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RF Mission Team (Kenya Feb 2023)

“The harvest truly is plentiful, but the labourers are few. Therefore, pray the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into His harvest.”

Matthew 9:37-38

Join the RF Mission Team in Kenya (Feb 2023)

Thank you for considering [joining the RF Mission Team](#), to bring the gospel of Jesus to the nation of Kenya in February 2023. ***The Campaign will be for 12 days, between 24th February – 8th March, 2023.***

You can register your interest to serve on the RF Mission Team by [clicking here](#), or completing the form at the end of this document. You can also select to join the **Raising Foundations Prayer Group** and/ or **receive regular News & Updates**.

This document explains the mission **roles and functions** you can sign-up for. These roles operate under [Evangelist Martin van Vuuren](#) who has responsibility for the Raising Foundations Evangelistic Campaigns, working in partnership with [Operation Hope](#) (Evangelist Stephen Pilkington).

Raising Foundations [takes care of all the logistics](#) for the mission team. We handle the flights, local transportation, hotels, food and the ministry schedule in Kenya. We also provide basic training for the Mission team leading up to the event, so you'll be ready for your mission trip.

Team members will be responsible for:

- [Helping to fundraise towards the cost of this campaign](#): *As a charity, RF depends on the financial giving of those involved in going on mission. A suggested donation to RF or a fund raising target of at least £1,700 per team member will allow this campaign to become a reality.*
- [securing all travel documents](#) *including passport, visas if necessary, travel vaccinations, travel insurance, and any personal items. Applicants who are not the head of a ministry or registered charity will also require a letter of recommendation from their church pastor or ministry leader.*

Team members must be able to work alongside others in less than comfortable and fluid environments, and be able to submit to team authorities in a cooperative manner.

We have included some prayer points and scriptures in this document. Please consider **praying regularly for our Evangelistic Campaigns and Ministry activities** - that others may come to know Jesus.

Allow the Holy Spirit to lead you as you fast, pray and intercede for our Teams, Families, Ministry Partners, Supporters, Intercessors and Evangelistic Campaigns.

We are all labouring together in this harvest for people to be saved, healed and disciplined - for heaven to be populated as people enter the Kingdom of God through Faith in Christ Jesus. As you put your hand to the plough in this work, you join in **labouring for Christ** and sharing in His inheritance. And yes, in the frontline of this spiritual battle, others will be praying and interceding for you and your family.

For more information go to www.raisingfoundations.org/get-involved.

Thank you for joining in this harvest for Jesus!

All for Jesus,

Evangelist Martin van Vuuren

Evangelist Martin van Vuuren & the Raising Foundations Team

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Roles & Functions - Descriptions

1. Team Leader

Responsible for overseeing, supporting & looking after the mission team members in Kenya. Liaising with Team Logistics Facilitator for timetables, food, travel and ministry activities, hosting prayer/devotional mornings etc.

2. Mission Team Member

Be part of the ministry team to bring the gospel of Jesus to the people of Kenya. Attend and help with the evangelistic meetings & pastor conferences at the different venues, ministering to people in need.

Team activities may include: visiting churches, orphanages, schools etc, personal evangelism, prayer intercession during campaigns, praying for the sick, preaching in churches, and much more.

3. Team Logistics Facilitator

Manage the campaign itinerary, coordinating activities with Lead Evangelist and Operation Hope Team. Responsible for all RF Missions team logistics including travel (flights, car/bus hire etc), food & accommodation.

4. Media (Videographer/ Photographer)

Tell the campaign story and share the incredible testimonies of people touched by Jesus. Shoot videos, capture moments, interview, edit, create & share content during and after campaigns on our social media platforms and with all our supporters and partners.

Liaise and coordinates with the Lead Evangelist, RF UK Social Media team and US Life Nations Team.

5. Medical Missionary

Those in the medical profession who could provide medical and first aid support for the Missions Team.

