

Gleanings For The Hungry Testimonies 2010

What a joy I experience hosting the wonderful people who read about the short term mission trip at Gleanings For the Hungry in the Significant Living magazine and committed to go and serve. Hearing the testimonies of the YWAM missionaries who serve at Gleanings as well as the long term and short term servants and experiencing the daily time of worship with these saints is just a taste of heaven. Sign up NOW to join us Feb. 6-11 OR March 20-25, 2011. These dates will soon be filled!

Rev. El Roy Pankow, Wilshire Ave. Community Church, Fullerton, CA

What an experience being at Gleanings for the Hungry has been this week! There's the keen awareness of God's awesome presence- beginning with the chapel times and carrying on throughout the day, whether digging weeds, mixing soup power seasoning, placing soup base in plastic bags, adding mix to the soup base, "burping" bags of soup mix or washing down an extremely dusty room. . . There's the fellowship of the believers, regardless of age or gender. There are such "sweet expressions on each face." My plan is to encourage many more to come here.

Pastor Mary - CA

We were initiated into the Gleanings for the Hungry ministry in March 2009 by filling barrels on the soup line. Our souls were enriched daily during the songs, sharing and prayer time. We signed up immediately to work for the March 2010 Significant Living week. Before we knew it, that time had arrived. Would we have to cancel? Carole was recovering from a foot injury. We soon learned Gleanings makes it possible for almost anyone to serve. Age and physical status are lovingly accommodated. Our week was spent serving in the kitchen (with sit down jobs for Carole). What wonderful fellowship that week afforded. Gleanings is the highlight of our year.

Russ & Carole - CA

. . . What a delightful trip and a joyous several days!! I was truly surprised and pleased with the facilities, the leadership and the program. There were many jobs and duties to perform, from painting houses, staining trellises, gardening and filling of the bags of the soup mix. We were told that the packages we filled one afternoon would feed 91,000 meals. It was a thrill to watch a fully loaded truck headed for Haiti leave the Gleanings center.

Doris - CA

Both of us have known the Lord from our youth. It is so easy to fall into a spiritual rut. Coming to a place like Gleanings shakes us out of our comfort zone. The deed and word ministry of Gleanings for the Hungry is clearly used by the Lord in a powerful way. Thank you from the heart!

Ed and Edna - CA

Gleanings for the Hungry gave me the opportunity to be a part of making a difference in the lives of those who are suffering after the earthquake in Haiti. Praying for the safe arrival of the container of soup mix was a moving experience. I was inspired and challenged in the chapel services to make the rest of my life count for Jesus Christ.

Nancy - CA

We spent a significant week on a mission trip to Gleanings for the Hungry. Our hearts thrilled as we heard the many stories and testimonies of how God chose to work in the lives committed to Him. They often brought tears to our eyes. We enjoyed helping the staff in support of the Global Outreach this ministry accomplishes through providing food to both the physically and spiritually hungry.

Frank and Fran - CA

This week has been an amazing time of inspiration, learning and drawing closer to God. I have been encouraged to trust Him more and to seek His leading in new directions. I want to say "YES" to whatever He has for me.

Lorraine - BC, Canada

What a special week at Gleanings for the Hungry, to see the ministry they have all over the world with their soups, dried fruit... We can hardly wait to get back home and tell others about this very special ministry--an opportunity for older believers to "finish strong" in their walk with the Lord.

Bruce & Kathie - Washington

... A week of wonderful fellowship with people from all over working together at a myriad of tasks. Some packed soup mix to be sent to starving people in the US and all over the world. Some gardened, some made quilts, some worked on drying beds for the fruit, but all worked with enthusiasm and smiles on their faces. The highlight for a lot of us was the sending off of a truck load with soup mix bound for Haiti. We all laid our hands on the truck and prayed for safety for the driver, truck and soup and for the soup to reach its destination. We rejoiced when we learned that the young man... had accepted Jesus before he left. What a blessing! Thank you, Jesus!!!

Pam - CA