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Hope in this Life!

The apostle Paul's phrase "most miserable" describes the disposition of a new Project Rescue member. "If in this life only we have hope in Christ, we are of all men most miserable." 1 Corinthians 15:19

How does a member of the Lord's church with such high hopes, become "most miserable"? The simple answer is that addiction and the devil devoured his hope.

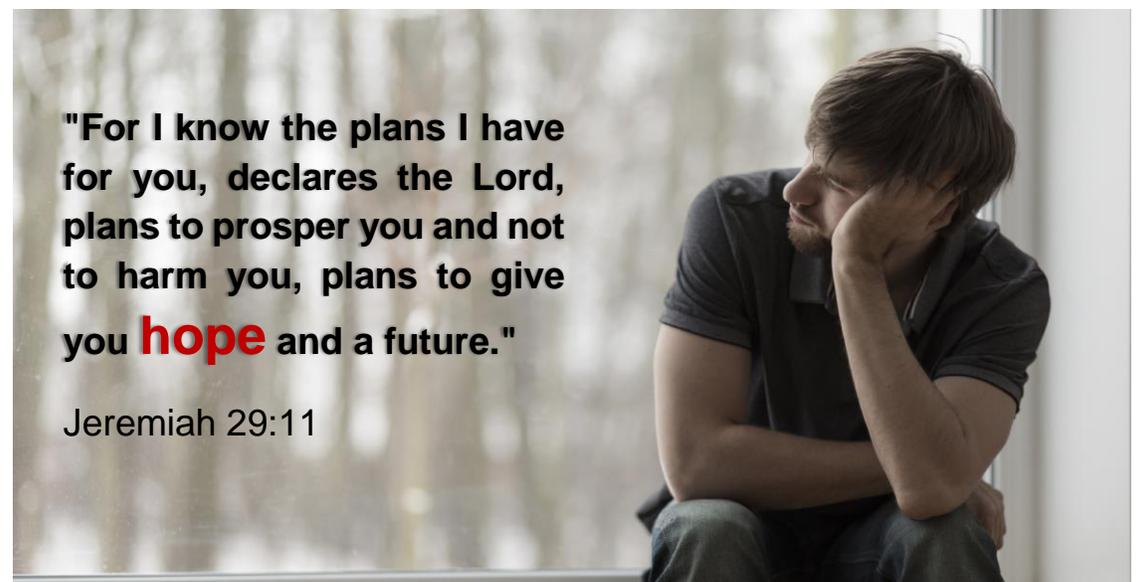
Spiritually speaking, our typical member was blessed to enjoy 18 years of Sunday Bible classes, worship services, VBS weeks, Bible camps, mission trips, and numerous youth group events! Also, his every physical need was met, to enable him to succeed in this life.

Then, in his late teens, he tires of his parents' way, and wants to "do his own thing." He walks out of the light and into a world of despair and darkness. His hope vanishes quickly.

Years later, emotional & spiritual bankruptcy renders him lost, without hope and without God in the world. He ends up on our doorstep worse than "most miserable," because he has lost hope in this life and in the next. He is dead while he liveth!

Upon his arrival, we begin immediately to revive him. Reconciliation with family members helps his hope. In his first few days, you can see the deadness in his eyes, which is hopelessness. We go further by helping him find a job he loves with good pay. We encourage him to save his money, to become financially independent of his family. If possible, we also help him get his Driver's License back and buy a vehicle. We help some become free of the court system.

Of course, we get him into the Word through devotionals, classes and 1-on-1 sessions with ministers. After only a few months you can see a glimmer of light in his eyes. His family notices it the most. Their son who was once dead, is alive again!!



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This may not look exciting to you, but to us at Project Rescue, we are thrilled with the progress on our new multi-purpose building. The main structure is complete which, of course, opens the way for the real work to begin on the inside.



The really good news is – we are only \$10,000 from our goal of \$75,000 that will be matched by our anonymous donor.

If you would like to help us reach that goal, it would be so greatly appreciated! Just make your check to Project Rescue and mail it to:

179 Cave Spring Road
Decatur, AL 35603

For those who have been so generous to help us with this project, we just can't thank you enough. This facility will add a whole new dimension to the work and be such a great tool in bringing all the men together in one place. In the past, they have been crowded into a former workshop which wasn't very conducive to Bible study. They will also now be able to eat a healthy meal together in comfort and convenience. This is a situation we have never had before, and we look forward to the many possibilities it presents.

Thanks to the hard work of a team of men from the Beltline congregation, the framing has been done.



Here are the 3 offices.



And here are the kitchen and bathroom.



There is a lot of space between these two ends.



Best wishes to you all and thanks so much for your continued prayers and support!