





A watercolor illustration of a coastal town. In the foreground, there are rolling green hills with some trees. In the middle ground, a town is built on a hillside, featuring a prominent lighthouse with a white tower and a dark top. To the left, a sea stack rises from the water. The sky is filled with soft, white and blue clouds. The overall style is soft and artistic, with visible brushstrokes and a warm color palette.

The Gospel of

Luke

Luke 15:1-4

1 Now the tax collectors and sinners were all gathering around to hear Jesus. 2 But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.” 3 Then Jesus told them this parable: 4 “Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Doesn’t he leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds it?”

Luke 15:5-7

5 “And when he finds it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders 6 and goes home. Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, ‘Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.’ 7 I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.”

Luke 15:8-10

8 “Or suppose a woman has ten silver coins and loses one. Doesn’t she light a lamp, sweep the house and search carefully until she finds it? 9 And when she finds it, she calls her friends and neighbors together and says, ‘Rejoice with me; I have found my lost coin.’ 10 In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

Luke 15:17-19

17 “But when he came to himself, he said, ‘How many of my father’s hired servants have more than enough bread, but I perish here with hunger! 18 I will arise and go to my father, and I will say to him, “Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you. 19 I am no longer worthy to be called your son. Treat me as one of your hired servants.”’”

Luke 15:20

20 “So he got up and went to his father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.”

“But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.” (Romans 5:8)

“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.” (Luke 19:10)

“The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.” (2 Peter 3:9)



KINSHASA CITY TEAM



Selenga's Family



Six children: 5 biological and one adopted; three boys and three daughters (Tresor, Esther, Grace, Sarah, Marthe, and Josaphat).



ReachGlobal Kinshasa City Team



Over 17 million people live in Kinshasa. The ReachGlobal Kinshasa City Team serves to strengthen and revitalize local churches and establish new churches to bring positive change to the city through gospel initiatives.



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Kinshasa City Team with Other Leaders





- Currently, we have six ministries serving in Kinshasa and around country. Our goal is to have 100.



1. Tabitha Center

- Partners with local churches in Kinshasa to help reach young women with the gospel.
- Gives young women a way out of selling themselves or engaging in illegal activities for their livelihood.

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Tabitha Center

We have four programs:

- Sewing
- Cosmetology
- Cooking
- Literacy



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Stat and Future Needs



- Nearly 300 centers
- Nine graduations
- Over 800 graduated students
- **Need additional 35 centers by the end of the year (costs \$1,800 to open one center)**
- **Open 10 internship professional centers!**



B. Global Fingerprint Tabitha

- Due to the number of Tabitha students unable to keep up in classes because of illiteracy, Tabitha Center partners with Global Fingerprints to open centers in which students are sponsored to first learn to read and write before learning a skill.
- Around 200 students in four centers have gotten sponsorships and now have the opportunity to learn.
- Many more are waiting for sponsors.



LEADERSHIP GLOBAL FINGERPRINT



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Learning to write and read!







3. KAN – Kids Action Network

Kids Action Network seeks to glorify God by teaching and equipping children's leaders to create an environment that gives all children access to the Word of God (Bible stories), teaching them to guard it, love it, live it, and share it.









- 2,228 leaders trained from 1,759 local churches
- 200 clubs
- Over 200,000 kids reached



4. Follow-Me

- Partners with local churches to empower impoverished and unemployed young men throughout Kinshasa.
- They do this by improving their social and economic situations through discipleship, literacy, and offering quality apprenticeship in trades, such as; painting, carpentry, and shoe repairing.
- This ministry allows local churches to reach young men in their communities who might otherwise join gangs or providing for themselves in other illegal ways.



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Bible Study and Prayer Time

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Stat and Future Needs

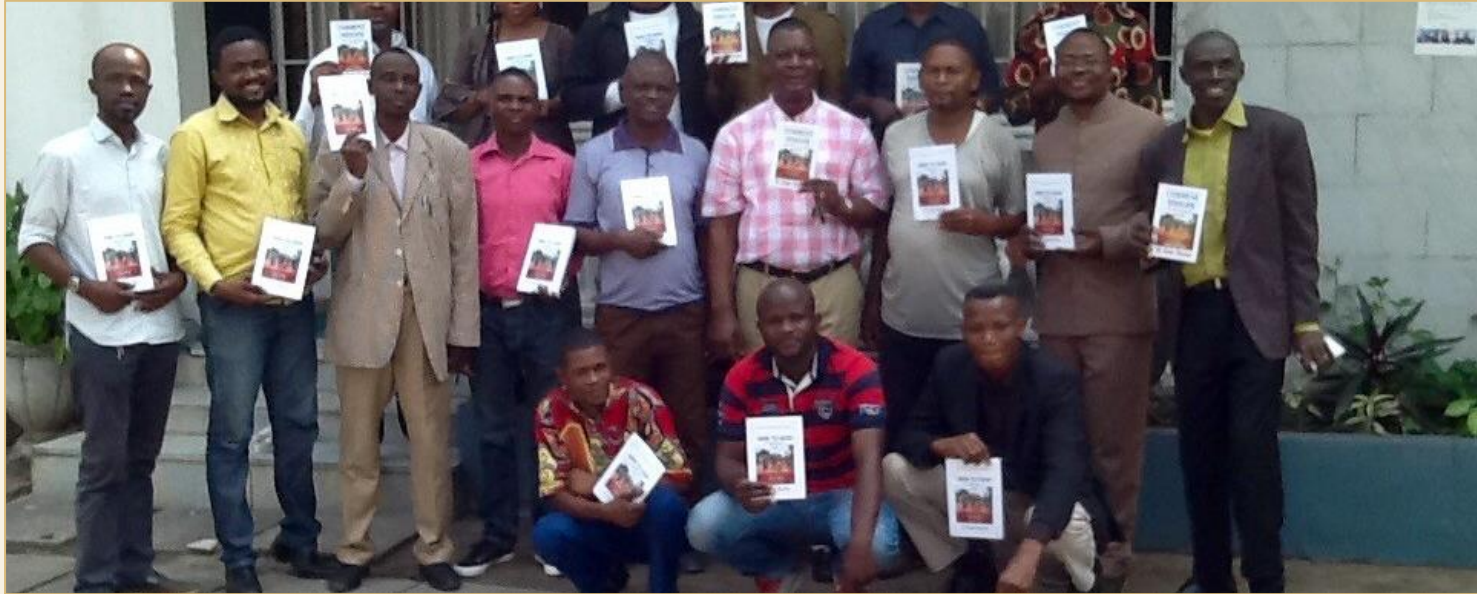
- 50 installed centers
- 4 graduations
- 102 graduated students
- 50 additional needed centers by the end of the year
(\$1800 to start a center)



5. Church Planting and Church Health

This ministry provides training to church leaders on topics of healthy church, discipleship, and biblical perspectives.











6. Rise up

In the Democratic Republic of Congo, those with educational and physical disabilities are often marginalized. The Rise Up ministry equips local churches to engage these individuals and welcome them into the church.





- This ministry is currently partnering with a Christian school name Koli to help equip churches
- Make 100 wheelchairs by the end of the year to help 100 handicaps.



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Please pray with us

- *In addition to many Congolese volunteers, we have 4 long-term, full-time missionaries serving in Kinshasa. There is a great need for many more! Please join us to pray for more missionaries. Is God calling you to join our team? Let us know.*
- *Pray for wisdom in how to best use our time when there are so many needs.*
- *Pray for 10-year celebration of Tabitha Center and our ministry in Kinshasa next month.*
- *Sign up for our newsletters to keep up on what we are doing and how you can pray.*



Thank you!



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