



*Coming out of the prison at Nalgonda, two hours from Hyderabad.
Left to right: Mark Youngs, Dennis Wilson, Don Szolomayer, Bob Jordan*

India 2009

November 1-13, 2009

*Hyderabad * New Delhi*

Quick Summary...

Prisons

Service	Date	Name	Men	Women	Responses
1	11/4/2009	Warangle Prison	375	0	200
2	11/4/2009	Warangle Prison	0	165	161
3	11/5/2009	Mehboobnager Jail	240	20	128
4	11/6/2009	Medak Jail	120	14	80
5	11/7/2009	Nalgonda Prison	95	11	50
6	11/7/2009	Miriyalaguda Jail	50	0	45
7	11/8/2009	Cherlapalli Prison	300	0	150
8	11/8/2009	Cherlapalli Jail	80	0	5
Summary - Hyderabad, India			1260	210	819
9	11/11/2009	Bonsi District Prison	0	115	60
10	11/11/2009	Bonsi District Prison	700	0	400
Summary - New Delhi, India			700	115	460
Summary - India			2285		1279

Conferences

Days	Emphasis	Location	Delegates
Half Day	Advanced Volunteers	Hyderabad	28
2 Full Days	New Volunteers	New Delhi	42

Orphanages

Emphasis	Location	Age Range	Children
Children of Condemned Prisoners	Hyderabad	6 to 15	17
Children referred by Pastors	New Delhi	6 to 9	18

The American team met at the PFC offices the day before departure for our packing meeting. The wives were invited and after the meeting we went out to dinner together. The team met the next morning, leaving SeaTac airport in Seattle for the great nation of India on November 1, 2009. We had spent months preparing – planning, meeting, praying, fasting, studying – all in preparation for ministry in two great and very dissimilar cities in India: Hyderabad and New Delhi.



Left to right: Don and Dee Szolomayer, Mark and JoAnn Youngs, Dennis and Charlene Wilson, Bob and Leslie Jordan at PFC office.

We encountered much opposition as the departure date for India drew near. The most threatening were matters related to passports and visas. The short version is that Mark actually flew down to San Francisco on behalf of the team to secure our visas just four days before we were scheduled to leave. Passport

problems actually had us rescheduling the trip as issues appeared insurmountable but again the prayers of the saints and the leading and guiding and of the Holy Spirit together with the blessing of Christ Jesus in the will of God we were able to maintain our original schedule.



A fifth member of our team, Alan Barrentine, international missions director for Prisoners For Christ, did not accompany the team but arranged the itinerary, secured airline tickets, and met Mark in San Francisco and Bob in downtown Seattle as we made final arrangement for passports and visas. Alan wrote the budget and coordinated with our international leaders in the months, weeks, days, and hours before the trip. Alan wrote most of the conference materials. Alan and Bob communicated constantly during the campaign and Alan was glad when we came back as the Holy Ghost continued to wake him during the nights we were on the ground to pray. He got about as much sleep as the rest of the team did!

The results of the trip testify to the great work the Holy Ghost had prepared the way for. Much has been revealed to our entire team and our love for missions has only deepened. We trust the report is a blessing to you. It's divided into two main parts – Hyderabad and then New Delhi, with a report on prisons, conferences, and orphanages a part of each city's report.

Territory of Delhi;
New Delhi is the
capital of India.
Considered "North
India"



State of Andhra Pradesh;
Hyderabad is its capital.
Considered "South India"

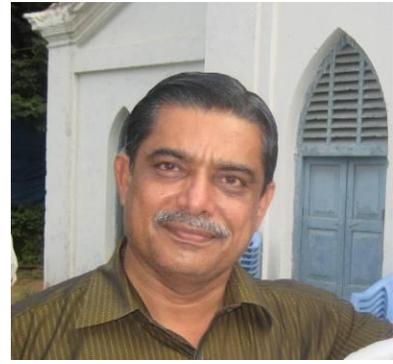
Part 1 – Hyderabad

Hyderabad is the capital city in the state of Andhra Pradesh, the fifth largest of the 28 states and seven territories that comprise India. It is considered a southern state and is the gateway to northern India. Prisoners For Christ has an established ministry in Hyderabad. Our host is Dr. Prem Raj Varma (52) who is



Enoch Raj Varma

assisted by his son Enoch Raj Varma (24). This was Bob and Dennis's second time being with these two excellent brothers. Dr. Prem Raj is full-time in Christian service, having an enormously large ministry to prisoners, a ministry to the leper colonies, and he recently founded a Children's Hostel for children of condemned prisoners. Enoch works in Hyderabad for the Bank of America managing a Customer Service department yet took the week off to be with the missions team as driver and side kick!



