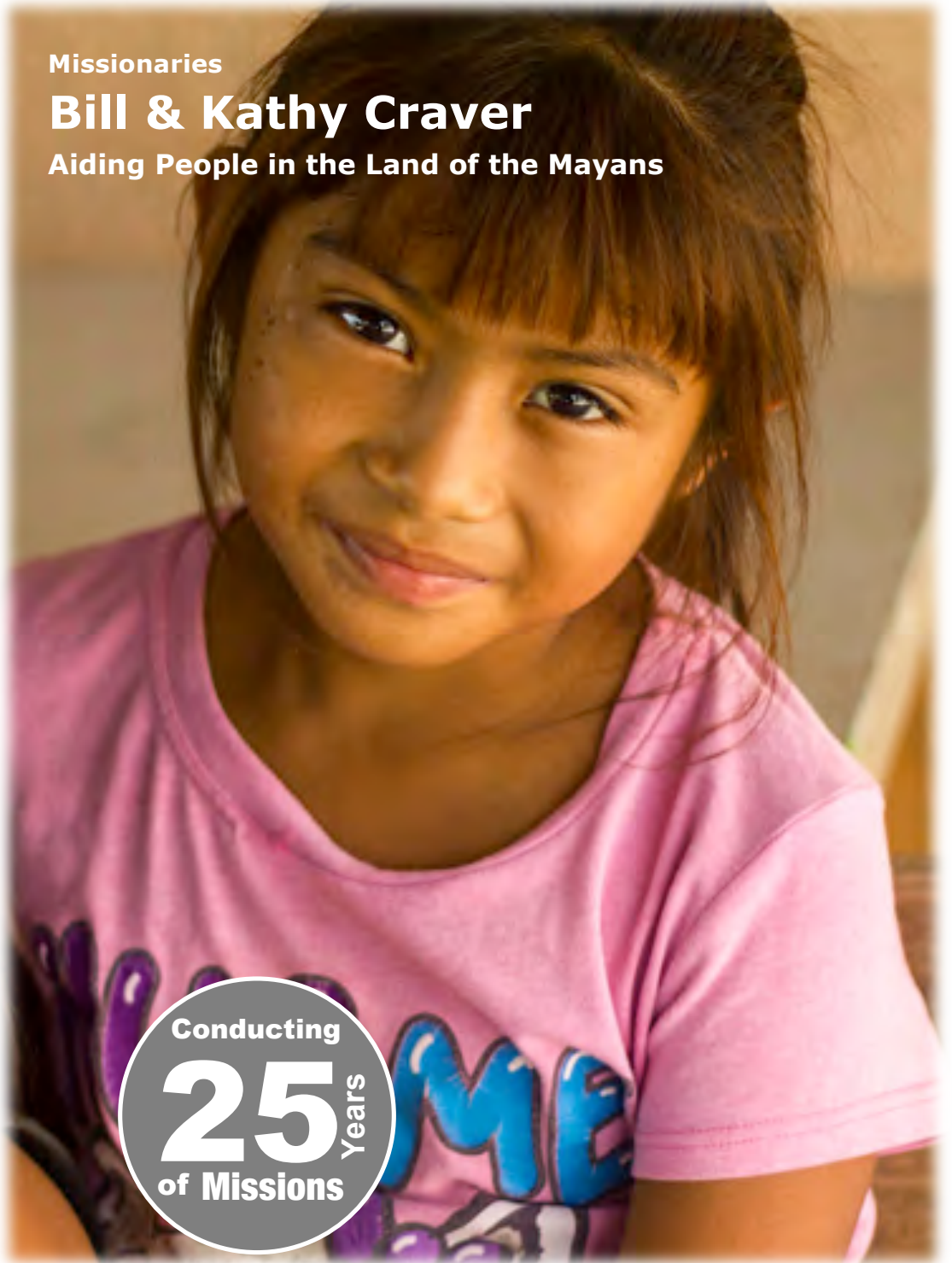


DECEMBER 2015

Missionaries

Bill & Kathy Craver

Aiding People in the Land of the Mayans



Let's Reach The Nations!

