



## CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP OF EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA, INC.

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Dear Friend,

On Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, graduation for the 67<sup>th</sup> Summer Missionary Training School was held at Mountain View Bible Camp outside of Sunbury, PA. Under the guidance and training of CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP OF EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA, INC., almost 40 summer missionary interns, over half of them returnees, completed the rigorous and demanding two-week curriculum that prepared them to be used of the Lord as His representatives. Five of those young people will serve Him in the city of Philadelphia. Let me share some of their testimonies before asking you to support them with your prayers, gifts, and words of encouragement.

Marissa Potter, currently enrolled in BBN Bible Institute, is in her second summer of service with CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP OF PHILADELPHIA, INC. She said she is excited about serving with us this summer because, “I really believe participating in the CEF of E. PA. ministry this summer will help me share the Gospel more.” We welcome Marissa back and trust the Lord will bless her summer of service to Him.



Grace Choi is a junior, majoring in Childhood Education, at Grove City College. Grace is also a returnee, having served the Lord here last summer. She believes, “God has plans for me, and He softened my heart into a heart that loves and gives.” That was certainly true last summer and we trust the Lord will grow that heart of love for little ones even more this summer. Grace adds a distinct advantage to our team this year because of her travel to many different countries and her family heritage. God’s calling on her life is clear and we are pleased she’ll be serving again in Philadelphia with our missionary family.

Our next missionary, Topacio Quiroz, is also a returnee. “Topa” is 20 years old and she was born in Cochabamba, Bolivia. She grew up in a Christian home and accepted Christ at the age of nine. Topa has significant experience working with children and she has participated in missions work with children both in her home country and here in the United States. We are excited to see how the Lord will use her skill sets to reach children in the 5<sup>th</sup> largest city in the US this summer. We are thankful Topa chose to serve the Lord here again this year!





Lucas Quiroz is our fourth returnee. It is highly unique to have this many returnees, since Christian college students have so many missions opportunities to choose from. Their presence gives sincerity and permanency to this inner-city, cross-cultural ministry that normally sees much more turnover. We are thankful to the Lord for the privilege of having his skill as a trained missionary in the city. Lucas was raised in a Christian home with his sister, Topa, and he accepted Christ at the age of 10. "I love helping ministry," said Lucas, "and helping in child evangelism." The children in the city loved seeing and working with Lucas last year. His Spanish-speaking ability is a significant help in reaching cross-cultural audiences.

Bethany Munn, a Bob Jones University student, is the fifth missionary intern on our Philadelphia team this year. Bethany was saved as a child, just like our other missionaries and, because that is so, she realizes the importance of sharing the Gospel message to people as early in life as possible. She said that this summer missionary internship is, ". . . a wonderful opportunity for me to learn about how to witness better and help others to learn about Christ." That is absolutely true . . . and we look forward to sharing a few weeks together as a team, making that dream a reality for the boys and girls in the city.



In addition to these five young men and women, we will have two missionary volunteers from the country of Burma staying with us in Philadelphia. They traveled here because of the reputation of the Summer Missionary Training School in Eastern PA. They stayed the full two weeks for the academic training and they will work with us over the summer, honing their witnessing and teaching skills before returning to Burma to put this training to use in their home country. This means that ours is truly an international team, with representatives from South Korea (Grace); from Burma, now called Myanmar, (Cing Niang and Biak Nei Mawi); and from Bolivia (Lucas and Topa), along with two from the United States.

At this point, you may be asking, "What can I do to help this group of young people be spiritually successful this summer?" If we are to have any success at all this summer, prayer is always the most important starting point. Please pray for the team's safety, focus, and initiative. The pace and experience of city life, the traffic, the heat, and the hectic pace of the missionary schedule will all be challenging factors for these young people.

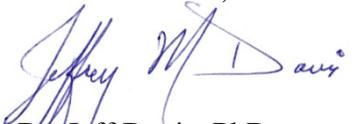
Secondly, if God has entrusted some of His earthly treasure to your care and you would like to share that in a way that increases the rolls of heaven, we would be grateful. It will take about \$50,000 over our normal budget to provide teaching tools, train, feed, house, and transport these missionaries all summer; in addition, to the cost of the facility needed to support this summer effort. We thank God for your help in the past, knowing that it is God's expressed will to minister to these children from His Word.

Thank you in advance for your willingness to partner with us in sharing the Gospel across the city of brotherly love!



**Summer Missionaries – 2017**

For the children,

  
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