

# HOLLIDAY ADVENTURES



MARISA AND JACLYN WITH LYKA, PEAH AND MELVIRA... THE THREE GIRLS OUR FAMILY IS SPONSORING FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL.

## Palawan, Philippines: What an amazing trip!

Thank you so much for helping us go on a mission trip with our Dad to the Philippines. What an amazing trip!

I (Jaclyn) had heard stories from Marisa and my Dad about the Philippines, but hearing stories cannot compare to actually going there. We flew from Orlando to New York, then to Tokyo (that flight was 14 hours), then to Manila. Eight hours later we were boarding a plane for Palawan, where we got on a small plane to fly into the Tagbanwa tribe. Our friends Lyka, Peah and Melvira, who our family sponsors for school, were waiting for us when we arrived in the village. They speak a little english, and we brought gifts for

them and did nails together, so it was really fun to be with them.

Palawan is so beautiful, and the people are really nice. I did get sick one night, which wasn't fun :( I loved the children so much. Jessica (to the right of me in the picture below) had fallen in a fire when she was a baby. She had a scar on her head. I showed her the scar on my leg from my accident when I was three. It was so cool. She looked at our scars, and then she said to me, "We are beautiful!" Michelle and Cecile are twin sisters that are both deaf, so I had fun using the sign language I am learning at school this year, even though its not the same as theirs.

I (Marisa) had wanted to go back to the Philippines ever since my trip with my Dad when I was 12. We helped our team clear trees and bushes for a new landing strip. That was really hard work! We also got to help with a VBS program where we played with the kids, loved on them and taught them how much God loves them. I loved taking lots of pictures of the kids and of all the beauty there is to see on the island. Going to different places, meeting different people, learning about different cultures, experiencing new things, seeing how BIG our God is...what a great adventure!

*Thank You! Marisa & Jaclyn*



# Disciplemaking Trainers Making An Impact!

While in South Africa for J-Life's African Leadership Summit, I had the opportunity to be with leaders from all five East African nations (Kenya, Uganda, Rwanda, Tanzania & Burundi, along with the island of Zanzibar). Their stories of commitment and impact humbled me. Shinga, our leader in Rwanda, was told that if he came to South Africa for extended ministry training to lead J-Life Rwanda, he would forfeit his church. Because his family lived in a small room behind the church, this meant not only losing his ministry, but also his home. He knows what God has called him to do. Shinga is trusting God for a home for his family while he launches J-Life for the youth of his country!

## A Village Finds Christ

Responding to training they had received from me three years earlier, some Tagbanwan youth leader trainers felt prompted by God to build a relationship with people in a village who had never been exposed to the Gospel. Of the 70 people living in the village, over 30 became Christians. One young man from the village who didn't know how to read or write wanted to enter the year long training program. Trainers spent the first two months teaching him how to read and write, and at graduation, while he was sharing his testimony, one leader leaned over and told me this young man was now their best Bible teacher!

## Disciples Making Disciples

As we invest in leaders like Shinga from Rwanda, Randy from Palawan and the students in our SOYM program in Haiti, we are seeing God do miraculous things. In the first three months of their SOYM internship, this year's students in Haiti have led over 200 people to Christ through their disciplemaking efforts! Yea God!

*Serving Christ together,  
Doug & Jennifer*

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## HAMMRE KAYANDO

HAMMRE HAS BEEN A DEAR FRIEND FOR 12 YEARS. IN 2011, HE BECAME OUR COUNTRY LEADER FOR J-LIFE KENYA AND IS BUILDING A LEADERSHIP TEAM TO BRING DISCIPLEMAKING TRAINING TO YOUTH LEADERS ACROSS KENYA. HAMMRE WILL MARRY HIS FIANCÉ, SHARIPHER, THIS AUGUST.



## SHINGA JEREMIE

SHINGA AND HIS FAMILY LIVE IN KIGALI, THE CAPITAL CITY OF RWANDA. AFTER SPENDING THREE MONTHS IN SOUTH AFRICA RECEIVING TRAINING, HE HAS RETURNED TO LAUNCH J-LIFE RWANDA AND IMPACT THE YOUTH OF HIS NATION WITH THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST.



## MICHAEL TITUS

MICHAEL GREW UP IN A MUSLIM HOME AND THROUGH A DREAM BECAME A CHRISTIAN AT THE AGE OF 17. HE IMMEDIATELY GOT INVOLVED IN MINISTRY, AND BY THE AGE OF 19 HAD PLANTED HIS FIRST CHURCH. IN 2011, HE RESPONDED TO THE CALL OF GOD TO LAUNCH J-LIFE TANZANIA.



## JAMES KATENDE

JAMES AND HIS FAMILY HAVE RECENTLY TRANSITIONED FROM HIS ROLE WITH LIFE MINISTRIES/UGANDA (CAMPUS CRUSADE) TO BE OUR COUNTRY LEADER FOR J-LIFE YOUTH MINISTRY TRAINING. JAMES IS PASSIONATE ABOUT REACHING THE YOUTH OF UGANDA.



## RANDY CONG

RANDY AND HIS FAMILY LIVE ON THE PHILIPPINES ISLAND OF PALAWAN, WHERE HE PASTORS A CHURCH AND HELPS WITH OUR TRAINING EFFORTS OF TRIBAL CHURCH PLANTING LEADERS. RANDY IS TRANSLATING OUR MATERIAL INTO THE TAGBANWAN LANGUAGE.

**\$** DHM is committed to providing support for all of these trainers. We would initially like to provide \$50 a month to help each trainer with their ministry efforts, along with laptops and other training resources. Want to "Adopt A Trainer?"