6. Swahili Translators/ Interpreters

Can you speak Swahili? Help provide translation and interpretation for the RF missionary team and evangelists in Kenya.

7. Financial Partners

Partner with us financially to help fund this campaign and the ongoing RF ministry activities, infrastructure and support costs.

You can make a [donation here](#) and help support the charity or specific Evangelistic Campaigns.



8. Fundraisers

Organise a fundraiser or take part in a sponsored charity event to help raise funds for this campaign. You can host a breakfast or afternoon tea, hold a cake sale, do a sponsored challenge, wash cars, mow lawns, skydive or run a marathon - the choice is yours.. **We would love to partner with YOU!**

We need to raise £3,000 to cover the Feb 2023 Kenya Evangelistic Campaign expenditure for gospel truck, bibles, venue hire, security, permits, equipment hire (video, sound & power), local advertising, printing etc.

Simply use our [Sponsorship & Gift Aid Declaration Form](#) for people to sponsor your event, or you can [Click here](#) to download this form from our website.

9. Training Evangelists

Train with Raising Foundations to run & manage front-to-back your own evangelistic ministry & campaigns. You'll need to dedicate time ahead of the campaign, gaining experience alongside the Lead Evangelist to help plan and conduct the campaign.

You'll be involved in pre-campaign planning, meetings, participate and help support the campaign on the ground, and learn how we minister the gospel whilst working alongside different ministries and churches for salvations and new believers to be brought into local fellowships.

Prayer Points & Scriptures

Please consider **praying regularly for our Evangelistic Campaigns and Ministry activities**. Allow the Holy Spirit to lead you as you fast, pray and intercede for our Teams, Families, Ministry Partners, Supporters, Intercessors and Evangelistic Campaigns.

Here are 8 prayer points & scriptures to get you started and areas you can cover in prayer:

i) Boldness

That we would **not be ashamed of the gospel** but instead, pray that the Lord would enable us to speak His word with great **boldness**, without fear.

Scriptures:

- *"For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile."*

(Romans 1:16)

- *"And when they heard it, they lifted their voices together to God and said, '... And now, Lord, look upon their threats and grant to your servants to continue to speak your word with all boldness... And when they had prayed, the place in which they were gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and continued to speak the word of God with boldness"*

(Acts 4:24-31).

- *"For to everyone I send you, you must go, and all that I command you, you must speak. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you,"*

(Jeremiah 1:7-8)

- *"Be strong and courageous; do not be afraid or terrified of them, for it is the LORD your God who goes with you; He will never leave you nor forsake you."*

(Deuteronomy 31:6)

- *"Finally, brothers, pray for us, that the word of the Lord may speed ahead and be honoured, as happened among you"*

(2 Thessalonians 3:1).

ii) Opportunities to preach the gospel, clearly

That God would **open a door for our message**, that he would go before us and filling our mouths so that we may **proclaim His gospel clearly**, as we should.

We preach through translators, so we must **communicate the gospel clearly in 15 minutes!** Also pray for the interpreters to translate and communicate our message clearly in Swahili, for the people to hear and respond to the Gospel.

Scriptures:

- *“I am the Lord your God, Who brought you out of the land of Egypt; Open your mouth wide, and I will fill it.”*

(Psalm 81:10)

- *“Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving. At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison—that I may make it clear, which is how I ought to speak.”*

(Colossians 4:2-4)

iii) Healings, Signs & Wonders to accompany the Gospel

That as we preach the gospel, God would be working with us, stretching out his hand to **heal** and confirming His word through **signs and wonders** in the name of Jesus.

Scriptures:

- *“Stretch out your hand to heal and perform signs and wonders through the name of your holy servant Jesus.”*

(Acts 4:30)

- *And they went out and preached everywhere, the Lord working with them and confirming the word through the accompanying signs. Amen.*

(Mark 16:20)

- *“many who were demon-possessed were brought to Jesus, and He drove out the spirits with a word and healed all the sick. This was to fulfil what was spoken through the prophet Isaiah: He took on our infirmities and carried our diseases”*

(Matthew 8:16-17)

iv) Convicting work of the Holy Spirit

That the Holy Spirit will **convict people’s heart** about sin and righteousness and judgment, proving the world to be in the wrong and for people to recognise their need for a Saviour.

