# Land of Hope

#### **ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION**

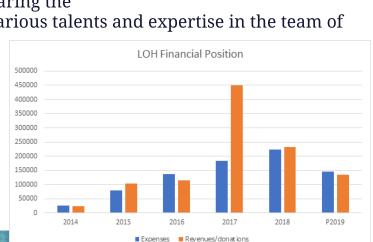
About 8 years ago, God burdened a servant of the lord with the vision of reaching out and impacting the community with the hopeful message of Jesus Christ. In February of 2012, the founder of the ministry started the journey towards changing our lands into "LAND OF HOPE".

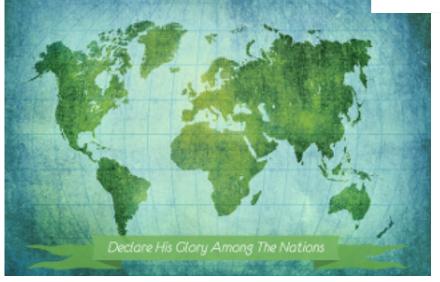
By Sharing and growing the vision, a group of 9 volunteers; who immigrated to Canada between 5-15 years ago from Egypt; are working towards the vision of transforming communities by sharing the

gospel of Jesus Christ. God had provided various talents and expertise in the team of

Land of Hope including finance, IT, engineering and medicine.

With every dream, God has provided to turn it into reality. In 2017, God has given us the down payment to turn Anchor Retreat Centre into reality. With every year that passes by, God has amazed us with covering all the ministries financial needs generously.





Land of Hope is a registered Charity in Canada under registration number 81240 6486 RR0001

## MISSION TRIPS

Tanzania 2019 was one of God's granted opportunities to expand Land of Hope ministries beyond the boundaries of North America and into the heart of Africa.

Land of Hope had the opportunity to partner with YWAM & L3 International along with 60 local churches reflect the body and image of Jesus within the city.

A 10 days mission trip around the city of Babati including visits to churches, schools, hospitals and homes.

The mission included 4 festival of Hope days were thousands were gathered to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ shared boldly by God's anointed servants.

More than 13,500 attendees in the festival of Hope that had the opportunity to hear the Gospel,6,400 decisions for Christ and 1350 booklets for follow up and discipleship.

The mission reached about 1600 student through the schools and market visits. The kids had the opportunity to hear the gospel and devote their life to Christ on daily basis.

With your generous contribution, Land of Hope was able to collect over 600 pieces of toys and Clothes from Canadian local churches and distribute them during the mission. Toys were distributed in various places including Home of Hope Orphanage and Land of Hope church that had about 150 kids.



In 2020, We are burdened to continue God's work through more mission trips in different regions. Land of Hope is currently praying about more opportunities to reach out to the ones in need for salvation and help.

We are currently praying for our coming mission in June of 2020 in Zambia and Malawi with a second time partnership with L3 International and YWAM.

## VICTORIOUS FESTIVAL

With God's Guidance and your continuous support and prayers, Land of Hope was able to reach out to more than 48,000 attendees with the message of Hope through 7 Victorious Festivals in 5 different cities in North America.

Victorious Festival is a Christian festival held at public venues in major cities across Canada and the United States.

The festival hosted around 20 Christian artists who shared the gospel and testified about their faith in front of thousands of pedestrians.

**5** Cities

48,000 20 Attendees

**Christian Artists** 

#### 7 Festivals

Among those artists were Flame, Building 429, Real Encounter, Team Extreme, City Harmonic, Jon Neufeld and others.

In coordination with local churches, new believers and interested attendees are integrated in follow up groups and discipleship programs.

Victorious Festival has toured around 5 cities in both Canada and the United States including Toronto, New York,

Vancouver, Niagara Falls and Montreal.

Victorious Festival was held at Yonge-Dundas Square in Toronto, Times Square in New York, Elizabeth Theater Plaza in Vancouver Queen Victoria Park in Niagara Falls and Parc Jean Drapeau in Montreal.

May 2018, Yes TV hosted Land of Hope on 100 Huntley Street Show as a part of the marketing campaign for 2018 festival.

The Festival has the privilege of hosting Christian public figures like Harold Albercht: Member of Parliament for the conservative party of Canada in the riding of Kitchener; who shared his faith and testimony himself and stressed on his own experience as a Christian and as a founding pastor at Pathway Community Church for 6 years.



### ANCHOR RETREAT CENTRE

A Christian retreat Centre specialized in hosting church retreats and Christian summer camps situated over 11 acres of land, in the heart of nature 2.5 hours away from Toronto.

In May 4, 2017, Land of Hope was blessed with witnessing God's dream turning into reality through the purchase of Anchor Retreat Centre.

