

God was working on ReBirth even before it existed

The following letter was written in the end of 1999 and forwarded to Brygitte in the beginning 2000 when someone recognized that it must be written about her. God opened the door for ReBirth in 2001. How awesome is He! Brygitte still keeps in touch with Brent and Kim and exchanges family photos from time to time.

"What's that,? Brent asked me as I tucked the wrinkled old business card back into my Bible. "Remember the lady we met on or trip to Connecticut...? Yes,; he nods his graying head. That was so weird, and so long ago. Have you ever written to her?"

It was May 1988. My husband and I were traveling with our four small children. We stopped as we crossed the NJ line for a bathroom break and to stretch our legs. I noticed a tall blonde leaning against the wall by the ladies restroom. She had a grace about her that spoke of strong heritage, and she smiled as she watched my son. The far away look in her eyes spoke volumes as she told me of her own son back in Poland. Even her thick accent could not hide the pain of family separation. My heart ached for her and I sent up a silent prayer for her and her family.

She turned to me and said "I saw you in a dream. Jesus told me to give you money for your car. You are having car trouble."

"No," I assured her, our car was fine; you must have me confused with someone else.

She looked at me squarely then and insisted I take the money "for the car." When I continued to refuse she said "ok, but surely I can buy chocolates for the children. They are so much like my own little ones back home."

How could I say no? My husband nodded his ok and I accepted the small roll of bills she held out to me. After exchanging our "God bless you's we headed towards our separate destinations.

The money she had given me turned out to be \$60; too much for chocolates, but when my husband tried to find her she had disappeared.

A few miles down the road, our car, which had been running perfectly, began to sputter. The lights dimmed and went out. My husband, who is an amateur mechanic, did what he could but our travels were ended for the day.

We found an inexpensive motel to rest for the night. As we tucked the kids into bed, they talked excitedly about how wonderful it is to be part of a real miracle. "Jesus is watching over us just like the disciples of the children of Israel. He knew our car was going to mess up and He sent that nice lady to help us."

After they had fallen asleep, Brent said "Kim this would be a real miracle if we were broke, but I have \$180 in my pocket.

Our Breakfast the next morning cost \$12, the new alternator cost \$50 and we spent \$18 on gas. As we traveled on towards Connecticut Brent said "this sure is a weird situation, but I wouldn't call it a miracle, I still have \$100 in my pocket."

Monday morning Brent was not allowed to work without steel toed boots, which cost him (you probably guessed) \$100.

Yes, it was a real miracle. Yes, Jesus still watches over His children. Yes, He still cares for our needs and I will always praise Him.

But my mind goes to my beautiful Polish friend, I don't even know her name. Would I be as sensitive to Jesus voice: Would I give \$60 to a stranger even if she assured me she was fine? She didn't need a miracle.

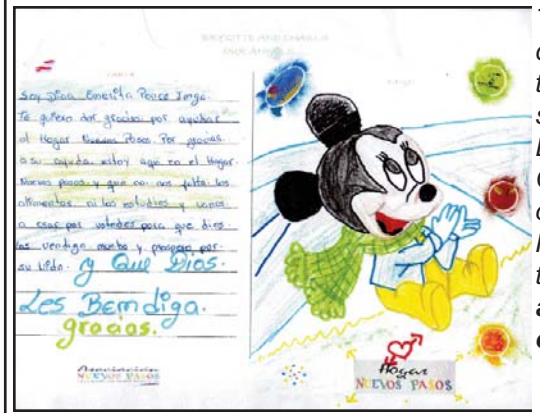
My children are almost grown now. When they speak of events in their lives that have helped to shape their faith in God, they tell of a sweet Christian lady, at a rest area in NJ and her testimony, "I dreamed of you, Jesus told me to help you..." Her gift is worth so much more than \$60.

When our precious Jesus comes and all His children stand on the sea of glass, I want to stand and sing with her: *Written by Kim of Florida.*

Great and marvelous are thy works
Oh Lord God Almighty
Just and true and Thy ways
Oh King of the saints Rev. 15:2-3

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The hand drawn picture to the left was sent to Brygitte and Charlie by an orphan in Peru. It is titled: **Brygitte and Charlie: our angels.** Below is the translation

"I am Diana Emerita Ponce Imga. I would like to thank you for helping our orphanage "Nuevos Pasos" (New Steps), Thank you so much for your help. I live in the orphanage where we do not lack food, studies, or bathrooms. I pray that God will bless you greatly and that you may prosper. God bless you and thank you."

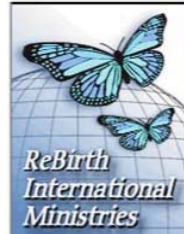
Please accept my tax-deductible contribution of \$ _____ to assist ReBirth International Ministries in feeding the hungry children around the world.

