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Reflection & Gazing

In Psalm 90 Moses, the man of God, is reflecting on the past while gazing into the future. Though he was nearing the end of his life, Moses asked God to bless and continue to prosper his work.

Who among us wants all our efforts to die with us? In prayer, Moses asks God three things. 1. Let the beauty of the Lord be upon us. You are never too old to ask for the favor of God. 2. Please bless the work of our hands. God, continue to prosper and bless the work the work you laid before me, don't let it die with me. 3. Lift up those who will have a passion to love and to serve you through the ministry you have laid before us. Place a burden for the people of Africa upon the hearts and minds of many to reach the multitudes in Africa with the Good News of everlasting life. For Jesus' Sake - *Dave*

The GO FISH PRINCIPLE

Our recent trip to Sierra Leone was a concentrated effort to complete several projects at the college site in six days. Upon arrival, we had no qualms about complying with the requirements while there. We paid the airport tax, presented our visas, stopped at the checkpoints, drank only bottled water, carried only one lithium battery per person, and complied with the list of dos and don'ts without question.

If we were to have an extended stay, say a few months, we might re-think the inconvenient and uncomfortable requirements and begin to make excuses to circumvent our compliance with them.

The prophet Jeremiah acknowledged that the Lord is always righteous, "...yet let me talk with thee of thy judgments." (Jeremiah 12:1) Jeremiah was not in agreement with the way the wicked people were prospering and dishonoring God. He wanted the Lord to change His ways according to what he (Jeremiah) thought was best. God's reply was like this, "If the deeds of sinful men weary you, how are you going to contend with the eventual and even more formidable attacks?"

So, trials in our lives are preparations for even more difficult battles, ones that we must endure to be equipped for the next step in God's plan. We are living in God's creation, not our own. Our vision is clouded by our desires, but God has perfect vision seeing above and beyond the mountains in our path. He knows what must happen for each person to experience their own 'road to Damascus moment.' Even though the Prophet was distracted by the arrogance of the wicked people, the time was too short to place his attention on making his own life more comfortable and less confrontational.

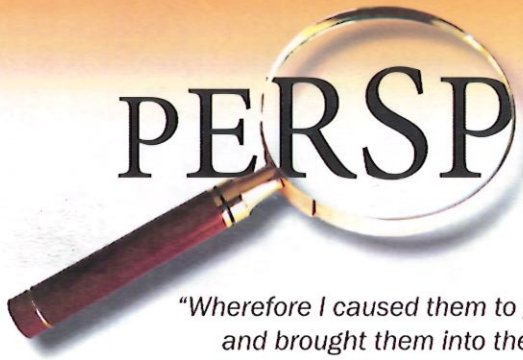
Our grandson Rocco (5) was playing a card game with his sister, Gabby when he protested, 'I should get a second turn!' Gabby replied 'No, you have to follow the directions of who made this game and stop trying to make changes, so GO FISH!' Jesus says, Go Fish!

May God's Richest Blessings be Yours! Dan



Dan Yanchak
President of WEO

PERSPECTIVE



"Wherefore I caused them to go forth out of the land of Egypt,
and brought them into the wilderness." Exodus 20:10



MIKE SCHERER
WEO Director
of Finances & Development

"O God, Thou hast taught me from my youth, and hitherto have I declared thy wondrous works."

Psalm 71:17

I find myself in Africa this month as we are working to complete the installation of roofing panels at Makripodis College. We are with hard-working men who are genuinely excited and thankful for this college building. Many of these men have families, yet they seem so young to have such an important responsibility, especially in the economic climate that is Sierra Leone.



My son Justin is with me on this trip. What a profound privilege it is to have him with me. He is a hardened veteran of the ARMY Combat Engineering Corp, so thankfully the climate and sights of Sierra Leone, don't unsettle him. Instead, we find an easy camaraderie as we work together in this extreme heat, along with the other hard-working men. I am reminded of the verse from Psalms 71:17 that says,

"O God, thou hast taught me from my youth, and hitherto have I declared thy wondrous works." There is truly something wonderful that is felt; a blessing from being taught biblical principles from our youth; that I am now able to stand with my son, God, and other men of the faith, to see, understand, and be a part of something much greater than I, something that declares the wondrous work of God. This college, is being built with human hands, but it came from the vision of one man, persuaded by God, to honor, promote, and declare His handiwork and to be used as an instrument to further His knowledge, understanding, and wisdom to all who attend.

