

# 2018 RENNER MINISTRIES

ANNUAL  REPORT





## A WORD FROM RICK AND DENISE

WE'RE GAINING  
MOMENTUM BY  
STAYING THE COURSE!

The year 2018 saw many positive changes for this ministry, and we're expecting to make greater strides in the new year. Our goals for 2019 are to remain consistent with what we're already doing — receiving our directives from Heaven, following them by His grace, and *staying the course*.

When we consistently invest the very best of our resources — of our time, our money, and our energy — in Heaven's dreams, remarkable things happen. Those investments of time, money, and energy eventually produce a harvest that is sweet.

Proverbs 4:18 (AMP) says, "...The path of the [uncompromisingly] just *and* righteous is like the light of dawn, that shines more and more (brighter and clearer) until [it reaches its full strength and glory in] the perfect day...." This kind of consistent, uncompromised faith is a picture of momentum that comes from taking one step of wholehearted obedience at a time and staying our God-given course.

Denise and I know that none of what we do would be possible without the faithful support and prayers of our partners. We want to express our deep gratitude for our partners and their contributions this past year that helped us accomplish all that we did for His Kingdom.

*We really do love you and thank God for you!*

Rick and Denise Renner



## MOSCOW GOOD NEWS CHURCHES

A 'CITY ON A HILL' IN A CITY OF MILLIONS

In its nineteenth year in the heart of Russia's capital, the Moscow Good News Church is a *vibrant* congregation of all ages and has become a symbol of hope to the surrounding community. Hosting clothing distributions, back-to-school giveaways, ministry to special-needs children and their parents, and other outreaches in cooperation with the local government, MGNC is truly a light in darkness, "holding forth the Word of life" to those in need.

Moscow is a megacity of nearly 30 million people who are in the city and suburban areas every day of the workweek. Many of MGNC's members travel more than two hours *one way* to attend church each Sunday! To meet the need for these believers to have a church home *closer to home*, the ministry is starting affiliate churches throughout the metropolis. Two of these affiliates have already been planted in the north and south of Moscow — and a new location has been selected for a third work to open its doors in 2019!





## HOUSE OF MERCY — ON THE STREETS

REACHING THOSE FORGOTTEN  
BY SOCIETY, BUT NOT BY GOD

Ministering to those forgotten by society has always been a hallmark of this ministry. Bringing help to those in need right where they are, House of Mercy puts *feet to their faith* to reach out to these souls in ways they need it most. Besides serving meals and distributing clothing on the streets, House of Mercy hosts church services and Bible studies in state-run shelters. Our partners' giving helps demonstrate God's affectionate care to the down-trodden by meeting the needs of this life *and* the life to come!





## HOUSE OF MERCY — FOR THE ORPHANED AND ABANDONED

This distinguished ministry of compassion is restoring a sense of purpose and destiny to children whose futures would otherwise be stolen. Since it began, House of Mercy has housed and raised *hundreds* of orphaned children, giving them love, security, the warmth of family, and a second chance at life! This outreach is so effective and well known that it has even been recognized by the mayor of Moscow at an awards ceremony at the Kremlin!







## MINISTRY TO YOUTH

PRESERVING TRUTH FOR ALL GENERATIONS

Whether it's a week of summer camp, classes for older orphans on how to manage their adult lives — or an all-night concert in the safety of church walls — this ministry takes seriously its charge to serve *every* generation of believers and to present to them the only Truth that can make *and keep* them free.

# MINISTRY TO THE 'GOLDEN AGED'

DEMONSTRATING GOD'S FAITHFULNESS  
EVEN IN THEIR SUNSET YEARS

Positioned by God *at the right place at the right time* just after the Renners moved to Moscow years ago, Rick witnessed a parade of elderly ex-Communists from his apartment window. Moved with compassion for a way to reach them, he received a supernatural download of plans to begin doing just that. From those instructions, initiated by the Holy Spirit, the Renners stepped out in a big way to start what is now a thriving outreach to win precious souls in their "golden age"!





