



"Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit, says the Lord of hosts." Zechariah 4:6 For 26 years, The Joshua Generation International Network has traveled worldwide, delivering the Good News, ministering to and inspiring government leaders, business professionals, churches and a multitude of nations "to inherit their land" ...



"... So now arise... go over this Jordan, you and all this people into the land which | am giving to them, the |sraelites. Every place upon which the sole of your foot shall tread, that | have given you, as | promised Moses... no man shall be able to stand before you all the days of your life. As | was with Moses, so | will be with you: | will not fail nor forsake you. Be strong (confident) and of good courage, for you shall *cause* this people to inherit the land which | swore to their fathers to give them. Only be strong and be courageous, that you may do according to all the law which Moses My servant commanded you. Turn not from it to the right hand or to the left that you may prosper wherever you go."

Joshua 1:1-7 (Amplified version)



### WHAT IS THE JOSHUA GENERATION INTERNATIONAL NETWORK?

The Joshua Generation International Network was launched to be the "cause" catalyst for God's people to possess the fullness of their inheritance in Christ. Inspired by Joshua 1:6, this means winning souls, discipling them, and training them to be effective soldiers in God's Kingdom via:

- Focus on prayer and intercessory ministry,
- Focus on reaching and ministering to the family as a unit,
- Focus on the younger generation of business and professional people,
- Focus on the youth of the nation (high school and college) to reach and prepare them for future leadership

Just as Joshua had to pick up the "baton" when Moses climbed Mt. Nebo and was taken home by the Lord, Jose and Joyce Pascua caught sight of the vision that God had in mind from the beginning of time- "that no man shall perish."



# **OUR VISION**

To fulfill the Great Commission in our generation and to glorify the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.



## MISSION STATEMENT

To be the leading catalyst in fulfilling the Great Commission of today's generation through its government, business and church leaders, obeying God's Word and providing spiritual insight for success according to scripture.



## MISSION STRATEGY

This commission is fulfilled in our three-fold mission according to scripture.

	Make disciples of all the nations Teach them the Word of God	"And Jesus came and spoke to them, say- ing, 'All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and <b>make disciples</b> of all the nations, baptiz- ing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <b>teaching</b> <b>them</b> to observe all things that I have com- manded you; and lo, I am with you always even to the end of the age.' Amen." Matthew 28:18-20
3.	Be a Witness (Ambassador) for the Kingdom of God	"But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be <b>witnesses</b> to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth. Acts 1:8
		" that I might be a minister of Jesus Christ to the Gentiles, ministering the gos- pel of God, that the offering of the Gentiles might be acceptable, sanctified by the Holy Spirit."
		Romans 15:16

And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature."

Mark 16:15





#### The beginning

 $\mathcal{Y}\mathcal{N}$  1988, Jose and Joyce started with a dozen or so people and gathered for allday prayer meetings the last Saturday of each month. As they fasted and prayed for God to speak to them, they called on the Holy Spirit to pray through them. Such times became great moments in the early beginnings of The Joshua Generation International Network. The prayer meetings continued for six months, leading to the network's inauguration at The Red Lion Inn in Costa Mesa, California on September 9, 1988. Jose invited everyone that came to mind and, to great surprise, 250 people attended the dinner. One of those he invited was an unknown political candidate by the name of Christopher Cox, who became a congressman for the 40th district in California and, in 2005, was appointed Chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission. Mr. Cox gave his testimony for the first time in public of a miraculous healing he received after three businessmen prayed for him in a hospital located in Honolulu, Hawaii. He was in a one-person car accident in which his jeep rolled over in a very isolated area. Amazingly three women were walking through the area and found him.



JOSHUA GENERATION'S FIRST PRAYER GROUP



PRAYING FOR CHRISTOPHER COX



### THE FIRST OUTREACH



first attempt "to do great things for God" was conducting a youth outreach at Knott's Berry Farm theme park in Buena Park, California. With the help of young people from a local church, event fliers were distributed and the response was tremendousover 1,500 young people participated! Jeff Fenholt, a brand new believer, share his testimony of his great salvation from drugs and alcohol. (Jeff is most noted for his performance as the title character in the Broadway theatre adaptation of "Jesus Christ Superstar".) Many accepted Christ as their personal Savior that evening.

Every step taken was a step of faith, believing that God would provide. When the event invoice was received, it was overwhelming! However, Jose and Joyce's confidence was in the Lord and His promise that "those who trust in Him will never be put to shame." A couple of days later, they received a phone call from Ken Smuland, a friend they had not seen in a while. Ken invited Jose and Joyce to go out for dinner. On the way to the restaurant, Ken pulled a check from his shirt pocket and handed it to Joyce, and said, "I'm sorry. I meant to give you this a long time ago." It was the exact amount needed to pay the event bill.