Again, thank you for all who have given their time to prayerfully lift us in this endeavor. ●

MAKRIPODIS COLLEGE

was established to empower African people to enrich their spiritual knowledge for the purpose of serving God's ministry.



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Dear Friends,

February is the month when people think about "love," and as a token of that love, they will give something special to the ones they love.

My mind cannot help but go to the most often quoted verse in the Bible, "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." Reaching out to mankind He opened the only way of redemption and eternal life.

WEO is committed to telling others about this great gift from the Creator of all things. We thank you for partnering with us to tell as many people as possible about this great love of God. Continue to pray for the souls yet to be saved in Africa and around the world.

Thank you for your faithfulness in your continued prayers and your consistent giving for the express purpose of changing the outcome of eternity for multitudes of people.

Focusing on God,

Blessings,

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NEWSLETTER

Blessings as we head into this new year of 2025! WEO Ministries has so much to accomplish this coming year, so we are happy to inform you that there are numerous prayer, volunteer and financial support opportunities that God is providing us with. With humility, I ask you as one of WEO's team members, to please seek guidance from the Holy Spirit to see where He wants you to help out...

Amazingly, 2024 is over, but not without witnessing some phenomenal works and miracles provided through the mighty hand of our Lord and savior.

October/November Trip to Africa: There were a total of seven (7) of us that traveled to Africa. Two teams; one team of one (1) that visited the orphanages in Liberia and Sierra Leone to profile and conduct Good News Club meetings with the children, and a second team of six (6) that went to Moyamba Junction, Sierra Leone, to work on the Makripodis College roof.

The first team, comprised solely of my dear wife Cynthia, traveled extensively throughout Liberia, visiting most of the WEO churches and schools there.



Good News Club and Wordless Book:

Cynthia was able to minister to the children (and adults) using a method from the US based organization called Child Evangelism Fellowship, or CEF.

CEF establishes Good News Clubs in schools and churches by incorporating the use of the "Wordless Book" to teach children about Jesus.



This method of evangelism is very powerful and one that the children can easily learn and replicate. In fact, one doesn't even need to know how to read or write in order to be able to use it. Aside from the children enjoying the CEF evangelism teaching, even the local Pastors and lay teachers were excited about how easy and fun it is to teach using the CEF material.

Shown here is Pastor Theophilus teaching one of the sessions.



Cynthia made almost 1000 of these tiny books (2" x 2") and handed them out to the children, pastors and teachers for their use. Each of the wordless book pages has a specific color that is used to tell the story of Jesus. WEO's goal is to establish "Good News" Clubs throughout our African ministry a little bit at a time.



Here you can see one of the highlights of Cynthia's travels, showing her and Pastor Vamboi riding off to a school on the back of a motorcycle.

Sewing Ministry at the Orphanages: One thing about WEO's RCM Director is that she LOVES to sew.

This trip, Cynthia took with her lots of crochet yarn that generous donors provided. During her stay at each of the orphanages, she brought out the yarn and showed the girls and guys how to crochet. This was an immediate "hit" as the



children were all super excited to learn this trade. Many of the children made hats, scarves and other things to



send home with Mummy Cynthia to give to their sponsors.

Makripodis College: The second team of six (6) are shown below. Much work was accomplished through your prayers, along with quite a bit of sweat. We are especially thankful for the hard working men native to Africa, as they worked so hard in the blistering heat all day.



Once again, the volunteers from the US were an outstanding group of Christian men that seemed to know just what needed to be done and quickly assumed leadership roles to direct the construction activities. WEO President Dan Yanchak is shown in the far left of the previous photo, and is the supreme mastermind and overall construction leader of the Makripodis College multipurpose building. Dan arranged several meetings prior to our trip to help us gain insight and experience with the equipment, materials and techniques that would be used during the roof installation.

Shown here is a trench being dug and the first few courses of foundation block being laid around the perimeter of the building. This was all done by our local work force digging tirelessly and often through rocky, volcanic soil.



