

HIS POWER AT WORK

Ephesians 3:20

Kristian Perdomo, missionary in San Pedro Sula, Honduras

Thank you for supporting the ministry the Lord has entrusted me to do with World Reach. I'm excited to share with you what the last few months have been like, as well as how you can continue to pray for the work He is doing here in Honduras.

Transitions, transitions...

During this time, the Lord has taught me a lot by bringing changes into my life. Change is not always easy, but it's always good when it's part of God's plan. Here are some of the transitions I've had in the last 2-3 months:

Work Transition

Starting on May 1st, I've been officially working full time with World Reach after 3 and a half years of working in my local church's social outreach ministry. It has been a big change, but I'm finding the rhythm of the new routine, and it's been so fulfilling to be doing what the Lord has called me to do.

Small Group Transition

For the last 6 years, I was a part of a young adults small group, of which I became a leader 4 years ago. The church recently underwent some changes in the life groups, so I was asked to move to a new small group where I'm leading mostly teenagers. I've been in this group since the start of April, and one of the things I was told before joining was that it was going to be difficult because it meant working with teenagers. Although it has been a challenge, getting to know everyone and ministering to them has been wonderful, and has felt like a joy more than a challenge. The Lord is certainly working within the group, and I'm very excited to be a part of it.

Strategic Planning



The team discussing the World Reach Honduras Strategic Plan while on a trip in Santa Rosa de Copán.

The first opportunity to apply my profession to ministry work came just weeks after my graduation. The World Reach team in Honduras was invited by a church on the west of the country to teach their leaders about the importance of the Bible. The team decided to utilize the trip and have a meeting to design a strategic plan, and I was asked to lead this time.

I was humbled and thankful for the trust, and I started working on researching some of the best practices for designing a strategic plan, as well as on a material to guide our conversation. I was equally nervous and excited about it, but the Lord gave us a great time, productive conversations, and good comments from the other members of the team. Praise the Lord!

Professional Transition

Last year, I studied for my master's in Organizational Leadership. It was one of the best experiences of my life, as well as something the Lord used to open my mind to new ministry possibilities, and show me His will for my life.

On May 11th - 14th, I took a trip to Guatemala with my parents (and fellow World Reach Missionaries), Alan and Dorys Perdomo, and my girlfriend, Marcela Suazo, for my master's graduation (sadly, my younger sister, Kyrien, wasn't able to join us). This trip was a great time to get closure on the amazing experience, and to thank and praise God for what He allowed me to learn, as well as for His provision throughout the year I was studying.



Graduation day in Guatemala. Click or scan the QR code on page 2 to see more pictures.

New Drama Structure

These last few months, I've been working on developing the new structure for Light on High, my local church's drama ministry. This structure is made up of 4 teams: Actors, Directors, Writers and Producers (people who help with technical aspects such as props, scenery, makeup, costumes and sound effects). We've done one sketch and one small play with this new structure so far, and we are working on four that will be part of a series the church is doing on parables.

Easter Special Play

We told the story of Jesus' ministry, death and resurrection from three points of view: Nicodemus, Simon of Cyrene (the man who carried Jesus' cross), and the group of women who went to the tomb on the day Jesus rose. All three stories were being told by an actor who was playing a small group leader talking to a group member in a coffee shop, and sharing the gospel with him by telling of each of the characters' encounters with Jesus. The play turned out wonderful, and the gospel was shared with the congregation and their guests.



Simon of Cyrene delivered a monologue while helping Jesus carry the cross.

Mother's Day Sketch



The character of the mother saying the Bible has been her refuge through the years.

Mother's Day is celebrated on the second Sunday in May here in Honduras. The day before that, there was a church service, and Light on High Ministry had the privilege of doing a sketch for the special occasion.

This sketch was a monologue of a mother reminiscing the different stages of motherhood throughout the years. It ended with the mother remembering that every time she felt overwhelmed, she could turn to the Bible for comfort and guidance from the Lord. It was heartwarming and encouraging.

QR Code

Click or scan this QR code to see some more pictures of the trips to Guatemala and Copán, the Easter play, the links to the videos of the sketch and play, and to the Leadership Under Construction podcast.



I'M THANKFUL BECAUSE:

- Changes in my life have been smooth, they all feel like pieces falling into place according to the Lord's plan.
- I feel at peace since I'm doing full time what the Lord has asked me to do, and what He has given me a passion for.
- I graduated with my Master's, culminating the effort of a very intensive 2022.
- The latest plays and sketches have been successful. The gospel has been shared, and the new structure has allowed for the people serving to be disciplined in a better way.

I ASK FOR YOUR PRAYERS FOR:

- Discipline to work every day in a way that is most productive and fruitful.
- Wisdom as the small group leadership team and myself plan out how to better minister to and disciple the teenagers during the following months. Pray that the Lord will work powerfully in the lives of everyone in the group.
- Wisdom for all the team organizing this year's youth camp with the local church (July 28-30). Pray that the students will understand the importance of sharing the gospel, and will have a passion for showing Jesus to others.
- Ways to hear stories of how Leadership Under Construction is being helpful to leaders.

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