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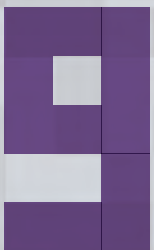


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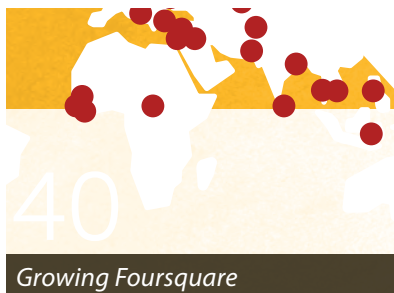
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even people who are already within the church. Sons and daughters of the kingdom of God aren't looking for a hotel. They want a home, with a place at the table where they can love and be loved, know and be known, serve and be served. Foursquare has long put a high value on family, and in this issue we want to celebrate this aspect of our heritage as we tell the stories of people who found their way into Foursquare, found their place at the table, and are now working to bring many more to the table.

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FOURSQUARE?

Have you ever felt like you are the only one who wasn't born into a Foursquare family, raised on Good News Bears, sent to Camp Cedar Crest, then Life Pacific College and appointed senior pastor at your neighborhood Foursquare church?

You aren't alone.

People come to Foursquare in myriad ways. It's the beauty of our diverse, sometimes messy family. We are straight-laced, we are wacky, we are edgy. We are all Foursquare. But not all of us were born that way.

Some of us are adopted.

In this issue of *Foursquare Leader*, we share nine personal stories of how people became Foursquare. See why they stuck with the family even when it was hard. See why they did trust falls into the family when it was time to be deployed as a missionary to another country, or as a pastor to an out-of-the-box church.

See how they got plugged into the Foursquare community—and how you can, too.



by Andy Butcher

TAMMY AND GARY DUNAHOO FIND A CONNECTION POINT

Anyone new to Foursquare who wonders if there really is room for him or her without some kind of history in the movement needs to look no further than Gary and Tammy Dunahoo for an answer.

Though now widely respected as senior leaders—with Tammy making history as the first woman to be appointed the denomination's general supervisor—they are “first-generation” Foursquare.

They have found space for their callings and giftings by both closing in on the things that are most important to them while, at the same time, fulfilling responsibilities within the Foursquare movement.

The Dunahoos grew up in a classical Pentecostal denomination, serving as associate pastors, district youth directors and senior pastors, and were very involved in the organization. They decided to make a transition after struggling for some time over important ministry values and doctrinal differences. Most of the people outside the denomination with whom they sensed a deep connection and whose ministries they were being shaped by were Foursquare leaders. Among these were Jack Hayford, Ted Roberts, Ron Mehl, Daniel Brown, Jerry Cook and Jim Hayford. And so a process of discussion and discovery began that led to the Dunahoos leaving

their denomination and lifelong relationships, to join Foursquare.

Their first assignment as newly licensed Foursquare ministers in 1996 was to a church that had only three remaining members. After being in full-time ministry for 14 years, the Dunahoos took jobs within the community to support the “restart.” Having seen the church re-established, they moved to Arkansas, where they planted and sponsored four churches during the next 14 years.

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Gary developed a reputation as a turnaround pastor and church planter, while Tammy began serving as a district supervisor and national leader. She then became interim general supervisor for the national church, a move that led to their return to Southern California. She was confirmed as general supervisor in 2010, and Gary now serves as lead pastor of Lighthouse Church (Newbury Park Foursquare Church) in Newbury Park.

Moving from the edge of Foursquare to its heart has been a journey of intentionality. Once they had decided that Foursquare was a fit for them, they jumped in with both feet. “We had a mindset that when you enter, you do so as a servant, at the back of the room,” Tammy says.

They also attended everything they could: retreats, district conferences and events, divisional meetings and the annual convention. “We have always had the mentality to be involved wherever we have been,” notes Gary.

From their experience, Tammy offers the following advice: “If people come

in and sit back and wait to be invited, they are probably going to be disappointed. Like any organization, people have their networks and friendships established and may not always notice new people. You can’t sit back and wait for somebody to seek you out. You have to get engaged.”

While the relationships they enjoy in Foursquare are very important to them, this is not what cements them in the movement. They had sacrificed relationships in their former church

stream to follow what God had laid on their hearts—an initially “painful” separation from people they loved. But true relationships remained intact, and they have established wonderful relationships within Foursquare.

What anchors them in Foursquare is their belief system, values and mission, which are aligned with what Gary describes as Foursquare’s “grace-filled Pentecostalism” and a commitment to interdenominational and worldwide evangelism.

“Mission, values and beliefs are most important to us,” Tammy explains. “Relationships have been an overflow of being in the family, but they are not why we joined.” With that in mind, she encourages newcomers to Foursquare to “be really clear about why you have become Foursquare, and then get involved and contribute. Relationships are a natural result of serving together.”

Tammy and other national leaders believe that making room for new arrivals is important for Foursquare as a movement. “We must clearly

HOW TO ‘CONNECT’ WITH FOURSQUARE

The Dunahoos’ No. 1 piece of advice for newcomers wanting to graft into Foursquare: Go to the annual Foursquare Connection.

Foursquare Connection “is really the best expression for people to see the reality of Foursquare,” says Gary. Many who have subsequently joined the movement have agreed that attending the event was “when they knew they were Foursquare.”

That’s because the event is “a great representation of all the diversity and identity of Foursquare, from the commitment to interdenominational ministry that features speakers from both inside and outside of Foursquare, to spotlighting what God is doing in all types of ministries around the world,” says Tammy.

articulate and live out who we are so people know if they want to belong and partner together in the mission we have been given,” Tammy asserts.

While denominations have been in decline, Tammy says that “churches are networking together, whether through informal or formal association, network or denomination—for the sense of accountability, connectedness, covering and partnership in mission.” ■

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TRAVIS MIELONEN BUILDS THE CHURCH IN POLAND

by Jessica Sherer

Few people walk into a church one Sunday and decide to call it home, especially if the whole idea of church is foreign. People are more often drawn to individuals who have something special about them, and they become the door to the body of Christ.

"In the summer of 1998, a good friend of mine had significantly changed and started inviting me to church. After a few invites, I finally accepted, but mostly because I had a crush on her," recalls Travis Mielonen, now a Foursquare church planting missionary in Poland. "That first Sunday service didn't go the way I expected, though. My friend wasn't there when I arrived, and when she did show up, she was with her boyfriend!"

But Travis decided to stick around for the service anyway and got a chance to meet the youth leaders, Bob and Leanne Kaskes and Mark Smith. Their warmth immediately made him feel welcome and accepted, and he knew that was a place he wanted to be. Thus began Travis' journey with The Foursquare Church and, more important, his path to knowing Jesus.

While still in high school, he took a missions trip to the Crow Indian Reservation in Montana, serving with Ken Pretty-On-Top, senior pastor of Spirit of Life Light House for the Nations (Crow Agency Foursquare Church). It was there that Travis felt for the first time that God was working in him. "Seeing how this church family truly was, and is to this day, a lighthouse for God deeply resonated in me His grace,"



WHO TO FOLLOW

Travis recommends that every Foursquare leader connect on social media with FMI Director Jim and Melinda Scott. Follow Jim [@FMIGuy](#), and Melinda at [@FMIGal](#).

Travis affirms. A few months later, he surrendered his remaining doubts and committed his life to Christ.

Having not grown up in The Foursquare Church, or any church, for that matter, Travis was compelled, and still is, by the consistency and authenticity of the Foursquare family.

"Although we aren't perfect, the people of Foursquare are genuine, always willing to seek God and are full of grace," he says. "In each of the ministries I've served, whether in Washington and Oregon or out here in Poland, there has always been a focus on relationships and connecting with the community."

Travis' commitment to and passion for Foursquare's initiatives has grown, due in large part to the encouragement and mentorship offered by the church's leaders. "As someone who didn't grow up in the church, the focus on spreading the gospel, making disciples and equipping the entire church for ministry is key for me," he explains. "In my leaders, I've found a loving accountability, a graceful love of discipleship and a hunger for people to personally encounter Jesus."

There are currently no Foursquare churches in Poland, but Travis, his wife and children, and his ministry team aim to change that. They are currently in the midst of a five-year plan to plant a church in Kraków. In a city of 2 million people, only about 1,000 regularly attend Protestant church services.

"Polish church leaders don't trust one another. The stronghold of past hurts between churches continues to create tension and limits the ability of the greater church to work together," Travis says. "We hope to break through those interdenominational barriers and demonstrate to the Polish people that the church is an inclusive, cooperative and forgiving community."

To begin this process, Travis and other like-minded leaders are starting a Serve the City (STC) program in their community. Already present in cities throughout Europe, STC is a coalition of congregations and non-profit ministries that believes they can serve Christ by serving their cities.

"It's a nonthreatening community service opportunity where we can invite people from all kinds of groups, and not necessarily religious ones," he states. "Bringing people together in service helps build relationships, which I believe is the best gateway to the gospel."

But Travis and his team are not lone Foursquare workers in these initiatives, left to fend for themselves



MAKE THE CONNECTION

What's the best way to introduce someone to Foursquare? Travis recommends mixing friends from church with friends from work and other circles, offering authentic, no-strings-attached relationships and safe conversations around kingdom values.

in the post-Christian European landscape. Their sending church, East Hill Church Family (Gresham Foursquare Church) in Gresham, Ore., has provided invaluable support and keeps them in touch with the local congregation and with the North Pacific District.

In addition, Travis and his team are making new connections each day. "We are more and more connected with Foursquare Europe as well, which has many activities, church planting seminars and more throughout the year," Travis says. "The same values of the U.S. Church are also evident here in Europe. The relevancy of love, grace, faith and hope is making an impact within and out from The Foursquare Church here."