Dr. Prem Raj Varma, Missionary

The Prisons

In all, we visited seven prisons and conducted eight evangelistic services. We did a lot of driving to get to most of the prisons as many were remote. Our pattern is that we have an emcee who runs the service, does the open and the close, exhorts the congregation, introduces each new speaker, and tells of the ministry of Prisons For Christ. Combined with the emcee we have a testimony, then a short sermon, then a long sermon, each by different team members. We rotated this schedule in Hyderabad as time and circumstances permitted. Our team really ministered well together and we were in awe watching how the Lord used each man service after service.

In all we ministered to 1,250 men, 210 women, many children, and saw 819 of the 1470 men and women come to Christ. Here's a recap of the services (a summary of all roles and responsibilities is at the end of the report as well as well as specific statistics):

Warangle Prison (Men) – We had an abbreviated service as a visiting dignitary was coming unexpectedly and we had to vamoose, yet the Spirit of the Lord was present as we shared. Bob preached to 375 men on “Jesus, Friend of Sinners” using examples from the Woman Taken in Adultery, the Madman of the Gadarenes, Zaccheus, and other quick references. The theme was Jesus is the Light of the World and that He came to seek and save the lost. Two hundred men said ‘Yes’ to Jesus at this service, to God be the glory, great things He has done!



Bob with Dr. Prem Raj preaching at Warangle Men's Prison.

Warangle Prison (Women) – This was our first clear “miracle moment.” Due to the dignitaries coming we were told we had to cancel the women’s service. Yet we were invited to the home of the Superintendent (the warden) who lived on the prison grounds. His wife made lunch and both the Superintendent and his wife are Christians. So while lunch is being prepared we start talking to Superintendent Mr. Johnson as well as a visiting evangelist. Dr. Prem Raj says that Mr. Johnson would like for Bob to bring a message. So sitting in the front room with our American team, our



Don bringing the main message at the women’s prison, Warangle.

India team, Mr. Johnson, and the evangelist Bob begins sharing on the importance of the work to inmates. He stressed how we must always give hope, be positive, and declare that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. The Lord led Bob to share on Joseph, the brother despised and sold into slavery who ended up in prison for years and was separated from his family, yet God was with him. Through it all Joseph “Comes From Behind” to be the second greatest in Egypt and is used to save the nation. God gives dreams and visions to inmates, and to those called unto His purposes. Mr. Johnson was pleased and we all enjoyed fellowship with the visiting evangelist. We then had lunch and the Holy Ghost said to Bob, “Ask if you can still do the women’s service.” The Lord showed Bob that much time had passed, we were in the good graces of the Superintendent, we were already at the prison, so to ASK! We did ask, and he granted us 15 minutes since it was about dinner time for the women.



165 women with the children hear the gospel message, Warangle prison.

We went to the part of the prison where the women are segregated. There are some small children too. Brother Don Szolomayer (team co-leader) goes right into preaching and preaches a 10-minute message on Blind Bartimaeus and how this blind man, when he heard Jesus passing by, asked for mercy and that he might receive his sight. It was a powerful message with Don emphasizing that we must tell the Lord what it is we want or need. At the altar call 161 of the 165 women wanted to receive Christ! We came within a hair of not even having this service, but as it was, the Holy Spirit led us to the service, anointed the service and the kingdom of God was advanced!!

Mehboobnager Jail (Men and Women) – The Superintendent Mr. Rao was a Hindu man, very kind and gracious. We were served coffee in a small cup and shown much hospitality. As is our practice we give gifts to the Superintendents (portfolio, pen, necktie, calculator, candies, tote bag) and then we ask if we can pray for them, for their promotion, and wise administration of the institution. So we prayed hard, out loud, and laid hands on him and declared Jesus to be the Son of God and the Light of the World. We then went out for the service. This jail is a transitional jail, the 300 men of today will be replaced in a week or two. Dennis Wilson (on his third trip to India) preaches on the Widow’s Mite and thus explains that whoever you are, you can do something for the kingdom of God and God will use it. Another great



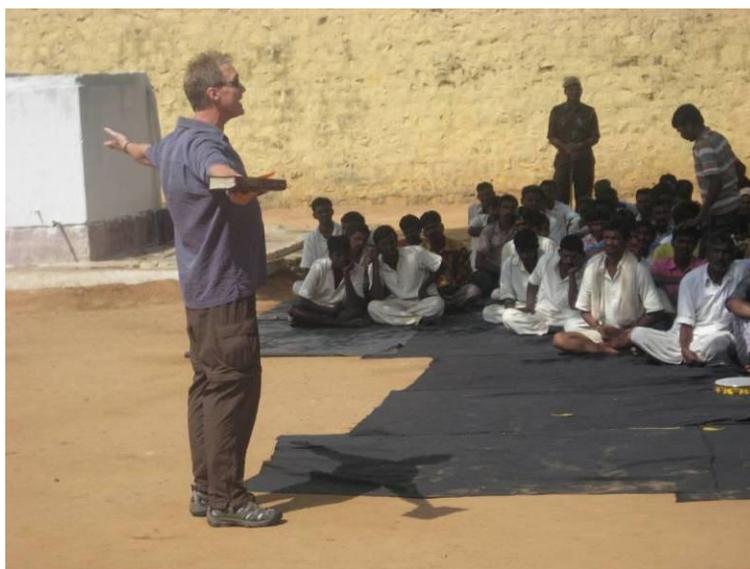
Dennis sharing on the Widow’s Mite before men and women.



response to the altar call, with 240 men and 20 women hearing the gospel, and all of the women and 100 of the men saying ‘Yes’ to Jesus. As is our habit in all of the prisons, we provide sweet treats, which are well received (especially by the children of the women inmates)!

