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Campaigns

International
Radio & TV

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Publishing &
Distribution of
Literature

India, Myanmar,
Singapore,
Sri Lanka, Guyana

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Planning Ahead

Louis Rushmore

2023 World Evangelism Media & Missions Guyana Workshops

It is necessary to plan ahead to arrange the several logistics required to conduct a series of countrywide workshops annually throughout Guyana, South America. Funds need to be received in advance of scheduling international travel between North America and South America for Martha and me, as well as for our team of four (including the two of us): travel by small plane, boats, cars and minibuses within Guyana; lodging from place to place in country; and meals. In addition, we feed the combined hundreds of brethren who attend the workshops and offset travel expenses of some attendees (e.g., bridge tolls, taxi or bus fees and boat fuel). Last year, this program, lasting six weeks and visiting nine of the ten regions (including our travel between the USA and Guyana) cost about \$27,000. In 2022, the mobile workshops extended from the last few days of January, all of February and two weeks into March.

Ideally, we need to put money into the hands of our counterparts in Guyana – coworkers and brothers in Christ – beginning in December so they can buy plane tickets and make lodging reservations. Given the cost of this program, we would like to encourage you – individual Christians and congregations of the churches of Christ – to begin sending monetary gifts now – designating on the memo line “Guyana Workshops.” It’s not too early or too soon to send your gift now for the 2023 World Evangelism Media & Missions Guyana Workshops. This program edifies fellow Christians overseas and helps them edify themselves and evangelize their own country.



Shipping Bibles & Christian Literature

Martha and I continue to make at least two shipments annually of Bibles and Christian literature to Guyana. A shipment is in transit now (about a month-long), which contains 8 boxes of Large Print Bibles, 1 case of *Panoramic Views of the Bible* (40 copies), 1 case of *Church of Bible* (100+ copies), 40 boxes (35 copies each) of *The Voice of Truth International*, Volume 110 and 51 boxes of *The Voice of Truth International*, Volume 111 and a few boxes of *The Voice of Truth International*, Volumes 74 and 70. In addition, we have newly put in place the shipment of 3,000 copies of each new edition of *The Voice of Truth International* from the printers in India. Our Guyanese brethren use or otherwise distribute **all** of the tracts and *The Voice of Truth International* that we can supply to them. Coworkers in World Evangelism, Jerry and Paula Bates, graciously haul ship-

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ments from our warehouse in Winona, Mississippi to Nashville, Tennessee and pack them for their journey by land to Miami, Florida, where they are loaded onto container ships.

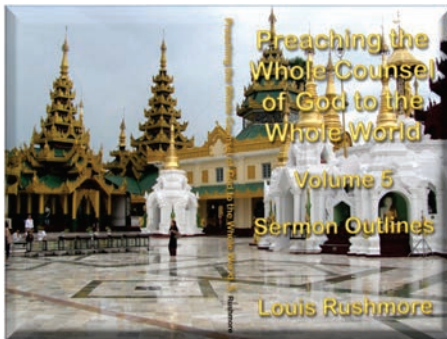
Foreign Television Programs

We continue to facilitate funds for two foreign television programs. The more expensive of the two is a Hindi language broadcast from **New Delhi, India**. Brothers Sunny David, Francis David and Vinay David are the speakers. The program continues to receive immediate responses after each airing, to which literature and personal Bible studies address inquiries about Christianity. Most people in India are Hindus. Currently, this program costs \$17,500 annually for one 30-minute broadcast weekly. (A second airing weekly occurs through funds obtained and facilitated by another World Evangelism team member.) Thousands of additional dollars permit the printing and mailing of Christian literature to persons responding to the TV program.

We also facilitate funds for a foreign television program in the English language from **Georgetown, Guyana** (South America). English is the official language of Guyana, and the country is the only English-speaking nation in South America. The indigenous tribes, referred to as the Amerindians, also speak their local languages in the absence of English speakers. Presently, the second New Delhi program and the Georgetown program are being funded through the aspect of World Evangelism associated with the late J.C. Choate and his widow, Betty Choate. Martha and I follow up with literature for distribution and annual workshops throughout Guyana.



Louis & Martha Rushmore; Paula & Jerry Bates



Books & Tracts

At this time, *Preaching the Whole Counsel of God to the Whole World*, Vol. 5, is being printed. It is expected to be ready for shipment and distribution in early November 2022. There are six volumes of full-sentence sermon outlines in all; volume six will be printed in 2023. This series represents nearly 50 years of my preaching. They are designed to provide anyone the crux of each subject discussed with ample scriptural references. Volumes of this series already in print have been shipped abroad with the aim of assisting brethren who may have less resources available to them; Volume 1 has been or is being translated into three of the primary languages of India.

Also coming in 2023 is *Our Restoration Heritage*, containing hundreds of years of religious and secular history in chronological format, with an emphasis on a return to the Bible as the standard for the practice of Christianity. Several other writers have contributed chapters on various aspects of Restoration History.

At present, I have 19 books and 20 tracts in print. Those titles and hundreds of additional titles by brothers and sisters in Christ are available online at www.WorldEvangelismMedia.com. They may also be ordered by calling World Evangelism at 662.283.1192.

The Voice of Truth International & Gospel Gazette Online

It is my pleasure to serve as the Editor of two Gospel magazines. *The Voice of Truth International* is a printed magazine consisting of 116 pages from cover to cover. We print about 60,000 copies quarterly, mostly in the English language but also in several foreign languages, too. We don't distribute any to Antarctica, but *The Voice of Truth International* goes to several countries on the other continents.