Aside from community service and church planting activities, Travis and his family are working on learning the Polish language and connecting with their neighbors. "We tell people we have a five year minimum commitment to our ministry in Poland, but we are prepared to be here our whole lives if God calls us to that." ■

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IN A WORD

"Kingdom-centered" is the word

Travis Mielonen would use to describe The Foursquare Church.

KEITH JENKINS TRADES IN HIS INDEPENDENCE

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he 10-year Marine was pastoring Fresh Winds, an independent church in Eugene, Ore., and decided to preach about the importance of authority to his “rag tag” congregation of 50 or so.

Keith Jenkins recalls, “I wanted my church to have authority, but I realized that I didn’t have it in my own life.”

Looking back on a decade of military service, Keith understood the concepts of authority and chain of command. But as he looked at Fresh Winds, he realized that he was accountable to no one. “There was no covering or correction,” he says.

That revelation frightened him, and he saw that the church’s independence kept it from the benefits of being part of a larger community. “I realized,” he explains,



READ ME

Keith believes every Foursquare leader should read *Leading on Empty: Refilling Your Tank and Renewing Your Passion* by Wayne Cordeiro.

“Most entrepreneurial leaders probably burn the candle at both ends. This book caused me to look at how sustainable my life was. I want to finish well.”



LEADER LUNCH

General Supervisor Tammy Dunahoo, Keith notes, is someone everyone in Foursquare should have lunch with. She’s one of the best leader-thinkers he has ever been around: “She is strategic and compassionate, a shepherd, but she knows how to mobilize and move people.”



SOCIALITE

John Fehlen, lead pastor of West Salem (Salem West Foursquare Church) in Salem, Ore., is someone everyone should follow on social media, Keith suggests. “He has his finger on all kinds of trends. The people and resources he is connected to go wide,” Keith says. Follow John: [@JohnFehlen](#).

“that things were only going to go so far if I was always going to be the smartest man in the room.”

Keith turned to spiritual leaders he admired: several local Foursquare pastors and, notably, Steve Overman, senior pastor of Faith Center (Eugene Foursquare Church) in Eugene, Ore. They had invited him to gatherings in the area, where he had been impressed by their openness to others and their encouragement.

“They made me feel welcome even before I became Foursquare,” Keith remembers more than a decade later. “It was amazing. I was struck by the sense of brotherhood we shared.”

Realizing that Foursquare was a biblically sound movement, Keith decided that it was the place for him. Fresh Winds transitioned from an independent congregation to being a Foursquare church. He served as lead pastor at what became Jubilee World Outreach (Eugene West II Foursquare Church) for 13 years, seeing membership grow to around 700, before moving to Southern California as Foursquare’s missional director for the former Greater Los Angeles District.

Keith stepped down from that role after five years in 2014 to take full-time responsibility as lead pastor of New Life LA (West Adams Foursquare Church) in Los Angeles. He and his wife, Coco, began ministering at the church in 2010, seeking to bring renewed life to a once-vibrant congregation that had dwindled to around 45. Attendance has grown almost tenfold, and a Spanish church is being incubated.

Now 48, Keith sees that fruitfulness in ministry is clearly linked to alignment with a larger body. “There is something to being part of a tribe,” he says. “There’s strength, there’s agreement, there’s wisdom.” There’s also safety, he adds: “You can’t imagine how many [Foursquare] churches would have lost their physical locations during the economic downturn if they had not been part of a denomination.”

But those practical benefits were not what drew him to Foursquare; they were the result. The appeal was the relationships, exemplified by Steve Overman, who modeled a different kind of leadership. “He was the bridge,” Keith says. “He could literally be the smartest man in the room, but he is always more curious than convinced. Not that he doesn’t have strong convictions, but he is not polarizing.”

Then there is Wayne Cordeiro, senior pastor of New Hope Oahu (Oahu South Foursquare Church) in Honolulu. When Wayne was in Oregon on ministry trips, he invited Keith to share devotions with him, and he quickly became Keith’s mentor.

Keith continues to appreciate the relationships he has formed, and his enduring Foursquare identity is deeply rooted in the movement’s missional DNA that was instilled by Foursquare’s founder, Aimee Semple McPherson. Keith affirms: “It still resonates today.” —ANDY BUTCHER



YOLANDA RAMIREZ IS ATTRACTED BY FOURSQUARE'S LOVE

by Juan Echeverri

Pastor Yolanda Ramirez and her husband, Luis, joined the Foursquare family after being independent pastors for a year. Today she and her husband are key leaders in the Southeast District and also serve as part of the Foursquare National Hispanic Commission. Together, the couple pastors Iglesia Cristiana Remanso De Paz (Warner Robins Hispanic Foursquare Church) in Warner Robins, Ga. Yolanda serves as senior pastor, Luis as co-pastor.

In 1998, the Ramirezes planted a rapidly growing church in the suburbs of Atlanta. In 1999, they met Pastor Scott Reece, who immediately accepted the Ramirezes and reached out to them. Their relationship became one of mutual trust and love.

After a few months, The Foursquare Church, which was in the process of closing a church in the area, offered the Ramirezes the empty building and land, and invited them to join the Foursquare family. After researching the values and doctrine of The Foursquare Church, the Ramirezes fell in love with Foursquare and decided to join the denomination. Yolanda stresses that their decision was motivated by the love they felt for the church and not because of a building or land.

The trust that the Foursquare family has placed in the Ramirezes has been key to their ministerial lives. Yolanda states: "What I liked the most when we first joined the denomination was that they trusted us when others did not."

To Yolanda, continuous communication from the denomination through phone calls, emails, the



"They trusted us when others did not."

at a national level. They are able to help others so they can feel part of the family as well.

Throughout their 16 years with The Foursquare Church, Yolanda says that they have had very few down times and many good moments. One of those good moments was the recent opening of their new sanctuary.

Yolanda highlights the friendship and willingness of leaders in The Foursquare Church to talk, meet and support one another. She also speaks very highly of many leaders, two in particular: Pastor Scott Reece; and National Hispanic Missional Coach Daniel Prieto. She and her husband see them as examples for their lives and ministries.

Yolanda offers the following advice to other pastors who want to join our family: "The Foursquare Church is a safe place, but ministry requires hard work. Churches should be built with much work. Foursquare will guide you and give you stability, but it's the pastor's responsibility to complete the work. If you don't want to feel isolated, but want to be part of a well-grounded council, Foursquare is for you."

Yolanda loves The Foursquare Church for its evangelical vision, mission and the sense of family within the denomination. She says that she will continue to be Foursquare in bad times as well as good, and that she never wants to stop being Foursquare.

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district staff and other pastors helps them to feel supported while doing ministry. There have been difficult moments in which they have felt lots of care and acceptance and, consequently, they have felt a sense of belonging to the Foursquare family, which allows them to have a voice with the leaders in the denomination.

This moral support has greatly impacted the ministry of the Ramirezes. It also led them to support and assist other leaders, especially Hispanics, both in the Southeast District and



WHO TO FRIEND

Serafin Contreras is an "impact leader," Yolanda says, who has a lot to share and always leaves her with a desire to hear more. Follow Serafin at facebook.com/serafincontreras.



DOING LUNCH

Daniel Prieto, Yolanda says, is someone you should do lunch with. She notes that he and his wife, Monica, are people of great wisdom who communicate well and have a good sense of humor.



KEY FOURSQUARE MINISTRY

Angelus Bible Institute (ABI) is an important ministry to Yolanda. A little over two years ago, her Warner Robins church started an ABI extension, and they currently have 12 students.



D.J. VICK APPRECIATES FOURSQUARE'S PASSIONATE FAITH

by Ken Walker

Soon after D.J. Vick enrolled at Western Baptist College in Salem, Ore., he attended a Sunday morning service at a community church. However, the new transfer student missed most of the sermon because he fell asleep.

When friend Matt Unruh—now student ministries pastor at Eastside Foursquare Church in Bothell, Wash.—heard about it, Matt declared, “Dude, you’re coming to New Hope [Salem East Foursquare Church in Salem, Ore.] and getting plugged in.”

“I’ve been in Foursquare ever since,” says D.J., who in 2011 became the lead pastor at Eastside. “I appreciate our passionate faith, conversational

approach in the pulpit, and openness to the Spirit’s leading.”

The latter particularly caught D.J.’s attention. While he had received scriptural instruction at the nondenominational church he attended after coming to know Christ at 17, D.J. sensed something different at New Hope.

He saw it modeled by Pastor Terry Risser, who then served at New Hope and currently is lead pastor of Florence Avenue Foursquare Church in Santa Fe Springs, Calif. D.J. discovered that the youth ministry was also very sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit, and he soon became very involved.

“It was like, ‘We’re going to sing and hear a message, but what is God

doing?’” D.J. recalls. “Let’s keep it simple and clear, but be open to that.”

The strong work of the Holy Spirit is a primary distinctive that attracted him to the denomination and transformed him into a proponent of Foursquare.

D.J. says that this emphasis provides an edge and creates a fire burning in members’ souls that has instilled a shared passion for people who don’t know Jesus.

After graduating college and joining the staff of Eastside Foursquare, D.J. connected with Foursquare Missions International through Pastor Jim Hayford. On multiple missions trips to the Philippines, Jim demonstrated holistic ministry by offering



A GOOD BOOK

"I'm a big Jerry Cook guy," D.J. says of the late Foursquare pastor and author. "It's hard to beat [the book] *Love, Acceptance and Forgiveness* (Bethany House). Not being Foursquare originally, that has reshaped my theology and view of God."

"I also went to Thailand and saw our missionaries doing a phenomenal job of reaching kids."

education, health care and prayer for the sick as well as the gospel.

"I also went to Thailand and saw our missionaries doing a phenomenal job of reaching kids and training them to avoid predators," D.J. recalls. "I saw thousands of children being saved and disciplined."

