



# Frank's Update

## Open Air Campaigners (OAC)

### SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA BRANCH



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**Merry Christmas!** I hope this update finds you doing great. In addition to lots of local ministry, I went on three trips stateside. Two of them were OAC-connected, but sadly the other was because my Great-Uncle passed-on. At his memorial, God's grace enabled me to lead the service without knowing ahead of time and without sleep the night before, due to an allergic reaction. I've also enclosed the latest OAC International newsletter. In it, you can get a good idea of our ministries' impact worldwide. May you be blessed this special season and enjoy these stories:

**Before, During, and After:** Prior to the start of a Santa Monica pier outreach, I met Lilly, a trans-gender man dressed as a woman. He was very open and we had a great conversation. He left admitting he needed to "study more" of the Bible. To help, I gave him my Gideons NT. During the outreach, I had a good discussion with some French visitors, who misunderstood Philippians 2:10. Also when I got back to my vehicle, I gave Gospel materials to Jersons, a parking attendant.



Conversing with French tourists



**On Loan:** While in Maine, I loaned my equipment to a local church. They planned an outreach during a street festival in Long Beach. The Brother in charge was stoked seeing the saints engaging with the people. After it, he texted me "...the art work display was so effective...The Lord had 7 teens give their ♥ to Jesus. We prayed with so many people"



**New Facebook Page:** Be sure to 'Like' our branch Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/oacsocal](http://www.facebook.com/oacsocal)

#### Thanks and Praises:

- ❖ For Immanuel, God with us
- ❖ His grace and mercy
- ❖ Privilege of serving the Lord and speaking to others about things eternal
- ❖ For you and your support
- ❖ Our blessed hope in Christ

#### Stats: (since August 21<sup>st</sup>)

We shared the Gospel at **35 locations** with **just over 1,800 people**. Of those, **53 professed Jesus** as their Lord and Savior! I also shared OAC's ministry with **65 others**.

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 "...they reported all things that God had done with them." - Acts 15:4

#### Prayer Requests:

- For the seed of His word to bear eternal fruit
- To walk in the Spirit
- Family/friends who are not in relationship with the Lord Jesus
- Strength to be faithful
- His will to be done



Enjoying the parachute game

**Mouths of Babes:** It's been great ministering in Santa Ana lately. I heard one boy singing a praise song outside of our worship time. On another afternoon, after the Gospel was clearly presented to them, they clapped their hands!



Veteran evangelist Russ Hodder teaching the children

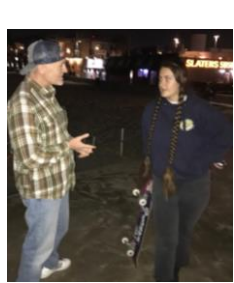
“Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among those with whom He is pleased!”

Luke 2:14



**Directors Get-together:** The leaders from most of our US branches gathered together in Maine for our bi-annual conference. The states of PA, FL, MI, NH, MA, MN, TX, VA, MD, TN, and CA were represented. It was a blessing fellowshiping with these godly men. I’m thankful and honored to be named among them.

**Halloween Alternative Night:** I partnered with Calvary Chapel of North Long Beach at their Harvest Festival on October 31<sup>st</sup>. I was impressed with seeing the saints serving together to reach out to their community. After one of my two Gospel presentations, I met **Muhammad**. He was originally from Sierra Leon and was a **convert from Islam!** Also, I was told of a family who went to the prayer tent after my second presentation and **all three made professions of faith in Christ as Lord and Savior!**



**Hermosa Pier:** One night at this pier, we had to set up at a different location due to vomit on the ground at our usual spot. Later, I met **Angela**. She had stepped away from her friends; the young men living on the streets, who were being spoken to by police officers. She claimed to be spiritual, but had no specific beliefs. We had a good conversation and in it I shared some of my testimony. On another night, I met **Cameron**. He was ex-military and initially very skeptical on all points. But, after a 30-minute discussion, he gladly took a book of John and a DVD on the life of Christ!



**Equipping the Saints:** I trained two brothers from my home church on using the sketch board to share the Gospel. I look forward to seeing them preach with it on the streets...

**Mission Inn:** Me and a few other team members made a trip out to Riverside to take advantage of the crowds at this famous hotel. It was an interesting night with not only another Christian group, but a Hare-Krishna, Catholics, and a pack of pagans dressed as wolves all desiring to interact with people. Nonetheless, we had a great time sharing the truth in love with those the Lord provided.



*If you haven't already, I encourage you to read the Biblical Christmas story recorded in the second chapter of Luke's Gospel. My next update should be to you in April. Thanks for your support and have a terrific 2020!*  
*Sincerely, frank*



A higher standard.  
A higher purpose.

**Financial Support:** My latest monthly support was **40%** of my OAC goal. To contribute, please make your check out to “OAC” and address it to OAC, P.O. Box D, Nazareth, PA 18064. Please also include a note stating that your gift’s to go to my account. To donate securely on-line, go to [oacgive.org](http://oacgive.org). When there, click on the appropriate responses and find me under “Donation Details” as Baldus-Frank. All donations to OAC are tax-deductible. OAC is in good standing with the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA).