

WORLD OUTREACH

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CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF TRANSFORMING LIVES

Charis Bible College is turning twenty-five years old this year! With over 7,000 alumni, it's easy to get focused on the number and not the individuals they represent. But the testimonies of our graduates show that the Word of God is really making a difference in and through the lives of Charis students.

These stories are from the directors of a few of our campuses. They reflect just a fraction of all that God is doing to spread the Gospel through Charis graduates. **Terry Hull** was raised in a Christian home, but his faith had always been passive.

When Terry was twenty one years old, God revealed that he couldn't enter His kingdom on his parents' faith. Terry received the Lord for himself, and the direction of his entire life changed.

After suffering a severe back injury and facing nine months of therapy, Terry was given one of Andrew Wommack's tapes on *You've Already Got It!* Thanks to the new way of thinking that Andrew introduced, Terry was healed within two weeks! Two months later, he enrolled at Charis Woodland Park. Desiring to stay a part of the

school after graduation, Terry volunteered at Charis Orlando when it first opened. After serving there faithfully for several years, he was asked to direct the school. Today, he gets excited to see his students' lives changed - the way his once was.

Keith Chigondo, a native of Zimbabwe, found Charis while in Russia studying statistics. He met then-director of Charis St. Petersburg, Carrie Pickett, and his interests quickly changed as he heard a call to enroll at Charis. He could stay in Russia as long as he was a university student, so he endured his university

classes during the day and attended Bible college in the evening.

Through Charis, the spark was ignited, and Keith's journey of bringing the grace message to his homeland began. In October 2011, Charis Zimbabwe opened its doors, and the ministry has seen the truth of God's Word take root and transform lives in the community as blind eyes have been opened and hearts have been restored. The students' testimonies have truly made the hard work worth it, and Keith continues to pursue God's call for him in Zimbabwe - to break up religious and legalistic mindsets one person at a time.

Jose Valdez gave his life to Jesus at the age of sixteen after a teenage coworker

invited him to church. He turned his back on a life of alcohol, smoking, and drugs to pursue God with total commitment.

Jose first heard Andrew through a friend who introduced him to *Living in the Balance of Grace and Faith*. Many of his questions regarding God and the Bible were answered listening to Andrew. The more he listened, the more a hunger grew within him to keep learning and growing.

Jose and his wife graduated from Charis Dallas in 2015, and they went on to complete the third-year Leadership Program in Woodland Park, Colorado. Jose is now the director of Charis Dallas/Fort Worth, which offers both English and Spanish courses. He enjoys watching the students grow and looks forward to hearing more testimonies of God's

love and grace.

These directors are proof that the scripture God imprinted on Andrew's heart - to take the things he has learned and commit them to faithful people (2 Tim. 2:2)—is being fulfilled.

For twenty-five years, Charis has been changing lives that have gone on to change more lives. That's what going deep with the Gospel is all about. Tremendous thanks go out to our World Outreach Partners who have made this all possible! If you are not a partner with us, but you believe in the ministry and the message that is being shared around the world through our Charis alumni and friends, please go to **awme.net/give** to become a partner or sow a seed today!



Keith Chigondo



Jose Valdez

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