

# LOVE FOR THE CHILDREN OF LATIN AMERICA

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## PANAMA MISSIONARY REPORT

**GOD BLESS PANAMA, THE GATEWAY TO THE  
WORLD,  
AND GOD BLESS YOU, FOR YOUR INTEREST IN  
COMPASSION FOR THE PEOPLE.**

THE PANAMENIANS SAID THAT THE OUTCOME OF THIS MEDICAL MISSIONARY OUTREACH AND EVANGELISM TO THE INDIANS WAS MORE THAN WHAT THEY HAD EXPECTED!! IT REACHED FAR MORE THAN JUST THE GUAYMI INDIANS!! WE WERE ABLE ALSO TO REACH THEIR COUSINS THE TRIBE OF THE NUOBE BUGLE IN THE CHIRIQUI AND AREA NEAR THE BORDER OF PANAMA, AND ALSO THE EMBERA TRIBE AND HAVE CONTACT WITH THE WONAN TRIBES ALSO NEAR THE BORDER OF COLOMBIA. WE WENT FROM ONE END OF PANAMA TO THE OTHER END OF PANAMA!!! I TOOK MY WHOLE FAMILY WITH ME THIS TIME TO HELP ME CARRY THE BOXES OF MEDICINES FOR THE INDIANS. THERE WERE 11 BOXES OF MEDICINES IN ALL BUT 1 OF THE BOXES ENDED UP ON A VISIT TO THE COSTA RICAN AIRPORT WHILE I WAS IN PANAMA WITH THE GUAYMI AND NUOBE BUGLE INDIANS. THE 11<sup>TH</sup> BOX MADE IT S WAY BACK TO PANAMA ON TACA AIRLINES JUST IN TIME FOR ME TO USE IT TOWARDS THE EMBERA INDIANS OF PANAMA,

4 EMERA INIDAN KINGS ALONG WITH THEIR PRIME MINISTERS FOUND OUT WE WERE IN PANAMA AND THEY TRAVELED FOR 8 HOURS TO WHERE WE WERE AND MADE US PROMISE THAT NEXT TIME WE GO TO THEM ALSO. ONE OF THE EMBERA KNIGS WANTED TO HAVE A MEETING WITH ME AND MY FAMILY IN THEIR TRIBAL COUNSEL HOUSE...SO WE TRAVELED ALL THE WAY TO THE DARIEN TERRITORY 8 MILES AWAY TO MEET WITH THEM IN THEIR TRIBAL MEETING HOUSE. I HAD NEVER MET A KING BEFORE OR ANY TYPE OF KINGS BEFORE!! IT WAS QUITE AN EXPERIENCE!!!

WHEN I ARRIVED TO PANAMA WE HAD TOO MANY BOXES AND TOO MANY VOLUNTEER PANAMENIAN DOCTORS WE WOULD NOT ALL FIT ON A HELICOPTER SO WE DID IT THE HARD WAY GETTING ON BUSES AND TRAVELING ON AN EXCITING JOURNEY FOR 8 HOURS UNTIL WE REACHED THE END OF THE ROAD. WE THEN HAD TO RENT 3 4X4 VEHICLES TO CLIMB THE TREACHEROUS ROADLESS TRAILS OF NOTHING BUT MOUTAINS OF ROCKS AND BOULDERS FOR 2 HOURS NON STOP!! IT IS THE ONLY MASSAGE THERAPY IN THE WORLD THAT WILL MAKE ALL YOUR MUSCLES AND BONES IN YOUR BODY TO BECOME LOOSE!!!

THE CLOSEST WE COULD GET TO THE GUAYMI INDIANS WITHOUT GOING THE REST OF THE WAY ON HORSE BACK OR CANOE FOR THERE WAS NOT ANY MORE ROCKY ROADS TO TRAVEL ON TO GET TO THEM WAS TO GO TO THE NEAREST VILLAGE OF THEIR COUSINS THE NUOBE BUGLE. FROM THERE THE GUAYMI NEAR THE BORDERS OF COSTA RICA AND CAME WALKING FOR ABOUT 3 HOURS TO COME SEE US. IN THE VILLAGE WE USED THE NUBOBE BUGLE SCHOOL HOUSE TO MINISTER TO THE INDIANS AND LET MANY OF THEM SLEEP IN MATS AND COTS ON THE FLOORS AS THEY TRAVELED BACK AND FORTH TO SEE US.

