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Heading Back to Hungary

Praises

Jeff attended the Denver Christmas Conference and was able to interview student leaders to help him in his future development of GodSquad.com.

He enjoyed being around college students and seeing many Campus Crusade staff friends from Kansas and Missouri.

Prayer Requests

Budapest Spring Project

Pray that God will be preparing the hearts of Hungarian teenagers that Jeff's team will meet in March.

Pray that God will provide the support that Jeff and his team need to minister in Hungary. How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed? How will they believe in Him whom they have not heard? And how will they hear without a preacher? How will they preach unless they are sent? Just as it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news of good things!"

Romans 10:14-15, NASB

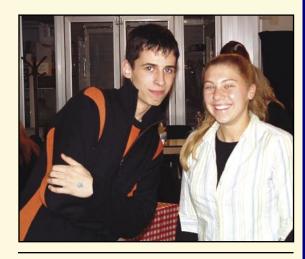
In 1990, these verses inspired me as I made a decision to invest the summer in the country of Hungary.

It was an exciting time to take the gospel to Hungarians, as they had just emerged from behind the Iron Curtain. It also a life changing experience for me. Little did I know that I had begun a relationship with this country that would take me back there five more times.

As I walked down a street in Budapest last March, I reflected on how God continues to give me a heart for the people of this country. There is still so much to do in Hungary. The Berlin Wall may have come down in 1990, but the hearts of Hungarians still contain a wall that prevents them from experiencing the freedom of the gospel.

Next month, I will return to Hungary. I am leading a team of teenagers from Orlando on a 10 day mission trip.

We will be speaking in Hungarian high schools and meeting with students after school at McDonald's or Burger King restaurants around Budapest. The week will climax with



Balint (on the left) was one of the Hungarian high school students that Jeff met last year. Jeff will be returning to Hungary in March.

a Battle of Bands outreach that drew over 600 high school students last year.

This year's team is slowly taking shape. I'm excited that five students from last year's team are trusting God to go back.

Inez is a girl we met last year and invited to attend SpeakOut, a summer English camp put on by Campus Crusade. Inez went to SpeakOut and asked Christ into her life. Many other students attended SpeakOut because of our efforts last March.

We are praying that this will be a significant week of ministry as we join the ongoing efforts of the high school ministry team in Budapest. Our team will be in Hungary from March 10 to 19.