These experiences and others keep him strongly connected to Foursquare. The two most recent annual conventions also have helped him feel connected and have provided strong confirmation of his ministry.

At Foursquare Connection 2013 in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., D.J. sensed the Holy Spirit directing him to start a morning prayer group aimed at interceding for Eastside and the

community. That led to 15 members gathering early every Monday for prayer, which has sparked healings and a renewed sense of power in Sunday services and in his sermons.

Last May, at Foursquare Connection in Dallas, leaders called for a prayer meeting opening night. "When you see the movement say, 'We're going to pray,' and you see it in action, that's powerful," D.J. affirms. "What better thing could we be doing? For some of the younger guys in our network—we were all moved."

Besides connecting with other pastors and leaders, D.J. seeks to bring new people into Foursquare by emphasizing small groups. Rapidly growing, Eastside sees just over 1,000 worshipers a week. Almost twice as many call it their church

home. The influx of visitors has prompted D.J. to spend more time in the pulpit and other venues discussing the value of small groups (whose numbers match Sunday attendance).

"I think we have to be clearer and clearer that this is about plugging into people, not programs," the 36-year-old pastor asserts. "We don't want to compete with other churches. We want to develop pockets of community where lives can be changed in relationship."

In other words, D.J. wants to create the same kind of relational connections that attracted him to Foursquare as a college sophomore. ■

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LET'S DO LUNCH

D.J. calls Gabe Barreiro, missional pastor for the Northwest District, "Mr. Encouragement." Follow Gabe on Twitter: [@GabeBarreiro](#).



GOTTA FOLLOW

Tim Oas, who serves as tech arts director for Eastside Foursquare, is a good friend, D.J. says. Follow Tim on Twitter: [@TimOas](#).

LUCAS TELFORD WORKS OUTSIDE CHURCH WALLS TO REACH PEOPLE



Reaching people on the fringes of society can require an approach that leaves you on the fringes of church as many people understand it. So Lucas Telford appreciates the sense of community and connection he draws from being part of a movement that embraces new expressions of church.

He and his wife, Dianne, were leading a home-based simple church plant in Oshkosh, Wisc., when he was invited to a district Foursquare conference by Ben Peterson, senior pastor of Oshkosh Foursquare Church, with whom he had become friends. Lucas was excited to hear a speaker urge Foursquare to pursue the kind of church-planting format the Telfords were involved in.

The Telfords served at Oshkosh Foursquare before pioneering a new informal expression of church under Foursquare's covering. Now members of Center for Living in Christ (Oshkosh 2 Foursquare Church)—whose CLIC acronym Lucas says aims to repurpose the word “clique”—minister from two shared homes in Oshkosh, one just a few hundred yards from Oshkosh Foursquare.

While accepting that not everyone understands the very informal approach to ministry, Lucas appreciates the validation he receives from others in different parts of the Foursquare world who are also looking to pioneer new forms of church for the 21st century.

“At CLIC we say that we are a family living on mission with God,” Lucas says. “We believe that God has a mission, and His mission includes Foursquare.”

Part of Lucas' appreciation for Foursquare is that it was through attending a district conference that he was led into a deeper experience of the Holy Spirit. Both his life and ministry were enriched, and he feels a strong sense of being “a kindred spirit” with Foursquare's founder, Aimee Semple McPherson.

“God has given me the desire to reach the lost, the homeless and the hungry, and to heal the sick just like she did,” Lucas states. “She rallied people when there seemed to be no way out. When God transforms the assumed untransformable, then you will see a culture change.” —ANDY BUTCHER



IN A WORD

“Family” is the key word that describes Foursquare, Lucas says. There's room for everyone, he explains, “from your crazy cousin Eddie to your awesome Aunt Mary, and all points in between.”



WHO TO FOLLOW

We should broaden our horizons beyond the United States when we're thinking of people to follow on Twitter or friend on Facebook, Lucas asserts. Follow “someone in another part of the world,” he suggests.



MUST READ

Everyone in Foursquare, Lucas says, should read *The Vine and the Branches: A History of the International Church of the Foursquare Gospel* by Nathaniel M. Van Cleave, “to understand the roots of Foursquare, and Sister Aimee's vision.”



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ANTONIO SIMS CROSSES CULTURAL BOUNDARIES



Senior Pastor Antonio Sims didn't grow up in The Foursquare Church. In fact, he didn't grow up in church at all. He gave his life to Christ after his military service and began active ministry within another denomination.

It wasn't until age 36 that he first encountered The Foursquare Church. He went to a "Get to Know Foursquare" event and then decided to attend a service at a local Foursquare church. "I was so overwhelmed with the love they showed me that I wasn't sure if it was real." One gentleman hugged him "so tight and wouldn't let go," Antonio says, that "it was a moment I'll never forget."

That intense feeling of connectedness prompted Antonio to join the Foursquare family and begin to pastor on his own. But the start was rocky. After about eight months, he felt his bonds begin to weaken.

"Not one of the leaders had contacted me in that eight months, and I began to wonder if I'd made the right choice," he says. "When I brought my concern to two local leaders, Maurice Gholston and Maceo Banks, they invited me over for dinner and asked me not to give up on Foursquare. Their sincerity was a real turning point. They showed me they cared about me and the ministry God had given me."

Now Antonio's ministry efforts are thriving under the Lord's guidance. His team just planted a church earlier this year and continues to work with leaders in Metro

Detroit to promote Foursquare. He also has played a key role in developing the Detroit-based Urban and Multicultural Impact School of Ministry (UMI), an organization that provides cross-cultural and urban education, community development and vocational training.

"It's basically a program for those who want to become pastors in urban and multicultural contexts," Antonio explains. "We want to prepare people with the right message and equip them to be effective in different cultural dynamics."

Staying connected with Foursquare has been a purposeful process for Antonio, and it's clearly a part of God's plan for his life.

"The leadership has allowed me to do what I'm passionate about, sharing the gospel my way and just being myself," he affirms. "I feel like I am part of the Foursquare effort to give a voice to people of color and those in our urban communities. I believe we are headed in the right direction, and I feel that God is driving things." —JESSICA SHERER



IN A WORD

Antonio Sims says that the best word to describe Foursquare is "relational." If you want to introduce people to the movement, he says, invite them to attend a "Get to Know Foursquare" event, or invite them to share a meal or attend a worship service with you.



LET'S DO LUNCH

Looking for that one leader you just gotta have lunch with? Antonio recommends Steve Ryssemus, who serves as missional coordinator for the Heartland District. Follow [@Ryssemus](#) on Twitter.



MUST-HAVE MINISTRIES

Passionate about spreading the gospel and crossing cultural boundaries, Antonio participates with and supports Foursquare Missions International, Urban and Multicultural Ministries, and Life Pacific College's Study Abroad Program.

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DANIEL LUCERO FINDS A WORLDWIDE FAMILY IN FOURSQUARE

by Rachel Chimits

1 FIRST

The first person Daniel met in the Foursquare family was Sterling Brackett, then president of Life Bible College East. Sterling now serves as vice president and corporate secretary for The Foursquare Church in Los Angeles.

SOCIALIZE

Daniel has friended Foursquare President Glenn Burris Jr. on Facebook, and follows him on Twitter @GlennBurrisJr. His favorite Foursquare authors are Ralph Moore and Dan Sneed.

PLUGGED IN

When asked what one ministry a person should be involved with in Foursquare, and why, the seasoned area missionary asserts: “Foursquare youth camps. The youth are where everything starts.”

Daniel Lucero, Foursquare Missions International (FMI) area missionary to West and Central Africa, and Francophone nations, had a passion for the international world from the very beginning.

He hitchhiked around the globe, embracing peoples but not yet knowing the adventure God had in store for his life. In Spain, he had an encounter with God that changed him and gave him a deep passion for sharing the gospel with others. Daniel joined a nondenominational community in Spain, and that is where he met Martine, who became his wife.

After Spain, the Luceros’ next stop was an Islamic nation where they experienced great challenges and joys integrating God’s love into a closed nation. However, the Gulf War forced them to leave, and they returned to Virginia, Daniel’s childhood home. Daniel and Martine began looking for a church right away.

“There was a Bible college affiliated with Foursquare right down the road in Christiansburg,” Daniel recalls, “and I attended a chapel service there while doing my graduate studies at Virginia Tech.”

Daniel enrolled at the Bible college—Life Bible College East—where he met Sterling Brackett, then president of Life East, who welcomed him and Martine into the Foursquare family. Sterling also deeply encouraged their vision for missions abroad.

“This opened my eyes to the wonderful Foursquare church family. My heart was for unreached places not open to traditional sharing,” Daniel explains. “Sterling was very instrumental in helping us vocalize our vision. We had a lot of experience in sacrifice and commitment, but we were missing the family relationship, and Foursquare provided that. It is one of our movement’s deepest values.”

Daniel, Martine, and their family have held tightly to that Foursquare family relationship. Reflecting on their years working as missionaries and members with Foursquare, and recalling the friendships that he and Martine have enjoyed, Daniel says: “It’s our call to live in community. Foursquare is a broad spectrum of peoples the world over; you will always find people with whom you can relate. Our best days are ahead of us because of our diversity. Being an international leader, I’m working to make sure it flourishes, and I hope everyone finds a place.”

Rachel Chimits is a freelance writer living in Reno, Nev.



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BERNIE FEDERMANN EXPERIENCES THE KINDNESS OF NEIGHBORS

Lifelong Californian Bernie Federmann has drawn inspiration from numerous figures in Foursquare. Yet no one stands out more than the neighbors who prayed for his salvation for 14 years.

Starting the day Bernie was born, the Biddle family asked God to help this Jewish boy and his family to come to know Jesus as Messiah.

It was not until tragedy struck that the Federmann family came to know Jesus Christ. Bernie's older brother was out drinking one night with friends. When he tried to cross a busy highway, a car struck and killed him.