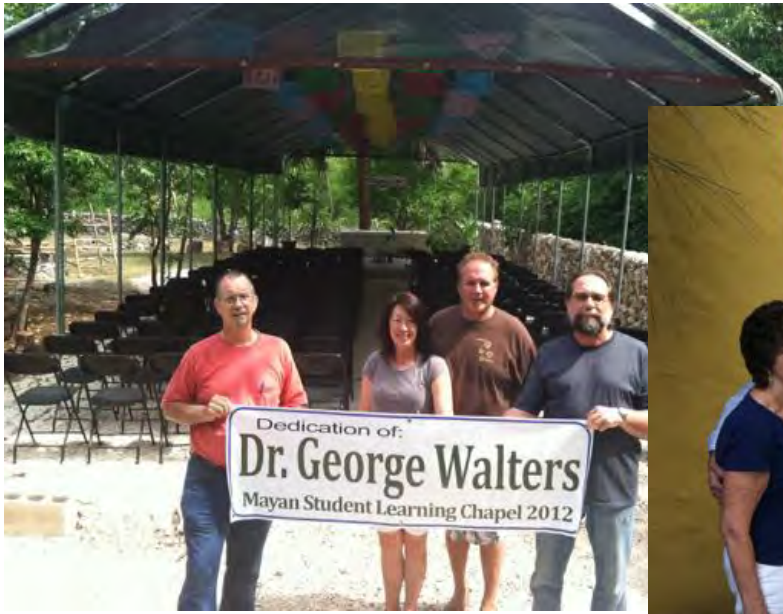
Partnering with Churches,
Businesses and Families to:

- ✓ Reach Children
- ✓ Restore Communities
- ✓ Bring Faith and Hope
- ✓ Training Future Leaders



Mayan Yucatan Campus: Since 1993 we have been conducting missionary work in the Mayan city of Tizimin. Through the faithfulness of partners, DCI purchased property in 2008.





The **Mayan campus** is perfectly located in the center of the Yucatan, in the quaint city of Tizimin (pronounced Tee-z-meen). Throughout the year churches, businesses and families partner with DCI global missions to impact the Mayan World with the Love of Jesus.



Throughout the years, teaching conferences have been conducted at the DCI campus. Leaders are trained, marriages are strengthened, VBS for Mayan children, and Youth are being mentored.

“Tizimin” Mayan Yucatan Outreach Center



2009 the Mayan Mission Campus starts construction: The building of the Mayan base of operation started in 2009.



Marriage Workshops



.DCI Mayan Mission Camps



Eyeglasses for Evangelism:

Through the support of partners, DCI has provided hundreds of “Eyeglasses” for students and the elderly. Mayan people have come to Jesus by DCI using eye exams as a way to connect with them.



Mission evangelism projects: Over the last 25 years DCI has built homes, churches and restored communities. These acts of kindness open the hearts of the Mayan people. The results have been remarkable since 1993. Truly, with the help of people like you, we are making a major impact within the Land of the Mayans.



[Started in 2013] The “50 Strong” Program was developed to inspire Vision, Goals and Confidence within Mayan Young People: At 50 Strong conferences we conduct teaching workshops that encourage the youth of the Yucatán to maximize their Christ given talents and abilities. The program started with 50 young people. It is so effective that now there are over 200 young people within this outreach program. Throughout the year DCI hosts teaching workshops in the land of the Mayans.

Hosting Short-term Mission Teams Throughout The Year



People Coming to Serve

Throughout the year people come to serve through short-term mission trips. These weeks give the manpower to impact greatly.

Re-Thinking Missions

To most churches in America, the concept of missions is a few pictures on the church wall with mysterious pictures of people. Once a month they throw money to the images, hoping it does some good. Twenty-five years ago Bill and Kathy felt it was time to re-think missions.

Out of the Box

Bill and Kathy Craver saw the need to re-think how churches, businesses and families partnered with global missions. They felt that missions should be something people could have a connection to.

