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Dear Friends and Partners,

I am writing this after a productive short trip first to Durban, South Africa, then to Tanzania where I spent 10 days with our first building team from the USA in The City of Hope. I am greatly excited to be living in a time like this, a time that we can do so much within a short time. This is a time when we have great ability to reach more people with the Gospel than ever before in history. When, for God's glory, we use the technology and communication devices at our disposal, we can do great things. This is a time when it is actually within our grasp to fulfill the Great Commission and to penetrate the entire world with the Gospel of the Kingdom.

Durban

God has privileged our ministry, of which you are a part, to assist in bringing the Gospel of the Kingdom to thousands through Teamwork Bible College. Teamwork Bible College has raised up leaders who are impacting their nations. In Durban I officiated over the graduation of nearly 200 students receiving degrees from diploma to master's level. Our Bible



Inmates excited about Bible school graduation

Colleges are growing by leaps and bounds. We are equipping and graduating more students than ever before. We also had an impressive graduation in a maximum security prison which made headline news in S. Africa. God is using our Bible school to transform their prison system as never before. Our inmate students are becoming some of the best missionaries within the prison system. Some of them have even been released and have started churches in their communities. Please continue to help us with this amazingly fruitful ministry.

City of Hope

There is great excitement and expectancy in my heart whenever I go to Tanzania to oversee The City of Hope. Right after the graduations, during the last two weeks of May, a team of eleven men joined me there. We were able to roof the first building and continue the laying of the foundation on the children's home. As the physical structure is appearing, people are getting very excited. They see The City of Hope moving from dream to reality right before their eyes. People are coming from surrounding villages to watch, because they have never seen anything like this in their area. God is bringing us into contact with many wonderful people. When they see the needs, their hearts are touched and they are eager to have a part in transforming this community.

As Matt Harrell, one of the building team leaders, observed: *The people are very excited and encouraged about Teamwork bringing them hope.*

Dr. CHACHA'S Itinerary

June 29 - July 5 Tanzania

July 7- 8 Newark, NJ, Intn'l Family Church (718) 846-4670

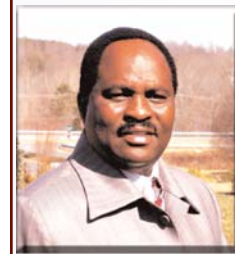
July 10, Roanoker Restaurant, Roanoke, VA Aglow 6:00 pm (540) 774-2229

August 1 - 13 Mission to Nakuru, Kenya +254 (37) 215639

August 1 - 13 Building teams to Tanzania

August 26 Richmond, VA Abundant Life COG (804) 329-2522

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276-632-8477 for more info or to schedule Dr.Chacha for meetings.



They see hope for themselves in what the teams are doing. The attitudes of the work teams are wonderful, and the hearts of the people are appreciative. Even the neighbors around The City of Hope are greatly encouraged and excited.

May God bless you and direct you in all of your service to Him.

Your Partner in Service,

Dr. John N. Chacha

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Expanding to Rwanda, Burundi and Uganda!

A report by Pastor Keith Marsh from New Hampshire. Keith travels frequently with Dr. Chacha and is a vital part of the international leadership team of Teamwork Ministries.

Following the Durban graduations this year, I headed up to Rwanda with this mandate:

“Come, let us go over to the Philistines garrison; it may be that the LORD will work for us. For nothing restrains the LORD from saving by many or by few.” **I Samuel 14:6**

It had been in my heart to expand the influence of Teamwork to other parts of Africa. Ever since the genocide in Rwanda, my desire has been to show kindness to the people of Rwanda wherever possible. Dr. Chacha expanded my goals to include Burundi and Uganda. Much prayer was offered with regards to my “assignment.” In direct answer, we started meeting people from Rwanda in New Hampshire! Jean Paul Samputu, one of the most popular gospel singers in Rwanda came to a nearby college. We met and our hearts connected. He opened a number of doors which helped me begin to fulfill my assignment even before I left New Hampshire!

On May 22, I began my mission in Kigali, Rwanda. There I held prayer breakfasts for pastors and ministry leaders before moving to Burundi. In 3 days we welcomed approximately 150 pastors to our gatherings and shared the vision of Teamwork with them. They were extraordinary times with the potential of 100 new Teamwork Bible Colleges. Dr. Jack du Preez, Teamwork's representative for East Africa, was also a part of this effort!

Please pray for us in these nations. We're needing to upgrade our materials in French and find some sponsors for pastors for their course work. To God be the glory!



Building Team Members Share their Stories

A testimony from Pastor Steve Hilton, one of the building team leaders from Elizabethville, PA.



Pastors Steve & Melody Hilton

My trip to Africa was 27 years in preparation. In 1980, as I was graduating from Bible school, I asked the Lord where He wanted me to serve Him. On a whim, I spun my globe, closed my eyes, pointed my finger and placed it on the globe.

When I opened my eyes I discovered that it was on Tanzania. Well, that didn't line up with what I thought, so I did it again with the same result. I repeated it a third time with the same result, my finger landing on Tanzania.

Little did I know at that time that God was preparing me for a trip that would happen 27 years later. Most of us think that when God reveals something, it is going to be immediate. There are times when God has to prepare the person before He prepares the ministry. Abraham

Testimony from Bill Barrett, building team project manager.

