### **HOLMAN FAMILY!**





Look at that number.

Now look at it again.

Three hundred and eight.

That is how many young people professed faith in Christ at our kid's camp 2024!

The vast majority of these children come from Islamic villages and/or animistic backgrounds. We estimated over 90% of the kids who attended the camp were from these two environments.

Let this sink in for just a moment. I think the gravity and the greatness of it is lost on us unless we stop and meditate.

There is a soul. God describes them as in bondage to sin and satan. We see they are without hope. Apart from a miracle of God, they are dead in

their trespasses and sins. They are children of wrath and will spend eternity separated from God in hell.

"But God." Two of my favorite words. But God stepped in and now these children are His children. They are washed, forgiven, and justified in Christ. He is their hope. Now, they can live a life of purpose and when it is over, spend eternity with their Savior.

308 people changed their eternal destination, exchanging hell for heaven and death for life. You were a part of it. Your prayers, and your financial support are how we were able to bring so many children in from the villages to hear about Jesus' love for four days! Thank you!

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JOE PREACHED THE GOSPEL EVERY DAY. HE USED A LOT OF OBJECT ILLUSTRATIONS TO HOLD ATTENTION. LOOK AT THEIR FACES.

DENISE HELPING REGISTER THE OVER 550 WHO CAME.

PATIENCE PREPPING FOR CRAFTS. SOME OF THE KIDS USED GLUE FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THEIR LIVES.

JOE AND DENISE PROBLEM SOLVING

MERCY LED ONE OF THE CRAFT STATIONS









PATIENCE USING CRAFTS TO SHARE GOSPEL

OUR BEDS ARRIVED

DENISE PASSING OUT CAMP SHIRTS

MERCY SHARING GOSPEL

KIDS PRAYING TO RECEIVE CHRIST







2024 KIDS CAMP

JUMP ROPE BROUGHT SO MUCH JOY

WE GAVE THEM THREE MEALS/DAY, UNHEARD OF IN THE VILLAGE

GOD SOMEHOW MULTIPLIED OUR MEAGER SUPPLIES.

THE GIRLS PREPPING FOR GAMES





THE NEXT TWO PAGES ARE WHAT I CALL "FACES OF THE CAMP". I HOPE YOU WILL DO SOMETHING FOR ME, FOR THEM, AND FOR THE KINGDOM OF GOD.

TAKE A MOMENT AND LOOK AT THESE 11 PHOTOS I JUST RANDOMLY SELECTED (EXCEPT THE LAST ONE) TO PUT IN HERE.

EACH FACE IS A PERSON WITH A STORY BEING WRITTEN. THEY ARE LOVED BY GOD. THEIR LIVES ARE SO, SO, HARD.

TAKE A FEW MOMENTS AND PRAY FOR EACH ONE







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### **ROI**

The 14 year old man looked into the eyes of his camp counselor. In the morning session I shared the gospel and challenged, invited, and admonished people to come to Christ. He was worried. His village was traditional and if he gave his life to Christ there could be severe repercussions.

His counselor, who experienced the latter when he converted to Jesus, understood the young man's struggle and spoke to it. After a short conversation, the teenager asked Christ into his life as his Lord and Savior.

This is just one of the hundreds of stories we encounter here in West Africa. Jesus loves muslims and so do we. Jesus loves idol worshippers and so do we.

God is working and hundreds of people are coming to Christ through our ministries. One of the things I would like to ask you to consider is joining us in the work. Bottom line is simple: Ministry takes money.

As you seek to make the most of your money and use it wisely for God's glory, consider what a Missions Pastor told me this week. He said, "We did the math. On average, one person comes to Jesus for every \$40 our church gives to missions."

Can you think of a better use of your finances than winning souls? Please pray about joining our financial partners. Your financial support enables us to fulfill the Great Commission. Listen, If you ain't going, then be sending!



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