

# BRINGING HOPE TO WAR ZONES



Pastor Gennady & Lloyd Cenaiko

“Together,  
we can defeat  
evil with good!”

—Pastor Gennady

Dear friends,

While the world's attention is focused on the plight of Syrian refugees, many have forgotten about Ukraine, which itself has over 1,500,000 internal refugees as a result of the war with Russia in Eastern Ukraine.

HART 'Partner-Churches' all across Ukraine are using this unique opportunity to share God's love with hurting people, many of whom have lost husbands, fathers, brothers and sons in this terrible, needless war.

They're leading the effort to care for and help refugees start their lives over. They're ministering to wounded soldiers in hospitals. And others, like **Pastor Gennady** risk their lives delivering food, water, clothing, and medical supplies to those living near the front lines.

The following are several excerpts from Gennady's journal as he shares his experiences bringing a message of hope and light to people living in a dark, horrific world.

“ The Lord has given us this great opportunity to minister to soldiers and civilians in towns and small cities close to the front lines. All these people need God, need our compassion and prayers. We saw today how the spirit of panic and fear completely left people after just a short.

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Praying with villagers and soldiers





time of prayer with them. We've seen how people in their despair and sorrow clutched our words like a lifeline. They received hope when we spoke to them about God's love.

These poor people, who are exhausted by grief, understand that in the current situation only God can help.

Friends, we are grateful that you are co-laboring with us! Thank you all for your prayers! **Only together can we defeat evil with good!**

—*These* people need us. Not only for the support we give them but almost more importantly as proof that they are important to someone and somebody still cares about them.

They share with me about their troubles, show us their injuries from shells, bruises and abrasions caused when hurtling themselves into pitch dark basements when the bombings start.

I believe that only God and the obedience to His laws and commandments will lead our country to peace and prosperity. Friends, pray, please, for these people! **Together, we will defeat evil with good!**

—*I have* noticed how serious the children are in these war zones. But when we give them bread, Christian literature, and pray for them, in the name of Jesus Christ, it seems glimmers of joy appear on their faces.

What these children desire most is for the bombing to stop so they would not have to always hide in basements.

They want to live in a country where they will not be afraid that their lives and the lives of loved ones may end suddenly because they do not have time to run to their shelters during the next bombings.

Friends, remember these children in your prayers, and let us pray together that God will give peace to our country Ukraine! **Together, we will defeat evil with good!**

—*The* most difficult moment of our ministry is when we're running out of bread. They come to us, and when we say that there is no more bread, some even try to smile while listening to our apologies.

But we tell people that we will come back to them. We will not leave them, and we will as always bring them bread,

the Word of God, our blessings and prayers. We will bring them hope in our Lord.

Friends, for this we need your prayers and financial support. Our ministry continues because of your support!

Thank you for this. To defeat the evil in our land, we can only do this with acts of compassion and the love of our Lord, and **together we will succeed!** ”

Gennady shared with us that each trip he makes to the front lines costs **\$300**. This includes gas and two vans filled with food, water, clothing, and hygiene products for distribution.

He recently mentioned that his old van is falling apart. Please pray about and consider assisting Gennady's ministry.

Thank you for your faithful support and prayers. May God bless you.

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THOUSANDS OF UKRAINIAN SOLDIERS SUFFERING FROM PTSD

# Military Chaplain PTSD Conference

HART hosted its first Military Chaplains Conference in Kyiv, Ukraine, in collaboration with Samaritan's Purse and the Billy Graham Association.

The conference was attended by 150 Chaplains, most of them currently working with soldiers at the front lines of the conflict in East Ukraine.

The war has left thousands of soldiers suffering from PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder) with little knowledge or treatment currently available in Ukraine for them. The purpose of the conference was to equip Chaplains with a greater understanding of PTSD and how to minister effectively with soldiers affected by it.

Our sincere thanks to the American team of instructors from North Carolina; Dr. David and Dr. Suzanne Mikkelson and Jeff Naber, who made this conference a life-changing experience for all who attended.