Grief-stricken Bernie asked his rabbi and others, "Where do dead people go?" Finding no satisfactory answers, he went to see the Biddles. Bernie had been deeply touched by the way they cared for the Federmanns during their time of grief.

"Here was a Foursquare family living out the call of Christ, just to be salt and light in the neighborhood," says the longtime pastor of Lompoc Foursquare Church in Lompoc, Calif. "They didn't preach loudly, but their message came through."

That message bore eternal fruit a few months after Bernie attended youth group at Burbank Foursquare Church. At Camp Cedar Crest, he heard the story of Jesus for the first time. One night, he prayed to receive Christ after talking with Burbank Foursquare's youth pastor, Rick Gilmore.



"He asked me to pray Rom. 10:9-10, and I did that," Bernie recalls. "I remember the next morning having a different sense about my life. There was a great peace after losing my brother." Three years later, his parents and two neighbors uttered a similar prayer.

In addition to the Biddles, the Lompoc pastor is grateful to many others in the denomination, especially his first pastor, Charles Baldwin. Today he seeks to bring others into Foursquare. For more than 15 years he has served as chaplain of the city's police and fire departments, and has ministered to personnel at nearby Vandenberg Air Force Base.

"We call it the ministry of presence," Bernie explains. "We need to love them so much that eventually they'll ask us why. Then we'll tell them about the love of our Savior. People have to know there's not a hidden agenda. I'd rather be known for loving people than getting them to my church." —KEN WALKER



LUNCH FOR TWO

"Wayne Cordeiro," Bernie says, is one person every Foursquare leader should have lunch with. "Wayne's experience, his brilliant way of looking at things, and his ability to give practical, helpful insights is second to none."



FAVORITE WORSHIP

When it comes to worship, the best Foursquare worship band Bernie has ever seen is from Christian Assembly in Los Angeles. "I'm a fan of Tommy Walker," he says. "I love his stuff." Find Tommy Walker on iTunes.



MEET THE CHAPLAIN

Bernie is very involved in his community, too, giving him many opportunities to invite people into Foursquare. "I'm the head chaplain for both the police and fire departments. By offering consistent care and availability for 15 years, we've seen them ask bigger questions about faith, come to church and come to Christ."

I used to ride in the backseat of our car on Sunday mornings...

...and watch my mom write out the weekly tithe. This was part of my childhood and became a part of who I am.

I recently sat across the table from a long-time pastor, and I listened as he told me the same story of his childhood.

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How did you come into Foursquare?



"There were a number of families that took me in since I went to the Foursquare church in Concord, N.C., without my family. These were not pastors, but just families within the church. They showed me the love of Jesus."

-JAKE CORDELL

district administrator, Southeast District

"I was a preteen in trouble, involved in drinking and violence. A friend of mine, Lauro Cavazos, who had recently given his life to Jesus, invited me to church. At the time, I was trying to hide from the juvenile police, and I thought church was the last place they would look for me. I went to church with Lauro and heard a Foursquare missionary speak from John 3:16. That day I believed in Jesus and received forgiveness of sins."

-HUMBERTO PAZ

*FMI area missionary to
East and Southern Africa*

"I worked with a lot of Mount Vernon Bible College students at a Friendly's restaurant. Jay Schmidt, one of the students, invited me to go to church with him. I felt the Spirit of God in the service, and the people were friendly."

-MICHAEL RUSH

*lead pastor, Grace Community Foursquare Gospel Church
(Kokomo Foursquare Church) in Kokomo, Ind.*



Foursquare in One Word

How do you describe Foursquare?

Movement Integrity Welcoming
Disciples Solid
Passionate Family Relational
Balanced Accepting Kingdom-centered

Why do you identify with the Foursquare family and culture?

"From the early days of Sister Aimee's ministry, she fed the hungry in Los Angeles. Preaching the gospel always meant compassionate care for the poor. I am glad to carry on this legacy in the Northeast where I serve. Since my wife, Tracy, is a powerful minister, I appreciate the example that Sister Aimee gave and the support of the Foursquare movement for women in ministry."

-JUAN GALLOWAY

president (New York City Relief), Northeast District

"The family is unique and the culture diverse. There is enough room for all to come and be a part of this family, and still not lose their identity and uniqueness."

-J.D. MIERA-MARTINEZ

lead pastor, Victory Faith Fellowship (Espanola Victory Faith Foursquare Church) in Espanola, N.M.



O'Toole family

"Something about the passion and excitement of serving with a huge, worldwide

family working together to see that every nation hears the gospel. Through my studies at Life East, my call to ministry became specific to missions. As I also studied Foursquare history and its roots in missions, it seemed an even better fit."

-TIM O'TOOLE

FMI missionary to Ireland

Why have you stayed Foursquare?

"I like the balance of Word and Spirit. I've been to lots of churches all over the world and feel that Foursquare is the most balanced in its orthodoxy as well as its orthopraxy."

-KAREN TREMPER

associate professor at Life Pacific College

"Because they continue to impact the world for Jesus Christ in a profound way."

-DAVID SAMPIANO

landing ministry overseer,
Inspire Church (Waipahu Foursquare Church)
in Waipahu, Hawaii

"The relationships that I have formed within Foursquare. The Foursquare family has been there for my family and me through the good times and the bad."

-JAKE CORDELL

district administrator,
Southeast District

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What Foursquare initiatives are you passionate about?



Juan Galloway

“Urban and Multicultural Ministries—we are passionate about shining a light in New York City, one of the most influential cities on Earth. In this urban multicultural environment, we are able to reach people from all over the world.”

-JUAN GALLOWAY

president (New York City Relief), Northeast District

“Foursquare Disaster Relief and Foursquare Missions International. I’m a Foursquare missionary, and we have disasters!”

-SOU OLBRICH

Foursquare Children of Promise International, Cambodia

“Foursquare Gospel Boxes and Foursquare Missions Press, because they are reaching souls.”

-MICHAEL RUSH

lead pastor, Grace Community Foursquare Gospel Church (Kokomo Foursquare Church) in Kokomo, Ind.



Peggy Locke

“The Centers for Spiritual Renewal [East and West]—because the centers help pastors and their families through hard times.”

-PEGGY LOCKE

co-pastor, Fountainhead (Carson City Foursquare Church) in Carson City, Nev.

“Apprenticeships with Foursquare Missions International advance the kingdom of God, and the emerging generation can be a part of it.”

-KAREN TREMPER

associate professor (Life Pacific College), Southwest District

@FollowMe

We asked several pastors who the Foursquare family should follow on Twitter. Here’s who you suggested.

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@MrAJSwoboda

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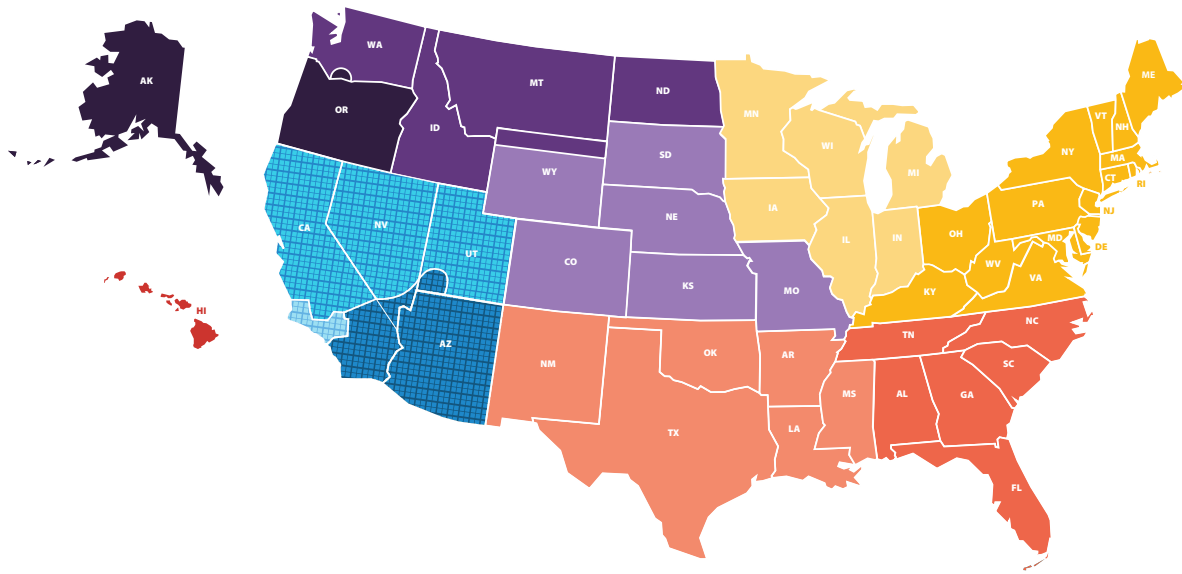
Vice President of Operations, Chief Operating Officer of The Foursquare Church

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DAVE VEACH
Northwest District
@DaveVeach
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Congregations: **173**



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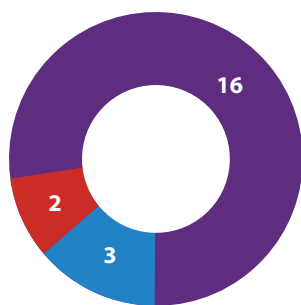
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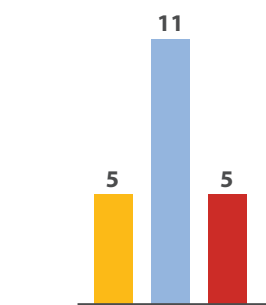
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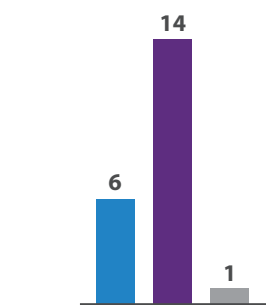
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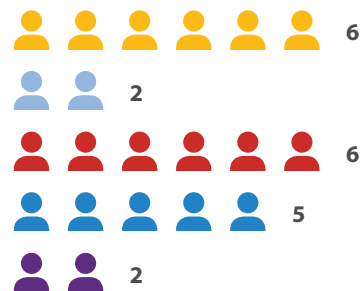
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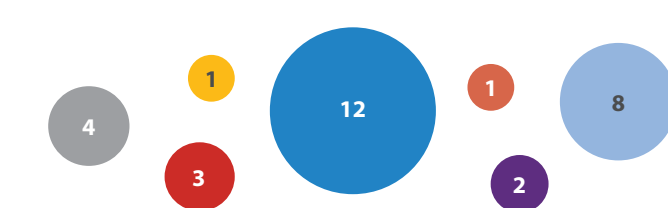
- 10-25 years
- 25-50 years
- 50 years or more

HOW FAR WILL YOU TRAVEL TO ANAHEIM FOR CONNECTION?