Men coming forward at the invitation to receive Christ. This was a common occurrence at all services, much prayer and the laying on of hands for healing.

Medak Jail (Men and Women) – The Superintendent here is a wonderful Christian man who is very close to Dr. Prem Raj. Dr. Prem Raj personally knows every Superintendent in every jail and prison we visited. He is a true asset to the work of the kingdom behind prison bars. The Superintendent, Mr. Reddy, asks for prayer for his daughter (20) who has a brain infirmity. It’s obvious that this is heavy on his mind. We pray and ask for a Holy Ghost visitation and that the young woman will be healed by the power of God. Mark Youngs (first time with PFC on the foreign mission field) preaches in the courtyard next to a Hindu shrine. He preaches on “Are You Connected,” about Jesus being the vine and we are the branches. Outstanding. 120 men, 14 women. All the women accept Christ and half of the men as well. It is truly a blessing!



Mark preaching on “Are You Connected” at Medak Jail.

Nalgonda Prison (Men and Women) – Dennis and Bob were here two years ago. We met again Dr. Moses Katta, a Baptist pastor who had hosted our conference before (he wants us to come back for a series of revival meetings... and to do another prison conference). God blessed the



Dennis bringing the main message in Nalgonda.

prison service and 95 men and 11 women (with kids) heard the gospel, with 50 persons accepting Christ as Lord. We should say that India is a land of many religious faiths, and Hinduism is the most predominant by far. When we present Christ during the message and at the altar close we are very careful to stress the uniqueness of Christ, that he is the Son of God, and his name is above all names. The risk of not doing that is that a Hindu can take Christ as Savior, but just be adding him to the list of thousands and millions of Gods. So we preach and teach on Jesus the

Son of God. Still, many, many come to the altar call wanting prayer and to

receive Christ. Afterward Don and Dennis prayed over a man who came hobbling with the aid of a walker (he was at the prison two years ago); after prayer he walked off normally, holding up his walker!

Miriyalaguda Jail (Men) – This was our smallest service, but God showed up in a powerful way and we were all moved. 50 men attended, in all. Don was emcee, Dennis gave his testimony, Bob shared the short sermon on “The Worst of the Worst” on the life of King Manasseh. Mark followed with the long sermon. Fully 45 came forward for the prayer of salvation, and then we conducted the prayer for healing, as we always do. God rained down and touched our service, done in a small courtyard in a covered hallway. With tears in our eyes we left knowing we had witnessed a move of God among the forgotten inmates in a remote part of India. We gave God praise and thanks that he’d allow persons such as us to participate in the work of the kingdom.



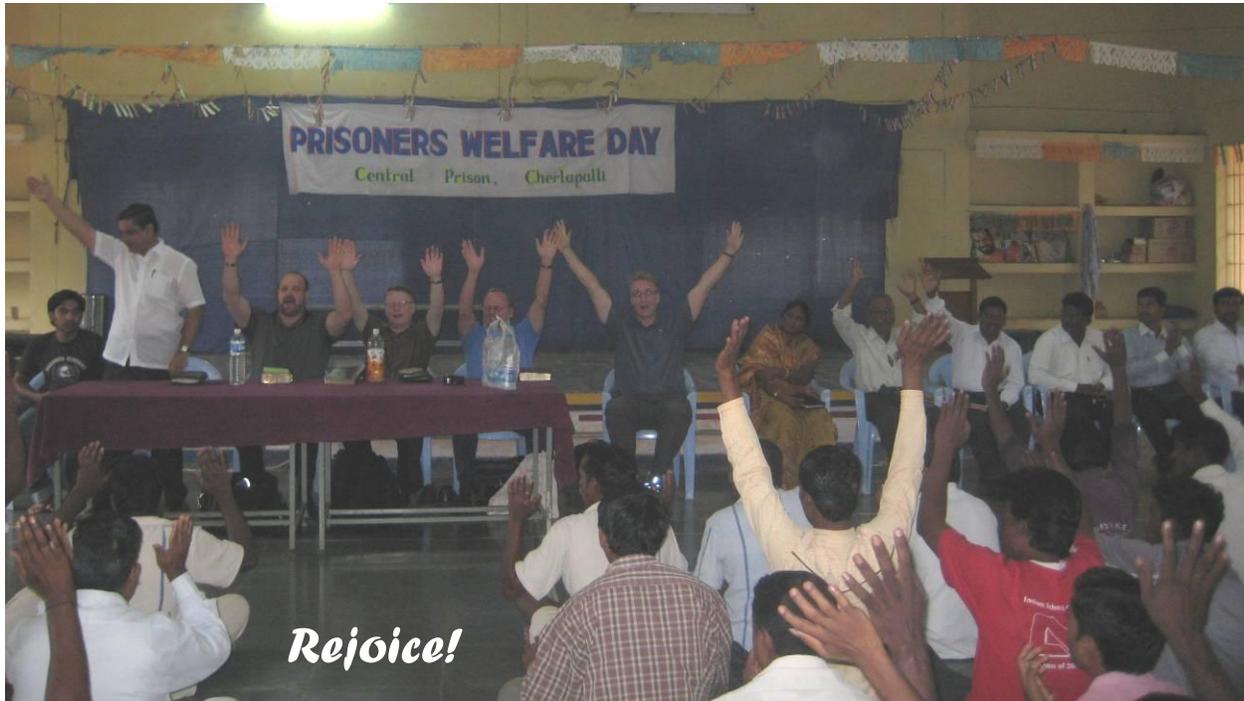
Mark praying with an inmate after preaching..

