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A Word from Bobby

Everyone can be great, because everyone can serve. Recently, Nancy and I were leaving a church, we saw 5 used Georgia Lotto tickets on the church's ground. We had a choice to pick the trash up or to leave the trash on the ground. We picked the trash up and the tickets were not winning tickets, but we were winners for serving. That is how easy it is to be great.

We did not need a college diploma or a technical degree for our service. We simply saw the need and we met it. The smallest acts of service for God or others will bring an immense amount of joy. We are actually charged as humans by the Bible to serve. Matthew 20:26 reminds us of this principle.

Stop making excuses for becoming great; you don't even need for your subjects and verbs to agree. Thank you, Lord!! It just takes a grace-filled action on your part to be great. A small investment of serving and loving others may not change the world, but it may change you and me. Others are watching us who claim to be Christians and these small acts of service could change their view of God, Christianity and the world.

You only need a heart full of grace to be great! God's undeserved and unmerited favor in us will give us those desires to serve others. As we see the examples of Jesus and how he served the world then we will know how to do it with love and purpose. Jesus left his home in glory to serve others so that they may find joy, peace on earth and good will to all people.

As our lives are generated by love through God, we will want to serve. To love God, others and yourself is to serve them. There are so many different ways to serve others. God is not asking you to be me, nor me to be you, but he has told us that to be great, we must serve!

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Our Vision

The vision for this ministry is to equip individuals & local churches to become more actively involved in Christian mission opportunities and service.

To our Friends and Partners

A big **thank you** to our partners in this ministry! God has used you to serve Him and those that have been overlooked or forgotten, the least.

We would love to come and share our ministry with your church, Sunday School, circle, civic group, school or community event.

Please continue to pray for this ministry as we reach out to the least and forgotten in our world!

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Our designated number is
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Merry Christmas

From Bobby & Nancy Gale



During a recent visit to one of the Samburu schools in Kenya, we had a shoe distribution day. Many of the school children in the marginalized communities need a pair of shoes. We met a child named Moses that was wearing one black shoe so we asked him where was his other shoe. He smiles and pointed to his sweet sister. He said that his sister was wearing the other shoe because they only had one pair of shoes for school. He said that they swap shoes during different parts of the day.

According to Tina, shoes are like a preventative medicine because of the thorny trees in the area. If a person steps on a sharp thorn and the invasive thorn is not removed quickly, many types of problems may occur, such as infections in the foot going septic and intense swelling, creating pain. Also, the marginalized communities have very limited medical facilities creating more issues. Bottom line, the person's injury has to be treated or it may lead to parts of the person's foot being amputated.



Our collaborative partner, Rev. Mike Ricker, is teaching leadership skills to a group of pastors in India. Let's keep him and our friends in our prayers.

"Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this,. To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world."
James 1:27



Rev. Mike Ricker with a group of orphans in India.



The words we use in our child's life have the power either to bless or curse, to build up others or to tear them down. Sometimes, our words have more power than we realize. We blessed these beautiful children with love and they blessed us with love also. Love is powerful!



Children are a gift - an amazing blessing from God!

These young children were recipients of blankets and hand-made clothes.

