

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

A gift that keeps on giving

“Dear friends, let us love one another, for love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, because God is love.” (1 John 4:7-8)

Brother Jonathan Hukkeri shared his story of a discipline of love. He was going in his car to pick up his children from the school. On the way, he saw an accident where 4 people fell from the motorcycle hitting a pole and falling under bridge. They were drunk. Three of them died. Jonathan wanted to help in the situation but was confused whether to go pick up his children from the school or help in accident. He remembered the Good Samaritan story and wanted to help, but went to school to pick up his children waiting in the school in the hot summer. He came home and could not face the day and could not sleep the night as he was reminded again and again of the accident. Next day, early morning, he went to the place and found out where was the village of the victims and came to know that one boy, named Rajesh, survived but was in great pain in his stomach. He had lost his mother in his childhood, and his father, a drunker, had left him. Another family from the village took care of Rajesh, but as he grew up drinking alcohol with other young people, they would not care for him. He was in deep pain and was asking for help. No one came forward to help. His pain was internal, and no one could make out what was happening. Jonathan asked people to help him carry and put him in the car to take him to hospital. No one came forward to help carry Rajesh. Finally, Jonathan carried him alone and put him in his car, and took him alone to the hospital. He spoke to the doctor saying that he was not a relative but found him after the accident and have brought him there. After the exam, the doctor came to know that Rajesh's intestine got damaged, and he was operated on. Some parts of his intestine were removed due to damage and stitched. Jonathan thanked the Lord. The boy survived and now is in fellowship with Jonathan. He came with us to attend the Samaritan Strategy training in Raiganj, about 80 miles from Siliguri. He attended the training on May 4th and May 5th near his house in Siliguri. That is where Jonathan and Philip meet for fellowship and teaching the Santali Community from the state of Jharkhand. They speak Sadri language and have a New Testament translated in their language. Old Testament translation work is in progress.



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PRAYERS

- Rajesh to get a believer girl to marry.
- Rajesh to do ministry in his village in Siliguri

MULTIPLICATION

1 training about the parable of the Good Samaritan + 1 obedient disciple of Jesus X God = 1 young man reached out + healing + testimony of God's love + disciple multiplied + God glorified