

SPECIAL REPORT

# GSSM'S GAME PLAN

FOR THE NEW YEAR

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**GSSM:** PEACE HOPE ORDER

## As I write this end of year update, a river of fear has

flooded countries throughout the world following the terror attacks in Paris coupled with new threats made against numerous other countries including the United States.

Frustration and a sense of hopelessness has emerged as people and their governments realize that it is next to impossible to prevent all terror attacks against innocent people. Potential targets are everywhere and too numerous to defend.

**Meanwhile ISIS and other terrorist organizations continue to recruit individuals who are disenchanting with their current status. Many are mired in poverty and thus the promise of great rewards should they become martyrs is very alluring.**



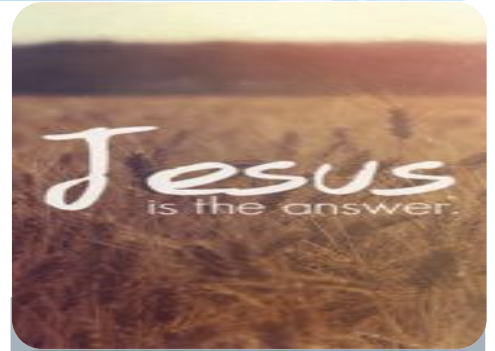
## So what is the answer?

It may sound simplistic but the truth of the matter is that the ***solution is wrapped up in our Saviour and in the lives that are changed by the Lord.***

**His love is able to penetrate even hearts that are encased in an armor plate of hate.** Our **GSSM students** are moving into some of the strongholds of evil as they enter villages, towns and cities that have served as hot beds for recruiting potential terrorists. Poverty and hopelessness is rampant in these places and suicide rates are some of the highest in the world.

Fortunately **our GSSM students are equipped with a powerful light that can pierce the darkest of places.** Armed with the ***love of Christ*** they are able to chase away the ghosts of fear and hopelessness. This love, properly nourished, can blossom into purpose, meaning, hope and peace for all those who respond to the Good News.

The forces of evil are no match for our Lord and Saviour. But we must combat evil with good that comes naturally from those who are totally committed to Christ. **And that is why it is so important that we train wave after wave of workers to go into the harvest fields of a desperate world offering hope and meaning to people who have lost their way.**



### Jesus said...

“I am the way, the truth and the life, no man comes to the Father except through me.”

John 14:6

**To those overwhelmed by it all He beckons them with these words:**

“Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your soul. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.”

Matthew 11:28-30



As we launch into a new year with numerous challenges, please remember to pray for GSSM's students, staff and instructors.

In addition if you feel led and enabled to assist us with the costs of training more and more students, we would welcome your help. **Our students are making a difference.** Hundreds of lives have turned to Christ because of these dedicated men and women and I praise God for each of these courageous followers of Christ who are fearlessly proclaiming the Good News of our Lord to a world in chaos. **Thank you for your prayers. Thank you for your support and encouragement.**

Blessings!

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