

HEART[®]
FOR LEBANON

Leading people from DESPAIR *to*
HOPE





REGIONAL WARS, CORRUPTION, AND SPIRITUAL DARKNESS HAVE LEFT THE PEOPLE OF LEBANON IN A STATE OF DESPERATION.

Today, over **80% of the population is living below the poverty line, and nearly 2 million are refugees of war. Families in Lebanon are struggling to meet their daily needs for survival.**

The desperation goes far beyond a lack of financial resources. The majority of people in Lebanon have never heard the name of Jesus Christ. They are left feeling forgotten; unheard and scorned by religious and government institutions. **Never before have they been hungrier for the hope that only comes through Jesus Christ.**

Lebanon is uniquely positioned, both geographically and politically, to reach the Middle East with the Gospel. Heart for Lebanon knows that meeting physical needs only goes so far. It will temporarily relieve the suffering but it will not address the root issue. That's why we are intentional to share the hope of Christ with all those we serve.



Heart for Lebanon is a nondenominational Christian organization that is creating faith-defining environments that give under-resourced families and children in Lebanon the chance to encounter God and grow spiritually.



FAMILY CARE:

We begin by providing supplemental food, hygiene supplies, and survival essentials for a family. Our goal is to relieve some of their daily struggles while building relationships, through regular home visits and intentional conversations, that lead to trust and allow us to share the Gospel.

Serving the poor, marginalized, and rejected, we seek to see lives changed and communities transformed through the power of the Gospel and a consistent show of God's love for all people. God is moving in historic ways throughout Lebanon and the Middle East!

WE UNDERSTAND WHAT HOPELESSNESS FEELS LIKE.

With no way to move beyond your current situation and no one to invest in your future, it is easy for life to seem miserable.

Heart for Lebanon has helped thousands of families in Lebanon find true hope in Jesus. Our focus on holistic and unconditional ministry to the poor and marginalized allows us to engage in building authentic relationships.

We don't just lead people from despair to hope; we make disciples so that they can lead others from despair to hope.



HOPE ON WHEELS:

Our mobile ministry truck travels to tent communities and schools, giving children the chance to play and learn Biblical character traits in a safe and fun environment.





BIBLE STUDY:

This is where people from all different backgrounds – Muslim (Sunni and Shia), Kurdish, and nominal Christian – come to learn from a Biblical perspective and experience true community.



WORSHIP GATHERING:

People gather together to worship God, grow in their faith journey, and build authentic community based on service and biblical values.



H.O.P.E. PROGRAM

This stands for Helping Overcome Poverty through Education and it is a non-formal education for refugee children and scholarships for marginalized Lebanese children. Along with academic studies they have Chapel where they learn stories from the Bible and find their identity in Jesus.



DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING:

As Worship Gatherings grow, leaders are identified and developed. These leaders are trained and equipped to reach their own communities with the Gospel.





SIDRA'S STORY

Sidra is a young Kurdish girl living as a refugee in Lebanon who had no hope for her future and felt there was no purpose for her life. Heart for Lebanon started investing in her life through the Hope on Wheels program, helping her family with Family Care, and teaching her about the God of the Bible. When she experienced God's love for herself she found hope and a reason to live.

You can lead families in Lebanon from despair to hope by getting involved. Here's how...

1. Watch Sidra's story at the QR code below.
2. Invest to help families like Sidra's hear the Gospel.
3. Pray with us!





HEART FOR LEBANON HAS SEEN HOPE RESTORED TO THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE!

With your help...

- Over 4,000 refugee and Lebanese families will be reached with the Gospel through relational engagement
- Nearly 1,000 children will have access to quality value-based education
- Hundreds of girls and women will be empowered with Literacy and Skills Training
- Over 2,500 people will be discipled and equipped to be disciple makers

When you decide to invest in the lives of families like Sidra's, you are taking part in the Great Commission and sharing the hope of Jesus Christ that lives in you. This is the hope that the world desperately needs.

There is an opportunity before us to meet the spiritual, relational, and physical needs of the millions of people living in Lebanon who have never heard the Gospel. Will you lead them from despair to hope in Jesus Christ?



FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY:

We believe that transparency and accountability are critical for an effective ministry. As Christ followers we believe we are accountable to one another in all aspects of our faith. The Heart for Lebanon Board is very engaged in praying and financially investing.

FIVE-YEAR FINANCIAL SUMMARY:

Core Ministry Expenses	\$21,754,339	87%
Administration	\$1,781,403	7%
Fundraising	\$1,558,403	6%

Your financial investment and prayers are taking us beyond aid to cultivating transformation among people. It is more than a donation, it's an investment given with the expectation of a return. This pushes Heart for Lebanon to honor our investors by planning for long-term success and remaining accountable in how we steward our resources. Every dollar counts.

Those supporting Heart for Lebanon are investing in people who are the next generation of believers to return to Syria and rebuild the nation as followers of Jesus Christ.



Dixon Hughes Goodman, an independent accounting firm provides the Board of Directors with an annual audit. A copy of the most recent financial audit is available upon request

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