Surely we serve a mighty God. This became the pattern of how the Joshua Generation operated and serviced God's Kingdom. Serving Him His way and trusting Him to provide His projects in His own way.

The Joshua Generation has walked hand-in-hand with other ministries, navigating the "torrents" of their own "Jordan Rivers."





#### CHINA

Danny Yu, Founder of Educational Services Exchange With China (ESEC), invited Jose to be the chaplain for the American teachers who were teaching in the different universities in China. Jose traveled from Harbin (Northern China) to Nanning (Southern China) and ministered to the teachers and their Chinese counterparts.

In 2001, the Chinese government and The Foreign Experts Bureau assembled at the Great Hall Of The People (in Beijing), and honored Dr. Yu for the great contributions he made. In twenty years, 100,000 graduated from all the different programs that ESEC offered. The Joshua Generation was a part of the team that joined Dr. Yu in the celebration dinner.





20TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF ESEC, GREAT HALL OF THE PEOPLE (BEIJING)





### THE FORMER U.S.S.R.

April 1991, a ministry invited the Joshua Generation to help establish a youth ministry in the former Soviet Union. And help they did. Jose and Joyce were the hands that put together the parts and pieces of the project, the feet that walked the land and traveled to the different Republics, and the heart that understood the difficult circumstance of the Russian people.

Like Joshua, Jose and Joyce led a group of young people and seized an opportunity at Red Square to minister, worship, pray and proclaim that God's power would allow them to possess their nation for the glory of God. The group not only attracted spectators, it also captured the concern of a Soviet police officer. With boldness and courage, Jose shared with the officer the Joshua Generation's purpose to bless his country. After praying with him, the officer granted the group more time to pray and minister in front of St. Basil's Cathedral.





On Christmas Day 1991, the Soviet flag was lowered over the Kremlin for the last time. The Soviet Union had collapsed and the Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) was formed, paving the way towards religious freedom for Christians and new believers. God honored His Word that "in the last days He will pour out His Spirit upon all flesh." Jose and Joyce saw first-hand hundreds and hundreds of university students come to know the Lord as their personal Savior. Many of them now are respected and responsible leaders, spread out all over the former Soviet Union.





#### RUSSIA

In September 1992, The Joshua Generation pursued a most daring venture called "Prayers For Russia". The objective was to bring together the leaders in government, business people, religious leaders, professionals, educators and leaders in all sectors of society. Leaders from other nations were also invited and among them, two parliamentarians from Finland participated. That bold step of faith made history for the believers in the former Soviet Union and the rest of the world. The Joshua Generation was the first Christian group and the first non-communist organization to be given the permission to use the President's Hotel, formerly the headquarters of the Communist Party. Many of those who came from other countries were first-timers. They were amazed when they saw the expressions of love, including the high office of the Russian Orthodox Church. It was common to hear the question, "Why did it take you so long to come?" Often tears were seen streaming down the bearded faces of these Russian Orthodox priests.





Claus Philippin, a Joshua Generation friend from Germany, broke the ice one day when he asked, on behalf of his German countrymen, forgiveness from the Russians. Then those who came from England, Australia and other countries followed suit. A Finnish lady, with all the courage she could muster, asked the Russians to forgive her for hating them. Her father was killed during a conflict between Finland and bordering Russian towns. Joyce could not recall a day when she saw tears flowing like a river in a room full of international delegates. It was a time of spiritual healing for the body of Christ who came together to *pray for Russia*.



#### RUSSIA (CONTINUED)

and Joyce met a young man by the name of Yuri Shamilov. He let them know right away that he was an atheist and a communist. Upon that honest introduction, Jose responded that God had no problems with atheists or communists. Over a short period of time, Yuri accepted the Lord into his heart and life. He later shared with Jose and Joyce his heart's desire and dream– to establish a school that would train the youth for future leadership. At that time, all that anyone in the Soviet Union could do was dream, as dreams are free. Jose and Joyce encouraged Yuri, and Jose told Yuri, "With God, all things are possible." And Yuri believed.





In 1998, The Joshua Generation was invited by Yuri to come to Moscow for the celebration and dedication of the school he dreamed of– Moscow Economic School. The cost for its completion was \$21 million dollars. When Jose asked Yuri, "How did you do it?", Yuri's reply was, "Jose, don't you believe in your prayers?"

In 2001, The Joshua Generation went back to Russia to take part in another day of celebration and dedication—this time for the opening of a second school, worth \$8 million dollars. A third school is slated for completion and opening in the near future as well.





JOSE AND DMITRY MEDVEDEV, 2001. MEDVEDEV BECAME PRESIDENT OF RUSSIA IN 2008.

Yuri was a young atheist when Jose and Joyce met him. Years later God has blessed him by fulfilling his dream and today his school is known internationally. Within three years, the school was given a place in the International Baccalaureate Program, a highly prestigious organization in the field of education.

