

Right Hand Ministries

“Then the King will say to those on His RIGHT HAND, ‘Come, you who are blessed of My Father... for I was hungry and you gave Me food, thirsty and you gave Me drink, a stranger and you took Me in, naked and you clothed Me, sick and you visited Me, in prison and you came to Me.’”

Matthew 25:34-36



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HOPING TO BUILD A CHURCH: At left is the current church (which here they usually call “prayer house”) in Krupa Colony. If you’re online, viewing the pdf version of the newsletter, you can see that the roof is in bad condition. Inside, the cement floor also is breaking up. We don’t normally try to raise funds for building churches, but the pastor here, Prabhakar Rao, seems to be very sincere in his ministry, along with his son. They have given their lives to minister to these tribal people, struggling much in many ways. They are planning to build a smaller temporary structure to meet in while building a new church in this same spot. Pray about helping

financially with new construction. We told the pastor that we are not in position to help with this project, unless the Lord touches hearts to give specifically for this work. For simple, but sturdy construction, probably between \$5-10,000.



THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN HOPE AND THE MORNING STAR

One of our faithful donors to RHM recently shared with me that he had some confusion in regard to the HOPE and Morning Star ministries, and how they are connected with Right Hand Ministries. RHM is the primary source of funds the Lord has chosen to use for both the HOPE and MS ministries, very little coming to either organization except thru RHM. HOPE is located in the southern state of Andhra Pradesh, India. It officially began (with the taking in of the first child) in 1998. It has slowly progressed to where it is now, currently having 42 children (33 girls and 9 boys) in 2 separate homes; the girls home in the town of Bapatla, the boys home about 10 miles away in the village of Chinthayapalem. Above the girls home on the 2nd floor is the HOPE School, now with about 225 children, including 28 of our HOPE home girls. The 6 photos on this page (below the church photo), starting from the top, give a basic overview of what the HOPE ministry is involved with: Children’s ministry in the villages, our HOPE girls going into 4 villages regularly to conduct “Sunday Schools”. Next is the HOPE School, providing education for children from nursery thru 7th grade, a great opportunity to also teach them about JESUS. The photo at left is from a meeting we had with about 100 Manna Program widows/elderly and handicapped, these MP members coming from many different villages. Next is a tribal village further south, assisting the pastor in the photo who’s giving tutoring to a few of the illiterate children in that village. As you can see in the next photo, the Lord’s providing new huts, roof repairs and other assistance to some of the needy MP members. Last is a few of the beautiful HOPE girls!





THE MORNING STAR MINISTRY

The Lord connected RHM to the Morning Star in 2010. As you might be able to recognize in the **photo at left**, devotion to Hinduism is very strong in this area. Because this is still a potentially volatile area of India (in a neighboring state from where HOPE is located), we don't give the location of this ministry. We also must be careful in how we relay info, as it could endanger some of the believers and ministry that is taking place there. Again, almost all of the funds going to the Morning Star for the below-mentioned ministry comes only thru RHM. But in reality, another USA-based ministry is sponsoring most of the ministry taking place there, funneling their funds thru RHM. We're not trying to take credit for anything GOD is doing with the MS ministry; because of security reasons we don't mention the name of the other USA ministry that is helping the Morning Star.



In the area where Morning Star is doing ministry, several years ago a Hindu priest was killed. This wasn't any ordinary priest, but the main religious leader in this district, a man who was adamant about India needing to be cleansed of all other religions. Through his influence much damage was done to Christians, pastors, and even those of other beliefs outside of Hinduism. Maoist communists (known for terrorist activity) killed this priest, along with others on a Hindu compound. Christians were immediately blamed, which triggered a mass persecution in the area. Many believers were killed, hundreds of churches and thousands of homes destroyed. Because of that persecution, and the ongoing tension in the area, the Lord has opened many doors for the Morning Star to do ministry.

As we did on the front page, we'll use the other 6 photos on this page to give a basic overview of the Morning Star ministry. Starting from the top (below the Hindu festival) are family members of 7 Christian men who were falsely charged with the murder of the Hindu priest mentioned above. Still they are in prison, though there is no real evidence against them. Thru RHM the other USA ministry is helping these families. Next photo is of a monthly pastors seminar, a maximum 100 pastors being trained & encouraged in ministry, and provided with study materials, gas lights, bicycles and other tools that are useful for them in ministry. Next are precious girls from the Morning Star Girls Home, now with 25 girls, 16 of them from persecution-related backgrounds. Next photo is with a pastor and his wife standing by a new water well that was dug for their village believers. In some villages the Hindus don't allow the believers to use the village wells, so Christians have to go to a stream or river to get their water. The other USA ministry is also providing these wells. Next is a young nurse giving checkups and meds to villagers, part of what we call "malaria camps". Malaria is the main reason for these camps, as every year villagers die, especially during the rainy season. But they also give other basic meds, this being a good way to share the love of Christ. Last photo is 6 of the 21 widows who are receiving monthly funds. A few of the 21 have had an older son die by persecution. All the others had their husbands die because of persecution. **Please pray for both the HOPE and Morning Star ministries! Ephesians 6:18**



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