- Less than 100 miles
- 100-500 miles
- 500-1,000 miles
- 1,000-2,000 miles
- More than 2,000 miles

WHAT COLLEGES OR SEMINARIES HAVE YOU ATTENDED?



- Didn't attend college
- LPC
- State university
- Other private college or seminary
- Mt. Vernon
- Life East
- Other

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(Olympia Foursquare Church)
Olympia, Wash.
Appointed for a five-year term

Meet your six Foursquare
executives who also serve
on the board. PAGE 30

*An appointment for the Hawaii District will be elected by June.

Foursquare Cabinet 2015

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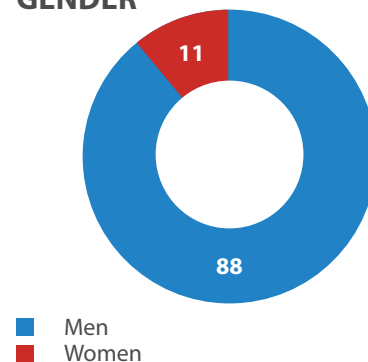
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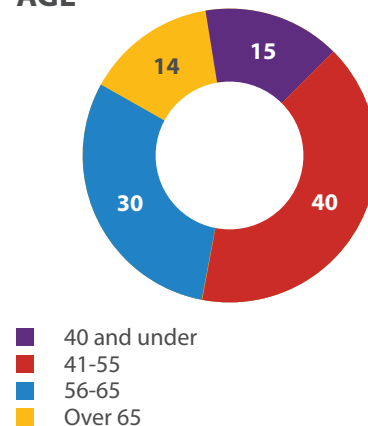
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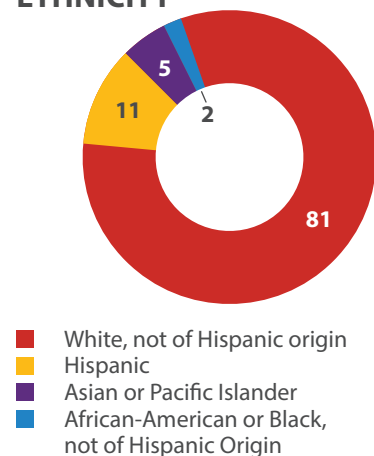
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Area Missionaries oversee 13 regions of the world and work directly with national leaders from countries within those regions to establish church planting movements and sustainable local ministries led by indigenous pastors. These 11 area missionaries partner with Foursquare Missions International and the Foursquare Global Council, helping to expand the global ministry of The Foursquare Church.

Board of Directors The current Foursquare board of directors comprises the president, general supervisor, director of missions, corporate secretary, chief financial officer, 12 elected directors (one from each district), and six appointed directors. Most of the non-officer directors are senior pastors. The board also has five nonvoting directors: the president of Life Pacific College, the chief operating officer of ICFG, the board chair and chief operating officer of Foursquare Financial Solutions, and a pastor at large. The board of directors meets face to face four or five times each year, and has a conference call each month. They are responsible for the management of the corporation and the missional effectiveness of the Foursquare movement.

Central Office is located in Los Angeles, across from Angelus Temple. It houses the executive and administrative operations of The Foursquare Church, including the president's office, the national church office (NCO), Foursquare Missions International (FMI), the communications department and the accounting department. It also houses Foursquare Financial Solutions, including the loan department, and Foursquare Foundation.

Disaster Relief Training (DRT) is a first-responder training offered at various times across the U.S. These two-day, 16-hour trainings are in partnership with Foursquare Chaplains International and are offered at a discounted rate to Foursquare credentialed ministers.

Foursquare Cabinet comprises the board of directors, district supervisors and ministerial representatives who are selected from the various voting regions throughout the United States. The Foursquare cabinet meets at least annually and may meet additional times at the request of the board, to receive reports, give counsel concerning the overall ministry of The Foursquare Church, and to act as a nominating committee in the selection of a president.



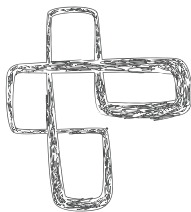
Foursquare Chaplains
International

Foursquare Chaplains International (FCI)

sends men and women as chaplains to reach people beyond the walls of the church. Chaplains serve in specialized settings, such as with the military, civic organizations, hospitals and hospices, prisons, law enforcement agencies, fire houses and other specialized mission fields, both in the U.S. and around the world.

Foursquare Connection is also known as convention; it is the annual gathering of The Foursquare Church. Credentialed ministers in the U.S. and around the world gather together to learn, worship and to vote on business matters that pertain to The Foursquare Church, including proposed bylaw amendments.

Foursquare Disaster Relief (FDR) provides disaster relief, cleanup and counseling in areas that are affected by natural and manmade disasters, in the U.S. and around the world. Relief is provided in the aftermath of major disasters that affect large populations, as well as smaller disasters that might have a great impact on local Foursquare churches or pastors.



Foursquare Disaster Relief

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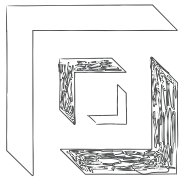
A LOT OF ABBREVIATIONS ARE THROWN AROUND. THEY ARE HANDY LITTLE TIME-SAVERS—AS LONG AS EVERYONE IS SPEAKING THE SAME LANGUAGE. HERE IS A LIST TO CLARIFY SOME OF THE MOST COMMON ABBREVIATIONS IN THE FOURSQUARE VERNACULAR.

AT	Angelus Temple
BOD	Board of Directors
CSR	Centers for Spiritual Renewal (East and West)
DRT	Disaster Relief Training
ELN	Emerging Leader Network
EPEA	Echo Park Evangelistic Association
FDR	Foursquare Disaster Relief
FCEF	Foursquare Church Education Commission (a committee of the ICFG board)
FCI	Foursquare Chaplains International
FF	Foursquare Foundation
FFS	Foursquare Financial Solutions
FFSLF	Foursquare Financial Solutions Loan Fund
FMI	Foursquare Missions International
GC	Global Council
ICFG	International Church of the Foursquare Gospel
IFLF	International Foursquare Loan Fund
LIFE	(or L.I.F.E.) Lighthouse of International Foursquare Evangelism (as used of LIFE Bible College, now known as Life Pacific College)
LPC	Life Pacific College
MMEF	McPherson Memorial Extension Fund
NCO	National Church Office
NCC	National Church Committee (a committee of the ICFG board)
NHC	National Hispanic Commission
UMC	Urban and Multicultural Ministries

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Foursquare Financial Solutions Loan Fund (FFS Loan Fund)

provides refinance, construction, purchase, improvement and capital campaign loans to qualified Foursquare churches and ministries, and offers 1, 3, and 5-year term investment certificates at competitive rates to individuals and churches. Profits earned are reinvested in Foursquare ministries, rather than those profits inuring to outside banks.



Foursquare
Financial Solutions

Foursquare Financial Solutions (FFS)

provides comprehensive fiduciary oversight of Foursquare's

financial services: (1) all planned and estate giving activity (charitable trusts, gift annuities, estate, trustee and fiduciary services); (2) the new FFS Loan Fund; (3) Foursquare Retirement Services; (4) Foursquare Insurance Services; (5) Foursquare Foundation Investment Portfolio; and (6) investment services.

Foursquare Foundation

has committed its next season of ministry partnership to that of The Foursquare Church's Reimagine efforts. Included is a continued commitment to Foursquare education through the Risser Endowment and the Foursquare Educational Taskforce; partnership with Foursquare Missions International (FMI) and the Foursquare Global Council for the catalyzation of international work; honoring past ministry efforts by supporting retirees through our Foursquare Senior Living projects; and reaching the urban core through a three-year commitment to the National Church's Global Cities Strategy.

The Foursquare Hub is Foursquare's national database for ministers and churches. Launching in 2015, its initial functionality includes national event registration for Foursquare Connection, demographic information, credential status and appointment management. Future iterations will include additional features.

Foursquare Missions International (FMI) is the international missions arm of the U.S. Foursquare Church.

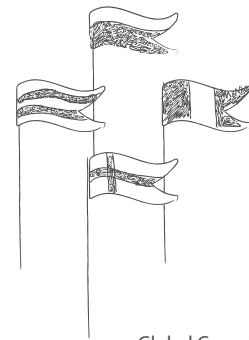
FMI partners with the Foursquare family to evangelize, disciple, plant churches and multiply national church planting movements around the world. FMI's purpose is to take the whole gospel to the whole world, until all have heard.



Foursquare Missions International

Global Council Historically, much of the governance, structure and mission of the global Foursquare Church was driven by the U.S.