The Joshua Generation is a witness to the miraculous answers to the prayers of faith.

#### CUBA



JOSE MEETS RAMON CASTRO, ELDER BROTHER OF FIDEL CASTRO

November 21, 1993, The Joshua Generation boarded a Bolivian Airlines in Miami bound for Havana, Cuba. An hour later they descended the stairs of the plane into the bright sunlight on Cuban soil. Their host, Pastor Enrique Pedrosa of the Santiago De Las Vegas Nazarene Church, greeted them. Jose and Joyce spoke and ministered in several churches, rejoicing with the believers and seeing many come into a personal knowledge of Jesus Christ as they had the opportunity to pray with them.

By God's divine appointment, Jose and Joyce met Ramon Castro, the elder brother of Fidel Castro. God gave them favor to visit the Minister of Religious Affairs and prayed with him in the offices of the *Plaza de la Revolucion*. They encouraged church leaders to pray for their leaders, especially those in government.

Never did the network dream that such a step of obedience among God's people would help *cause* one of the greatest rivals they have ever witnessed yet anywhere in the world. In June 1999, Fidel Castro allowed the evangelicals of Cuba to celebrate their faith for several weeks. Christians worshiped, prayed and preached in public auditoriums and stadiums all over Cuba.

#### DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO

**Che** Joshua Generation has witnessed changes that transpired in many countries where the Lord has sent them. Some have already changed names. God has given the network great favor to minister to the highest officials in the land.

In Kinshasa (what was Zaire at the time), a dinner meeting was held in the lobby of the Parliament building; it was the only place that could accommodate 2,500 guests. A few months later, the government collapsed and a new one emerged, changing the name of the country to The Democratic Republic of Congo.

It is great wisdom to obey when the Lord commands you to *go and make disciples among the nations.* 











#### TONGA



"God and Tonga are my Inheritance". This is the national motto that is inscribed on the national seal of The Kingdom of Tonga. Quite an impressive declaration. "Where in the world is the Kingdom of Tonga?" is an often asked question. It is an island kingdom "where time begins", located in the South Pacific, along the Tropic of Capricorn and the International Dateline. Tonga can be described as one of God's fresh springs in the South Pacific, its living waters ready to spring forth and bring spiritual life and revival to the islands of the seas. She has a history of spiritual visitations dating back to the mid-1800's, "when people received a heavenly downpour and visitation of the Holy Spirit, transforming lives and a book of Acts demonstration of people speaking in a language they never learned, 'as the Holy Spirit game them utterance'; where life and joy became contagious as signs and wonders accompanied the preaching of the good news of Jesus Christ."



Joshua Generation was welcomed by His Majesty, King Topou IV at the Royal Palace in Nuku'alofa, Tonga. A year later, the first Joshua Generation Leaders Summit in Tonga was held at the invitation of Pastor Isileli and Eveline Taukulo.



JOSE WITH PASTOR ISILELI AND HIS SON, GERHARD



JOSHUA GENERATION LEADERS SUMMIT, KINGDOM OF TONGA



#### RWANDA





September 2000, The Joshua Generation responded to a plea to go to Washington, D.C., and help raise funds for the orphans of Rwanda. They did not have any idea that by doing so, it would link them to the government leaders of that nation. That December, The Joshua Generation hosted a dinner for government, church and business leaders as well as working professionals in Kigali, Rwanda's capital city. As a gift from friends in America, every government official was given a Bible with their name engraved. Throughout the meeting the Holy Spirit moved and after Jose spoke, everyone had tears in their eyes as they responded to the touch of the Holy Spirit.

God touched has the nation of Rwanda in a mighty way. The government has re-built a solid infrastructure and the country has re-developed rapidly- politically, economically and more. Rwanda is now also recognized as the most uncorrupted nation on the African continent.



JOSE AND MR. PAUL KAGAME, PRESIDENT OF RWANDA



#### GABON

you realize that when you came to Libreville, your ministry would spark a revival here in Gabon?" A pastor posed this question when the network visited Gabon in 2001. 16 years earlier, he was just a teenager who thought that revival came by standing on a chair and preaching the Word. He saw Jose do it and he copied what he observed. The reason Jose did it was because he was shorter than everyone else.

Years later Pastor Francis Mbadinga realized that the Holy Spirit could speak through him without the necessity of standing on a chair. While God has a tremendous sense of humor, God has also used Pastor Mbandinga to establish a big congregation.





