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July 2010 Guyana Mission Emersion

Dear Pastor / Ministry Leader:

Thank you for your interest in participating in the 2010 Guyana South America Mission Emersion. The Goals of this Emersion is to:

- Engage US Pastors/Lay Leaders in a 1 Week Mission Emersion that will enhance their local ministries.
- Give US Pastors an opportunity to develop partnerships in the 3rd World Nation of Guyana.
- Pastors/Church's who attend should go with hopes of creating a long-term relationship with their host church. One option is to sponsor your host church with \$200 worth of food each month through the Chosen 300 distribution network.
- Lay Members are also welcome to attend emersion and will be assigned to a church to assist a Pastor/Minister at a local congregation.

PREPARATION FOR THE TRIP:

#1 US Passport

- All Persons Attending the Trip will need a **US Passport** Issued No Later than April 30, 2010.

#2 Recommended Vaccinations

Most of the vaccinations can be obtained at your local Physician's office. We recommend going to your physician's office first to get as many of the shots you can in order to save on cost. At a bare minimum we encourage you to get the following shots:

- Hepatitis A & B Combo
- Hep A B Booster (Should be taken 1 month after the first Hep A B Shot; note: if you are going to continue to do mission travel it is good to get a second booster 6 months after your second A B Booster shot, it is our understanding that it covers you for a period of at least 20 years.
- Tetanus
- Flu Shot
- Malaria Pills
- Other Optional Shots Include: Typhoid Fever, Yellow Fever, Rabies
- PLEASE CONSULT WITH YOUR DOCTOR, WE ARE ONLY PROVIDING OUR BASIC UNDERSTANDING, use your own discretion and doctors advice to determine which shots are best for you)

#3 Transportation To/From Guyana

Air Transportation will be provided by Delta Airlines.

- Departure Flight: From JFK International Airport in New York on Tuesday July 13, 2010 at 1:30AM and arrive in Guyana, South America at 8:15 AM (Note: These flights only travels to Guyana every 2 days).
- Return Flight: From Guyana on Tuesday, July 20, 2010 at 10:05 AM arriving at JFK, NY at 2:50 PM Eastern Time.

(Transportation To/From Guyana Continued)

If you are leaving from the Philadelphia Area, Chosen 300 will provide Ground Transportation from Philadelphia, PA to JFK New York and back. If you are coming from outside the Philadelphia area you will need to arrange your own connecting flight or ground transportation to JFK New York. (See Price Information In Application On Page 5).

#4 Additional Cost You Can Expect to Incur

- Vaccinations
- Meals
- Additional Ground Transportation: You may want to set aside approx \$40 a day (4days) for emergency transportation. Some of the host pastors may not have a car and you may need to take a taxi to your assignment. The key is to be prepared for the worst, but most pastors will provide transportation for you.
- Departure Cost – There is an exit fee when leaving the country of \$4000 GUY Dollars (\$20 US). This has to be in Guyana Money.
- Tips
- Offering At Worship Services (Recommend \$50 on first day so church does not have to struggle for additional cost they may incur while having you as their guest)
- Note: Guyana is a 3rd World / Developing Country which means besides the hotel you will find very few places that accept credit cards, bring enough cash that you would normally need for food and necessities when you travel. Exchange rate in Guyana is 200:1.

#5 Dress Code/Luggage

- For All Evening Worship Services, Tuesday Evening Meeting – Business Casual, Slacks (ladies casual skirt) and Casual Shirt (short sleeve golf shirt is fine)
- Sunday Worship, Suit Tie & Shirt, (Ladies Dress or Skirt & Blouse)
- Daytime events, shorts of reasonable length, down dress is fine.
- You may need one outfit that you do not care about depending on your mission project on Friday.
- Pack bottle water for drinking and brushing teeth. (Cannot be in carry on bag.)
- International Travel Only Permits 2 Suitcases under 50lbs, and one carry on bag (Airline may change policies between now and July, check with airline prior to travel)

#6 Sermon Preparation

- Each Pastor will be assigned to One church. The goal is that each church will have pastors speak on Wed, Thurs, Fri. & Sunday.
- Lay Ministers/Associate Ministers may be assigned in pairs based on your pastor's recommendation/your comfort level.
- Lay Members should be prepared to read scripture, pray, lead a workshop or possibly teach Sunday school.

We look forward to you joining us,

Brian C. Jenkins
Executive Director
Chosen 300 Ministries
USA

Michael Sammy
Chosen 300 Guyana Project Leader
Guyana South America

Tentative Itinerary

Monday, July 12, 2010

- 6:30 PM - Depart Philadelphia Via Van to JFK International Airport
- 10:30 PM - Arrive At JFK International Airport
- If you are coming from outside of Philadelphia, please make sure you have a connecting flight arrival time of at least 3 hours prior to the 1:30 AM Departure on July 13 from JFK NY. Note: This flight leaves every 2 days, so if you miss your flight it may be a challenge for you to get to Guyana.

