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# IMPACT NEWS

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## THE TRANSFORMATIVE POWER OF THE GOSPEL

**The Gospel is more than just good news; it is a powerful force that can radically change lives, communities, and even nations.** Throughout history, we've seen countless stories of how God's transformative grace has worked through the Gospel to bring renewal and restoration. But how does this happen on an individual, community, and national level?

### Transforming an Individual

**When the Gospel takes root in a person's heart, it brings about a complete transformation.** Consider the story of John Newton, the former slave trader who became a devout Christian and later wrote the beloved hymn Amazing Grace. Newton's life was marked by violence and sin until he encountered the Gospel and was convicted of his need for God's forgiveness. His heart was changed, and he devoted the rest of his life to abolishing slavery and serving others. This striking example of the Gospel's power is a modern-day reflection of the Apostle Paul's encounter with Christ on the road to Damascus (Acts 9:1-19). When individuals come to Christ, the old life is gone, and they are made new in His grace.

### Transforming a Community

**The Gospel doesn't just change individuals; it has the power to transform entire communities.** A striking example of this can be found in the Welsh Revival of 1904-1905, where the preaching of the Gospel led to widespread repentance and renewal. Bars closed, crime rates dropped, and people were reconciled with one another. The change was so profound that local police had little to do because of the newfound peace. This mirrors what happened in the early church when entire communities of believers came together, sharing everything in common and caring for the needs of others (Acts 2:42-47). The Gospel unites people, bringing healing and restoration to fractured communities.

### Transforming a Nation

**Nations, too, can be transformed when the Gospel is embraced on a larger scale.** Take the example of South Korea. In the early 20th

century, it was a country ravaged by war and poverty. However, through the spread of the Gospel and the rise of the Christian faith, South Korea has experienced profound spiritual and societal changes. Today, it is known for sending missionaries around the world and for its vibrant church community. This is reminiscent of the way Nineveh was spared in the book of Jonah when its people, from the king down to the lowest citizen, repented of their sins (Jonah 3). When nations turn to God, they can experience renewal and prosperity under His guidance.

### The Mission Field Awaits

**The Gospel's power to transform is not confined to history—it is alive and active today.** As Christians, we are called to be messengers of this life-changing news. Global missions continue to be a crucial way to bring the Gospel to the world, spreading the Kingdom of God and saving people from the bondage of sin. Jesus commanded us to "go and make disciples of all nations" (Matthew 28:19), and **the world is still in desperate need of this good news.**

### Partnering with GlobalOne80

For nearly a decade, GlobalOne80 has been helping missionaries take the Gospel to the ends of the earth. **By partnering with missionaries and supporting their efforts through funding and resources, GlobalOne80 has been part of life-changing mission work in various parts of the world.** Your donation can make a difference in the lives of individuals, communities, and even nations by helping missionaries continue their work. **Consider supporting this cause and being part of the incredible transformation that the Gospel brings. Visit our website [globalone80.org](http://globalone80.org) and learn about all the initiatives around the world. Meet our leaders and discover the amazing work each one is doing.**

Let's work together to see God's Kingdom grow and lives transformed through the power of the Gospel.

**Christopher Curiel**  
Latino Mobilizer



## 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17

*"Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!"*

### NEEDS

- **Our brother Joaquin Vargas**, after a successful mission trip to Peru, **has been affected in his health.** We encourage you to join us in **praying for a speedy recovery** so that he can continue his work.
- **Ongoing Need: We need to raise \$6,000 a month for our ministry operations.** Help us pray and connect us with churches, individuals, organizations, and businesses that could provide some financial support for this need.



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### UPDATES

- **H and his team have organized groups and leaders that coordinate the International Region Forum,** and the International Region Team delegates other ministry work, activating other brethren in the region to participate in the leadership for the mobilization of the church.

**Their budget is currently at 20% and they need God to provide to be able to continue** advancing the work of the ministry that He has called them and granted them to carry out for His Glory. Also, for his and his wife's health

**SARA MARINA YPANAQUE**  
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### PRAYER REQUESTS

- **Sara thanks God for the opportunity to study at CILTA (<https://ciltaglobal.com/>),** a Bible translation, linguistics, and literacy program for Spanish speakers. Sara is currently in the middle of her training and upon completion will be much better able to continue serving on behalf of people without a Bible.

**Sara is grateful that you can join in prayer for understanding each course and financial support for tuition,** monthly fees for the second semester at CILTA, food supplies, monthly housing payment, and expenses to cover the upcoming mission field trip that is part of the training.

**For her health, especially for her eyes** and the spots that have appeared on her face, God be putting his hand in healing.

**Empowered Leaders** ➔ **Transformed Communities**

Thanks for your faithful support and prayers for us. On a journey together to transform communities with the Gospel of Jesus, one life at a time.