In conjunction with the foundation work, others were involved with the inventory and staging of all the roof materials. Believe me, we were all quite overwhelmed at first trying to figure out what each of the pieces would be used for and where exactly they should go. Thankfully we had a good group of detectives that were able to solve this complex riddle, and it looks as though we might have only a few "extra" pieces when we are finished. 😊



To initiate the roof panel installation, we first had to install retaining wire and insulation to keep the oppressive heat from radiating into the lower (occupied) part of the building. After that came the roofing panels. Each is 16" wide by almost 40'

in length, so it took some special handling to ensure each panel was placed on the roof and into its proper position without being bent. Shown here is the installation team at work.



There is so much more I could write about, but before ending this edition, I wanted to mention something wonderful that I witnessed during our time at the construction site. The Chief



Muslim leader, of the Moyamba Junction District, Alhaji Mansaray, who is head of over 1500 muslims in the area, visited the

college site while we were working. He was curious as to what we were doing, so Mike Makripodis and Tony McConaghy took him on a tour and then sat with him to explain our ministry, the focus of Makripodis College and answer any questions he had. During the course of these discussions, Mike Makripodis was able to share the gospel story with him and plant the seeds of salvation in his mind. Although no immediate decision was made to accept Jesus on his part, we are continuing to pray for this man and the potential he has for reaching a great number of others who are unsaved.



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February 2025

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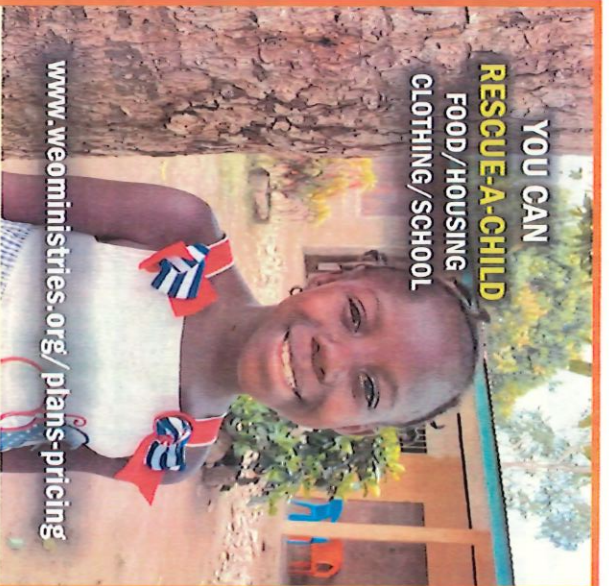
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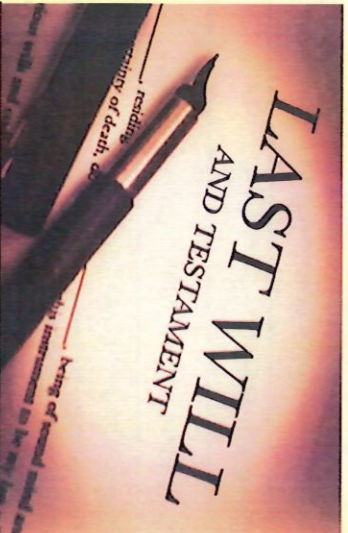
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1. Sembahun School: \$68,500.00

\$28,048.00 Received,

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MINISTRY AT WORK

Galatians 6:9 - "And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

WEO DEVELOPMENTS

MINISTRY AT WORK UPDATES FEBRUARY 2025

Description	Location
1 Provided WEO Pastors with a Christmas blessing: a 50# bag of rice	All
2 A Team of 3 traveled to Sierra Leone to complete installation of all roofing panels at Makripodis College.	Moyamba Junction, SL
3 Completed the installation of toilet and floor drains for the boy's bathroom at Makripodis College.	Moyamba Junction, SL
4 Completed footers for all exterior and interior walls at the Makripodis College.	Moyamba Junction, SL
5 Completed the concrete flooring in eight (8) of the classrooms at Makripodis College.	Moyamba Junction, SL
6 Completed the installation of all ridge vents and capping on the Makripodis College main campus building.	Moyamba Junction, SL
7 Updated orphanage profiles and photos and sent them to each sponsor.	USA
8 Visited Providence Baptist Church to provide an update of WEO activities.	Ellwood City, PA
9 Solomon Attended Graduate Level Courses at the Ghana Theological University for his Doctorate Degree.	Accra, Ghana
10 Met Stefan Schmid on our flight from Brussels to Freetown, who works on the Mercy Ship currently anchored in Freetown, Sierra Leone. He has invited us on the ship and will give us a tour before its departure in August.	Freetown, SL

