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Mission Trip to the Emirates and Nepal ***Hope for the Persian Gulf and Himalaya***

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Mission in Dubai and Sarjah

The team, consisting of myself, Pavel, Andrew, Esther, and Dina, arrived in Dubai where Pastor Abi Samuel met us and guided us to the Korean guest house. Our plan was to have prayer meetings in Dubai but because of Ramadan it was difficult. We took a tour and learned much about the city that was once a desert land filled with camel watchers, fishermen, and other untrained hunters. We saw firsthand what the human-mind can develop when resources such as money are available. The city developed quickly after explorers in the 70's struck oil. The seven states that used to fight each other for power, united to form the United Arab Emirates. Together, they started building and developing. Learning their history, we came to the conclusion that when people come in unity and have a vision, they use the wealth of resources to work toward their own prosperity. The Bible says where there is no vision, people perish. This illustration is analogous to the spiritual realm where if we find the hidden resources in Christ, we can develop ourselves spiritually and visualize living in harmony. If the people of UAE can build so many things for their purposes without God, we can build much more, in Christ, for His purpose.

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In the development of UAE, many nations united to work for the UAE, many of them being Christians, as the Muslim government allowed them to work. We were invited to minister to the Pakistani church which holds services Fridays. The pastor welcomed us to greet the church. During the pastor's greeting, the Holy Spirit revealed a message through Pavel for the pastor of the church. The prophecy urged the pastor to intercede for his nation as Daniel interceded for Israel. We see that

God has a purpose to reach the Islamic nations and through His people to break the yoke of bondage of Islam and bring them to the light of salvation. When we visited this Pakistani church in Sarjah we were surprised to see they had so many people from other nations such as Syria, Iraq, and Iran present. We saw that God brought those nations for a purpose, to reveal Himself to the Islamic nations. On July 10, we flew to Kathmandu from Dubai. In Kathmandu, Joy, Norandrah and other brothers from Nepal's Jail Ministry waited for us and brought us to the hotel.

Why back to Nepal?



After my trip to Asia in March, I came to Chicago and prayed for the nations of India, Nepal, and Thailand. A prophecy was revealed to me that there will be a great earthquake and many will die under the rubble. This was two weeks before Saturday, April 25 at 11:58 AM. For Christians in Nepal, Saturday is a day of church service. When I heard the news about the earthquake in Nepal, God started moving me with compassion to visit Nepal once again. We see throughout history where God allows earthquakes, He also moves with revivals. And these are the signs of the last days. We have seen this in Haiti in 2010 after the great earthquake in Port Au Prince where a mighty revival started. Expressing my heart's desire through the community, I was invited to speak about my desire to go to Nepal at Gethsemane church. A church member from Gethsemane, Andrew, was moved to come to Nepal and Gethsemane contributed with donations to help the victims. At an evening service at Golgotha church, Pavel Sav decided to join us and the church members gave a large donation to help the victims. My daughters also decided to join us. In June of 2015, during my mission trip to Romania, I met a guy in Suceava and his pastor spoke very passionately about his desire for missionary work. In October, during the mission trip to Asia, a member joined us and gave me the phone number of someone who lives in Gorbatan and is married to a Nepali citizen. When I called her, she was very excited to tell us that a group from Romania was on a mission trip at that time. Despite the fact that their schedule and our schedule did not permit us to meet, we talked on the phone to find out more about his fire. I made him aware of the plans that were being construed for Nepal and he accepted the offer to join and meet us in Kathmandu.