Cherlapalli Prison (Men) – Two years ago Bob preached a message on The Prodigal Son at this prison. This time, before 300 men, he preached on The Parable of the Sower. Mark was emcee, Don shared his testimony, Dennis did the short sermon, and Bob did the long sermon, sharing on the



PFC American Team preparing to minister.

four kinds of hearts we can have – wayside (lazy), rocky (hard), thorny (given to cares), or the good heart, the one where the seed of the Word of God can take root, grow, and bear fruit. The answer to the wayside heart is to study the scriptures, to gain knowledge. The rocky heart needs to pray to soften it, and know that God is not looking for tough guys; he’s looking for broken guys who’s hearts are now soft. The thorny heart is the heart that needs faith in God versus worrying and being preoccupied with the cares of this world. Anyway, God used it and 150 men came forward. We couldn’t even do the healing prayer as so many men came to the altar and all four of us spent a lot of time laying hands on each man individually and praying for them specifically. We were blessed beyond measure and left rejoicing at God’s goodness and grace. After the service we went to see the Christian Superintendent at his home. He and his wife served us tea. We prayed for God’s richest blessing on their home and on their two sons.



Cherlapalli Open Air Jail (Men) – A stone’s throw from the Cherlapalli Prison was the jail, and we ministered to 80 men there. At this same jail in 2007, Bob did an altar call and 50 men came forward. This time Don preached the main message, and Bob did the altar call again. Only five men responded. The difference here was that half way through the service the Hindu Superintendent and his friend Dr. So-And-So showed up in a Mercedes Benz. The Dr. was a cosmopolitan-looking man with sunglasses and beard who was introduced to us as “The Number One Hypnotist in all of India.” You could feel the blanket of darkness fall on the men – you could see it and you could feel it. Bob preached the altar call and gave it all he had. Mark and Dennis had been praying the whole time. Had those men not shown up the results would have been different. The devil is a



Don preaching in the open air jail – so far so good!

liar. The two men left as we were having prayer over the inmates. They came up and we prayed for each man, even the guards, as they got in line for prayer also.

The two men, the hypnotist and the Superintendent, were having a gathering close by our service site and invited us there after the service. We went and there were probably 25 guests with them (it was a Sunday so persons had the day off). We could only stay a few minutes but Bob greeted both men, shook their hands, and in the hearing of everyone there thanked them that we could come to their jail and speak about Jesus Christ the Son of God, the Light of the World, the Friend of Sinners, the Creator of men and the Savior of men. It was a short sermon to be sure. With the two men it went in one ear and out the other, but the audience heard it and we leave it with the Holy Ghost to take any seed and bless it with watering that it might take root and grow. Amen and amen.



Bob during the altar call. Hypnotist is to Mark's right in orange shirt, Hindu Superintendent is to his left. They came during Don's message. Maroon colored Mercedes is in background.

The Conference

Twice before PFC's USA missions teams have done the Basic Training Seminar for New Volunteers in Hyderabad as well as a neighboring city, Nalgonda. This time we did an advanced seminar for experienced jail and prison volunteers. The seminar was a great success. Our host Dr. Prem Raj had 28 persons in attendance (we said no more than 30 before we came) and God used each member of the team. All of us taught various aspects as shown below. Total teaching time was two and one-half hours, we followed that up with prayer for the delegates, which took quite a while.

Introductions and Opening	Bob
About PFC	Don
Mentoring Christian Prisoners (part 1)	Dennis
Mentoring Christian Prisoners (part 2)	Mark
Teaching Christian Doctrine	Bob
Dealing with Prisoners Behavior	Don
Dealing with Prisoner Families	Dennis
United We Will Succeed	Mark
Prayer of Consecration	Entire Team

Delegates came from far and wide. The training was very effective. We accomplished all we wanted to do. Afterward we had scheduled a banquet dinner and over 30 of us dined and enjoyed the best spicy grilled chicken we've ever eaten. Truly a delight. The Indian people are gracious and accommodating and they sure know how to set a table! Overall in Hyderabad, since 2006, we have held numerous conferences and the work is going very well.