Gospel Gazette Online (www.GospelGazette.com) is a 16-page, monthly Internet magazine that circulates worldwide and is also available at no cost to the user even without a subscription. The "Digital Library" at *Gospel Gazette Online* provides free access to all past editions of *The Voice of Truth International* and about three dozen books and tracts, all in downloadable PDF files. The "Archive" at *GGO* preserves thousands of articles on a myriad of topics and is accessible by an onsite search engine, by selecting an edition or by selecting from the index.

Both magazines are populated with articles by faithful brothers and sisters in Christ. It takes about a quarter to prepare each issue of *The Voice of Truth International* and about a month to prepare each edition of *Gospel Gazette Online*. You can imagine that these magazines and other activities to which we devote ourselves (mentioned above) give us purpose in our lives daily.

Evangelism Fund: March 2022 — July 2022

Income	
Foreign Travel	\$1,425.00
Guyana: Gospel Chariot	\$4,200.00
Rebates/Refunds/Discounts/Resale	\$471.29
Books Sales	\$35.00
Guyana TV	\$4,700.00
Literature & Bibles	\$5,000.00
Contributions	\$40,713.33
Total	\$56,544.62
Expenses	
Bank Fees	\$301.45
Business Entertainment & Gifts	\$71.49
Guyana TV	\$4,700.00
Guyana Shipping & Distribution	\$1,000.00
Guyana Workshops	\$236.43
Guyana Gospel Chariot	\$4,200.00
Guyana Literature & Bibles	\$1,175.93
Literature	\$1,668.36
Medical Expenses	\$3,442.73
Auto Expenses	\$6,187.41
Stateside Travel	\$520.62
Foreign Travel	\$248.78
Internet (Gospel Gazette Online)	\$919.22
Office (supplies/equipment/ software subscriptions/help)	\$3,594.34
Postage/Shipping	\$164.56
Housing	\$27,965.28
Business Telephone	\$477.09
Newsletter	\$580.00
Total	\$57,453.69

Thank You

Thank you for making what we do possible. May God be glorified, and may God's richest blessings fall upon each of you and upon us as well – all of us striving to be useful tools in the hands of God this side of eternity. 📖

It's Been a While

Martha Rushmore



Hi, from this hot, sunny day in Ocala, Florida. We had a good worship and Bible class this morning. We then ate lunch at Cracker Barrel with some church friends.

It is the beginning of August, and it won't be long until Louis and I head to Guyana, South America for our annual mission workshops, if the Lord wills. It seems like time goes so fast.

After we got home from our Guyana trip in March, I had two surgeries in five days. They were both outpatient surgeries. I am doing very well now and just have some routine

Yes! We want to help Louis & Martha Rushmore in foreign missions to India, Myanmar, Sri Lanka, Singapore & Guyana.

- ☐ Here is a onetime gift of \$_____ to be used as needed.
- ☐ I (we) plan to send a monthly gift of \$_____ beginning _____ (month).
- ☐ Here is my (our) gift of \$_____ for English language literature & Bibles.
- ☐ Here is my (our) gift of \$_____ toward overseas travel & missions.
- ☐ Here is my (our) gift of \$_____ to print foreign language literature.
- ☐ Here is my (our) gift of \$_____ for ☐ India TV ☐ Guyana TV & Internet.
- ☐ I (we) plan to include the World Evangelism labors of Louis Rushmore in our will.
- ☐ The _____ Church of Christ is closing, and we wish to contribute the assets to the World Evangelism labors of Louis Rushmore.

Name _____ Address _____
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"...Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved..." (Mark 16:15-16).

checkups. Louis took very good care of me. So, if anyone needs a nurse, I could hire him out (ha-ha). I don't think he would go for another job.

Louis had some outpatient procedures, and happily, all is well with him. When the doctors start running tests, you never know what is going to happen for the good or for the bad. We had a lot of prayers for him to be okay.

Louis has kept himself busy since our last newsletter doing yardwork, some housework, editing *The Voice of Truth International* magazine, the *Gospel Gazette Online* magazine and taking care of me – besides running us to and from doctor visits. We didn't go to doctors much before moving to the Sunshine state. I guess that is because we were younger.

Louis' daughter Rebecca came at the end of May to spend the summer with us. She helped Louis and me a lot. She worked right beside her dad on *The Voice of Truth*, the *Gospel Gazette Online*, doing yardwork or anything else he wanted to do. Rebecca also helped me in the house, and that gave Louis a break. We all worked together, played together and really enjoyed our short time with each other. Unfortunately, we had to see her head home to Collierville, Tennessee on Monday, July 10th. We really hated to see her go. I threatened to flatten all four tires, but she reminded me she had an air pump. Of course, I was already aware of that, and we have one, also.

We had a granddaughter graduate from high school. So, Rebecca, Louis and I went to her graduation party in Middleburg, Florida for the afternoon. Mika is planning to continue her education to be a nail tech and do other cosmetology functions. She is a very hard worker, and she will do well.

One afternoon, we got a telephone call from Louis' son Robert that our grandson Kawika was baptized into the body of Christ. He had been studying with one of the young men from the congregation in Middleburg, Florida. We know there were angels rejoicing in Heaven, and there was much rejoicing here on the Earth, too.

Robert, Alina and some of the children have been down during the summer a couple times. It was good for them to come so they could spend extra time with Rebecca as they only see her when she comes south in the summer and during Christmas break.

Between Louis and me, we have six children, five boys and one girl. We have 24 grandchildren,

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15 great grandchildren and two on the way by January 2023. Louis has only eight of the grands and no greats. He did not realize how big of a family he was getting when he married me.

We continue to covet your prayers for our health so we can both make the 2023 Guyana trip. We are also so very thankful for your financial support. Without your help, these mission trips would be impossible. There is no way we could go without you all. God bless you and keep you all safe. You are in our prayers often. 📖



The kitchen end of the Amerindian guesthouse at Monkey Mountain

**Thank You Very Much
Please Pray**