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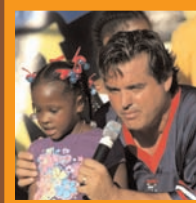
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A REASON TO BE THANKFUL

November 2008

Dear Friend,

Each year during the holidays, our family finds themselves on their knees giving thanks and praising God. And, having just completed WOW JAMS in New Orleans, our focus on the blessings of ministry is even clearer.

We think that you will be encouraged as you read the enclosed report from the final WOW JAMS of 2008.

This Thanksgiving, we prayerfully reflect on the incredible blessings we witnessed through the ministry of WOW International in 2008:

- 11,372 salvations at our WOW JAMS.
- Over 88,000 heard the message of hope that is found in Christ.
- Over 4,000 volunteers ministered with our WOW staff and crew.
- 300 churches, in more than 30 cities, dedicated themselves to urban outreach and ministry.

You have been a part of all of this and we thank God for you. Our entire team is blessed by your commitment to evangelism, your prayer and financial support and your vision for people in the inner cities. Thank you.

Each year, at this time, we also give prayerful concern to our ministry's finances. We need to end 2008 in good financial standing, and we are trusting the Lord for enough gifts to sustain us through the first few months of 2009. But our goal for October-December is challenging. Please take a look at the article, on the next page, and consider how you might help.

The entire WOW team joins us in wishing God's grace and blessing as you celebrate Thanksgiving and the birth of our Savior.

God Bless You,

Stephen and Linda Tavani
(Founders)



*We ended the year with a bang with
7 WOW JAMS in New Orleans.*



*Over 1,900 people accepted Jesus
at the WOW JAMS.*



MISSION WEEK 2009

Come join us for evangelism training and hands-on ministry experience that will change your life and the lives of many hurting and broken people!

NEW ORLEANS: MARCH 23-29

LOS ANGELES: JUNE 20-29

New York: July 25-Aug. 3

Oakland: July 13-20

As a Mission Week Intern you will learn:

- fundamentals of urban evangelism
- cutting edge outreach strategies
- how to overcome cultural barriers
- follow-up principles
- dynamic ways churches can partner in ministry



Go to www.wowjam.com for details.

How to Partner with WOW

1. VOLUNTEER FOR AN EVENT; REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.WOWJAM.COM
2. DONATE ONLINE AT WWW.WOWJAM.COM
3. CALL OUR OFFICE AT (626) 296-8800 TO SET-UP A RECURRING CREDIT CARD DONATION
4. SEND FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO WOW AT 2060 LINCOLN AVE., PASADENA, CA 91103

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NEW ORLEANS REPORT:

As soon as the WOW truck pulled up for the first of 7 WOW JAMS, in the New Orleans area, a woman came running up to Kathy, our national coordinator, wanting to know where the man was who had prayed for her last year at the WOW JAM – she was looking for Stephen.

A year ago, this lady was a crack addict, weighed 98 pounds and her life was a mess; but, when Stephen called her on the stage at the WOW JAM, to pray for her, she accepted Jesus and she was delivered! Today, a year later, she remains free from drug and alcohol use and has not missed a day of church. She has gained 40 pounds and testifies to everyone about her life change.

This was only the first great story from our phenomenal week of ministry as over 1,900 people received Jesus. To read more, go to our website!

FALL FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN GOAL: \$191,000

At this time each year we trust God for gifts to end the year without debt and to sustain the WOW ministry through the first few months of the next year. Below is a breakdown of monthly totals needed to reach our goal. Thank you for standing with us; we will keep you updated.

	October	November	December	Total
Gift Need:	\$50,000	\$60,000	\$81,000	\$191,000

Preview of 2009

New Orleans	Mar. 25 - Apr. 5
Central Valley	Apr. 28 - May 3
Pomona	May 14 - May 17
LA/Long Beach	June 20-29
Oakland	July 13-20
Upstate NY	July 22-25
NYC	July 25 - Aug. 3
New Orleans W.	Oct. 15-18
New Orleans E.	Oct. 22-25