Hyderabad Mini-Conference for Experienced Prison Volunteers. All team members did a lot of teaching and a lot of praying. Afterward we all enjoyed a wonderful Indian dinner together. Very productive evening!

The Orphanage

A real highlight of the trip was a visit to the Children's Hostel for condemned prisoners. This hostel was founded by Dr. Prem Raj, our international missionary for southern India. The hostel has 17 children, ages 6 to 15. In under a year he wants to have 50 children. Prisoners ask him to take responsibility for the welfare of their children, who would be beggars otherwise.

What a delight those children are! When we got there they prepared some songs for us and blessed us with their singing. All of the kids were very well-behaved and very well-mannered.

Thanks to our donors we brought a lot of gifts. We passed out lots of crayons, pencils, sharpeners, hard candy, and chocolate toffee. Somehow we got the chocolate there without it melting! We were asked to bring a message and Bob provided a teaching on the boy, David, who one day would be king. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed this! Kids and adults alike were laughing the whole time!



"David and Goliath" along with Dr. Prem Raj.



The team prayed for each child in the Hostel.

Bob played the 'prophet who goes to Jesse and asks to see his sons'. Jesse has eight sons but only seven are there when the prophet gets there. He asks to see his son since God said that one of Jesse's sons would be king. Mark stands up as the oldest son. And we say "the Lord says not you!" and we push him down into his seat, and the kids squeal! Don is the second oldest son, he gets up and we say "The Lord says nooooo, not him!" and we push Don down into his chair.

Dennis is the third oldest son, and he stands before the kids and Bob says “The Lord says noooooo” and all the kids laugh and jump around. So Bob says the prophet goes through a total of seven sons and then Bob says to our host, who is playing the role of the dad Jesse, “Do you have any more sons?” He says, “One more, but he is tending the sheep.” And Bob says, as he points, “Go get him!” and then we bring on the youngest boy in the hostel. He’s smiling and everyone is laughing!



Don passing out gifts; crayons, pencils, candies – even a soccer ball.

“Another time a bear came and took my sheep, and I got it back!” Then Bob and the little boy go over to Don and the boy punches Don over and over (Bob is holding the boy’s arms and swinging them). Then David says, “God helped me with the lion and the bear, and he’ll help me with the giant!” So Bob looms over the boy while he’s playing Goliath and the boy makes a motion of throwing a rock from a slingshot – and Bob falls back on the chair arms splayed and the boy David is the hero and everyone claps and cheers!! Then we tell them that no matter how small they are, or how big the problem can be, that when God is with them they will win!

We continue the story, and now Bob is playing Goliath. “Roar, roar...!” The kids laugh some more. The captain of the army and all of his armies are afraid of the giant, and David says “I’ll fight him!” But the captain says, “You’re too little!” And David says, “When I was tending my sheep, a lion came and took a sheep, and I got it back!” Then Bob takes the boy over to Mark, who is now the lion and he starts punching him over and over and the kids laugh. Then David says

We finish up the evening with a dinner, then a tour of the facility. We all see that their beds are a rug laid on top of the marble floor and they have a small, thin pillow. The eight boys all lay down for us to see and it’s a real heart breaker. They are happy and content, but that floor is hard and can be cold. We took up a special offering for the hostel the next day (our last day there) and we also gifted all of our “miscellaneous” money we use for emergencies. This looked like an emergency so we gave it. Between our emergency money and personal money we gave about \$1,000 USD. We were happy to do so! This was the last thing we did before going to the airport to journey to northern India and the great capital of New Delhi!



Lots of singing and clapping and rejoicing during the evening!

Update: A day after returning from India Dr. Prem Raj inquired as to Bob's welfare and how his family was doing. Bob shared that the family was well and that he, like the rest of the team, were pretty fatigued and getting a lot of rest. Two days after returning from India Dr. Prem Raj sent this note to Bob:

Dear Bro. Bob,

Praise the Lord! All the tiredness may vanish from your body in Jesus name! After you left Hyderabad, Children remembers you every day. They talk to each other and says that they belongs to you.

The little girl laugh in joy and remembers that you have lifted her up and holded in your arms. The little boy Srikanth, the deaf one also smiles and enjoys when everybody talks to him about King David. The remembrances you left in the hearts of children and all of us, will never be fade away.

Sis. Hoglah greets you in Jesus name and acknowledge you as true and kind person and Servant of God. Everybody send their greetings to your beloved wife and all the children. I am sending the details of the children very soon. I sent details of 6 children to Rev. Alan and rest of others also I will send at the earliest. The total information I will send to you after completion of sending the same to Rev. Alan.