JOSE, SERGE DIVOUNGUY, VICE-PRESIDENT DIVUNGI DIJOB NDINGE AND MADAME VERONIQUE



During their first Gabon trip in 1985, Jose and Joyce met a young airline pilot by the name of Serge Divounguy and his lovely wife, Angel. He was a new believer and very hungry to know more about Jesus. After Jose and Joyce left Gabon, they did not see him again until the second Leaders Summit, which was held in Houston. Texas in 2000. In the years between, Jose and Joyce did not know where the Lord would lead Serge and his family. Serge led his uncle and aunt to the Lord Jesus, unaware that his uncle would one day become the Vice-President of Gabon. And Serge did not know that he, too, would one day have a key promotion. When Serge arrived to the Leaders Summit in Houston, he came with a prayer request- he asked the network to pray that he would be given the position he applied for at the United Nations. Today Serge is the Chief of Air Operations for the United Nations and another testimony of God's faithfulness.



#### NEPAL

JNB Joshua Generation and Hosanna Church of Kathmandu sponsored an outreach dinner in September 2007. In attendance were nearly 150 government officials and Madame Sujata Koirala, a member of Parliament, was the featured guest of the event. During her speech, Madama Sujata stated that Christianity was the fastest growing religion in Nepal. Such a public pronouncement may have been the spark that kindled the government's decision that December to recognize Christmas as a public holiday. This is the first time in the country's history that Christmas Day was celebrated as a Holy Day/holiday. The Christian church and its believers in Nepal are rejoicing today in the grace and mercy of God for His faithfulness.



JOSE AND THE HONORABLE MADAME SUJATA KOIRALA



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Zecharíah 4:6



## WHAT GOD IS DOING...



The Joshua Generation exists for the purpose of fulfilling the Great Commission in our generation and to glorify the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, making a difference in transforming lives through worldwide Gospel outreach, Christian discipleship and Christian Leadership Training in the power and leadership of the Holy Spirit.

#### **TRANSFORMING LIVES**

#### WORLDWIDE GOSPEL OUTREACH

• In the current year, The Joshua Generation has traveled to several countries, including Canada, The United Kingdom, Cameroon and Gabon

#### CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

• The Joshua Generation launched The Joshua Generation International Fellowship in June, a local fellowship group that meets in Spring, Texas

#### CHRISTIAN LEADERSHIP TRAINING

• The 9th Annual Global Leaders Summit was held in Cypress, Texas, June 24-28, 2008. 13 nations were represented and among the distinguished guests, ministers, and Christian business people, The Honorable Madame Sujata Koirala traveled from Nepal to be in attendance.

### WHAT GOD IS DOING ...



#### CAMEROON



The Lord granted the team favor wherever they traveled. At the conclusion of every meeting with a government minister, secretary general or attaché, they were allowed to pray and speak blessings over each respective ministry department, as well its leaders and personnel. After the ten-day trip, The Joshua Generation is prayerful and excited to see what God has in store for Cameroon in the near future. **Sprited** by Apostle Albert Itombou, The Joshua Generation traveled to Cameroon in September 2008. The Lord opened doors for the five-man team to meet a multitude of ministry department leaders, including the Ministries of Industry, Mining and Technology, Ministry of Transportation, Ministry of Finance, Ministry of Public Works, Ministry of Telecommunications, to name a few. The weeklong schedule of government meetings concluded when The Joshua Generation met with the Prime Minister of Cameroon, The Honorable Ephraim Inoni. After understanding the purpose of the Joshua Generation's visit to his country, Prime Minister Inoni was very receptive and encouraged by what was presented to him. He then shared that his desire was to see Cameroon become a business destination for the world.





THE JOSHUA GENERATION TEAM AND PRIME MINISTER EPHRAIM INONI

### WHAT GOD IS DOING...



#### GABON

Cameroon, The Joshua Generation then traveled to Libreville, Gabon. Received by long-time friend and network partner Serge Divounguy, The Joshua Generation was given the opportunity to meet with a few government department heads (e.g., Ministry of Education, Ministry of Foreign Affairs), to participate in a pastoral leadership conference, as well as preach and minister in several local area churches. Prior to the team's return to the United States, the team spent time visiting and praying with Vice-President Divungi and Madame Veronique at their residence.





The Lord continues to demonstrate His goodness and faithfulness in Gabon. Pastor Francis Mbadinga's congregation is in the process of completing a Cathedral of Faith, a sanctuary and church life center that will have a powerful impact in the outreach of Libreville and beyond.



AT THE HOME OF VICE-PRESIDENT DIVUNGI AND MADAME VERONIQUE

"And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also."

 $\parallel$ Tímothy 2:2



# ARE YOU INVESTING IN THE GREAT COMMISSION?

Be a partner with The Joshua Generation and fulfill the Great Commission in our generation and glorify the name of the Lord Jesus Christ:

- The Joshua Generation has now traveled and ministered to over 80 countries (Cameroon recently became the 84th country visited)
- Well-established worldwide network of Christian ministries, government and business relationships for the purpose of winning nations for God
- On-going monthly training and ministering to leaders on a local, national, and international basis throughout the year
- Opportunities to participate and minister directly on international airlifts