Scriptures:

- *“When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: about sin, because people do not believe in me; about righteousness, because I am*

going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.”

(John 16:8-11)

v) Salvation - For People to be Saved

Pray for people to open their hearts, ears and eyes, to receive and **respond to the gospel** and turn in repentance to receive life through Jesus Christ. That people will become **born again** of the Spirit.

Scriptures:

- *“For this people’s heart has become calloused; they hardly hear with their ears, and they have closed their eyes. Otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts and turn, and I would heal them.”*

(Matthew 13:15)

- *“For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.”*

(John 3:16-17)

- *If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.”*

Romans 10:9

- *“... when you received the word of God, which you heard from us, you accepted it not as the word of men but as what it really is, the word of God”*

(1 Thessalonians 2:13)

- *“Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born again he cannot see the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, ‘You must be born again.’”*

(John 3:5-7).

vi) RF Team, Families, Ministry Partners, Supporters & Intercessors

Pray and intercede for our RF Teams, Families, Ministry Partners, Supporters and Intercessors for **health and protection**. The fight is real and although Jesus is victorious, that does not mean that Satan and his forces have stopped fighting.

The Devil has come to steal, kill and destroy - He prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Our fight is not against flesh and blood, but against these principalities, powers and spiritual forces of evil. We battle for souls, to see people saved, healed and delivered.

Pray also for **unity**, that in patience, love and humility, we will work together with understanding and compassion in our hearts. For where there is unity, **there God commands the blessing.**

Scriptures:

- *"Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers."*
(3 John 2)
- *"For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms."*
(Ephesians 6:12)
- *"Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind*
(1 Peter 3:8)
- *"Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard: that went down to the skirts of his garments; As the dew of Hermon, and as the dew that descended upon the mountains of Zion: for there the Lord commanded the blessing, even life for evermore.."*
(Psalm 133)
- *"I in them and you in me – so that they may be brought to complete unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me."*
(John 17:23)

vii) Financial Provision, Resources & Logistics

Pray for our Evangelistic Campaigns and Ministry work, for financial provision, resources and all the logistics, equipment and arrangements necessary to make these campaigns a reality - **to see this Visions fulfilled.**

We will need to raise £3,000 to cover the Feb 2023 Kenya Evangelistic Campaign expenditure for bibles, venue hire, security, permits, equipment hire (video, sound & power), local advertising, printing etc. for the different cities.

The RF Team members will also need to raise funds to cover the cost of their mission trip. They'll each need to give a donation of at least £1,500 to be a part of this mission.

Scriptures:

- *"And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus."*
(Philippians 4:19)

- *"Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things.."*

(Matthew 6:31-32)

- *"Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you."*

(Matthew 7:7)

viii) For Help – More Labourers & Partners to join us in this harvest

We need **more labourers to help in this harvest** - there are so many fish that our nets are beginning to break, and we are signalling for partners to come and help in this catch. Spirit-filled people who love Jesus and have a heart for the lost.

We labour to see people saved, healed and delivered in the Nations to which God has sent us. And we are calling for our partners, and those who want to partner with us to come and help share the love of Jesus, the message of the cross and salvation, with the people to which God is sending us.

Scriptures:

- *"But because you say so, I will let down the nets. When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. So they signalled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink."*

(Luke 5:5-7)

- *"Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest."*

(Matthew 9:37-38).

RF Mission Team - Manual Form

If you are unable to register online, **complete your details** and specify the role(s) you would like to **sign up** for. You can also tick on this form if you would like to join the **Raising Foundations Prayer Group** and/ or **receive regular News & Updates**.

Please email the form to info@raisingfoundations.org

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