

OPERATION ORANGE RIBBON



1st Corinthians 12:26

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Matthew 10:22

And ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake: but he that endureth to the end shall be saved.

EACH MONTH

1000 Christians are executed for their faith

214 Churches and church property are destroyed

1500 Forms of violence are committed

against Christians

SOURCES: Franklin Graham Samaritans Purse & OpenDoorsusa.com

SCORE BOARD

People praying	35000+
Churches participating	125
Denominations	15
States	9

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OPERATION ORANGE RIBBON Mission Statement

To raise local and national awareness of the persecution of our Christian brothers and sisters around the world and assist persecuted pastors, missionaries, and or their families.



LESS WE FORGET

November 1st is INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE PERSECUTED CHURCH. OOR has worked extremely hard to emphasize this day and to get as many churches as possible to make this a special day of prayer.

We have written over 550 letters to pastors and made more than 70 phone calls to encourage recognition of this special date. Our goal was to get 100,000 people praying for the persecuted church on this date. We also offered to help them by providing materials such as ribbons, wristbands, prayer guides, videos, posters to help promote this day.

We are pleased to announce that we have over 20 churches that will be using OOR material Nov. 1st.

Objective:

Local community and nation in prayer for our persecuted Christian brothers and sisters. Inspire our leaders, government and religious, to speak out and take bold action to relieve the suffering and persecution.

actics:

1. Supply ribbons/wristbands with information card
2. Reach out and educate Christians and churches with information tools, audio, video, speakers and programs to make it as easy as possible to communicate the message
3. Provide assistance to the persecuted

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#1 Ways to pray for our persecuted brothers and sisters.

Pray that they will sense Gods presence.

Hebrews 13:5

Because God said " Never will I leave you, never will I forsake you."



Remember Sharon, the young lady that was raised in an orphanage and Kibera, the largest slum in Africa? Despite all the hardships, Sharon rose above them and was able to graduate from high school. Sharon was discipled by our friend Angelica and was baptized at the age of 12.

Her faith and, the love and care of the church, Julio and Angelica planted in the slum of Kibera, helped her to overcome many of the hardships such as starvation, living conditions, and gang violence. Her greatest dream was to go on to college and work in the medical profession where she could help others. After she graduated it became clear that this dream was an impossibility, without Devine intervention. Just to survive she found herself doing whatever menial job that would provide food. Sharon was quickly being trapped into the cycle of poverty of Kibera, and was becoming very despondent.

You can imagine how thrilled she was when she found out that Angelica had brought her situation to the attention of Operation Orange Ribbon, and that we agreed to fund her tuition, living expenses and a laptop computer.

A few days after she was enrolled in college and housing was obtained someone broke into her room and took the computer away from her. She was not physically harmed, but emotionally devastated. The computer is especially important to her since her classes are virtual this semester. OOR will endeavor replace it.

We are inviting our friend and supporters to help. If you feel led please donate \$10.00. We settled on asking for a small amount so that it would not be a hardship to most people. Of course, any amount, large or small is greatly appreciated.

Go to our web site www.operationorangeribbon.com and use the donate button or mail to

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#2 Ways to pray for our persecuted brothers and sisters.

Pray that they will know the greater body of Christ is praying for them.

2 Timothy 1:3

I thank God, whom I serve, as my ancestors did, with clear conscience, as night and day I remember you in my prayers.

We were made aware of a great short video by our friend Ed White, from Seattle, WA. It is immensely powerful and just 4 minutes long. We encourage you to watch it. In many countries when a person converts to Christianity, they lose everything. Their family disowns them, they lose their jobs, are faced with physical harm. Even Christian churches in some cases refuse to accept them. Check it out.

Copy and paste on your browser to see it.

<https://youtu.be/2dKASueoC6A>

In the last several newsletters I have mentioned Angelica and Julio Quirino many times. They have been extremely important to OOR in the mission field of Kenya. They are in a perfect position to point us to areas that fit our mission statement. Working together this has been an extremely rewarding partnership. I wanted to give you a closer look at this amazing couple doing amazing things for our Lord.

Below is some of their history.



Julio and Angelica Quirino have been serving with AIM, Africa Inland Mission, since 1996. Julio is from Brazil and Angelica is from Bolivia. They have two children Raquel (24) and Samuel (20). Their sending church is from Brazil: 1era Igreja Batista de Campo Grande MS Brasil. (1st Baptist Church in Campo Grande MS Brazil.)

They started out reaching the S. people in Nairobi, Kenya in 2000 where they remained for 18 years. They arrived in Africa with their hearts full of passion to see the S. unreached, coming to faith in Jesus. Their first fruits in ministry are now taking the Gospel to the S. people.

In 2009 until 2010 they led a TIMO team (Training in Ministry Outreach) in Nairobi. Afterwords, they started an outreach in Kibera slums (Nairobi) and planted a church that continues doing outreach in the slums.

After 18 years in Nairobi, Kenya doing church planting and discipleship, God led them to move to Mombasa, coast of Kenya, where they serve as Missions Mobilizers.

Their ministry is to train and equip pastors, church leaders, missionaries, young believers, professionals for spiritual growth and spiritual leadership aiming to see unreached people groups reached with the Gospel.

They are also involved in Bible Studies and Discipleship to former M. and other Kenyan Disciples.

They still disciple their spiritual children from Nairobi and other areas of Kenya.

Their dream is to see many African missionaries being mobilized, trained, and sent by their local churches to the unreached groups in Africa.

Below is a picture of the largest slum in Africa, Kibera, where Julio and Angelica ministered and planted a church which is still evangelizing the slum.



#3 Ways to pray for our persecuted brothers and sisters.

Pray that they will experience God's comfort when persecuted.

2 Thessaloinans2:16-17

My our Lord Jesus Christ Himself and God our Father, who loves us and by His grace gave us eternal encouragement and good hope, encourage your hearts and strengthen you in every good deed and word.