

January 2017 Prayer Requests



Jesus-Focused Youth Ministry Training in Kenya -- December 2016

*Ascribe to the Lord the glory due his name...
Psalm 29:2*

As we enter into 2017 our desire at Reach Out is to give God the glory in everything--large and small--with greater intensity than ever. We pray often for less of us, and more of Him. *Will you pray for that with us?*

His Glory in Past Prayers

Giving Response. "Students Following Jesus"--that's the end result of what Reach Out does. To do more of that in 2017 we had hoped to raise \$200,000 by December 31! Every dollar given helps us to move ahead in reaching and discipling students. Though we did not reach our desired goal, the Lord has provided \$165,520 year-end as of today. For that we give glory to God. *He has always provided enough because He is enough!*

His Glory in Cuba

January 19-28 will mark 14 years of trips to Cuba. First, our USA Team of ten will travel to Holguin to equip, empower and encourage 30 of our East Cuba Eagle Leaders, and then we fly to Havana to do the same with 30 of our West and Central Eagle Leaders. We will take computers and other items--like toothpaste and soap--that they cannot purchase. *Will you pray for our teams as we sharpen our "Cuba for Christ" vision and strategy for training youth leaders to reach and disciple teenagers across the island?*

His Glory for 2017

For 2017 we have three specific prayers we would like you to pray with us and for us.

Reach Out's Future Leader. In January we will interview candidates, and soon after that we hope to have our new leader. *Will you pray for Lamar Slay, our Search Point Person, our Board, and the candidates--that we will identify and call "God's right person" for this role?*

Jesus-Focused Youth Ministry Digital Training. Already the Lord has opened so many doors into a world that far exceeds our capacities. And He has put us with a team that operates with excellence in the digital world. *Will you pray for a clear path to accomplish this strategic goal?*

\$1 Million. We need to raise that amount in 2017 to move toward our ten-year goals. *Will you pray for receptive people, positive plans and open doors to raise these funds?*

Because all of these endeavors are so far beyond us, when these prayers are eventually answered, *all of the glory will belong to the Lord!*

Jesus is Lord,

A handwritten signature in black ink that appears to read "Barry".