



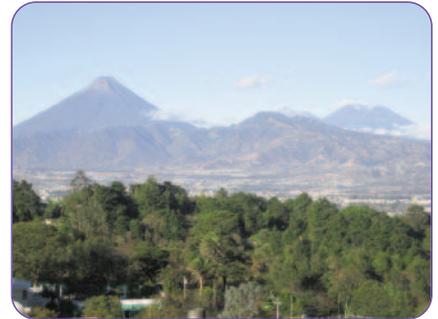
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# Banquet

**Join Len Ministries for dinner and save lives here and around the world**

[JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA] The Board of Trustees invites you to join them for the annual fund-raising dinner. It will be held on Saturday night November 6, 2010, at 6:30 p.m. at the Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk, located at 1515 Prudential Drive, Jacksonville, FL. The attire will be dressy casual.

Select members of the Board will be giving testimonies as well as the main speakers, Len and Marcia Showalter.

The theme will be "It's Time for Fishin'!" A delectable entree will be served.

A wonderful fun and spirit-filled evening is planned. Funds raised will support LMI's efforts to save lives around the world through individual evangelism training. To ensure your seating (no children please!) contact Len Ministries by email, phone, fax, or RSVP through the Len Ministries' web site.

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**Len Ministries' Annual Banquet**  
**November 6, 2010 6:30 p.m.**  
**The Wyndham Jacksonville Riverwalk**  
**Reservation Required**  
**To Make Your Reservation or For Additional Info**  
**Visit [http://www.lenministries.org/contact\\_us](http://www.lenministries.org/contact_us)**

# Douala, Cameroon

## Len Ministries returns to Africa to equip leaders to win their cities for Jesus Christ

**[DOUALA, CAMEROON]** On Friday, August 20, Joe Hayworth and Len Showalter left Jacksonville, FL, headed to Douala, Cameroon. After 21 hours of travel through Atlanta and Paris they arrived and found it was their rainy season. Pastor Guy Landry, Daniele Yetna (Guy's sister), and Pastor Etienne met them at the airport. After a joyous reception at the Ministry of Evangelization Church the team headed to Daniele's home.

Len preached in Etienne's church on Sunday. (The normal service contains a minimum of at least 2 hours of praise and worship, 1/2 hour of receiving the offerings, 1 hour of preaching, and 1/2 hour praying for the people.) Afterwards he was interviewed by a local radio station that was interested in what Len Ministries planned to accomplish doing in Douala. Following that Len, Guy and Joe met with two apostles from the city who were gracious and opened the doors of the city to the ministry.

Monday brought the start of the evangelism training which was held at Etienne's church. The 20 minute ride to church involved rain, potholes on paved



Len, Joe, & Guy at church

and dirt roads, and dodging the major form of transportation - weaving motor-cycles. Daniele and several young women registered 20 pastors and 55 lay leaders. Additionally there were other pastors and leaders that audited portions of the week-long teachings. Len, Guy, and Etienne

carried the load of the teaching schedule. Joe attended the teachings as a student as he wanted to improve his evangelism and his French language skills.

That evening a delightful banquet was held. The two apostles, even more pastors, and all in the class had a feast of many local dishes and fresh fish. There was much singing and sharing of testimonies.

On Tuesday Guy continued the teaching while Len and Daniele visited 43 children in the New Destiny Center (Esther's home - see article on page 3) for orphaned and abandoned children. Daniele interpreted for Len and she shared the Gospel with a visual cube. Each child and 3 adults prayed to receive Jesus as their Lord. Small stuffed bears and rubber balls were handed out to each child. Len gave 2 soccer balls that had been donated to LMI to be distributed in Douala.

The first OJT (On-the-Job-Training) occurred on Tuesday afternoon. The rain stopped and 20 teams went to the streets. They came back after 2 hours of witnessing with 78 professions and assurances of faith. There was much celebrating.

On Wednesday Pastor Guy and Daniele went to a small orphanage of 9 children. They shared the Gospel and 6 of the kids prayed. After handing out some small gifts, Guy and Daniele went to a rehabilitation center for those that have been injured while riding motorcycles. Most all of the 40 in the stark facility had broken legs and arms, but 32 gladly prayed with them to receive Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

The rain continued on Wednesday and so did the teachings by Len and Etienne. The students began to catch the vision and passion for winning souls to Christ. With a break in the rain 20 teams went into the Harvest field and brought back 81 new souls for Jesus.

Thursday brought more rain. After a group picture, Len distributed a t-shirt to each student. Then he released them to go



Etienne & church welcome us



Many repent



Local girls receive Jesus

to the streets in teams of two without trainers. Upon their return he matched them up with trainers and sent them out again. The harvest was great with 127 people professing Jesus as Lord. The celebrating lasted for an hour.

