



LIVES CHANGED FAMILIES RESTORED COMMUNITIES STRENGTHENED

## PASTOR'S NOTES



*"In this the love of God was manifest towards us, that*

*God has sent His only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through Him." (1 John 4:9)*

Creation shows us God's omnipotent power and wisdom, but creation could not fully show God's Agape Love. When God saw us here in our death sentence because of sin, He decided to give us "The Greatest Agape Love Gift" ever given, Jesus Christ! ***"I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me." (Galatians 2:20)*** Many of us are in the habit of going to church, attending meetings, or listening to Bible studies, but we have to ask ourselves how much "Agape Love" do we express? This type of love comes from the "Knowledge Of God." It cannot be attained by flesh, but only by the Spirit. We need to be reminded of that from time to time or we start to think we can somehow obtain this "Knowledge" on our own, rather than understanding that it is because of what God has done that we might live through Him, and show that "Agape Love" to others.



God Bless!  
Pastor Gerry Brown



## TESTIMONY

My life was pretty good for my childhood. I didn't have the things that I wanted, but I sure was grateful for the things that I did. I decided to join a gang at the age of twelve. My dad and my six uncles were in the same gang, but now that I think about it, it was really dumb and pointless; I wasn't getting anywhere in life. I was involved in a lot of bad activities but never got caught. I'd always known that God was watching and taking care of me even in the bad things I was doing, including being shot and stabbed at the same time from a rival gang. They tried taking my life, but God didn't let that happen because my time wasn't up yet, and God had a better plan for me. When my life was spiraling downward fast I decided to reach out to Pastor Joaquin for help, and he told me about U-Turn For Christ. He sent me the link to call so that I could enroll myself, and I've been here at U-Turn For Christ ever since, and happier with my life. I thank the Lord for that, and also for getting me out of High Desert State Prison in Nevada for a crime that this time, I didn't do. I enjoy serving the Lord in any way that I can. God is making me a better version of myself, and a better dad for my baby boy. - Fernando



# MAKING A DIFFERENCE



## Philippines Mission 2022



“Declare His glory among the nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples!” (Psalm 96:3)



We are grateful for the many opportunities we are given to share the gospel of Jesus Christ throughout the world. One place we were able to visit this summer was the Philippines where U-Turn For Christ teams, along with other churches and ministries, helped those in need. Some of our team's activities included prison ministry, community outreaches, and visiting local schools. With each visit our teams were able to share the message of the gospel as those who had ears to hear accepted Christ into their hearts. Please pray for the work that is being done in the Philippines. For more information on how you can get involved, contact 951-943-7097.



### MOVING FORWARD



Opportunities to help us keep the ministry in motion..

- Our greatest need is prayer warriors. Men and woman who diligently lift this ministry to the Lord.
- Pray for God's provision and continual guidance and wisdom for the leadership
- We are in need of a 6ft fence for the men's property.

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