



**U-TURN
FOR CHRIST**

LIVES CHANGED
FAMILIES RESTORED
COMMUNITIES STRENGTHENED

EDITION

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“Command those who are rich in this present age not to be haughty, nor to trust in uncertain riches but in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. Let them do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to give, willing to share, storing up for themselves a good foundation for the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.” - 1 Timothy 6:17-19

PASTOR’S NOTES

The early church, as described in the Book of Acts, is a beautiful picture of the generosity of believers relaying how “they shared all things in common with one another.” The concept of sharing with those who are less fortunate has been prevalent in scripture from the beginning of mankind.

Proverbs 11:24 states, “There is one who scatters, yet increases more; and there is one who withholds more than is right, but it leads to poverty.”

This scripture, along with many others, points out the truth that all that God has given us is so we might, in turn, give to those in need. There is no greater feeling than knowing that you have helped someone who is truly in need.

Who in your life can you reach out to today, sharing your blessings and resources to make a positive impact on their situation?



Pastor Gerry Brown

TESTITOMNY FOR JESUS



ELENA

My name is Elena Garcia, and I'm 41 years old. I came to U-Turn For Christ to make some changes in my life. I was walking down a dark road in my hometown when I found myself crying out to God to save me. I had been in the dark for so long that I felt lost. Time and time again in my addiction, I would say that I needed to find myself again, that I needed my friends to shine the light so I could be found. Little did I know I was looking for God's light, which I could only receive by fully surrendering myself to Christ.

I had never known Jesus, nor did I have a close relationship where I was seeking the life that God intended for me. I was always living for myself. If I had any idea what it was like to live through Christ I would have made that choice a long time ago. I was such a mess, completely unaware that God had a love that is so profound and merciful, and that He had been waiting for me this whole time. I have survived the pit, and now I'm ready to claim Jesus!

My Lord is my light and my salvation. Psalm 27:1

DISASTER RELIEF

We want to extend our deepest gratitude to the brave firefighters, dedicated law enforcement personnel, and countless volunteers tirelessly working on the front lines. Their selflessness and commitment are inspiring. Thanks to the generous donations to our Disaster Relief Fund we have successfully provided meals including cheeseburgers, hot dogs, and a variety of snacks, to essential personnel and homeowners who have faced unimaginable losses.

We are incredibly thankful for the opportunity to serve the Altadena community and collaborate with remarkable organizations such as Calvary South OC, Calvary Chapel La Habra, Calvary Chapel Monrovia, Calvary Chapel Corona, Calvary Chapel Sweet Hills, and Blue Tape Ministries. Together, we have been able to pray for, feed, and connect with some of the first responders who have been working around the clock to protect life and property. Additionally, we have reached out to assist homeowners in need, offering them a helping hand during this trying period.

As we continue our efforts, we humbly ask for your prayers for all those affected by the California wildfires, as well for the brave firefighters and first responders who are risking their lives to keep us safe.

If you would like to support the ongoing relief efforts, please consider sending your donations marked "Disaster Relief" to U-Turn for Christ at 20170 Patterson Ave., Perris, CA 92570. You can also contribute via PayPal at <https://www.paypal.com/paypalme/uturnforchrist>, or feel free to contact our office at (951) 943-7097 for more information. Thank you for your unwavering support during this crisis. Together, we can make a positive impact on the lives of those affected. God bless you all.



Opportunities to help us keep the ministry in motion...

- Our greatest need is prayer warriors. Men and women who dilligently lift this ministry to the Lord.
- We are in constant need of hygiene products, tooth-paste, soap and toilet paper.
- Shovels, rakes, tables, chairs, etc.
- Video cameras, cameras, audio equip.
- We are in need of new vehicles to transport the men and women.

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