With the overwhelming love and support of Land of Hope's donors, Land of Hope was able to raise \$265K covering the down payment and the main Capital expenditures needed to start the operations at Anchor.

By the end of 2019, Anhcor Retreat centre would complete its third season in 2.5 years reaching out to more than 1,800 camper, through hosting more than 30 different retreats over the 3 seasons.

Anchor Retreat Centre was able to generate \$264K of revenues within the past 3 seasons that were able to cover the



Centre's expenses and assist with other ministry needs.

Anchor Retreat Centre offers a unique experience to its guests in terms of accommodation, food and activities. The wide range of activities offered includes soccer, volleyball, bubble soccer, canoeing, kayaking, paddle boat, ping pong, biking and more.

God has blessed Land of Hope with its first summer camp; Engage Summer Camp; that was operated by Land of Hope. Engage Camp was held at Anchor Retreat Centre in Cooperation with RZIM Canada for Youth between the age of 11 to 17 years old.

And dreams are yet to continue, God had put into our hearts to expand

Anchor Retreat Centre and create more opportunities for youth and adults to experience God's presence.

For 2020, A plan is in place to expand the facility and prepare the ground for new activities including a basketball court, low rope course, a tennis court and more with a total budget of \$120K.



## ARABIC EVENTS

Land of Hope's passion extends to the Arabic speaking community in North America.

we had the opportunity to tour 10 cities across North America including Montreal (for 6 events), Toronto (for 4 events), Ottawa , Calgary, Los Angeles, San Diego, Dallas, Atlanta, Nashville and New Jersey. During these events, more than 12,000 people were blessed to renew their commitment and zeal to reach out to

others who need hope.

In each event, local Arabic churches

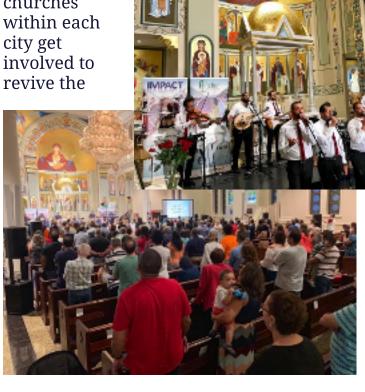
Arabic community and encourage then to go out beyond the church boundaries and share the gospel in their communities.

In 2019, Land of Hope was able to host The Good news Team; a well known Egyptian praise team. The team included about 18 musician and vocals who flew mostly from Egypt to

hold 4 different events in Toronto and Montreal.

The events were hosted in Tyndale and Cathedral of the Transfiguration in Toronto and Cathedral Saint Sauveur in Montreal and were attended by more than 2,000 people.

Land of Hope will continue to serve and reach out for the Arabic Community for the coming years with a message of revival and encouraging.



### **IMPACT**

1000 pounds of food

500 meals

IMPACT is our community outreach ministry. IMPACT works towards reaching as many people from our surrounding communities as we can and touch lives in need with a healing touch offering grace and material assistance.

Land of Hope has been working for 4 years towards the community within the GTA region. Our outreaches include food bank, street runs, hospital visits and more.

IMPACT had conducted around 12 rounds of food collection for the Daily Bread Food Bank within the last 4 years where we would go door to door and collect meals for the Food Bank. We have collected over 1,000 pounds of food in our rounds.

IMPACT had also reached out to the sick at Rouge Valley Hospital where we had the opportunity to communicate with more than 35 patients and provide them with comfort and hope during pain.

120 homeless

We have assisted in soup kitchens around downtown Toronto area where we were able to serve around 500 meals in 4 visits.

Street runs have been a big part of what IMPACT does. God has blessed us with opportunity to feed and cloth more than 120 homeless people.

IMPACT had assisted with The Scott Mission shelter home to organize rooms and prepare it for the homeless stay over night, helped with Habitat for Humanity for a 5 hours project and gave a hand with Christmas operation Child packing shoe boxes for the kids.

Impact will continue its mission in 2020 touching more lives with hands of mercy and compassion.



MORE TO COME..

We are very excited to see and encounter what God has for the ministry of Land of Hope for the coming years.

Growing the existing ministries:

- Zambia & Malawi Mission 2020.
- Anchor facilities expansion with a total budget of \$120K
- Expanding the reach of Impact to those in need.

In addition to growing each ministry of the existing ministries, God has burdened our heart with a nation wide event in Canada in 2022.

Land of Hope is filled with the passion to witness God's presence all over Canada from Yukon to Newfound land.

As the bible says in Luke 18:27

"What is impossible with man is possible with God"



Please visit our websites:

www.landofhope.net

www.anchorretreatcentre.com