The bunk beds which you have seen in Delhi, I do not know how much strong they are. Here in

Hyderabad I saw the same made out of Malasian Wood and Steel nice designed and they are imported and very strong. But I left the decision in your hands. Since the winter is started couple of days back and will be come vigorous, I desire that these beds are essential now. Hope you will take necessary and immediate action in this matter.

My warm and sincere regards to your wife. My prayers are for you and entire family. Convey my regards to Rev. Alan, Sis. Alma, Rev. Greg and Sis. Rhonda. God Bless,

*Yours In Him,
Dr. Prem Raj*



Holding the 6-year old girl. She's a peach and God bless her!



Bob and Sister Hoglah passing out treats at prison service.



Boys in one room, girls in another. Sleeping on a rug on a marble floor. We are investigating getting beds for them, \$1,250 needed.

Part 2 – New Delhi

New Delhi is a city of over 16 million persons. The population density is enormous. New Delhi is considered a northern city, and the peoples of Northern India are quite different than the peoples of Southern India. Delhi is more cosmopolitan, dress is much more casual. Yet the city has 16 million persons, and is the capital for all of India. Our hosts, Rev. Joshua (41) and Rev. Simon (43), are excellent brothers; they love the Lord Jesus, souls, the poor, the lost, and us too!!!



Rev. Simon

Rev. Joshua

The Prisons

Bonsi Prison (Women) – By the grace of God we were allowed to do two services, one for the men and one for the women. We were only planning on doing the men’s service. Bob quickly went to work seeking the Lord for the message to bring to the women, and prepared the message “The Mercy of God Toward Women and Children.” After our host Rev. Joshua opened the meeting Don took over for the American team as emcee. Dennis shared his testimony and Mark shared on “He’s Alive” for the short sermon. All men shared in a far less energized fashion, as this is preferred when doing a women’s service. Bob wept during his sermon as he shared from the Woman Taken in Adultery, The Woman at the Well, Jesus blessing the Children, and Martha and Lazarus. We stressed God’s love toward women, and how women were the first at the tomb, and how the first person Jesus appeared to after his resurrection was Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had cast seven demons. During the children’s part of the message Bob walked through the congregation and passed out hard candy to each child. 115 women present, young and old, and 60 received the Lord for the forgiveness of sins.

Bonsi Prison (Men)

– One of our lady volunteers and her team fasted and prayed over a 21 day period prior to us going into this prison. We preached in the open air to 700 men and officers. We followed the same schedule as the women’s service, but Bob preached on “I Believe” emphasizing the articulation of faith in Christ using the example of Peter when Jesus ask him “who do you say that I am” and Peter



Outside Bonsi Prison. Left to right: Rev. Joshua (one of our hosts), Bob, Deputy Superintendent, Rev. Simon (our other host), our interpreter.

answered, “You are the Christ, the Son of God.” Martha said to Jesus, “I believe that you are the Christ, the Son of God.” The Ethiopian in Acts 8 said, “I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.” And, finally, the man blind from birth who was kicked out of the temple after being healed, said to Jesus, “Lord, I believe.” The emphasis was on Jesus the Son of God and savior of the world, and that through faith in God in the flesh, Jesus Christ, we can have our sins forgiven and have relationship with God. We estimate 400 men said ‘Yes’ to Jesus and received new life. Mark prayed the prayer of healing and many men requested prayer. We left with our hearts filled!

It should be noted that we were greeted by the Deputy Superintendent, a decent and professional man who accommodated our meeting. He is Muslim. He warned our native leaders (unknown to the American team) to not speak too strongly about Christ, and to not criticize other gods. Policy on the foreign field is we don’t talk down other faith systems (same policy in American prisons). We talk up Christ Jesus (big time) and let the individual make their own conclusions. This Muslim Deputy Superintendent was very touched by our service and he requested of our Indian hosts, Rev. Joshua and Rev. Simon, that they would come regularly and begin education programs inside the prison. We brought gifts and the Deputy came within a whisper of accepting my Bible as a gift. He inquired as to an English language Bible and Bob showed him his (it’s chock full of sermons as well as the complete Bible – the John Maxwell Leadership Bible in NKJV). Well, after thumbing through it quite a bit he passed it back to Bob and our hosts said they’d bring him one. This is the only prison where we were not allowed to take pictures inside, but we did have a photo of the Deputy outside with the prison in the background. Total prison population was 150 women and 2,800 men. God very much blessed the meeting. Bob was half way through the message when the speaker system went dead, and he and Mark, during the healing prayer, had to yell it out, which they did. The Holy Ghost was present in power and might, piercing the darkness, amen and amen!

