



# H.O.W. NEWS

**A Call To Help Orphans & Widows**

**Spring 2008**



Dr. Robert Haze

Rather than selling his former **A+ Dental Office**, Dr. Robert Haze, of Palmdale, California, elected to donate his dental office equipment to H.O.W. He was introduced to **Helping Orphans and Widows** and soon desired to help us serve those in need, by this gift. It is a very generous gift of five (5) stations, x-ray units, chairs, desks and more.

Dr. Haze has a new, larger office to serve his community. It is: **Valley Wide Dental**, 1021 W. Ave. M-14 in Palmdale, Ca. He is still quoted as "providing quality & affordable dental care".

Thank you Dr. Haze for your compassion to help orphans, widows and strangers through your gift. It will be done.



The dismantling of the equipment took a few days. A good team of volunteers helped the job go well. Special thanks to Robert Brady, Kirk and Donna Glass for assisting the tired directors.

We were ready for loading day and Roy and Craig of **Farley Brothers of Lancaster, INC.** 334 E. Ave K-4 in Lancaster, CA, were there to help.



**Farley Brothers of Lancaster, INC.** blessed H.O.W. with pick up and temporary storage of this equipment. Roy Richards, the owner, is among the best in the business. We are very grateful to them.

The equipment is ready to go to serve others. The first location to receive some of this will be the children's center "**Casa Hogar**" in Canon Buena Vista, Mexico, south of Ensenada. With volunteer dentists, it will serve the children in the center and the local community.



Needs in El Salvador, Costa Rica, Nicaragua and a mobile dental / optical trailer to serve Mexico are being considered as recipients for the remainder of this equipment.

**Helping Orphans and Widows thanks everyone involved in this special opportunity.**



Interested in sponsoring an event, an orphan or a widow? Contact us today!

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### Jim and Nina Bayles

Jim and Nina live in Lancaster, California. They currently have five children, thirteen grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Jim and Nina worked on fiber optics, pcm technologies, and microwave for +30 years at Verizon. Nina has since retired and Jim will very soon.

A servant heart became rooted in this couple in 1986 during a trip to China. Works have continued in Africa, Europe, Asia, South America, Central America and the U.S. for the orphan, widow, and stranger. Ask them and they will say, "We are blessed to be a blessing".

Jim and Nina Bayles are current Board members with H.O.W.

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### HOUSE OF SHALOM – PALMDALE, CA

March 2008



A change in the backyard plans of Terri Castille resulted in a donation of 8 yards of concrete to H.O.W. A need for this material became known at a Men's House of Hope, called **The House of Shalom**. This home provides a hospitable home for men coming out of correctional facilities or men needing an environment to continue their rehabilitation in a spiritual and structured environment. The goal is to see men leave as productive, responsible and law abiding citizens with an inspired dream and vision for their future.

Three men from the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power learned of this event and volunteered to assist H.O.W. with their time and talent to pour and finish the concrete. Andy Garcia, Loui Chason and Rafael Lopez, all journeymen linemen and underground cable splicers, did an outstanding job. Men from House of Shalom also assisted. It was a good day.

### MEDICAL OUTREACH – ORON, NIGERIA

December 2007 – January 2008

Members of **ANTOF** and **PRO-HEALTH INTERNATIONAL** met Dr. Anwana Ntofon in Lagos. Clearance was smooth because of the partnership with these two organizations. They took care of the necessary documents to clear H.O.W. at the airport. Fourteen (14) large boxes of medications were taken in to treat people in need. Over 2000 men, women and children in Oron, Nigeria were able to receive treatments. The needs covered a wide range of health issues. Local area doctors and nurses from the area assisted Dr. Ntofon.



### Our Mission

**Helping Orphans and Widows' mission is to help and assist orphans and widows worldwide by strengthening and encouraging them through economic, physical, medical, spiritual, and/or material means.**

The directors of H.O.W. have served on mission outreaches in many countries around the world and have learned no man is or ever will be greater than his creator. Our objective is to serve with love and compassion to orphans and widows and extend Grace to them. They are valuable people. H.O.W. encourages and works with churches, businesses, and government when any opportunity arises that will assist this effort. H.O.W. is Helping Orphans and Widows.

The Directors of H.O.W. are all dedicated to serving and do so without salaries.

### Casa Hogar Nuevos Horizontes, Nicaragua

February 2008

A team of nine volunteers from different southern California churches arrived in Nicaragua on February 2<sup>nd</sup> to serve orphans and widows. The team participated with the Professional Doctors Association of Nicaragua in both a dental and medical clinic. Many attended an evangelistic outreach, for the children of the community, at a church two blocks from the orphanage. In addition, a special service took place for 50 widows. The team served them a meal and prepared a basket of hygiene products and staples for each of the widows.

At the orphanage, 18 yards of poured concrete completed the flooring for the bakery. Joe Hernandez, President of H.O.W., said, "We were tired." Soon the trusses for the roof are to be completed, along with other concrete and masonry work. H.O.W. will be partnering with a church in Washington to complete this project.

Please continue to pray for this project. Once completed, the bakery will provide bread to sell to the community as well as food for the orphans.