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## GOOD NEWS OUTREACHES OF COMPASSION

### MAKING A DIFFERENCE AMONG THE HURTING

Besides fulfilling their roles as pastor and “teach all nations” via TV and the Internet, the Renners have also founded outreaches of compassion in Moscow, a city of many millions of people. From ministering the Word, as well as Bibles, food, clothing, and other gifts, these outreaches serve the homeless, the needy, the institutionalized, and the elderly population of the city. RENNER MINISTRIES labors in these harvest fields to bring deliverance, restoration, and hope for the future to those who were previously bound.



# CHRISTMAS OUTREACHES

WE'RE MAKING CHRIST KNOWN AT EVERY OPPORTUNITY



Russian Christmas is on January 7 each year, a holiday that historically has been eclipsed in that part of the world by New Year's Day. The Moscow Good News Church is reviving the celebration of Jesus' birth by supporting several Christmas outreaches in the city. The church's largest outreach is its Christmas Day service. There, fami-

lies gather with their children to hear the Gospel — many for the very first time — and to receive gifts of candy and fruit, as well as materials to help them live a victorious Christian life and raise spiritually healthy kids.



# GOOD NEWS TRAINING CENTER

MULTIPLYING MINISTRY TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH



Since 2002, more than 1,000 students of various ages, cultures, and ethnicities have studied at the Good News Training Center. The year 2018 marked the school's fifteenth graduating class. Graduates are fulfilling their God-given destinies around the world as missionaries, pastors, teachers, and helps ministers. Only Heaven will reveal the exponential impact these men and women had on the multitudes they reached with the truths they learned.





## TELEVISION MINISTRY

WE'RE EXPANDING OUR REACH  
AROUND THE WORLD!

In 2018, Rick's powerful Bible teachings were viewed by millions around the world on YouTube, Facebook, and weekly television programming in the former Soviet Union and the United States. Viewers get something brand new from the Word of God and gain rich insight from the New Testament as Rick vividly opens up the Scriptures. And in 2019, Rick's TV programs will air daily in both the Russian-speaking world and the U.S.! This new programming schedule is especially important in the lands of the former USSR, where churches are still just being established and people

need teaching to become established in the faith.

Denise can be viewed on her own YouTube channel, on Facebook, and on Russian television. On TV in Russia, she ministers to thousands of women on topics that are of special interest to them.

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## THE TRAVELING MINISTRY OF RICK AND DENISE

TEACHING THAT SPANS THE GLOBE

Although Rick and Denise pastor the Moscow Good News Church, their teaching ministry also spans the globe! The Renners travel to minister publicly as the Lord directs, and in 2018, that direction led them to Siberia, Russia's Far East, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Israel, Greece, Turkey, France, Italy, Africa, Costa Rica, and the United States!

Rick and Denise anticipate with great excitement every church, conference, or seminary where they minister — and every partner they get to stand with to see his or her life transformed.

Rick and Denise are committed to their vision to go wherever God leads them to win the lost, make disciples, and present everyone He gives them complete and mature before His presence.





## PARTNER CARE IN TULSA, OKLAHOMA

### MINISTRY TO THOSE WHO HELP CARRY THE WORK

The Renners love their partners and believe the partner-care ministry of the U.S. office is one of the most important aspects of the ministry. The staff in Tulsa count it as one of their highest joys to serve the partners of RENNER MINISTRIES in prayer. It is a labor of love to honor them for their faithful support of the Renners' assignment to reach the lost and strengthen believers in Russia and around the world. Each day, the Tulsa team gathers to pray and trust God to enlighten, strengthen, and guide supporters of this ministry into His highest and best for their lives. Partner Care staff stand ready every workday to receive specific requests and to immediately believe God for the needed answer.