Church and its leadership. As a result of a fresh a renewal of relationship and collaboration across the world, we have moved from a "parent" into a "partner" perspective, and the responsibility for Foursquare global leadership is being shared by the Global Council. This global body comprises regional and national church leaders, along with anointed global elders. The goal is to establish a global structure within which Foursquare believers worldwide will serve their highest calling, giving an empowered opportunity to expand the gospel beyond cultures, barriers and borders.



Global Council

Group Exemption The IRS sometimes recognizes a group of organizations as tax-exempt if they are affiliated with a central organization. This avoids the need for each of the organizations to apply for exemption individually. A group exemption letter has the same effect as an individual exemption letter except that it applies to more than one organization.

IFLF stands for International Foursquare Loan Fund; it provides loans to Foursquare churches.

Limited Liability Company ("LLC") An entity having legal authority to act distinct from its members, and the entity may exist indefinitely. LLCs can have a manager appointed by its member(s). The manager may have an advisory committee.

Missional Congregation is an entity that is Foursquare registered and has a covenant relationship with a local Foursquare church; this includes multisite campuses, ethnic/ language-specific congregations and church plants in process of development. A missional congregation differs from a Foursquare church in that a Foursquare church is EIN registered and has a covenant relationship with the International Church of the Foursquare Gospel (ICFG).

National Church Office (NCO) is one department of the central office, not to be confused with being the entire central office. NCO resources the 12 district offices, which then lend support to local churches and pastors as they work toward accomplishing the Great Commission.

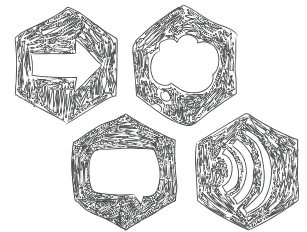
National Hispanic Commission is an advisory committee for the Board of Directors and NCO with the purpose of advancing the mission of The Foursquare Church in the context of the Hispanic church in the United States of America.

National Team is “One Team, 12 Districts.” Comprising the 12 district supervisors and their staffs, this team is led by the general supervisor and supported by the ministry specialists of the national church office. The national team provides resources, trains and encourages the local church leaders as they align their ministries with the Great Commission.

Ordination is a spiritual empowerment which is subsequent to U.S. License and is authorized by the Foursquare board of directors, upon proper application and approval, and in conjunction with, a laying-on-of-hands service; ordination is available to ministers who have held a U.S. License for at least two years.

Parsonage of Aimee Semple McPherson (The Heritage Center) was originally built as a parsonage for Foursquare’s founder. It has been renovated as The Heritage Center, which celebrates the life and contributions of Sister McPherson. The Heritage Center displays many of Sister McPherson’s personal artifacts and is open to the public Monday through Friday.

Reimagine Foursquare is the name given to the process that The Foursquare Church has embarked upon, which is an honest, in-depth and collaborative look at missional and organizational effectiveness. Reimagine is a journey of discernment, dialogue and discovery for establishing a missionally and organizationally effective movement: a movement that is making disciples, developing leaders of diverse people groups, multiplying churches and missional congregations, and becoming a movement of movements.



Reimagine Foursquare

Religious Corporation

An entity having legal authority to act distinct from its members, if any, and the entity may exist indefinitely. Corporations have a board of directors. Corporations have officers.

Tithe refers to the Foursquare Gospel Church Extension Tithe Fund. This fund is the tithe received from Foursquare churches and is the funding model for our mission and the support structures of the central office and district offices.

U.S. License is for senior pastors and assisting ministers of Foursquare churches. It is authorized by the Foursquare board of directors, upon proper application and approval.

Celebrating Foursquare's Growth

LAST YEAR, THE FOURSQUARE CHURCH CONTINUED ITS JOURNEY TO REIMAGINE WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A "GREAT COMMISSION MOVEMENT TRANSFORMING COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE MULTIPLICATION OF DISCIPLES, LEADERS, CHURCHES AND MOVEMENTS." HERE ARE SOME HIGHLIGHTS OF WHAT HAPPENED HERE IN THE U.S. AND HOW WE HAVE MADE AN IMPACT AROUND THE WORLD.

1,622 U.S. CHURCHES

28 CHURCH PLANTS

422 CONGREGATIONS



LOVE SPOKEN HERE

LANGUAGES SPOKEN AT LOCAL FOURSQUARE CHURCHES.

1,336
ENGLISH

7
INDONESIAN

3
FRENCH

8
CHINESE

203
SPANISH

7
KOREAN

3
FILIPINO

1
JAPANESE

13
PORTUGUESE

5
RUSSIAN

2
HINDI

1
IRANIAN

CREDENTIALIAED MINISTERS ♂ ♀



4,055 MALE
2,372 FEMALE

FOURSQUARE CAMPS 2014

CAMPS: 85

CAMPERS: 13,673

BAPTISMS IN THE HOLY SPIRIT: 2,750

CALLED TO MINISTRY: 1,503



EXTENSION TITHE ALLOCATION

2014 RESULTS

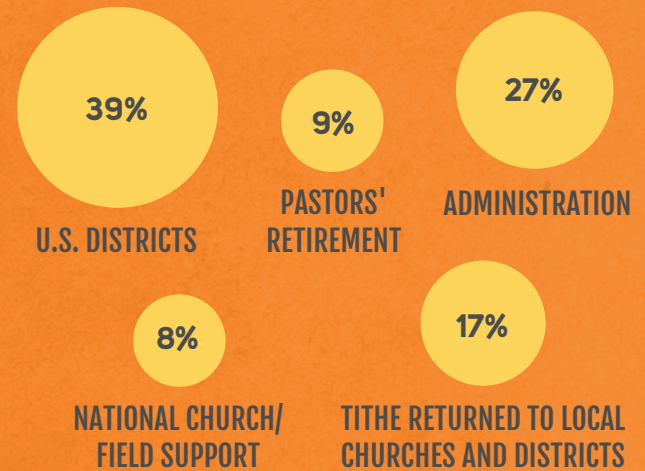

\$500K

2014 BUDGET: **\$30.8M**

2014 ACTUAL TITHE INCOME: **\$31.3M**

ACTUAL TITHE INCOME IN EXCESS OF BUDGET: **\$500K**

TITHE ALLOCATION IN 2015



FOURSQUARE DISASTER RELIEF

\$223,780

TOTAL RAISED IN 2014 FOR
FOURSQUARE DISASTER RELIEF IN
THE U.S. AND AROUND THE WORLD

WHERE YOUR MONEY WENT:



YOUR FOURSQUARE MISSIONARIES



18
SINGLES



44
COUPLES



32
FAMILIES (COUPLES WITH KIDS)



76
KIDDOS

100%

OF THE FMI CHRISTMAS
OFFERING WENT STRAIGHT
TO MISSIONARIES



¿Por Qué Es Usted Cuadrangular?

LE INVITAMOS A CONSIDERAR CÓMO DIOS LE LLAMÓ, COMPARTIENDO VARIAS HISTORIAS PERSONALES DE CÓMO OTROS PASTORES SE UNIERON A LA FAMILIA CUADRANGULAR. ESCUCHE DE PARTE DE ELLOS, VEA ACTUALIZACIONES DE NUESTROS LÍDERES, Y SEPA QUE USTED PERTENECE. DONDE SEA QUE SIRVA, USTED ES PARTE DE NUESTRA FAMILIA.



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Conozca cómo los líderes Cuadrangulares de hoy se unieron a nuestra familia por primera vez.

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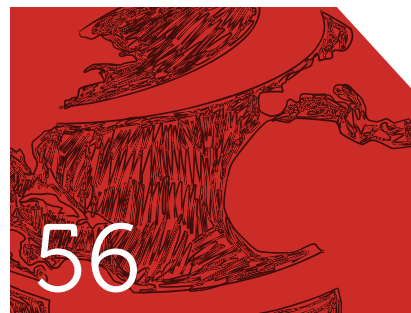
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Les preguntamos.
Los líderes respondieron.



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“¿Qué es eso?”
Aprenda términos de la Cuadrangular.



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Ser Parte de la Familia Cuadrangular

i Por qué soy parte de la Iglesia Cuadrangular? Las respuestas pueden ser muchas, y las actitudes y posiciones de relaciones internas con el resto de la familia Cuadrangular pueden llegar a ser muy variadas. Hay elementos de afiliación que son fundamentales, como lo son la doctrina bíblica, el ser una iglesia Cristo-céntrica en la proclamación del Evangelio, así como también el hecho de que muchos de nosotros nacimos de nuevo en la Iglesia Cuadrangular.

Pero cuando hablamos de aquellos que estamos sirviendo en el ministerio, lo cierto es que debemos estar en ese lugar del reino de Dios donde fortalecemos nuestra identidad en Dios y nos sentimos misionalmente conectados.

Es probable que en el ejercicio de tu llamado y ministerio en la Iglesia Cuadrangular hayas encontrado cosas que te han entusiasmado, y otras que seguramente te han desilusionado al punto de considerar dejar esta familia. Eso pasa con nosotros como denominación y también con otras denominaciones; incluso pasa en otros aspectos de la vida como lo son el área laboral o la familiar. Definitivamente esos son momentos difíciles y de decisiones fuertes, pero al mismo tiempo son momentos importantes porque en ellos volvemos a poner en perspectiva quiénes somos, a qué fuimos llamados y por qué estamos donde estamos.

Por eso te invito a disfrutar de esta edición de "Foursquare Leader" donde encontrarás historias de líderes que decidieron unirse a la familia Cuadrangular y ser parte de lo que Dios está haciendo en y a través de nosotros como denominación, y cómo ellos decidieron ser muy intencionales en conectarse e integrarse. Además, encontrarás algunas ideas prácticas de cómo otros se han involucrado para hacer de la Iglesia Cuadrangular un lugar atractivo donde servir en el reino de Dios mientras cumplimos la misión de Jesús.



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Todos somos Cuadrangulares.

Pero no todos nacimos siéndolo. Algunos de nosotros fuimos adoptados en esta familia.