THEY ARE THE SWEETEST INDIANS IN THE WORLD!! I COULD NOT BELIEVE HOW RECEPTIVE AND OPEN THEY WERE TO RECEIVE THE GOSPEL. WE HAD TO GET PERMISSION FROM THE KUKIA THE TRADITIONAL MEDICINE MAN OF THE GUAYMI AND THE TRIBAL COUNSEL TO COME INTO THEIR TERRITORY OF THE COUSINS OF THE NUOBE BUGLE. 5 OF THEM SHOWED UP TO MEET ME WITH FEATHERS IN THEIR HEADS AS THEY COMENCED THEIR BALSERIAS WHICH IS AN ELABORATE CEREMONY WHERE AT NIGHT THEY STAY AWAKE EVERY NIGHT FOR A WHOLE WEEK BLOWING MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS ON FLUTES AND BIG LONG TRUNK SHAPED LIKE HORNS THAT SOUND LIKE THE TIBETEN BLOW HORNS. THEY USE BALSAS OR TALNQUERAS (BIG LONG TREE TRUNKS) THAT THEY USE TO TOSS AT EACH OTHERS HEELS IN A GAME IN WHICH THEY HAVE TO AVOID A BLOW BY JUMPING OVER THEM AS THEY ARE THROWN AT EACH OTHER, VERY STRANGE TRADITIONS. THE MEDINCE MAN TOLD ME THAT WE WERE WELCOMED BECAUSE THEIR HERBS AND BARRERAS, (METHOD OF CASTING OUT EVIL SPIRITS OUT OF SICK PEOPLE) WAS NOT WORKING AND THE CHILDREN WERE DYING. I WAS ABLE TO SHARE WITH THEM THE GOSPEL OF JESUS IN SPITE THEY KEPT US AWAKE ALL NIGHT WITH THEIR CONTINUOUS LIBATIONS, MUSIC AND SONGS. THESE TRADITIONAL MEDICINE DOCTORS TOLD ME THEY WERE THE MEDINCE DOCTORS OF ALL THE TERRITORIAL TRIBES OF THE GUAYMI AND THEIR COUSINS.

WHEN WE ARRIVED IN THE VILLAGE OF THE NUOBE WE HAD TO USE CANDLES AT NIGHT FOR THEIR WAS NO ELECTRICITY AND WE HAD NO RUNNING WATER TO DRINK OR COOK WITH OR WASH WITH EXCEPT FOR THE WATER IN THE VERY COLD RUNNING RUSHING RIVER NEARBY. WHILE I WAS IN THE RIVER WITH THE DOCTOR LADIES I LOST MY SHOES IN THE RUSHING RIVER,

9 DOCTORS FROM PANAMA CITY ACCOMPANIED US AND THEY SAW EACH ONE 100 INDINAS PER DAY, AND WERE ABLE TO VACINATE 700 OF THEM FROM THE JUNGLE DISEASES. WE FOUND 4 BABIES THAT HAD THE JUNGLE FEVER AND WERE GOING INTO CONVULSIONS AND WERE ABLE TO RESCUE THEM BY GETTING BUCKETS OF WATER FROM THE RIVER TO COOL THEIR FEVER OFF WITH AND RUSH THEM TO THE MAKESHIFT SCHOOL HOUSE CLINIC TO PUT IV THERAPY OF ANTIBIOTICS AND FLUIDS INTO THEM. THERE WAS ALSO 4 CASES OF TB THAT WE WERE ABLE TO ISLOLATE AND 1 LADY WAS FOUND WITH STOMACH CANCER. MANY CHILDREN HAD BRONCHITUS AND COUHGS AND STOMACH PARASITES AND WORMS, AND THE DOCTORS WERE ABLE TO TREAT THEM.

WE MINISTERED TO THE CHILDREN AND ADULTS ALIKE WITH THE GOSPEL OF JESUS AND GAVE OUT BIBLES AND CHILDRENS LITERATURE. WE HAD A WONDERFUL TIME AND MANY CHILDREN AND INDIANS GATHERED TO HEAR ABOUT JESUS AND AS ABOUT 300 CHILDREN ACCEPTED JESUS THE GLORY AND PRESENCE OF JESUS CAME DOWN AND MANY WERE RECEIVING FROM THE ANNOINTING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT AND EVEN A 2 YEAR OLD FELL OUT UNDER THE POWER OF GOD AND THE OTHER CHILDREN IN FRONT OF HER WERE FALLING OUT LIKE LITTLE DOMINOS. WE HAD TO GRAB THEM IT WAS TREMOUNDOUS, TO SEE THE LITTLE HANDS LIFTED UP AND LITTLE EYES CLOSED RECEIVING THE BLESSINGS OF JESUS!!!

AFTERWARD MY MOM AND I VISITED A FAMILY OF THE SAVAGE EMBERA INDIANS THAT LIVED UP A RIVER NEAR COLOMBIA. WE HAD TO GET TO THEM BY CANOE, IT WAS VERY EXCITING FOR THE WERE SNAKES IN THE WATER AND ALLIGATORS BUT THESE INDIANS WERE VERY HAPPY THAT WE HAD COME TO SEE THEM AND THEY WERE VERY RECEPTIVE TO THE GOSPEL AND RECEIVED IT GLADLY!!!!

THANK YOU FOR BEING A BLESSING TO PANAMA AND THANKYOU FOR HELPING US REACHES OUT WITH THE GOSPEL OF JESUS TO THE PANAMANIAN INDIANS. THE GOVERNMENT OF PANAMA OF THE TRIBAL INDIAN AFFAIRS HAS NOW OPENED ALL DOORS OF ALL INDIAN TRIBES TO ME AND MY FAMILY PRAISE GOD!! THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR LOVE AND PRAYERS.

BLESSINGS TO YOU!!!!  
LOVE

*Dear Bro & Sister Peckins  
and Gospel Truth Church  
and Class # 5 of Sister Kim  
We appredate you!  
Thank You!*

*Zda; Manbeth  
& Jonathan  
George*



The Guaymí & Nuebe Bugle  
Indians of Panama