The Conference

By prearrangement we had planned a full two-day conference, with over 40 delegates traveling to New Delhi to learn about jail and prison ministry. The pastors of India are very evangelical and believe in soul-winning. They come full of faith and beaming with the love of God. Here’s the agenda for the first day:

Introductions and Opening	Bob
About PFC	Don
Why Do Prison Ministry	Dennis
Code of Conduct	Mark
Four Divisions of Ministry	Don
Working With Staff at the Prison	Dennis
What It Is to be a Volunteer	Mark
Group Leader Responsibilities	Bob
Sermon – Ministers of Christ	Bob

We started at 10:30am and ended at 4pm, with a couple of tea breaks and a break for lunch. Every American missionary taught and from all accounts every one did an excellent job. We had singing often and completed the entire agenda on time. Bob finished up with a 30 minute sermon on “Ministers of Christ” from 2



Mark teaching on the first day of the conference.

Corinthians 11. Bob gave 10 attributes of a true minister of Christ versus false teachers and those who would deceive. Holiness and integrity were stressed. Afterward pastors came up to share that they needed to hear this word. The name of Prisoners For Christ is established as a good name and we praise God for it.

Just like the first day, the second day as well started at 10:30am and we made good time during the conference. More than 40 delegates again were present hanging onto every word. Men and women, young and old. Here's the agenda for the second day:

Concerning Preaching and Teaching	Bob
Evangelism and Discipleship	Mark
How to Start and Grow a Prison Ministry	Don
The Importance of the PFC Network	Dennis
Teaching – Consecration	Mark
Motives and Callings in Prison Ministry	Don
Working with Churches to Recruit Volunteers	Dennis
Teaching – Fasting	Bob
Mentoring Christian Prisoners	Dennis
Dealing with Prisoner Behavior	Don
Actual PFC Prison Service	Don – emcee Dennis – testimony Mark – short sermon Bob – long sermon

We had a little extra time toward the end so we added the module from the Advanced Course taught in Hyderabad, specifically Mentoring Christian Prisoners (Dennis taught the entire module) and Dealing with Prisoner Behavior (Don taught that). Originally we planned for Bob to close with a message on “Front Line Ministry” but the Lord spoke a word to Bob to model an actual in-prison PFC service to the delegates. At the last break this was discussed with the American team and the Indian leadership team and it seemed good to us and the Holy Ghost so that's just what we did. We were going to Bonsi Prison the following day so we showed them our service assignment sheets (Don designed these before the campaign and made copies that we used in every prison service we attended) and then launched into the service. Don was emcee and he showed what we do, then explained why we do it, Dennis shared his testimony, Mark shared the short sermon, and Bob shared the long sermon. Dennis did the altar close and then we did the healing prayer. Men and women came forward for actual healing! We prayed for almost 30



After the teaching was concluded on the second day we had prayer for the sick and for those wanting prayer for ministry. The entire delegation was energetic and attentive for both full conference days.

minutes, then we prayed for other needs. The man running the sound equipment, who looked unhappy for two solid days (he was Hindu) came forward for healing. Bob asked if he was a Christian and through an interpreter he said he wasn't. Then we asked him if he believed Jesus was the Son of God (my main sermon emphasis) and he said yes! So we prayed for his salvation and healing, and the pastor interpreting gave the brother his card and made arrangements for him to come to church! Like we said, the Indian Christians are great soul-winners and they believe in bringing souls in and feeding them in the practical and the spiritual. We finally left the meeting rejoicing at the great things God was doing. So many influential pastors were completely energized and ready to take volunteers into the prisons of their cities. Man, what a beautiful thing to behold!!!!

The Orphanage

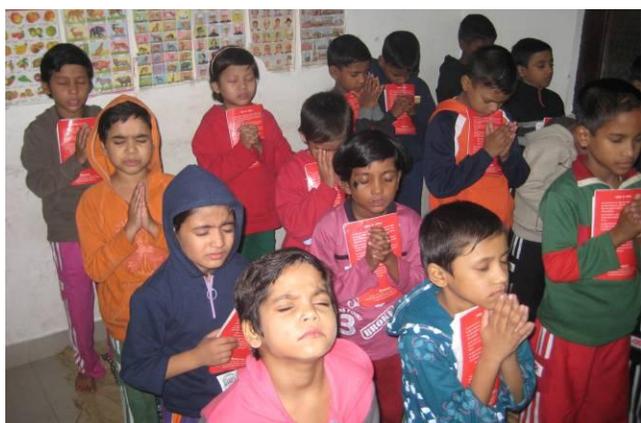
Our hosts Rev. Joshua and Rev. Simon founded and run an orphanage for children who have no family and no home, with help from four Ukrainian volunteers (three of whom we met) and a couple of native Indian women. One of the boys there, a young lad, witnessed the slaying of his mother and father (a pastor) in Orissa, a city on the east coast of Delhi and just north of Hyderabad where the persecution of Christians has made the news numerous times.

We visited the orphanage at the request of one of the pastors at the conference. He had some children that he helped place in the orphanage. Here the children had bunk beds and a thin but suitable mattress pad. We visited quite a while with the leader and the children. Bob reprised his David and Goliath skit, much to the delight of the children, as at Hyderabad. These were younger children overall than at the hostel in Hyderabad. The vision here is to have facilities to accommodate 2,000 children.

