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CAREER HISTORY

- Poland
 - Planted and built 47 churches and 3 youth camps in Poland. Began work in 1968.
 - 1. Smuggled Bibles into Russia and Ukraine in the late 60's and early 70's. Coordinated efforts through Poland.
 - 2. Co-sponsored conferences with the indigenous polish Evangelical Churches for David Wilkerson, James Robison, Ariel Edwardson (Norway), and evangelical unity conferences spanning 12 denominations.
 - 3. Printed the first Messianic New Testament and the book Messiah Through Both Testaments.

- RUSSIA
 - 1. Tripled the infrastructure to distribute Bibles throughout 11 time zones of Russia. Developed and coordinated over 100 different methods of smuggling Bibles through a dozen countries.
 - 2. Troubleshooter for Bibles bottlenecked for Open Doors, Brother Andrew for 3 years under the covering of Wycliffe Associates.
 - 3. Raised millions of dollars to purchase and distribute Bibles for Russia. Canvassing included churches across the United States, Canada, and the United Kingdom.
 - 4. Spearheaded small and large ministry teams into the Former Soviet Union from 1971 through 2005.
 - 5. Planted, with the *indigenous churches*, hundreds of churches throughout Russia, Ukraine, Siberia, Islamic Republics and Far East.
 - 6. Raised funds to translate Scripture portions to 10/40 Window groupings such as: Komyi, Evanni, Chutka, Kirgizi, Uzbek, Kazahk, Russian and Chinese Bibles.
 - 7. Raised funds to translate and distribute the Halley's Bible Handbook, Newstrom's Bible Dictionary, unregistered churches hymnal, unabridged concordance, and the "Complete School of the Bible Manual" courses in the Russian language.

8. Bought and managed three orphanages in the Perm Region (with New Manna Ministries) and two orphanages in the Ukraine.
9. Purchased, and presently developing, a Sports Hall, a Street Children's Rehabilitation Center, and a former Communist Youth Camp.
10. Shipped medical aid and food provisions to both Russia and the Ukraine over the last 12 years.
11. Helped start up multiple ministries out of Poland, Germany, United States and United Kingdom. Support included the following: Bibles, benevolence, leadership training, and working with orphanages in Eastern Europe.
12. Taught in Russian Bible Schools annually.
13. Spoke at a large crusade in Kherson, Ukraine where over 20,000 decisions were made for Christ in 2004. Have spoken in hundreds of crusades throughout Russia and Ukraine to plant new churches in unreached areas. Saw thousands come to Christ.
14. Keynote speaker for Mission's Conferences, Bible Conferences, both in the Russian and English Communities throughout U.S.A., Canada and the United Kingdom.
15. Represented Missions involvement to cross cultural settings such as the Chinese and Koreans; helping them set up mission's agencies that are effectively reaching the ends of the earth.

EDUCATION

Northwest College, Kirkland, Washington: Graduated with a B.A. in Missions and Bible.

Current Occupation: Missionary Evangelist, President and Founder of Impact Ministries International, Redmond, Washington, U.S.A.

HERITAGE

Together, my wife Sara and I speak German, Polish, Russian, Ukrainian, and English ☺.

Ethnically tied to the Polish Community through my father and German community through my mother; speaking both of these languages. Sara is tied to the Russian and Jewish communities, and was born and lived in China in early childhood.

Have four grown children who are all involved in missions or in church leadership, serving Christ.