DCI, A Model Program

It was a bold idea at the time, out of the box for most Christians, when the Craver's developed DCI missions where today professionals, ministry leaders and individuals find a way to personally connect with global missions work.

A Place to Belong

No longer is global missions just a few pictures on a wall, but world missions has become a place where you can go and be spiritually and physically connected. DCI's ministry located within the Mayan World is a place where people invest in the lives of Indian people, you can know them personally. While sponsoring projects, it's a place where you can go and personally see and touch the walls you have helped provide.

For the reasons above, DCI missions is growing and prospering. Through prayer, faith, and God's grace, many souls will be added to the kingdom in the years to come. Please "say yes"... to partnering with DCI. – Bill & Kathy

Dream Center International – [Direct Christian Impact "Short-Term Trips"]
Celebrating 25 Years of Ministry in the Mayan World



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"2019/2020 Info Booklet"



Mission Trips

"Mayan Yucatán" 2020

Mission Trip \$595

8 Days / 7 Nights

To Mayan Yucatan Base

We will Customize Any Dates.

"Leader is Free" with Team of 12 +



Under \$500 Mission Trips

Mission Trips for Families & Teams

5 Days / 4 Nights \$495

Dates Customizable Throughout 2020

Any Timeframe for the Mayan Yucatan Base

Let us help you get ready and then . . .
Fasten your seat belt.
Stow away your tray table. Put your seat in the upright position, and prepare to take off on a journey that will change your life forever!

You will independently purchase your own airfare with guidance from the DCI missions office.

Round Trip Airfare Varies Between
\$449 - \$595 per person.



Our Mission Campus is located in a Safe Area and has NO Travel Restrictions



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10 Days / 9 Nights \$999 – 14 Days / 13 Nights \$1190 ...



Go.... where you never thought you would.
Do.... what you never thought you could.
Be.... what you always knew you should be.



There are no restrictions on U.S. government employees for travel in Yucatan state, which includes tourist areas such as: Chichen Itza, Merida, Uxmal, and Valladolid

Answers to:

It is Safe at the DCI Mayan Missions Base?:

DCI Mission Campus is 135 Miles West of Any Travel Advisory

At this time we are getting the question: "Is it safe in the Yucatán?"

Our answer is: "Unquestionably the Yucatán Extremely Safe."

If you are one of our regular partners that come to the Yucatán, you understand that we are located to the half hours West of Cancun. The DCI base is in an entirely different state and area where Cancun is located.



There is NO travel advisories for the State of the

Yucatán. The Yucatán is so different than any other part of Mexico because of its safety, the pleasantness of it's people and many quaint Mayan cities. Our location is a long 36-hour drive from the US/MX border/1,800 miles. Many people say: "The State of the Yucatán is like a country

of its own, so different, so quaint and peaceful".

Our DCI Missions Campus is located in the downtown area of the historic Mayan city of Tizimin. Where ice cream shops and restaurants with unique characters line the streets. As a matter of fact, tourism is growing in the Yucatán because vacationers are avoiding the Cancun area. This peaceful area is the perfect location for students, families, ministries and individuals to lodge while aiding people. We invite you to come and help us on a short-term mission trip within this Mayan region, the State of the Yucatán.



Co-Directors
Bill & Kathy Craver

Posted by TripAdvisor 9/6/17

Cancun's Hotel Zone and the city Downtown areas frequented by tourists and locals alike are among the safest places to travel in Mexico and are known throughout Mexico for their relatively lower crime rate. Other than the normal petty thievery frequent in all tourist destinations, major crime involving tourists in the tourist zones is almost non-existent... The crime in Cancun City is predominantly a situation found in most large urban centers and involves crimes against the person among the local citizens. Overall, the tourist areas of Cancun and by extension the Mexican Caribbean locations of Isla Mujeres, Riviera Maya, Playa Del Carmen, Isla Cozumel, Tulum are considered by many to be some of the safest travel destinations in the Caribbean.