This is the most fulfilling and exciting mission in which I have ever had the honor to participate. This is big, real big, but it's right in the center of the Father's heart and that is where my family and I want to be. The out-working of the task takes great effort and a choice to focus on the positive. There are difficulties and delays to deal with, but these challenges provide the greatest personal, as well as corporate, opportunities for growth.

It was a real opportunity for growth for me as it was the first effort at organizing a group to work a job in another nation. The guys did a great job! I

was really blessed by their expertise and teamwork. This first trip was focused on getting the first building under roof. In America, we order our roof trusses premade and we set them in place and nail them. In Tanzania, you build your own. Senior team members stepped up to the job.



Steve Hilton testimony, continued

was told he was going to be the father of many nations, yet he had to wait 25 years for the promised son. Moses jumped into ministry and experienced failure. God had a forty-year process for him to go through. Many others, such as David, received their call from God and then had to wait it out.

My trip was God-ordained. No matter what I experienced, I know that God was in it. When an American leaves the USA, they will have their eyes opened. Every place has its own glory. Kenya and Tanzania are beautiful countries, not only in the landscape, but also in the people. The Christians I met had a genuine love and dedication for the Lord. They were very conscious of living a life pleasing to the Lord.

Even though the Tanzanians live far below American standards when it comes to material things, there was an appreciation for any blessing that came their way. Daily, as we went to the job site, the guys would give candy to the children. Their smiles were so real and genuine. It made me think of the Scripture in James 2:5, “... **God has made the poor of this world to be rich in faith...**” The smallest gifts were received with joy and gratitude.

The City of Hope is a wonderful blessing for the



people of the area. As one man told us, “Africa has been preached to but now needs to see Christ in action.” Others have been doing it, but not in this area.

The City of Hope is a demonstration of Christianity in action, not just talk, for the Kingdom of God is not in talk, but in power. The City of Hope is a powerful witness to those who so desperately need it.

I believe that Dr. John Chacha is giving a wonderful testimony to the people of Tanzania, not only with what God has done in his life, but also with his willingness to return to his home and help those he came from. A lot of people will forget where they came from, but Dr. Chacha wants to lift them up so they can experience the love and kindness of God.



Team members built great comradarie as they worked together

Bill Barrett testimony continued

They designed and built the trusses. In spite of the weather, sickness and delays, the team pulled together and 4/5 of the mission house roof was completed. This is a big, wonderful thing for this area. God, Our Father, is doing a work in all of our hearts along the way, as well as in the hearts of those we interact with in Tanzania.

It was a blessing to observe the team interacting with the village children who came to the site. Tossing a ball around during breaks was one way they showed the Father’s love.

The people of Tanzania are a beautiful example of community as they work and live together. It was such a blessing to experience the team interacting with the other hired workers. A big challenge was in communication, but everyone pressed in to teach and learn each other's language.

It takes all-out-effort to bring this vision to life. The hired local workers work hard. Everything is mostly made, literally, by hand. The rocks are broken by hand into gravel for the foundations. Bricks are made by hand. Lumber is cut by hand with a cross-cut saw. The people are putting themselves into this mission. It’s all about people.

May this City and it’s people be a beautiful expression of the Father's heart for His children.



Support Teamwork and Bring Hope to the Hopeless

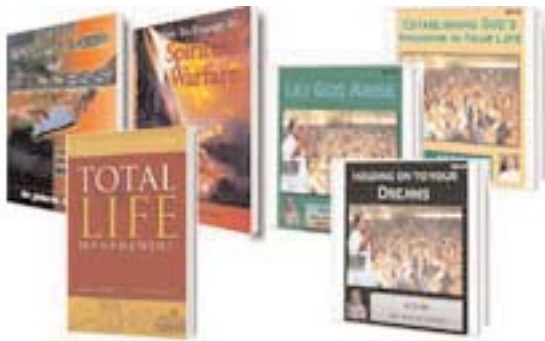
There are so many ways you can be a part of the tremendous vision of Teamwork Ministries:

- **Monthly Support.** We appreciate the faithful supporters who give regularly. While we keep our overhead to a minimum, it takes a fully functioning office to keep our vision going forward.
- **Mission Trips.** For \$3200.00 you can cover the cost of a mission trip for Dr. Chacha.
- **Join our Bible School.** Dynamic training for ministry. Correspondence or church-based programs available. Call and ask for Scott.
- **Join our on-site Bible School.** In August, we will be starting up classes again at our office in Martinsville. For more details, call Scott.
- **Purchase our materials.** In addition to Dr. Chacha's popular books, you can purchase a number of CD and DVD sets of popular and inspiring messages. Use your credit card to order by phone or order online at: www.teamworkministries.com

- **Encourage your friends and/or church to get involved.** Depending on the timing, distance and number of people involved, we would be glad to come and share the vision in person. We also have DVD's and promotional materials if you want tools to help you share.

Within the City of Hope, you can:

1. Purchase a brick: \$50 will purchase a block for the Teamwork Children's home
2. Build the staff quarters: \$25,000
3. Build the life-skills training center - \$25,000
4. Build the dining hall/kitchen: \$25,000
5. Build one suite for 6-9 children: \$7,000.
6. Give toward purchasing the 200-acre farm - \$100,000
7. Give towards a solar/wind power system - and generators - total needed: \$40,000



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