To conclude the evening, after passing out candy, we again laid hands on each child individually, all four of us, and prayed for their safety, health, and provision. We learned that caring for each child costs \$60 per month, which includes school (which though run by the government has to be paid for still by parents/guardians), food, clothing, and medical. We also fellowshiped with the Ukrainian volunteers and the Indian volunteers. One volunteer and her husband, also a volunteer, wanted prayer so they could have a baby. She's 30. We did pray, each of us, for God to give her a visitation.

We also learned that the kids enjoy it when men come, since most of the time they are surrounded by women. We took pleasure in picking them up and playing with them, knowing they really liked that!

The 18 Children prayed for the American Team.



Dennis, Joshua, and Sister Sasha who serves with her husband at the orphanage.



Concluding Remarks...

Group leaders Bob Jordan and Don Szolomayer conducted audits with our hosts. This is to gather yet more information on their vision and needs, and to provide a face-to-face accounting of their progress in the ministry to prisoners and the prisoner community. The standards at Prisoners For Christ are very high when it comes to financial management of resources we send to the mission field. Bob himself is a member of the Board of Directors for Prisoners For Christ and is a long-standing member of the Finance Subcommittee. Further, Bob and Don both serve on the International Missions Advisory Council.

In Hyderabad one evening we visited an old fortress, Fort Golconda, which has a laser light show and an audio re-enactment of the forts early days with lighting coming on over various parts of the fort. All four of us nodded off at some part of the presentation, not that it was boring, for it wasn't, but we were pretty tired. In Hyderabad we were up every day by 6am to get to the next distant prison and make sure we returned before dark (which rarely happened...). We also visited the Charminar (a large four-towered edifice – see pics at end of report) at night and observed it in its lighted glory.

In New Delhi we saw no sights – it was all business and ministry and getting to know our hosts. In all it was a wonderful campaign. All four of us teamed very well. With so much going on there was little to no time for irritations or grumbling. We kept short accounts, taught many leadership principles, and brainstormed how we can, as a ministry, get back to India twice a year. We have some good thoughts on this, so stand by! We could sure use more missionary-minded saints to help shoulder the load – be it in travel to the lands themselves and sharing in the teaching and preaching, or major donors who can help us walk through the doors that are opening to us.

Thank you from the Missionary Team to India, 2009! Bob Jordan, team leader; Don Szolomayer, team co-leader, Dr. Dennis Wilson, and Mark Youngs. Collectively we had over 100 donor families supporting the mission. We're all ready to go back, sooner than later, to the great land of India where the fields truly are white unto harvest. God's best be with you now and evermore, amen! Yours for the mission field of the prisons of the world.



A few favorites photos from the campaign...















Remember to pray for India. The fields truly are white unto harvest. Thank you!!

Number	Date	Name	Travel Time	Emcee	Testimony	Sh. Sermon	L. Sermon	Altar C.	Healing P.	Close	Men	Women	Salvations	Gift Bag	Sweets	Soccer	
Hyderabad, India November 2009																	
1	11/4/2009	Warangal Prison	2 hours	Don	Dennis	Mark	Bob	Bob	Bob	Prem Raj	375	0	200	Yes	Yes	No	
2	11/4/2009	Warangal Prison	2 hours	Prem Raj	-	-	Don	Bob	-	Prem Raj	0	165	161	No	Yes	No	
3	11/5/2009	Medhooconger Jail	90 minutes	Mark	Bob	Don	Dennis	Bob	Don	Prem Raj	240	20	128	Yes	Yes	No	
4	11/6/2009	Medak Jail	90 minutes	Bob	Don	Dennis	Mark	Don	Dennis	Bob	120	14	80	Yes	Yes	Yes	
5	11/7/2009	Nalgonda Prison	4 hours	Bob	Mark	Don	Dennis	Mark	Don	Bob	95	11	50	Yes	Yes	Yes	
6	11/7/2009	Miryalaguda Jail	4 hours	Don	Dennis	Bob	Mark	Dennis	Bob	Bob	50	0	45	Yes	Yes	No	
7	11/8/2009	Cherlapati Prison	40 minutes	Mark	Don	Dennis	Bob	Don	-	-	300	0	150	Yes	Yes	Yes	
8	11/8/2009	Cherlapati Jail	1 minute	Dennis	Dennis	Mark	Don	Bob	-	Bob	80	0	5	Yes	Yes	No	
New Delhi, India November 2009																	
9	11/11/2009	Borasi District Prison	1 hour	Don	Dennis	Mark	Bob	Dennis	Mark	Joshua	0	115	60	Yes	No	Yes	
10	11/11/2009	Borasi District Prison	1 hour	Don	Dennis	Mark	Bob	Bob	Mark	Joshua	700	0	400	No	No	Yes	
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