The Very Best Days

CHILDREN'S BIBLE MINISTRY | ARMENIA



Shushan

At a summer Bible camp in Armenia, Shushan experienced the five best days of her entire life. There she learned about Jesus.

Shushan grew up in a family with an alcoholic father and an emotionally distant mother. They often went to bed hungry because

her father spent so much money on alcohol. Her parents argued constantly and blamed each other for their family problems. Shushan and her two siblings believed this was normal life.

Shushan's mother was forced to work and found a job cleaning a church in their city. Shushan decided to attend the church's summer Bible camp so that she would have some food to eat. Local believers, equipped with resources and training from Reach A Village, lead this camp.

"I had never experienced any warmth in my family," she says. "I cried with joy when Marine, the camp leader, hugged me. No one had ever treated me like that. The camp lasted for five days, and those were the best days of my entire life."

During the camp, Shushan learned about Jesus and His love for her. She dedicated her life to Jesus and started attending Bible study.

Soon, Shushan's father became ill and was in the hospital. One day, while he was sleeping, she was sitting next to him and praying for him. "He opened his eyes, saw me and said, 'My daughter, I have decided not to drink alcohol anymore. That day, God answered my prayers."

During 2022:

19,705 children and youth committed their lives to Jesus!

Free From Pain

STARTING NEW CHURCHES | CAMBODIA

Tap had many needs for healing in her life. She grew up as a Buddhist in Cambodia, living for herself and the world's pleasures. When she became ill, her family took her to doctors and even a witchdoctor to find a cure.

They spent a lot of money caring for her and getting treatments that did nothing to help.

"I was sick, and I had no peace inside me," Tap says. "I wanted to give up. My family didn't know what else to do to help me."

One day, Pastor Nget—one of Reach A Village's ministry partners—came to the family's home for a visit. When he learned about Tap's mental and physical condition, he began to tell her about the spiritual healing she could find in Jesus. "I didn't believe that Jesus can cure people of every sickness and save them from their sins," Tap says. "I was sure Pastor Nget was telling me lies. One day, I felt so bad that I asked him to pray to Jesus with me. Soon, the pain I had carried for so long went away."

When Tap asked Pastor Nget how she could know more about Jesus, he invited her to join him and a group of local believers for worship, prayer and Bible study. Soon, Tap accepted Jesus as her Savior and Lord.

"I am thankful to Jesus for His promises in His Word," Tap says. "I will share about Jesus because I want others to be saved like I was saved by Jesus."



God Pulled Me From Darkness

DISCIPLING NEW BELIEVERS NORTH MACEDONIA

As a child, Igor had whatever he wanted because his parents had money. When he was 13, he bought a motorbike and rode it on the streets of his village in North Macedonia. He was sometimes in dangerous situations, but he managed to survive.



As he grew, he was searching for more in his life and began to read books about spiritualism. Instead of finding the peace he was seeking, he struggled and had trouble sleeping.

Sometimes Igor would hear a voice saying, "I am here. Just turn to me." But he refused to pay attention. He married, and he and his wife had two children together. Soon, the couple divorced. "Those were the most difficult days of my life," he says. "I felt like I had no reason to live."

When a local believer offered to share God's Word with him and pray for him, Igor gladly accepted. After reading the four Gospels in the Bible, he accepted Jesus as his Lord and Savior. Soon, he found a way to ride his motorbike and serve Jesus. He received training and resources through Reach A Village's ministry partners. Now, he travels around his country and tells people about Jesus.

"God pulled me from darkness and set me in His Kingdom of light," Igor says. "Others need to hear this news. I ride my motorbike for Jesus and share the Good News for Him who saved us."

1,825,238 Scriptures* were provided!

*this includes Study Bibles, Bibles, New Testaments, Children's Bibles and materials, and Scripture portions.