461 WORDS, 180 SECONDS



SAMARITAN'S PURSE

As long as there's a need in the world, Samaritan's Purse wants to try to meet that need in JESUS' NAME. THERE ARE CURRENTLY HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF REFUGEES. THESE PEOPLE HAVE ABSOLUTELY NOTHING. THE NEEDS ARE JUST ABSOLUTELY OVERWHELMING. THESE FAMILIES ARE IN SHOCK. THEY'VE EXPERIENCED A LOT OF TRAUMA. THEY NEED MEDICINE, DOCTORS. THAT'S WHY SAMARITAN'S PURSE IS COMING. I WANT THE PEOPLE TO KNOW THAT WE LOVE THEM, THAT WE CARE FOR THEM, THAT GOD LOVES THEM. HAVING OUR VERY OWN FIELD HOSPITAL, WE WERE ABLE TO COME IN VERY, VERY QUICKLY TO PROVIDE MEDICAL CARE. THEY ARE HELPING IN MANY WAYS, PROVIDING WATER, FOOD, NUTRITION, SO MANY THINGS. SAMARITAN'S PURSE IS LIKE A GRACE OR A BLESSING FROM GOD. IT'S JUST AMAZING. IN THIRTY SECONDS EVERYTHING'S GONE, EVERYTHING YOU WORKED FOR YOUR WHOLE LIFE. FAMILIES ARE JUST OVERWHELMED AND WHEN THEY SEE VOLUNTEERS THAT ARE WILLING TO HELP, IT JUST LIGHTENS THEIR BURDEN. AT FIRST I WAS CRYING BECAUSE I WAS SO DESPERATE AND UPSET BUT NOW MY SPIRIT IS CRYING OUT OF JOY. THANK YOU AND THANK GOD. HERE AT OPERATION HEAL OUR PATRIOTS, WE ARE ABLE TO GIVE HOPE TO HURTING COUPLES. OPERATION HEAL OUR PATRIOTS, IT'S ABOUT HEALING THEM PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY, BUT MOST IMPORTANTLY, SPIRITUALLY. GOING FORWARD IS GOING TO MAKE US STRONGER AS A COUPLE AND IT'S GOING TO MAKE US STRONGER IN OUR FAITH. I WENT INTO MEDICINE BECAUSE I BELIEVE THAT MEDICINE IS A WAY TO LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF. WHEN I SEE THESE PATIENTS WHO WOULDN'T BE CARED FOR ANYWHERE ELSE, I KNOW I'M IN THE RIGHT PLACE. THIS HAS BEEN A GREAT TESTIMONY OF WHAT IT IS TO BE THE HANDS AND FEFT OF CHRIST. A LOT OF CHILDREN ARE BORN WITH CONGENITAL HEART DEFECTS AND IN MANY COUNTRIES, HEART SURGERY IS NOT AVAILABLE. WE JUST THANK GOD THAT WE HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY, THAT WE HAVE THE RESOURCES. IT REMINDS US ABOUT WHY WE WENT INTO MEDICINE. ONE BY ONE, WE CAN REALLY MAKE A TANGIBLE IMPACT. OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD IS A MINISTRY THAT THROUGH THE SIMPLE GIFT BRINGS THE LOVE OF GOD. THE CHILDREN RECEIVE THEIR GIFT BOXES WITH SUCH EXCITEMENT. YOU SEE IT ON THEIR FACES, WHEN THEY SMILE, IN THEIR EYES. I HAVE A GREAT ONE. WOO! YEAH, YES, YES. MANY OF THESE KIDS HAVE NEVER HAD A GIFT IN THEIR LIFE. IT MEANS EVERYTHING IN THE WORLD. I THINK THEY REALLY EXPERIENCED JESUS' LOVE TODAY. WE ARE MAKING DISCIPLES TO GO OUT AND DISCIPLE OTHERS. BUT GOD HAS CALLED US TO GO INTO THE WORLD AND TO CARE FOR THE DYING, TO CARE FOR THOSE THAT ARE SUFFERING. IT'S JUST WHAT WE DO. WE'RE ON A RESCUE MISSION AND WE'RE GOING IN JESUS' NAME.