CONOZCA A CUATRO MIEMBROS DE LA FAMILIA CUADRANGULAR Y VEA CÓMO SE CONECTARON A LA COMUNIDAD CUADRANGULAR – Y CÓMO USTED TAMBIÉN PUEDE HACERLO.



por Andy Butcher

TAMMY Y GARY DUNAHOO ENCUENTRAN UN PUNTO DE CONEXIÓN

Cualquiera que sea nuevo en la Iglesia Cuadrangular y se pregunte si realmente hay lugar para él o ella, sin tener algún tipo de historia en el movimiento, no tiene que buscar más allá de Gary y Tammy Dunahoo para hallar la respuesta.

Aunque hoy día son ampliamente respetados como líderes — con Tammy haciendo historia como la primera mujer nombrada supervisora general de la denominación — ellos son Cuadrangulares de “primera generación”.

Ambos han hallado espacio para su llamamiento y dones dando prioridad a las cosas que les son más importantes como cumpliendo con sus responsabilidades dentro del movimiento Cuadrangular.

Los Dunahoo crecieron en una clásica denominación Pentecostal, sirviendo como pastores asociados, directores

de jóvenes de distrito y pastores principales, estando muy involucrados en dicha organización. Ellos decidieron hacer una transición tras luchar por algún tiempo con valores ministeriales importantes y diferencias doctrinales. La mayoría de las personas fuera de su denominación con las que sentían una profunda conexión y cuyos ministerios los estaban formando, eran líderes Cuadrangulares. Entre estos se encontraban Jack Hayford, Ted Roberts, Ron Mehl, Daniel Brown, Jerry Cook y Jim Hayford. Y así se inició un proceso de discusión y descubrimiento que condujo a los Dunahoo a dejar su denominación y relaciones de toda la vida, para unirse a la Cuadrangular.

Su primera asignación como ministros Cuadrangulares recién licenciados en 1996 fue a una iglesia a la que sólo le quedaban tres miembros. Después de haber estado

en el ministerio a tiempo completo durante 14 años, los Dunahoo tomaron empleos dentro de la comunidad para apoyar el “reinicio” de esa iglesia. Después de ver a la iglesia reestablecida, se mudaron a Arkansas, donde plantaron y patrocinaron a cuatro iglesias durante los siguientes 14 años.

Gary desarrolló una buena reputación como pastor y plantador de iglesias, mientras que Tammy comenzó a servir como supervisora de distrito y líder nacional. Luego se convirtió en supervisora general interina de la Iglesia Cuadrangular, una decisión que la llevó a regresar al sur de California. Fue confirmada como supervisora general en el 2010 y Gary ahora sirve como pastor de la iglesia Lighthouse (Iglesia Cuadrangular de Newbury Park) en Newbury Park, California.

Moverse del borde de la Cuadrangular

establecidas y no siempre notan a los nuevos. Uno no puede sentarse y esperar que alguien lo busque. Usted tiene que involucrarse”.

Aunque las relaciones que disfrutaban en la Cuadrangular son muy importantes para ellos, esto no es lo que los consolida en el movimiento. Ellos sacrificaron relaciones en su antigua iglesia para seguir lo que Dios había puesto en sus corazones — una separación inicialmente “dolorosa” de personas que amaban. Pero las verdaderas relaciones permanecieron intactas, y han establecido relaciones maravillosas en la Cuadrangular.

Lo que los ancla a la Cuadrangular es su sistema de creencias, valores y misión, que se alinea con lo que Gary describe como “El pentecostalismo lleno de gracia de la Cuadrangular” y un compromiso con el evangelismo

“La misión, los valores y las creencias son lo más importante para nosotros”.

hacia su corazón ha sido una trayectoria de intencionalidad. Cuando decidieron que la Cuadrangular era el encaje perfecto para ellos, se metieron de lleno. “Teníamos una mentalidad de que cuando entras, lo haces como siervo, al fondo del salón”, dice Tammy.

También asistieron a todo lo que podían: retiros, conferencias y eventos de distrito, reuniones divisionales y la convención anual. “Siempre hemos tenido la mentalidad de participar donde estemos”, nota Gary.

Desde su experiencia, Tammy ofrece los siguientes consejos: “Si la gente entra, se sienta y espera a ser invitada, probablemente se va a decepcionar. Como cualquier organización, las personas tienen sus redes y amistades

interdenominacional y mundial.

“La misión, los valores y las creencias son lo más importante para nosotros”, explica Tammy. “Las relaciones son el resultado de estar en familia, pero no son la razón por la que nos unimos”. Con esto en mente, ella anima a los recién llegados a la Cuadrangular a “tener muy claro el por qué se han convertido en Cuadrangulares y después involucrarse y contribuir. Las relaciones son el resultado natural de servir juntos”.

Tammy y otros líderes nacionales desean que el continuar haciendo espacio para los recién llegados sea algo importante para la Cuadrangular como movimiento. “Debemos articular y vivir claramente quiénes somos para que la gente descubra si desea

CÓMO CONECTARSE CON LA CUADRANGULAR

El consejo número uno de los Dunahoo para los recién llegados que desean adherirse a la Cuadrangular: Ir a la Conexión Cuadrangular anual.

La Conexión Cuadrangular “es realmente la mejor expresión para que la gente vea la realidad de la Cuadrangular”, dice Gary. Muchos de los que posteriormente se han unido al movimiento están de acuerdo en que asistir al evento fue “cuando descubrieron que pertenecían a la Cuadrangular”.

Eso se debe a que el evento es “una gran representación de toda la diversidad e identidad de la Cuadrangular, desde el compromiso al ministerio interdenominacional evidenciado a través de conferencistas tanto de afuera como de adentro de la Cuadrangular, hasta el resalte de lo que Dios está haciendo en todos los tipos de ministerios alrededor del mundo”, dice Tammy.

pertenecer y colaborar en la misión que se nos ha dado”, afirma Tammy.

Mientras que las denominaciones han declinado, Tammy dice que “las iglesias están trabajando en redes ya sea a través de alguna asociación formal o informal, red o denominación — pare rendirse cuentas y tener conectividad, cobertura y colaboración en la misión.

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ATRAÍDOS POR AMOR

Descubra el testimonio de Yolanda y Luis Ramírez, una pareja pastoral, de Iglesia Cristiana Remanso De Paz (Warner Robins Hispanic Foursquare Church), en Warner Robins, Georgia.

La pastora Yolanda Ramírez y su esposo, Luis, llegaron a la Iglesia Cuadrangular tras ser pastores independientes por un año, integrándose casi de inmediato a la familia Cuadrangular. Hoy ella y su esposo son líderes clave del distrito del Sureste y también forman parte del Comité Nacional Hispano Cuadrangular.

En 1998, los Ramírez plantaron una iglesia en los suburbios de Atlanta, Georgia, que creció rápidamente. En 1999, conocieron al pastor Scott Reece. La impresión que ellos tuvieron desde el primer día fue una de aceptación, confianza y amor.

Transcurridos unos meses, la Iglesia Cuadrangular que estaba en el proceso de cerrar una iglesia en el área, les ofreció a los Ramírez el edificio y terreno que estaba quedando vacío. Con la propuesta de parte de la Cuadrangular de integrarse a la familia. Los pastores decidieron investigar los valores y la doctrina de la denominación. Después de un arduo tiempo de investigación, se enamoraron de la Cuadrangular y decidieron unirse tiempo completo a la denominación. Fue durante este tiempo que conocieron al pastor Glenn Burris quien hoy es el presidente de la Iglesia Cuadrangular en los Estados Unidos. Con su decisión de unirse a la familia, el edificio y terreno les fueron provistos por parte del distrito. La pastora Yolanda recalca que su decisión fue motivada por su enamoramiento de la iglesia y no tan solo por un edificio o terreno.

La confianza que esta familia ha depositado en los Ramírez ha sido clave para sus vidas ministeriales. Hablando sobre este tema, la pastora Yolanda dice: "Lo que más me gustó cuando llegamos a la denominación

fue que confiaron en nosotros cuando otros no lo hacían". Para ella, esa confianza les permitió seguir ministrando a muchos y en consecuencia tener un ministerio creciente y saludable.

Para la pastora Yolanda, la comunicación continua de parte de la denominación por medio de llamadas telefónicas, correos y un cuidado especial por parte del distrito y de otros pastores, les ayuda a sentirse acompañados a través de su ministerio. También en momentos de dificultad ellos se han sentido acompañados con mucho apoyo y aceptación y les ha dado un sentido de pertenencia a la familia Cuadrangular donde también sienten tener voz y ser escuchados por sus líderes en la denominación. Este apoyo moral ha impactado grandemente el ministerio de los pastores Ramírez.

Este apoyo y confianza que han recibido los ha llevado también a involucrarse más en apoyar y acompañar a otros líderes, especialmente hispanos, tanto en el distrito Cuadrangular del Sureste como a nivel nacional, para hacerlos sentir parte de la familia.

A través de sus 16 años con la Iglesia Cuadrangular, la pastora dice haber tenido pocos tiempos bajos y que en realidad ha tenido bastantes momentos buenos. Uno de esos momentos fue la reciente inauguración del nuevo templo de su iglesia.

Algo que destaca la pastora Ramírez es la amistad y disposición de los líderes en la Iglesia Cuadrangular a hablar, reunirse y apoyarse los unos a los otros. También habla del carácter de ellos y de su agradecimiento a muchos líderes, dos en particular: el supervisor Scott Reece y el director nacional de los ministros hispanos Daniel Prieto, a quienes ella y su esposo los ven como ejemplo para sus vidas y ministerios.

