



REST & Review

Offering hope to the hurting, abused and addicted in the church and in the community.

REST Ministries seeks to be a beacon of hope for those who have experienced abuse or are seeking to help those who are hurting. Judy and I continue to minister one-on-one with women who are hurting as well as leading small groups to offer the hope and healing available through a relationship with Christ. We continue to answer requests for resources and materials and to provide a listening ear and prayer to many who contact us by phone or through email.

After the many changes that have taken place in REST Ministries, Judy and I both have a greater appreciation for Proverbs 16:9 *“We can make our plans, but the LORD determines our steps.”* We continue to seek ways to reach out to those who are hurting and have been encouraged by your faithful support—in prayer and in generous financial gifts.

Like Habakkuk, we are waiting to see what God has planned for us. We have recognized that one of the greatest tools we have is the materials that have been developed over the years. Following every workshop we teach, at least one person says, “This teaching is great. Everyone can benefit from attending one of these workshops.” But, in today’s world, lives are full. It’s sometimes difficult to find time to attend workshops. So we wanted to make these materials available outside of a workshop. As we sought God’s thoughts on this (they are His materials, not ours), we became certain that God is asking us to concentrate on updating our materials and getting them online. We are trusting that He will provide all we need in meeting these goals and are excited to see where He will lead us as we wait on Him.

It is our goal to have the Bridge to Restoration online by the end of 2017. While this is a huge undertaking, the first draft is complete and is in the process of being edited. We have



Jackie England and Judy Edinger

begun working on “Support Group Dynamics” and have plans to update all our available workshops.

In the fall, Jackie will be traveling to Ghana and Brazil to present the *Bridge to Restoration Workshop* to groups in those countries. We are also available to present these workshops and others to your church or community group. Feel free to contact Jackie for more information about available workshop topics and how you can schedule one or more.

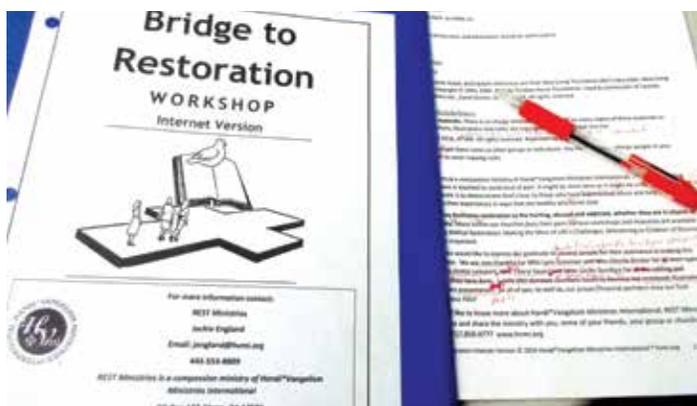
Like Habakkuk, we want to be in the best position to reach out to those who are hurting and encouraging others to do the same. We prayerfully seek out opportunities to do this and are encouraged by the way God answers our prayers. We have been given many opportunities over the past year to do this. Sometimes we can take an opportunity in a personal conversation at the grocery store, doctor’s office or while waiting in line to vote! Many times it is through a phone call or a contact from someone who found us online.

We covet your partnership with us in prayer as we commit our plans to God’s will and seek to glorify Him in all we do. To help you in doing this, we offer a monthly prayer update. If you are interested in receiving this update, please return the response form below and let us know the best way to get these to you (email or mailbox).

Jackie and Judy

“I pray that God, the source of hope, will fill you completely with joy and peace because you trust in him. Then you will overflow with confident hope through the power of the Holy Spirit.” Romans 15:13 (New Living Translation)

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REST Ministries Photo Gallery



Pastor MacDouglas and Patience Ampadu. Patience is working with a group of women to start a Restoration Ministry in Ghana.



Judy and Al partnered with Carmen's Crew in reaching out to truckers with the love of Christ. REST provided soap for the goodie bags.



Jackie was invited to speak at Set Time Baptist Church in Tema, Ghana on the importance of reaching out to those who are hurting with the hope and healing to be found in a relationship with Christ.

Coffee House Ministry at The Lost Coin, Kensington, PA.



Pray for Judy, the staff and those who wander into the coffee house at The Lost Coin.



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Go online or make checks payable to H*VMI and mail to the address above. Be sure to include "for REST Ministries" or the missionary's name on a separate piece of paper—not on the check itself.



Important Dates for 2017

April 22 H*VMI NJ Banquet

October 14 H*VMI PA Banquet

"The Spirit of the Sovereign LORD is upon me, for the LORD has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to comfort the brokenhearted and to proclaim that captives will be released and prisoners will be freed." Isaiah 61:1 (NLT)

"He will not crush the weakest reed or put out a flickering candle. He will bring justice to all who have been wronged." Isaiah 42:3 (NLT)