

## MINISTRY PARTNERSHIP, Financial Support Information

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### **HOW YOUR GIVING CAN MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE RIGHT NOW; for Ministry resources and medical reimbursements and monthly needs**

**\$11,600, Ministry tools, training:** (Staff Training 2016, Mentoring Manuals, Outreach CD's, Retreats, Seminars, Conferences, Outreach Events, tools, Tech help; Computers, Printers, Laptop, Graphics, Admin. help)

**\$24,000 Medical Treatments, Our high insurance deductibles can be reimbursed if we have enough in our CCC account. Kurt's kidney and other surgeries,** blood clots in lungs, legs, vascular, pulmonary and other tests, treatments past and future, jaw appliance, implant. **Ginger's surgery 12/15,** continued physical and Prolotherapy, muscle, spine, nerve treatments, jaw appliance, implants, injections. ++God has worked through Born Clinic to restore Kurt much more than most people who have Lyme disease as severely as Kurt has. They've greatly reduced Ginger's trips to emergency rooms. Dr's Dan VanGessel, Tom Lambert, John Dew and Jerry Mulder have also helped greatly.

**\$970 more per month, (\$11,640 annual)** make up for losses due to people losing jobs and retirement etc. Full monthly support would cover almost all the needs above this year. This would practically eliminate urgent requests for one time support. ***This helps keep us on the field, instead of stopping ministry to raise support.***

### BIBLICAL BASIS: Giving according to God's purpose and pattern

We are excited to see how **God has used "support teams" throughout scriptures and church history.** Imagine being on Jesus' "support team"...or Paul's...

Luke 8:1-3 **Jesus began going about...preaching the kingdom of God, the twelve were with Him, and also some women... and many others who were contributing to their support out of their private funds.**

Phillipians 4:10 **How grateful I am and how I praise the Lord that you are helping me again...**

**only you Phillipians became my partners in giving and receiving...**

**:16 Even when I was over in Thessalonica you sent help twice**



### BENEFITS:

Our **prayer base is stronger** because several churches and many individuals support us. They are friends, not donors. *More people give thanks when they see fruits of their giving, and answered prayer. Regular reporting to our support team challenges us to know what God is calling us to do and pursue it with our very best. Many can participate first hand and meet the people they are praying for. Seeing fruit here stimulates faith and involvement world-wide.* **\*People are more receptive when they know we are already supported and not setting them up to "pay" us.**

### INTEGRITY: Note: CCC has changed its name to CRU. This is working fine.

"Money" Magazine Dec. '94 issue, rated Cru as **"The most efficient religious organization in America"**, reported that Cru has **the highest percentage of income going to direct programs which help people.**

### POLICIES AND PROCEDURES: (Powerful Accountability)

*All finances (salary, reimbursements for ministry expenses, medical, etc.) are governed by CRU and IRS National Policy using Standard Procedures and forms signed by Directors.* Our salary (set by Nat'l policy) is fixed, based on Kurt and Ginger both working only for CRU, no other employment allowed.

*We raise support for **all** our Ministry, Medical, Salary, Benefits, and Administrative Expenses*

*There are no Fund Raisers, Agency or Denominational funds to help meet our needs.*

*All Ministry expenses: (training / conferences, ministry communications, office, transportation, materials, events, meals ) Admin.12%, ; Med /Benefits, Salary: TDAnnuity, Add'l med. expense, Int'nat'l/ Ministries 5%, CruCity Nat'l 1%, Admin. help*

*All money sent to our CRU account #0029-870 goes only toward our ministry.*

*Any "extra" stays in our account, only used by us, only according to policy and approval procedures.*

*National Policy requires us to have sufficient monthly support to minister effectively. Any shortage in our account means reduced salary and less reimbursement. We must stop ministry if we have a deficit.*

+ CRU doesn't know about or "bill" you for your pledges. They only send receipts and totals..\*\*It helps us greatly if you let us know (directly) of any changes in your support plans\*\* **Your faithfulness keeps us focused on our ministry.**

+ **Our final confidence is in God.** He will call and enable you and others to help meet our needs so we can help others. *We trust Him to make us a fruitful missions investment. Each newsletter will report dividends in changed lives.*

### PRACTICAL:

+ **Checks made out to CCC,or CRU, sent to CCC** , PO Box 628222 Orlando FL 32862-9841

+ >>>Be sure and include **our name & CRU acct #0029870 on separate memo**<<<

+ Monthly receipts/ yearly totals are sent to you from CCC. Call Donor Dept. @ 888-CRUSADE w/questions.

+ **Credit Card giving, Safe & Fast., On Line** <http://give.ccci.org> , by phone 888 278 7233

>\*\*Contact us directly about any changes in support plans or ministry questions\*\*

**Can you see why we are so excited about the principles, and so grateful for your partnership?**

**"What a joy serving HIM with people like Kurt and Ginger!**

**Oh, how we need more people like them, who not only have creative ministry skills, but have compassion to reach out to others for Christ.**

**I encourage you to support them prayerfully and financially: a wise investment that will be multiplied many times through changed lives."**

Josh Mc Dowell



Ginger , Josh, Kurt