



# THE VISIONARY

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## JOIN US ON APRIL 30 FOR A GLOBAL PRAYERCAST *by Doug Lucas, Founder and President, Team Expansion*

Some will recall April 17, 2013, the night of the first Global PrayerCast. As far as we know, it was a first in all recorded history! For one hour, thousands of people gathered online from all around the world to pray for the unreached and for the fulfillment of the Great Commission. It was a moving experience to

local prayer meeting to focus on global problems - hunger, human trafficking, water, and war.

The onscreen instructions will then lead each group into prayer for unreached peoples, after which, each group will be guided to pray that local churches would become more vibrant in

## FIELD HIGHLIGHT *North Africa*

*by workers serving in a secure location*

Almost fifteen years ago, a Muslim girl had a dream. In it, she met three fair-skinned, blue-eyed, light-haired girls. Living in a culture without fair-skinned people, the girl found this strange. Even so, she had the impression that meeting these girls was a good thing, a blessing of some kind. Through the years, she had this dream again. Her mother confirmed that it was good, as did her husband years later.

Last spring, this woman was teaching at a school in the middle east when three blue-eyed girls showed up - a Christian worker and her two daughters. She wondered, "Could these be the ones from the dream?" Then, this past fall, she dreamed the dream again. The next day, her husband received a call from the fair-skinned woman's husband, explaining that they were trying to return to the the country.

The woman was convinced that they were the ones she dreamed of so many times! This woman is very devout - she teaches Qu'ran at the mosque and is covered in black except for two small eye holes. But because of this dream, she is very warm to these Christian workers. Long before the workers were thinking of this country, God was thinking of the people there and softening their hearts. He was preparing this lady for an encounter with Him.

hear prayers in many different languages from every single continent.

If you missed the April 2013 event, I hope you will try to make it for the 2014 version on April 30th, at 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time. This year, the anchor site will be Christ's Church of the Valley in Peoria (Phoenix), Arizona. The hour will open with guided instructions for your

worldwide witness. Following this opening, we'll once again feature real-time prayers 50 different sites around the globe, one after another. It will be epic.

To tune in, all you'll need is a computer with access to the internet. Just point your browser to [www.globalprayercast.com](http://www.globalprayercast.com). Emerald Hills will be involved and we hope you'll take part too!

Photographs taken during the Engaging Islam training with Georges Houssney at Emerald Hills this past month.



## FINANCIAL UPDATE

February 2014

Emerald Hills Fund	
Balance 02-01-14	\$51,994.97
Receipts	\$8,595.90
Expenses	\$8,528.22
Balance 02-28-14	\$52,062.65
*Balance owed to First Cap Bank: \$1.28 million, \$170,000 in Maintenance Endowment	
<b>RECEIPTS</b>	
A Refuge Foundation, INC	\$1,625.00
Coastal Community Christian Church	\$250.00
College Heights Christian Church	\$100.00
Crossroads Christian Church, IN	\$12,500.00
Fern Creek Christian Church	\$400.00
Indian Creek Christian Church, IN	\$500.00
Individuals	\$28,500.00
Northwest Christian Church	\$200.00
Shively Christian Church	\$750.00
Spencer Christian Church	\$2,500.00
Team Expansion (Stapleton)	\$100.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$47,425.00</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>	
Louisville Water Co	90
LG&E	199.08
Misc	76.46
Banking Fee	38.80
Mortgage	8,123.88
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,528.22</b>

\*In addition to the balances noted above, we have set aside \$170,000.00 in a fund that ensures even billing of our mortgage payments (\$8,200/month), as well as Maintenance and Upkeep.

## EVENTS

### UPCOMING EVENTS AT EMERALD HILLS

MAY 5-16

Launch Missionary Candidate Training & Orientation

MAY 19-23

Kairos Training

MAY 25-30

Pathways Summer Interns' Pre-Field Orientation

## PRAY WITH US

- Pray that those who completed the Engaging Islam course at Emerald Hills this month will practice what they have learned as they boldly proclaim the Good News to Muslim neighbors and people groups overseas.
- Praise God for Team Expansion's annual meeting of the board of directors, the Leadership Task Force, at Emerald Hills. Thank God for the direction this group of men and women gives to this organization. Thank God for decisions they made that will help provide an avenue for completing Phase I and moving forward with Phase II plans for development of the Emerald Hills campus.
- Pray that those who are in the application process will complete all their requirements so that they might attend the next two-week Launch training/orientation program at Emerald Hills in May.