



Gospel of John Mission

"Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."

— Matthew 25:40

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There are a lot of physical as well as spiritual needs that people have in Moldova. God has showed us many needs in our community including Ukranian war refugees, deaf families and elderly people without family support. God has laid it on our hearts that it is not enough to see the problems but we are called to step in and minister to these people. With your support we have been able to provide critical food, medicine and other basic essentials to many families in need this year while developing relationships and sharing God's love and the gospel with them. Pictured on this page are many of the people who we have been able to serve this year. God has called us to love our neighbors and we live out our faith when we follow him and serve those in the most need around us. Andrei and Valentina, who are refugees from Ukraine are very thankful for the support and encouragement we bring. It helps them to live every day life, pray and give thanks to God.



♥ May our love for God always lead us to love people ♥

I will never leave you nor forsake you. — Hebrews 13:5

Sergie Bolgar reports that God has blessed us with many testimonies of prisoners that have come to faith in Christ as a result of our ministry. Many of the men we encounter are carrying heavy burdens from their crimes and are wrestling with the cost of choosing to following Jesus. But we are continually amazed that in many of the darkest places, God is at work, and the gospel is changing hearts.

One of the people whose heart has been changed is named Vitally. Vitally had begun studying the word of God in prison which lead him to repentance and a relationship with Christ. Below is his testimony that he wrote us:

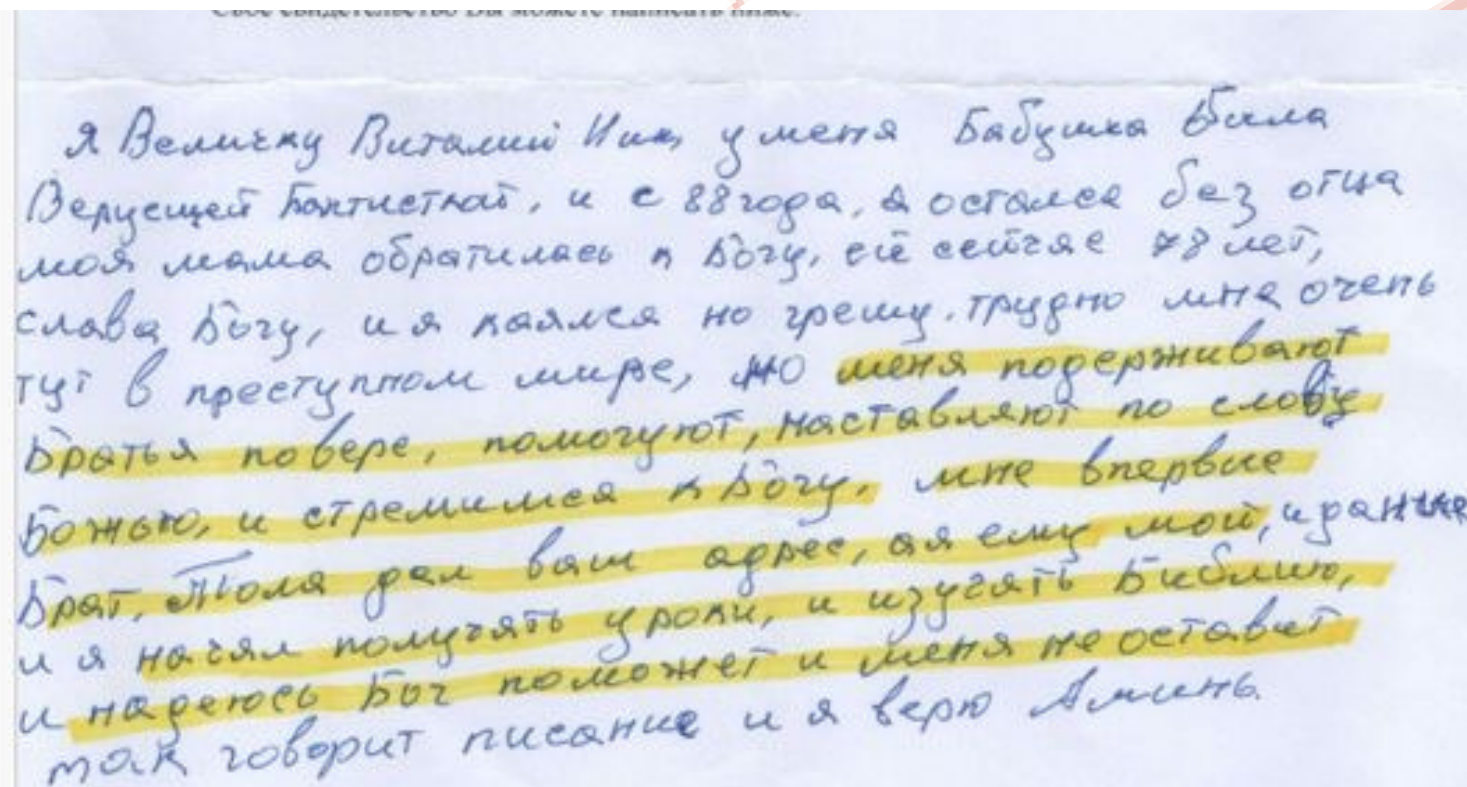
He writes:

"My name is Vitaliy Nik. Velichko. My grandmother was a devout Baptist, and I have been without my father since 1988. My mother also turned to God: she is now 82 years old, praise God. I have repented and given my life to God, although I still struggle with sin.

Life here in the criminal world is very difficult for me, but I am supported by brothers in the faith. They help me, encourage me, and guide me according to the Word of God. I am striving to draw closer to God and follow Him.

Brother Tolya gave me your address, and I began receiving your lessons and studying the Bible.

I pray and hope that God will help me, strengthen me, and never forsake me. As Scripture says, and I believe it with all my heart. Amen."



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Pray that God will strengthen his faith, give him courage, surround him with godly brothers, and help him continue growing in His Word. Pray that Vitaliy will truly come to know the love, grace, and transforming power of Jesus Christ.

Even behind prison walls, the Gospel is reaching hearts. God has not forgotten Vitaliy, and He has not forgotten the men we serve.



Please pray for Vitaliy.





Even though camp was a month ago, every time we return to the orphanages, it feels like we are adding another page to the story

♥ Another page to the camp ♥ Another page to their lives ♥ Another page to our own story ♥

What happened at camp didn't stay at camp. We see it in their hearts. We see it in their choices. We see it in the way they respond, the way they love, the way they remember.

God is continuing the work He began in them — and every visit reminds us that what we pour into these children matters. A month has passed, but the story is still being written. And now... we already have a theme for the next camp. ♥ We don't know yet everything God will do, but we know we want to make room for Him to do it. So we are praying.

Praying for the children who will come. Praying for the team who will serve.

Praying for every detail, every resource, every person who will give their time, energy, gifts, and heart.

We need people who are willing to make an effort.

People who will pray. 🙏 People who will serve. 🙏 People who will give. 🙏 People who will believe that one week of their lives can become a lifetime memory in the life of a child.

The next page is waiting to be written.

Let's pray that God opens the door for this camp to happen — and that He brings the right people to help write the story. 🙏 ♥

Because sometimes, what feels like just a week to us can become a chapter that changes someone's life forever.



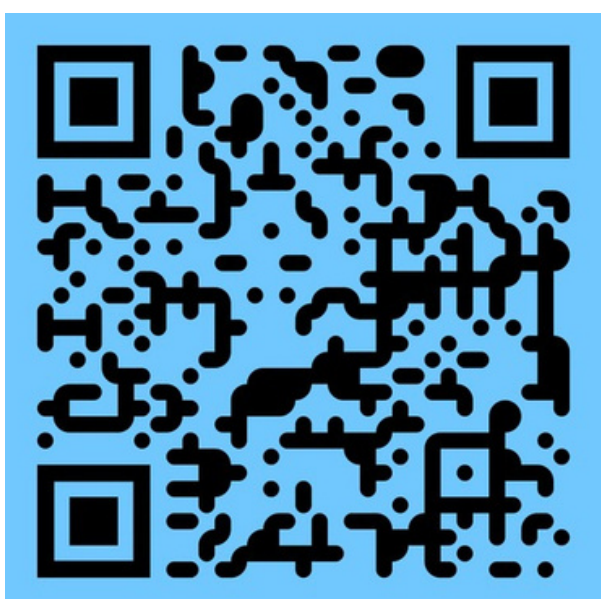
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If God puts it on your heart to pray, support, or be part of this mission, we would be so grateful to have you walk with us. 🙏

We believe this is only the beginning of what God wants to do. Thank you for believing with us. ♥