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We greet you from Good Samaritan in the Name of Our Lord. By the grace of God and your support the work continues joyfully.



USA: A beautiful surprise for our mission this May was the marriage of long time friend and ministry representative, Mary K. Schaefer, to Charles A. Strouss. Peter and Yuriy conducted a Ukrainian prayer blessing for them in the service. Mary has worked with Good Samaritan for twelve and one half years and has traveled with our mission to Russia; Ukraine and Argentina. Charles, son of missionaries to Mexico, is the founder of International Christian Outreach and Relief mission, and has ministered mostly in Philippines. This lovely couple continues to carry out their missionary calling with trips to Morocco and Thailand in August. Chuck is interested in seeing the Christian medical outreach the Moroccan king is allowing into

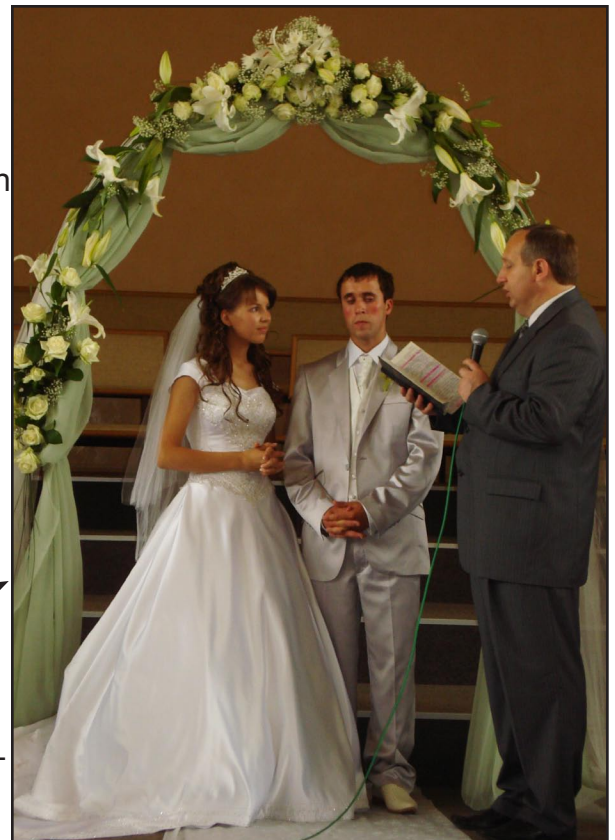
this Muslim nation and in Thailand, Mary is leading music at a seminar, which connects Asian Christians from restricted countries, learning how the church can minister to traumatized individuals and groups. We wish them many years of happiness, God's protection and physical strength for travel.

In **Ukraine**, staff and friends of the children's home, "Happy Family", which suffered the comprehensive fire this winter, have almost completed its restoration. Our grateful thanks goes out to many of you who rose to the rescue with funding for this emergency need.

At our mission in Rovno, the new session of a Missionary Bible School has started with about twenty participants. With a desire to increase their effectiveness, Rostik Boriskevich, director drew them out from the work they are already doing in villages and churches. Many go out with enthusiasm but not much training. We hear that the class is comprised of excellent and sincere students.

In Ukraine, as well as in Russia, prices are rising astronomically as the dollar is losing strength. Please pray for our leadership, the students and the outreach from that center, particularly to Eastern Ukraine which is more like Russia. Communism has a strong hold and there are scarcely any churches, Orthodox or Evangelical.

Peter Radchuk and a team of young people were in Ukraine in June. One of our mission's musical representatives got married there and Peter performed the ceremony. The team was a blessing as they traveled preaching in towns and villages. They learned the physical side of missions as they helped





with the remodeling of our Christian Center in Priluki, East Ukraine.

With your help, we supplied mattresses and pillows to 34 children in one of the orphanages pastor Anatoliy Borisovets helps in Buenos Aires. In another province of **Argentina** called Formosa, we are working to establish an orphanage for the children of the native tribes. We are in the process of constructing a building. Pastor



Anatoliy was able to raise funds for the walls on a recent trip here. During the daytime, missionaries work on the walls and in the evenings they preach the gospel. Also, Anatoliy provides seminars for church leaders. Many come out to the church to hear and come to Christ but they have many questions about life. Others need deliverance from evil spirits. One young man was delivered after 3 days of prayer by the Christian brothers. Praise God! He has joy on his face and hope in his heart now, as well as eternal life.

In **America** we once more have the privilege of training a class of over 45 students in our Practical Missionary Bible School. They have been studying since June and will continue all summer, being



taught by visiting teachers who speak Russian, Ukrainian and English and missionaries with real life faith stories to challenge them. These dedicated students will have experiences that will change their lives, such as going to Mexico for one week to do practical outreach. We thank God for the opportunity to mold these young people for His service.

***We thank you for standing with us so faithfully. May God bless you richly,
Peter Radchuk and staff of Good Samaritan***