

## **Testimonies from Around the World**

Africa

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What a privilege to have had the opportunity to travel to Africa to serve with our friends this past July 2016.

We went to assist in the construction of three (3) aquaponics systems at the Farm. As well as have an opportunity to interact with African children and families that are impacted by the ministry that an organization provides.

It was extremely rewarding to help with and see the construction of the systems completed with plants floating and fish swimming in the water, knowing that soon these plants and fish would be feeding God's children in Africa with nutritious vegetables while at the same time cultivating future opportunities to introduce them to our Lord and Master Creator who created it all!



Whether it be working on the aquaponics on the farm or visiting the Care Points and interacting with the children at the school, or celebrating the completion of our project, all were fantastic and rewarding opportunities to honor God through serving others.



The most memorable part of the trip for me was our Wednesday Bible Study with a gentleman at his farm with the medical students from around the world. We looked into the Book of Hebrews and talked about angels and how God's word is practical and useful today in guiding our lives. I was equally excited in knowing that God had provided this great resource for our host. It is important for them to have this available to minister and strengthen them as they minister to others.

It is my hope and prayer that we may have an opportunity to make another trip sometime in July of 2017 and perhaps partner with a Rotary Global Grant to further expand the aquaponics system in order for the farm to positively impact more African families.

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