

Ministry and Training Report

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Paralyzed no more!

Teams of Evangelists and Pastors are going into remote villages and proclaiming “JESUS” with authority and power. They are sharing the “Good News” that the “Kingdom of God has come.” The man pictured on the left was paralyzed on his right side from a stroke for an extended period. However, *no more*, as he gives praise to Jesus for his immediate and complete healing which took place two days before this picture. A ministry team, led by Pastor Elisha, arrived in his village and for the first time they heard the name of Jesus. The team, most of whom only hours before had received the baptism in the Holy Spirit, arrived in this village and began to heal the sick. Many were healed of various ailments and diseases. Several villagers with cataracts were miraculously and instantly healed by the power of Holy Spirit and the wonderful name of Jesus.

“Doing What Jesus Did” is becoming the new standard for these teams as they understand, receive and apply the Power of the Holy Spirit in their ministry. Most of the villagers, totaling about one hundred people in this village, gave their hearts to the Lord and committed to serve Him that very night. The team was excited and encouraged that the Lord is doing all of these things through them. ***Just like He said He would!***

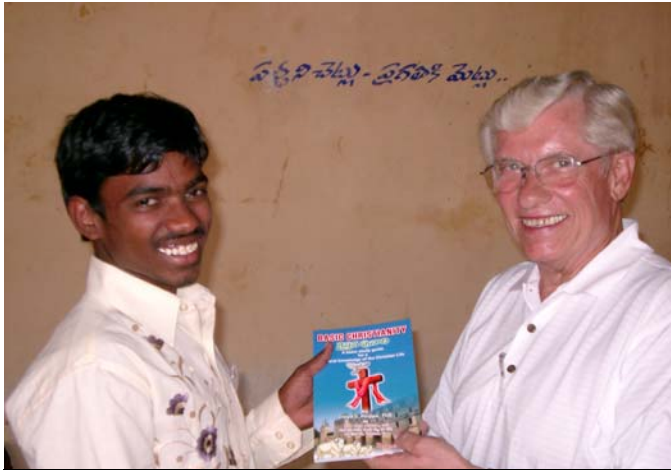
Newly graduated students immediately began taking the Gospel to unreached villages. One young husband and wife team came upon a family whose seven-year-old daughter was born deaf and mute. They prayed for her in faith as Jesus taught. Healing came instantly and her first word was “mama” in her native tongue. Hundreds of men, women and young people have committed their lives to Jesus Christ so far just this month. Entire villages are making commitments.

The Holy Spirit has identified individuals at every seminar with various physical conditions. On one occasion, a pastor had an ear infection and had told none of us about it but the Lord revealed it. He was



Now she hears and speaks!

asked to identify himself and came forward for prayer. He, too, received instant healing. We teach and believe that “what He reveals He heals.” Numerous other demonstrations by the Holy Spirit confirmed to those present that the Lord is still in the business of meeting the needs of humanity that **they might come to know Him**. Every seminar has resulted in nearly everyone present receiving the baptism of the Holy Spirit. Reports continue to come in that these pastors and evangelists are going out with power and a new vision of what the Lord will do through them and **He is confirming it!**



Receiving a tool for helping “Grow New Christians.”

We distributed hundreds of copies of Basic Christianity to Christian leaders. They will mentor new Christians leading them to a more mature and deeper knowledge of the Lord Jesus. My brother, Lloyd Phipps, is the author of this booklet that will help give a sound Biblical foundation to a growing number of new Christians in India. This text and study guide is now in the Telugu language. We thank Lloyd and Jan for their generous participation in this entire ministry effort.

We remain overwhelmed at what the Lord is doing. We are told that only two years ago it was difficult to go to remote villages because of suspicion and distrust. Today we are convinced that the Holy Spirit is moving across the face of the earth again to make Jesus Christ known like never before and the hearts of these dear people are being opened wide to receive the Word of the Lord.

“In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams. Even on my servants, both men and women, I will pour out my Spirit in those days, and they will prophesy. And everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.” Acts 2:17, 18, 21.

What an awesome time to be alive and be a witness to these things! What more can we say?

We have one last seminar for Christian leadership before returning home. It will be held on February 14 in the Khammam district. (This is a three-day trip and about 400 kilometers of auto travel.) We anticipate 200 participants. Please keep us in your prayers as He continues to move among His people. RSP

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