Venezuela, Honduras, Kenya, and beyond. We also hope to continue partnering with Foursquare Disaster Relief (FDR) in nations reeling from the pandemic and other natural disasters.

2021 will continue our Project VIDA in Latin America. We will continue, by God's grace, with one of the largest curriculum projects ever undertaken by Foursquare. FMP also plans to print a US-based Foursquare curriculum project – affecting every Foursquare church in America, and possibly overseas.

2021 promises to focus on NextGen resources. The SQUAD book is a perfect tool for Foursquare youth around the world to learn more about Jesus the Savior, Baptizer, Healer, and Soon Coming King.

2021 will see more "tech" to the world. With the opening up of nations, more solar-powered Bibles and projectors can be sent. We also want to see more utilization of the Paul Risser Digital Library – sending gospel literature in multiple languages anywhere in the world with the click of a button.

2021 promises more hands-on participation. Not only people sending FMP literature globally, but families building their own Children's Gospel Box. We also are continuing our push to send Bibles to those in need of one here (maybe to a friend, prisoner, co-worker, or student) or overseas.

Finally, your prayers for this ministry mean, literally, the world to us. Would you consider making 2021 a year of intercession for the Press and believing for the life-changing message of Jesus Christ to transform hearts around the world?

Rev. Bob Hunt Director of Foursquare Missions Press



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From Natalie...

What a great need exists for kids and youth to be reached and discipled! Did you know that one third of the world's population is **under** 20 years old? But some countries are younger than others. In around **40 African** countries, over 50% of the population is **under** 20.¹ In Latin America, over **onefourth** of the population is under the age of 30.² In regards to that last statistic, United Nations reports that "the time to invest in youth and capitalize on their potential to serve as agents of transformation in the region is now." The time is now!! Even a secular organization recognizes the critical and pivotal moment in which we are currently living.

Our children and youth are the generation that could actually finish the Great Commission! But in a world that is volatile and uncertain, younger generations first need the anchor of God's Word, the love of the Father, and the power of the Holy Spirit to reach their world. And the CGBox is focused on helping kids and youth have exactly that! In the coming year, we see an opportunity to train more leaders, in more countries, who will reach and disciple the next generation in their own context of ministry. I'm looking forward to continuing to develop resources that can be used on the field, even expanding the age range of the CGBox.

And none of it is possible without the generosity of so many faithful churches, committed friends of the CGBox, kids collecting change in their coin boxes, and legacy gifts that enable us to print, ship, resource, and provide training!

Rev. Natalie Werking Director of Children's Gospel Box



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