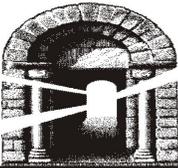


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Dear Sir or Madam,

The Wave @ Gateway Church is sending a short-term mission’s team to Cambodia to support XP Missions, a department of XP Ministries, which works in South East Asia to see the elimination of human trafficking, specifically related to children. Human trafficking is a crime that ruthlessly exploits women, children, and men for numerous purposes including forced labor, sex, and begging. It’s a global crime that generates billions of dollars in profits each year and is a complex issue, fueled by a lack of value for life, poverty, growth in the global sex market, uneven development, corruption of officials, cultural practices, and the lack of political will to end it.

Raising the finances to send a team of 21 people is not a simple task as I’m sure you can imagine. But we believe that we can do it if we work together as one team. If you are interested in helping us, we are holding a Silent Auction on ***Saturday, April 29, 2017***, at Gateway Church, if you could donate an item or service that we could auction as your contribution to this cause, it would be highly appreciated. We will display your place of business as part of your donation to help promote your business. The deadline for donations is Wednesday, April 15, 2017. Additionally, a “Needs List” is attached to this letter to give you an idea of what we need to purchase or collect.

Please note that we are a registered 501(c) (3) charity and any contribution you make will be tax-deductible. Please feel free to contact us at 440-275-7720 for any kind of queries related to our mission’s trip to Cambodia. For more details, you can also visit the XP Missions website: [www.xpmissions.com](http://www.xpmissions.com). We sincerely thank you for considering us and our cause.

*Sincerely,*  
*Brian Wright*  
*The Wave @ Gateway Church*

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