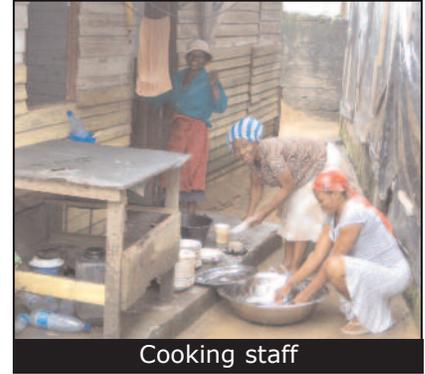
Oral and written examinations for the students were held on Friday. 63 passed and were awarded their certificates. Afterwards the students departed for their homes with a new fire for winning souls and plans to start an evangelism ministry in their own church. (Continued on next page)



Small orphanage prays



Rehabilitation center prays



Cooking staff

After a restful Saturday morning and a lunch at an oceanside restaurant the team returned to a musical celebration that was open to the public and held at Etienne's church. Some of those that had been witnessed to on the streets came and Len preached about the Good Samaritan. The response was wonderful with over 100 wanting prayer and at least 25 people received Jesus.

Sunday morning Len preached again and had a similar response to Saturday night. After church Len, Joe, Guy, and Daniele went to Guy & Daniele's parents' home for a time of fellowship. Soon Len and Joe were back at Daniele's home packing and then they were off to the airport for their return to Jacksonville, FL.

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Oldest helps youngest



Graduating class



New Destiny Center



They receive Jesus and gifts

# Guatemala

[FLORES, GUATEMALA] Rev. Len Showalter just returned from a 4-day trip to the Penten region of Guatemala. He was in the village of San Benito outside of Flores where the Calvary International (Go to Nations) base camp is located. They are known worldwide for their missionary preparation and training.

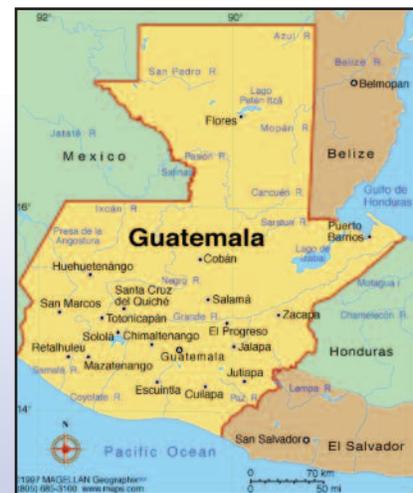
Jim and Bonnie DeHart, base Directors, welcomed Len and jointly they held a workshop on Saturday, October 2. Several pastors and representatives from two area churches were present. Plans were made to return in January 2011 to hold a 5-day training

class in evangelism. Opportunity will be given for street evangelism and visiting several local orphanages.

It will be necessary for Len to bring a team of at least 8 persons that have been previously equipped in Evangelism Explosion to accomplish the training of the local leadership. Also, anyone that has Spanish language skills would be a great addition to the team. The travel dates will be January 8 to 16, 2011.

Travel details are forthcoming and will be posted on the LMI web site under the international tab.

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If you are interested in participating in the LMI ministry effort to Guatemala in January 2011 contact Len Ministries at (904) 992-0545 ASAP.

# Just the Facts

	<u>Completed Contacts</u>	<u>Times Gospel Shared</u>	<u>To # of People</u>	<u>Professions &amp; Assurances</u>
Douala Clinic:	450	309	445	286
2 Orphanages & Rehab:	92	4	92	84
3 Church meetings + other:	64	7	64	62
Totals:	606	320	601	432

71% of the completed contacts, or 72% of those that heard the Gospel professed Jesus Christ as Lord!

**63 leaders were trained to equip others to share their faith and win their cities for Christ!**

## Church News

The following churches continue their EE semesters. Please contact them for exact dates and times to participate with them and make a difference:

**Anastasia Baptist Church** (ph# 904-471-2166) 1650 A1A South, St. Augustine, FL 32080. Contact Al Kaidor.

**Arlington Assembly of God** (ph# 904-724-7466) 88 Arlington Road, Jacksonville, FL 32211. Contact Gil Gibbs.

**Christ Cares Alliance Church** (ph# 904-641-8233) 1620 St. Johns Bluff Road North, Jacksonville, FL 32225.. Contact Lito Ibarreta.

**Second Missionary Baptist Church** (ph# 904-354-8268) 954 Kings Road, Jacksonville, FL 32204. Contact Winston Smith.

**Union Correctional Institution** (ph# 386-431-2000) 7819 NW 228th Street, Raiford, FL 32026. Contact Barry Hedrick.



## A Note From Us...

Lives were changed in Cameroon. Our lives are also changed each time someone receives Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior! We are blessed to be your representatives as we train people here and abroad how to share the Good News of Jesus Christ!

Since this trip, we have had some family events that have kept us busy. Sara had an emergency appendectomy on 9/19/2010; Beth continues to stay very busy with her job in Atlantic Beach; Ruth moved and began her new position as a News Reporter for the Newsplex (WCAV, WVAW, and WAHU stations) in Charlottesville, Virginia. We are delighted that Ruth is just an hour away from Sara and Daryl in Richmond, Virginia.

Please mark your calendars for our banquet in November! We want to share with you all that God has been doing and what the upcoming plans are for next year! Your prayers, love, encouragement, and financial support are making a difference in thousands of people all over the world!

With our love and appreciation,  
Your Missionary Family,

***The Showalters***

*(Daryl & Sara Van Tongeren,  
Beth, Ruth, Marcia, & Len Showalter)*