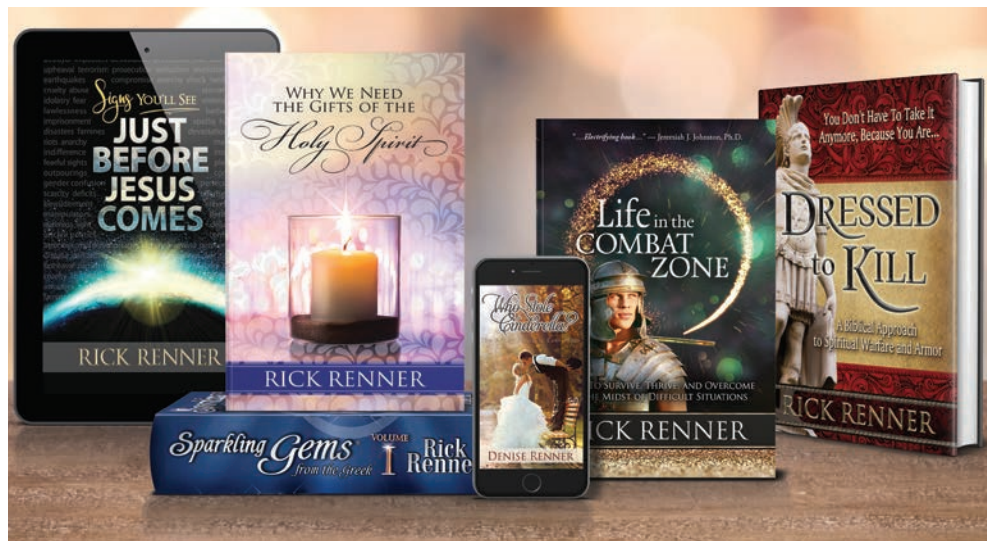


# BOOK PUBLISHING

## SPREADING THE MESSAGE WORLDWIDE THROUGH THE PRINTED PAGE

Rick Renner is the author of more than 30 books covering a wide range of biblical topics from his knowledge of Scripture and Greek language and history. Both he and Denise write from decades of experience, through which they have served God faithfully and successfully. Through the printed page, including digital media, they help countless others with the very help they have received themselves.

Rick's titles are available in English, Russian, Latvian, Ukrainian, German, French, Polish, Spanish, Portuguese, Japanese, Chinese, and other languages secretly printed because they represent nations hostile to the Gospel. In nations where there is severe financial lack, RENNER MINISTRIES sows books into spiritually hungry lives.





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# TESTIMONIES FROM THE FORMER SOVIET UNION

THE FRUIT OF OUR LABORS IS SHARED BY THOSE WHO SUPPORT THE WORK!

Thank you for your letters and your prayers. I would like to tell you about the changes we've undergone. Less than a year has passed since I wrote to you and asked for prayer. I have managed to repay all my debts. I found some extra jobs. That helped me stay out of debt, and my children and I have money to live on! We also bought a television and a computer. We replaced our small stove with a larger one. Although these are all material things, through them, I could see that God really cares about my family and me. *Thank you for your prayers!*

***Leonid, Rovno, Ukraine***

Hi, dear partners! I had been waiting for an answer from you to my question. Thank you for your wise advice, which guided me to listen to my heart. I also thank you for putting your whole heart into the letters you send me. They are really helpful! I'm also so thankful for your TV program, which I watch to learn the teachings of the Bible. May the Lord bless you — I am so happy to have partners like you!

***Nadezhda, Petropavlovsk, Kazakhstan***

I thank you for the book I requested written by Rick Renner. That book is an authentic blessing to me. It is just the right thing I needed at the moment. I thank Rick for this wonderful book, and I pray for God to give me even more wisdom and revelation according to His Word. I am so grateful to God for Rick's obedience to move to our country during such hard times — all so that the light of the Gospel could shine in our nation. I pray that the Word of the Lord be spread and His name glorified through RENNER MINISTRIES and the Good News churches. May the will of God be done in your lives, and may the Lord bless you with all the blessings of Abraham!

***Natalia, Samara, Russia***



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