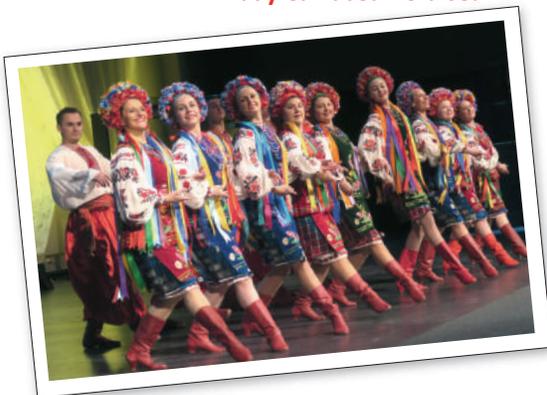


# Thanks!

Thanks to all the donors, sponsors, volunteers and attendees who made our 2016 Calgary Ukrainian Dinner & Auction a resounding success. Thousands of underprivileged children will be attending Summer camp programs in Ukraine and Moldova because of YOUR generosity!

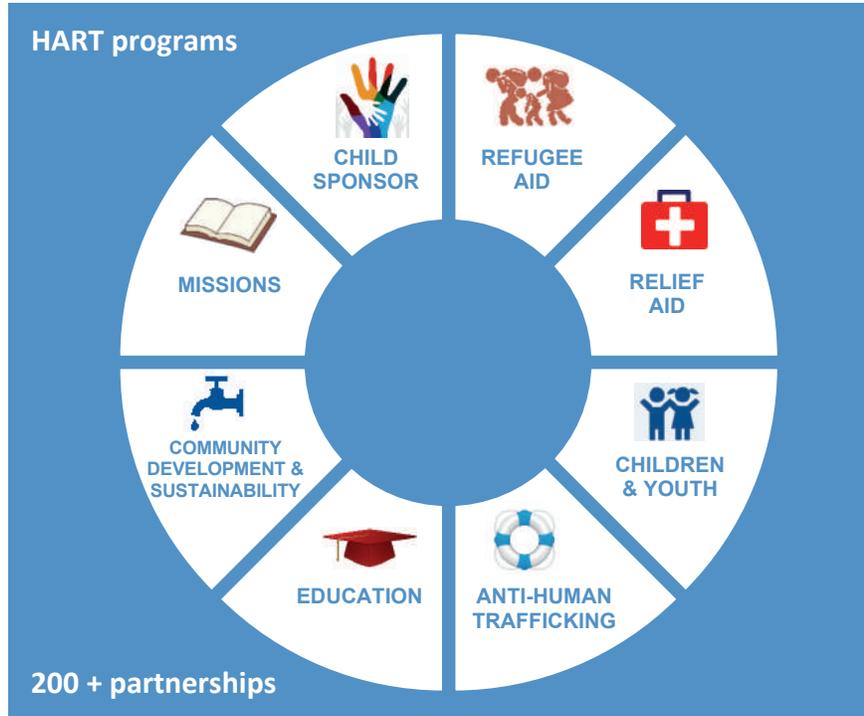


This year's Treasure Chest prize was a 7-day Caribbean Cruise!



# THOUSANDS ARE IMPACTED YEARLY BECAUSE OF YOUR SUPPORT

HART is dedicated to alleviating poverty and injustice in Eastern Europe, by working alongside local people, organizations and churches - giving **them** the tools to build a better world for **themselves**, their communities and their countries.



Thanks to people just like you, each year we are impacting thousands of lives; poor families, orphans, street kids, human trafficking victims, refugees, the elderly—and more. Join this incredible movement of people who want to change the world—one heart at a time.

## WAYS YOU CAN GET INVOLVED

### ■ PRAY

Please pray for pastors and volunteers in Ukraine like Gennady, who demonstrate God's love to displaced people and soldiers. Pray that God will provide them with the resources they need for their ministries. Also pray that peace will return to Ukraine.

### ■ WHERE MOST NEEDED

Your gifts will allow us to respond practically and effectively to the current needs of our partner churches and ministries in Eastern Europe.

### ■ SUMMER CAMP PROGRAMS

If you want to change a country – start with its children! Sending a child to summer camp is an investment in the future leaders of a country – raised with Christian values and character.

### ■ REFUGEE SUPPORT

Please help us support Pastor Gennady and others like him, who are providing basic aid to displaced people from Eastern Ukraine and those living in/near the war zones.

### ■ EDUCATION FUND

Your support of HART'S Education Fund will lift countless young people and their families in Ukraine and Moldova out from under the heavy burden of poverty and despair.

### ■ SPONSOR A CHILD

You have the ability to change the world for an impoverished child in Ukraine or Moldova. Help them develop healthy minds and bodies while discovering God's love for them by sponsoring with HART. It all starts with YOU.



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Defend the cause  
of the fatherless  
Plead the case  
of the widow