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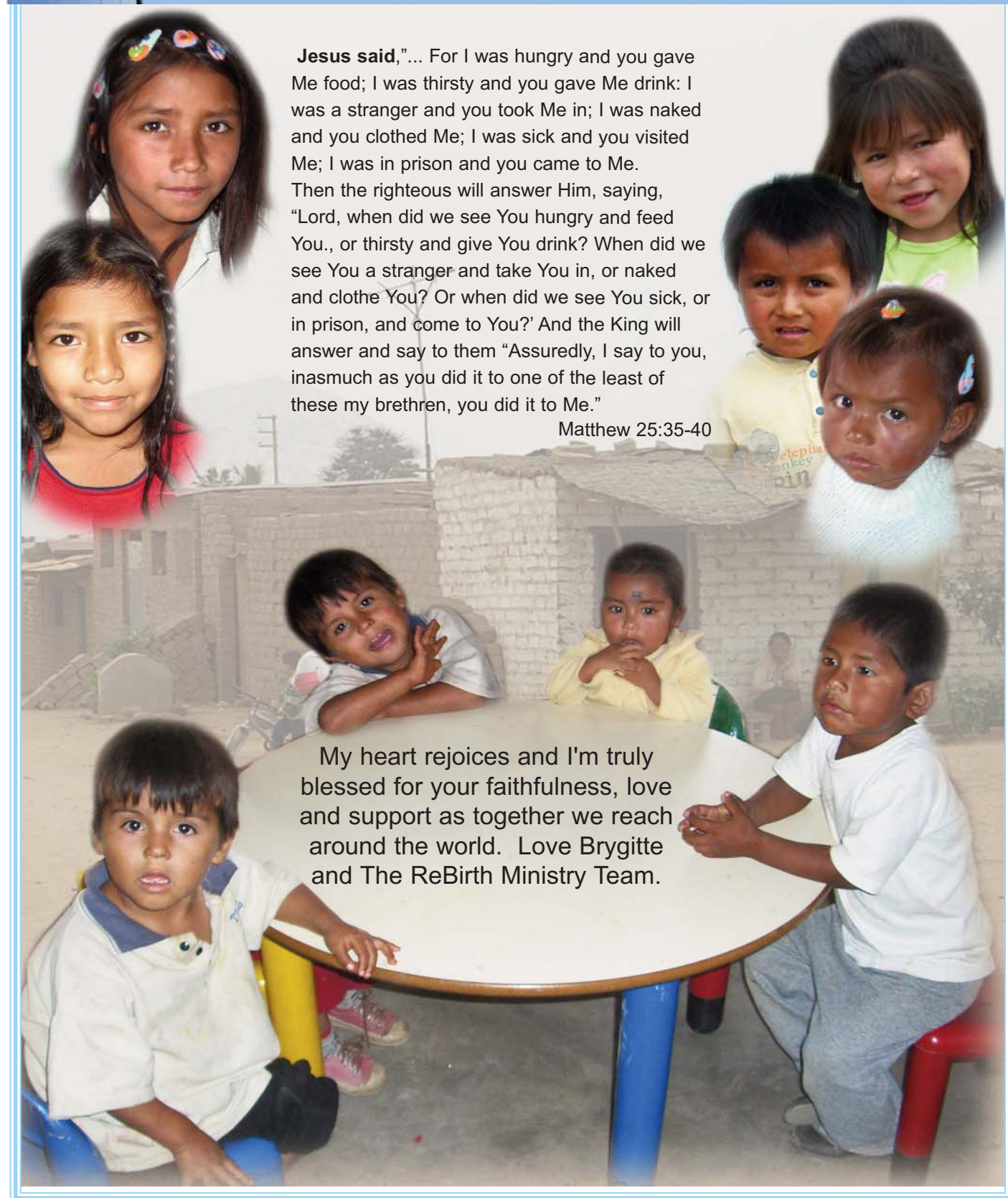
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Jesus said,"... For I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink: I was a stranger and you took Me in; I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me. Then the righteous will answer Him, saying, "Lord, when did we see You hungry and feed You., or thirsty and give You drink? When did we see You a stranger and take You in, or naked and clothe You? Or when did we see You sick, or in prison, and come to You?' And the King will answer and say to them "Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did it to one of the least of these my brethren, you did it to Me."

Matthew 25:35-40

My heart rejoices and I'm truly blessed for your faithfulness, love and support as together we reach around the world. Love Brygitte and The ReBirth Ministry Team.



ReBirth is reaching across the world to help those in need



Brygitte is a Women's International Conference speaker. If you'd like her to come to your church to speak, please contact us to set a date.

With your help...children and widows are being fed in India and other countries around the world.

Below: Children in India crowd excitedly around a new computer in their school.



Our Vision:

- To reach out to and feed the orphans on a daily basis in three countries. Zambia, Malawi, and Peru.
- To help meet the needs of the poor and widows. To spread the Gospel by showing the love of Christ and helping them with food, clothing and a place of refuge..
- To help build schools, orphanages, and water supplies. To be supportive to those who are outcast such as lepers.
- ReBirth remains dedicated to honor the name of "Jesus" on earth and to demonstrate His love.



Christmas is right around the corner...could you please consider helping to feed and take care of the orphans around the world? ... they need you!

ReBirth continues to spread the gospel and feed the children in Peru...

As the current orphanage in Trujillo Peru (seen below center) is finished a new one is already in the process of being supported and built by ReBirth. This building will house boys and girls age birth to 14 as does the current building. ReBirth also supports six separate out-reach sites where food, clothing and education are brought directly to the children in the surrounding area. These children and their families are without income and unable to survive. With your help ReBirth's ability to enlarge it's efforts for these children will continue.