Tuesday, July 13, 2010

- 1:30 AM - Depart from JFK NY Via Delta Air To Guyana
- 8:30 AM - Arrive in Georgetown Guyana Airport
- 10:00 AM - Arrive At Hotel
- Upon Arrival On Tuesday, we will have a rest period till 4:00 PM (You will need this)
- 5:00 PM -Dinner Meeting, Briefing, Questions & Answers Period (Dinner Cost Covered By Chosen 300)
- 7:00 PM - Meet with host Pastors and get schedules for mission assignments.

Wednesday, July 14, 2010

- 9:30 AM Morning Meeting In Dining Hall
- Optional -11:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Shopping In Georgetown Bus. District
- 5:30 PM- Pick up by Host Pastor to Evening Ministry Assignment
- Approx 9:30 -10:30 Return From Evening Ministry Assignment

Thursday, July 15, 2010

- 9:30 AM Morning Meeting In Dining Hall
- 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Mission Project (You May Want To Bring Work Clothes)
- 5:30 PM - Pick up by Host Pastor to Evening Ministry Assignment
- Approx 9:30 - 10:30PM Return From Evening Ministry Assignment

Friday, July 16, 2010

- 9:30 AM Morning Meeting In Dining Hall
- 11:00 AM -2:00 PM – Mission Assignment With Host Church (ie visiting sick, evangelism, work along side of pastor)
- 5:30 PM - Pick up by Host Pastor to Evening Ministry Assignment
- Approx 9:30 - 10:30PM Return From Evening Ministry Assignment

Saturday, July 17, 2010

- 9:30 AM - Morning Meeting In Dining Hall
- 11:30 AM - Depart For Saturday Mission Project
- Leisure Upon Return - (Team Leaders Meet)

Sunday, July 18, 2010

- 9:30 AM - Depart for Sunday Ministry Assignment - Picked Up By Host Pastor
- 2:00 to 4:00 PM - Food Distribution To Families At Host Church

Monday, July 19, 2010

- 9:30 AM - Morning Meeting In Dining Hall
- Sabbath Rest- Shopping Guides Will Be Available to do final shopping. (Team Leaders Meet)
- 7:00 PM - Closing Fellowship with Host Pastors (Please bring a thank you gift for your host Pastor)

Tuesday July 20, 2010

- 7:30 AM - Depart For Guyana International Airport (Note: There is an Executive Suite you can sit in for \$25 if you don't want to sit in the hard chairs in the terminal)
- 10:05 AM - Flight Departure For JFK New York
- 2:00 PM - Arrival Back In JFK NY

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CHOSEN 300 MINISTRIES, INC.
GUYANA MISSION EMERSION 2010 APPLICATION
Tuesday July 13, 2010 - Tues. July 20, 2010

Personal Information

Name _____
(Print Name As Listed On Passport, If you do not have a passport as of yet list name as it is on your SS Card)

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email: _____

Date Of Birth _____ Citizenship _____

Passport # _____ State/Country Of Issue _____

Date Of Issue _____ Date Of Expiration _____

Gender ___ Male or ___ Female (Check One)

(Please Include Photo Copy Of Passport, All Person Traveling Are Required To Register With US Department Of State Prior to Departure. You can register on line at <https://travelregistration.state.gov> and will receive more information about this closer to your departure date.

Church Information

Church Affiliation _____

Are you the Pastor ___ Yes ___ No (Check One) If No, Pastors Name _____

Are you an ordained minister ___ Yes ___ No

Church Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Church Phone _____ Pastors Phone _____

Emergency Contact Information

Name _____

Home Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Price Package Preference

(Based on choice of accommodations- Check One)

A. ___ \$1812.50 Per Person (Based On 2 Persons in Double Bed Room – 2 Beds In Room – If you do not have a roommate we can match you up with someone of the same gender – It is highly recommended that you room with someone)

B. ___ \$ 2012.00 Per Person (Based On 1 Person in Single Bed Room – One Bed)

C. ___ \$1506.00 Per Person (Based On 2 Persons in Single Bed Room – One Bed for husband and wife)

Note: (\$100 discount if first deposit of \$750.00 is made by Feb 28, 2010 due to advance airline purchase)

If You Chose A or C Please indicate Name of Person You Prefer To Room With.

If you do not have a roommate and choose option A, one will be assigned for you.

All Price Packages Include:

- Airline Ticket From JFK New York to Georgetown Guyana & Return
- Ground Transportation From Philadelphia to JFK New York & Return
- Ground Transportation To/From Hotel to Airport In Guyana
- Selected Hotel Accommodations
- Mid-Day Trips / Mission Projects Wed, Thurs, Fri & Sat.
- Cost Of Supplies For Mission Projects

Deposit Due Dates (Deposits Are Non-Refundable)

April 30, 2010 - \$750.00 (\$100 discount if first deposit is made by Feb 28, 2010 due to advance airline purchase)

July 1, 2010 – Balance (Package A - \$1062.50; Package B – \$1262.50; Package C - \$756.00)

Disclaimer: I verify that the information provided in this application is accurate and correct. I understand there is a risk in foreign travel and agree to hold harmless, indemnify, and release Chosen 300 Ministries, its staff, employees and officers from any and all claims that may arise out of the Guyana Mission Emersion.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Get Ready For A Life Changing Experience In Guyana