July 20, 2016

Mexico has been getting a bad rap... First off, it's important to know the difference between the two different travel advisories the U.S. State Department issues: [1] travel alerts and [2] travel warnings. A travel alert is a short-term caution, signaling events that should be over fairly quickly... Travel warnings are more long-term, signaling overall red flags for entire countries... Of course, whenever you are traveling internationally (or in the U.S., for that matter), certain common-sense precautions are necessary...





The Facts About Safety in Yucatán

Violence dominates much of the news about Mexico, but thousands of miles away from the troubles in Northern Mexico is an oasis: the state of Yucatán and the city of Mérida, home to our semester and summer programs...

Numerous writers and safety experts have touted the state of Yucatán as a tranquil, vibrant destination...

More Yucatan Information

"Yucatan" Mexico's Safest Destination
Tourism Booming Again-New America Media
U.S. State Department Travel- **notes that no travel advisory is in effect for the state of Yucatán.**

El Financiero (article in Spanish): Yucatan has been evaluated with the highest scores among 8 different categories in terms of safety.



Mobilizing Teams



Aiding Children



The Yucatan Peninsula is free of... mayhem. No advisory is in effect for the states of Chiapas, Tabasco, Campeche, Yucatan and Quintana Roo. Good to go...

Washington Post / February 9, 2012 - William Booth



Yucatan "As safe as Seattle," says a transplant to Mérida...where there is no sign of the violent"...

Christian Science Monitor / By Sara Miller Liana, Staff Writer JUNE 4, 2010

Safe travel the Yucatan

Carico rincon de... March 23

"Merida and the state of Yucatan are probably the safest large city and state in the Republic of Mexico...Most of the street parties and dances do not even start until 9PM, and go on for hours...I just spent a month driving around the peninsula visiting out of the way ruins and less traveled tourist sites only on the back roads without any problems at all...enjoy"

RobertSDF, March 24

I agree.... Yucatan are among the safest places you can travel .

YucatanLiving Merida, Mar 24

Not that you need it, but let me add my confirmation that it is very safe in the Yucatan...Driving is safe, highways are well-marked and most back roads now feature asphalt and an occasional wide shoulder to let oncoming traffic pass. Enjoy!

Trip Advisor Forum- March, 2010



Safe travel in Merida and Yucatan



Sample Letter [Below]

Missionary Trip to the Mayan Indians

(Date)

Dear (Place Possible Sponsors Name)

This coming (Place Date), I'm going with several missionaries from (Church, Group or Organization's Name) to participate in a mission trip to the Mayan people of the Yucatán. The mission's trip is designed to spread the Gospel of Christ. I am in training right now for this endeavor. Some of the things I'll be involved in are community aid projects, working with suffering children, and park outreaches. I am excited about this opportunity and I know that this experience will affect the rest of my life.

Would you please pray for me? Nothing will help more than a band of praying people standing with me every day.

Of course, before I go, I have to raise my own support. I need your help. Will you be one of my financial sponsors by giving towards my mission trip. The funds for my airline ticket are due. I am not able to take funds personally but any donations are to be mailed to: (Your Organization mailing address here) with my name in the subject line.

You will receive a tax deduction:

Thank you so much for your thoughtful consideration. God is working in my life and this is just one of the ways. I appreciate your prayers and support.

Sincerely,

(We suggest you personalize and single space each letter)

(Type Your name)

(Your Personal Email Address)

(Your Home Phone Number)



Place Your
Image Here

Important

* It is best to start with personal letters the first 30 days and then followed by financial fund raising such as:

Group Fund Raising

Car Washes – Giant Yard Sale
Bake Sales – Candy Sales - Donut Sales
Golf Tournament – Banquet Dinner



Congregation Offering

Ask your Senior Pastor to have the Mission Team Forward at a Church Service and receive a Special Mission's Offering

Create a GOFundMe Page – gofundme.com

Home Cell Groups / Sunday School Classes

Schedule Dates With Home Group Leaders and Sunday School Classes then Go and Tell about Your Trip. Ask the Leader to Receive an Offering.

Individual Fund Raising

Baby Sitting - Yard Work - House Cleaning – Get A Job !

