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KINGDOM LIFE NETWORK

Powerful Day Two of Encouragement, Training, & Ministry

The morning session for the 2013 Kingdom Life Network conference held at Grace Chapel in Elizabethtown, PA opened with worship led by Kaitlyn Hoeflein. Kaitlyn and her husband David just celebrated their one year wedding anniversary and they lead Faith Mountain Fellowship in northern PA.

Leonard Burkholder introduced Ouk Bunthoeun, leader of the Cambodian Church Association. His daughter translated and they shared their gratefulness for visa approval as it was most difficult to here to the conference. He shared through his translator stories of God working in the Cambodian region. The gospel goes forth when difficult times come. Whether it is a World Trade Center bombing or a Tsunami in Japan, people are awakened to the fact that they need God, they need the church, they need one another. Pastor Ouk came for ministry studies in 2003. He was tempted to stay in the USA as he was able to work part-time and earn \$60 per day whereas in Cambodia he was earning just \$20 per month. Yet God touched his heart to let go the desires for wealth and put it on his heart to go back. Today 47 churches have been started in the Cambodian region.

After years of preaching “the message”, God asked me to “become the message”.

- P.C. Alexander

Lawrence Chiles introduced P.C. Alexander, leader of PTL-India. The ministry recently brought all their 200+ full-time ministry workers and their families together to Coimbatore, in the southern region of India. Alex shared that 2013 has been a special year.

The Lord challenged him to go from being a messenger to being “the message”. God wants to restore people back into ministry. Be connectors of people ...may our final chapter be our finest and best chapter.

After a brief intermission, the conference closed out the morning with ministry reports, testimonies. Lou Gozslth of Destiny Ministries shared about Malta and Philippine connections, as well as state-side ministry opportunities. As someone said, “We go because of the lost coin ...the coin needs found ...and the coin has not lost its’ value.

Joseph Kamau brought greetings from the 100+ churches in Happy Church network in Kenya. He also shared a song off his first album! Much to the delight of the audience, Joseph sang the song “Jubilee Blessing” in his native Swahili language.

A short but powerful video highlighted the on-going work in India. Vision 2025 is to go beyond their borders and plant 10 churches in other countries.

Conference host Pastor Mel Weaver and his parents Luke & Edna all shared about the goodness of the Lord to bring them into relationship with other ministries.

E. Daniel Martin shared encouraging words from what God shared with him during a recent India trip ...the gospel must be preached to all regions. The KLN vision challenge was presented to each network to plant 2 new churches in the next year. He then brought Joseph Kamau and others back to the platform to close the service with lively worshipful dancing.

*God for some
reason has
determined to
reveal Himself
through earthen
vessels.
— Vaughn Martin*

The afternoon break-out sessions included:

21st century technology by John Madeira
Taking the gospel to Main Str. led by Dean Landis, Jim Miller, John Mitchell, Mel Weaver
Growing in maturity in Christ: Don Lamb, Pedro & Amy Vazquez, Peter Kirui, Lawrence Chiles
Hearts For Him: Eat, Pray, Love by Laura Viscome
Youth Sessions led by Emily Tomko
Children's ministry led by Dean Landis & Sally Shanor

For the second afternoon session, time was given for more ministry updates. These included Pastor Ouk of the Cambodia network of churches, Henry Buckwalter with Harvest Fellowship of Churches, introduced those present and brought greetings by power point to those that could not attend. Kurt Heisey shared about things happening in China and about the new work and challenges of getting TransformU off the ground in Westfield, PA. Bob

Gerhart then shared the vision and growth of AMEC with a power point presentation.

The evening session began with the Kenyan's leading ...or trying to lead the congregation in Kenyan dance. Emily Tomko from LifeGate church in E-town shared part of her recent journey; of getting free of anxiety and fear and how that total surrender has opened doors of opportunity to minister to people in unique times and places.

An extended time of worship followed which flowed right into special music from Elisa Martin from Belgium. Vaughn Martin brought the first part of the evening message, sharing on being free from the spirit of religion. It costs us everything to follow God's call. The spirit of comfort keeps us from our calling, and keeps our churches from its' calling. These are days where men and women are called to action. We must be on the move. Leaders must be on the move. Degrees, jobs, age, comfort ...all can keep us from action. Our focus is to hear God's will and do it.

John Harris from North Carolina shared some prophetic words and joined Vaughn in praying for people as the worship team led in song. Many people came forward for prayer, some lingering in late into the evening enjoying His Presence.

Website for "texting" response is: www.contest.vovoi.org

Registered attendance was approx. 125 people for the day sessions with many others joining for the evening sessions.

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