Prabhu from India, Andhra Pradesh, city Hyderabad (from where he lives) came to meet us as well. I met him in India last year for the first time and I saw he was devoted for ministry missions. He joined us and we also helped him with some money to continue the ministry in Denmark, east Nepal at a refugee camp. Saturday morning, the day of holiday and Christian service, we all went as a team to Victory of Life church pastored by Joy. We brought greetings and had fellowship with them and gave them love offers. At noon, we came to meet pastor Ram Patel, the Church of God Bishop Overseer. Although we



could not attend the service, we had a time of prayer. Saturday evening, after we saw some plots of land, we went to Ghor church where we prayed for the people and the 12 families that lost their homes. Sunday, part of the team went to Sindhuli Madi prison where we evangelized and gave the inmates hygienic products along with some books. Monday, we went to Nepal Bethesda Church to meet with some of the church leaders. After speaking with them and visiting some of the church members' residences, we headed back to the church where we



helped provide aid to them by giving them financial support. Tuesday, we departed for Rasuwa prison which is located in a mountainous region with rough roads which often hugs the mountainside and brought us near the edge many times. There we evangelized, imparted books, Bibles, hygiene products, a guitar, and other recreational items. A stone's throw away from the prison, we also saw some tent shelters for those who lost their homes because of the earthquake. After our time at Rasuwa prison, we left for Pokhara and lodged there for a night. After seeing some sights and visiting Davis Falls in Pokhara, we returned back to Kathmandu. On Thursday, our last day in Nepal, we visited Pastor Joy's residence, after which we were invited to his church where we received "tokens of love" from him and his church. During our last church visit on Thursday, we heard testimonies from several church members affected by earthquake. The testimonies included the



pastor's wife who told us how she had waited for her husband to pick her up for church (as often happens) but this time he forgot and she did not go to the church which was destroyed during the earthquake and how her husband died. However, she also added that an unbelieving friend of hers had a dream in which she saw her husband with white clothes. Another testimony included a young man who had the intention to join the military in another country but, following the earthquake, decided to serve God and is now the church pastor. The worship leader suffered crippling injury to his legs but is grateful to God to be alive. Some members of our team also gave words of encouragement to the church congregation. We concluded the time at church with prayers to bless the leaders and for to God to continue working through them. We did not leave the place without giving monetary gifts to the church members affected by the earthquake. We gave each of the roughly twenty members \$50 and more to some of those more severely affected. We left with the reaffirmed knowledge that God is sovereign and that we, as believers, have hope in Jesus Christ. We then had a final meal with members of Nepal Jail Ministry after which we went to the airport to head back to Chicago.



The following is a feedback from a missionary India that was with us in Nepal.

“Thank you so much for your precious time that you and your team had given for Nepal for the glory of God. I can see that God is using you to heal many broken hearted people and to restore the life of the hopeless. Everyone is blessed and glorifying God even me so much blessed by your precious presence. I learn so many things that my spirit has received wisdom through your words of God about New Revelations, Spiritual Discipline and practical Leadership principles that you have taken every opportunity to teach us also while traveling and in the free time. I cannot forget those precious moments actually I felt the presence of God and I find the anointing just flowing. Everywhere we went, people were touched – really my heart was melted when I saw those people in the prison and that church in which pastor and many believers are dead, all those things touched my heart and God is speaking to me and changing my life. Thank you so much for your visit to Nepal”



I thank the Lord for His guidance and direction to participate and join Him to bless the people that suffer so much devastation during this earthquake that took them suddenly, quickly and unexpectedly. Through this, we encouraged them to cultivate a deep and personal relationship with God to meet with one another for prayer and fellowship so that they will focus and increase their awareness of God in the midst of their suffering and devastation; accepting God’s Will. We noticed what God spoke of in the book of Hebrew 12.



“See that you do not refuse Him who speaks. For if they did not escape who refused Him who spoke on earth, much more shall we not escape if we turn away from Him who speaks from heaven, whose voice then shook the earth; but now He has promised, saying, “Yet once more I shake not only the earth, but also heaven.” Now this, “Yet once more,” indicates the removal of those things that are being shaken, as of things that are made, that the things which cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us have grace, by which we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear. For our God is a consuming fire.”
Hebrews 12:25-29

Rev. Constantin Lupancu together with the Blessed Hope International Mission Team

