El consejo que la pastora Yolanda tiene para otros pastores que quieren unirse a nuestra familia es: "La Iglesia Cuadrangular es un lugar seguro pero también de trabajo duro. Las iglesias se deben construir con trabajo y la Iglesia Cuadrangular abre sus puertas para guiarle y darle estabilidad, pero el trabajo le corresponde a los pastores. Si usted no se quiere sentir abandonando sino que forma parte de un concilio que está bien cimentado, la Cuadrangular es para usted".

La pastora Ramírez ama a la Iglesia Cuadrangular por su visión evangélica, misionera y también por el sentido de familia que se tiene dentro de la denominación. Ella añade que, sin importar los buenos o malos tiempos, nunca quiere dejar de ser Cuadrangular. —JUAN ECHEVERRI



UNA PERSONA EN LA CUADRANGULAR CON QUIEN AMISTARSE EN FACEBOOK

Serafín Contreras. Me gustaría tenerlo como amigo en Facebook. Lo admiro mucho y me encantaría tenerlo en mi iglesia; es un líder que impacta, tiene mucho para compartir y siempre me deja con deseo de seguir escuchándolo.



UNA PERSONA EN LA CUADRANGULAR CON QUIEN MUCHOS OTROS TENDRÍAN QUE ALMORZAR

Daniel Prieto. Porque él y su esposa, Mónica, son personas de mucha sabiduría, que se saben expresar y tienen un buen sentido del humor. Daniel tiene mucha sabiduría y te ayudará a continua.



UN MINISTERIO DE LA CUADRANGULAR EN LA QUE ESTOY INVOLUCRADA

El Instituto Bíblico Angelus (Angelus Bible Institute, or ABI). Hemos comenzado una extensión de ABI en nuestra iglesia en Warner Robins, Georgia, hace poco más de dos años atrás y actualmente tenemos alrededor de 12 estudiantes.



UN ADN DE AMAR A DIOS Y A LA GENTE

por Juan Echeverri

El Pastor Sammy O'Neill y su esposa, Merary, han estado ministrando a la comunidad hispana por años. Pero en el 2013, en la Conexión Cuadrangular, descubrieron una razón para unirse al movimiento Cuadrangular.

El pastor Sammy O'Neill, su familia y su congregación La Roca (Tampa West Hispanic Foursquare Church, o Iglesia Hispana Cuadrangular de Tampa al Oeste) se unieron a nuestra familia recientemente tras haber conocido a otros líderes Cuadrangulares en años pasados y haber alquilado un templo de nuestra denominación en Tampa, Florida. Hoy son parte de nuestra familia y están expectantes de lo que Dios va a hacer en esta nueva etapa de su ministerio y en medio de su congregación.

En el 2009, siendo un reconocido artista cristiano y pastor de jóvenes, el pastor Sammy y su esposa, Merary, plantaron la iglesia: Ministerio Internacional La Roca, una iglesia independiente y no denominacional. La iglesia se enfoca en alcanzar a la comunidad hispana ganando a los perdidos y haciendo discípulos. Cuando empezaron a crecer sintieron que no querían ser más una iglesia independiente porque necesitaban una organización que los cuidara y proveyera con las herramientas necesarias para un ministerio efectivo.

Fue durante el tercer año de la iglesia que conocieron a Daniel Dunn, el pastor principal de Real Life Church



EL MEJOR LIBRO POR UN AUTOR CUADRANGULAR

Hay dos: “Making Disciples” de Ralph Moore y “La Iglesia Irresistible” de Wayne Cordeiro.



UNA PERSONA EN LA CUADRANGULAR CON QUIEN USTED QUISIERA ALMOZAR

Glenn Burris Jr. — para escrudiñar toda su sabiduría.



EL LÍDER QUE HA TENIDO EL MAYOR IMPACTO DESDE QUE LLEGUÉ A LA CUADRANGULAR

Scott Reece — por la manera en que se ha comportado; y yo anhelo ser de bendición a otros de la misma manera en que él lo ha sido para nosotros.



MI EQUIPO DE ENSUEÑO PARA DEPORTES

Wayne Cordeiro, Ralph Moore, Rick Tirado y Dan Dunn.

(Tampa West Foursquare Church, o Iglesia Cuadrangular de Tampa al Oeste). Pronto, ellos empezaron a alquilar espacio en el edificio de Real Life Church, y entonces el pastor Sammy y su esposa empezaron a investigar más sobre la Iglesia Cuadrangular y sus líderes.

Mientras más investigaban, los pastores Sammy y Merary se convencieron cada vez más de que compartían el mismo ADN de amar a Dios y amar a las personas, lo que fue su visión desde el día que empezaron Ministerios Internacionales La Roca. Ellos tienen la visión misional de extender el reino de Dios en su comunidad por medio del amor de Dios.

Para ese mismo periodo estaban alquilando el templo a una de nuestras iglesias en Tampa sin saber en un principio que eran parte de nuestra familia. Fue así que Dios abrió las puertas para reunirse con algunos de nuestros líderes Cuadrangulares del área como Scott Reece, Luis Ramírez, Rick Tirado, Jake Cordell entre otros, para tener un primer acercamiento. Cada vez los pastores Sammy y Merary se sentían más cautivados por nuestra familia al ver la sinceridad de los líderes y la manera en que se relacionaban con ellos y les hacían sentir como en casa.

Dios convenció a los pastores Sammy y Merary en el 2013 de entrar a nuestra denominación después de la Conexión Cuadrangular en Lake Buena Vista, Florida. Ellos vieron allí como Dios estaba trabajando en y a través de nuestra familia alrededor del mundo; eso los cautivó y también les tocó de una manera profunda. También dicen que encontraron un grupo de líderes y cristianos que les aceptaron y animaron como familia en su ministerio. Entre más aprendían sobre la Cuadrangular, más Dios les confirmaba que tenían que venir a casa, la casa Cuadrangular.

Ellos sienten que siempre han sido parte de la familia por la amabilidad, hermandad y apoyo con la que los pastores los han recibido y saben que en los buenos y malos tiempos siempre van a tener un apoyo a través de nuestra familia. Se sienten honrados por ser parte de este movimiento y están expectantes por lo que Dios tiene para ellos junto con la Iglesia Cuadrangular en el área de Tampa y alrededor del mundo.

Los pastores Sammy y Merary descubrieron que Dios los trajo a una organización que realmente es una respuesta a sus oraciones. Sintieron que estaban empezando a ser parte de un ministerio que es diligente en llevar el evangelio a todas las naciones y que provee un cuidado único a sus pastores, líderes y familias. Pasaron de ser una iglesia independiente hispana en la ciudad de Tampa a ser parte una familia mundial, multiracial, llena del Espíritu Santo que está ganando almas y haciendo discípulos alrededor del mundo.

“Ahora somos parte de un movimiento poderoso que está equipándonos para llevar a cabo el llamado que Dios nos dio en una manera más grande y poderosa”, el pastor Sammy comenta. “¡El futuro nunca se ha visto tan brillante para nosotros!” ■

Juan Echeverri es un miembro del equipo de plantadores de iglesias Cuadrangulares en Miami, Florida

LA IMPORTANCIA DE LAS RELACIONES COMO FAMILIA

El Pastor Luis Ramos ha servido a la Iglesia Cuadrangular por 50 años, y ha liderado 64 iglesias. Ahora retirado en el Distrito Southern California, él sigue siendo un líder de por vida con un buen legado para la familia Cuadrangular hispana.



Antes de unirse a la familia Cuadrangular, el Pastor Luis Ramos le dio su vida a Cristo en el año 1964 y casi de inmediato empezó a estudiar la Biblia. En su primer año de ser creyente, se graduó de un instituto bíblico de una denominación cristiana en California. Poco tiempo después de su graduación del instituto bíblico, plantó una iglesia que en poco tiempo creció a un grupo grande permitiéndole ser considerado para superintendente de varias iglesias en Tijuana y Los Ángeles. Fue en este tiempo que el pastor Luis empieza a construir una relación con la Iglesia Cuadrangular tras conocer al Dr. John Holland y al Pastor Jack Hayford.

Durante este tiempo de amistad con la Iglesia Cuadrangular, la iglesia del Pastor Luis, ubicada en Sun Valley, California, siguió creciendo con fuerza y de manera rápida hasta el punto de necesitar un edificio y templo más grandes que les permitiera sostener ese crecimiento. Fue en ese entonces que conoce al Pastor Paul Jones, quien junto con el Dr. Rolf McPherson adoptan al Pastor Luis en la

Iglesia Cuadrangular. Ese mismo año la familia Cuadrangular ayudó a la iglesia del Pastor Luis proveyéndole un edificio lo suficientemente grande para que su iglesia continúe creciendo como comunidad. Durante este tiempo, Luis decidió estudiar en el Instituto Bíblico Angelus (Angelus Bible Institute, o ABI) bajo el Dr. Rolf McPherson y luego se graduó y ordenó en el mismo lugar.

El llamado y la visión que Dios le dio al Pastor Luis van más allá de pastorear en la iglesia local. Era de “predicar y evangelizar en Centro América, el Caribe y los Estados Unidos”. Al obedecer fielmente este llamado, el Pastor Luis también se unió a la familia Cuadrangular internacional al plantar Iglesias en Costa Rica, República Dominicana y México entre otras. Durante este tiempo y bajo la dirección del Pastor Paul Jones, el Pastor Luis también lideró 64 iglesias Cuadrangulares hispanas, un llamado que siguió cumpliendo a tiempo completo en las oficinas del distrito bajo el Supervisor Don Long, a quien recuerda como una persona que siempre lo trató muy bien, haciéndole sentir parte de la familia.



EL MEJOR LIBRO POR UN AUTOR CUADRANGULAR

Muchos, pero los del Pastor Jack Hayford son adictivos, como una comida que no puedes parar de comer.



UN LÍDER CUADRANGULAR PARA TENER EN TU EQUIPO DE FÚTBOL

Todos mis supervisores porque saben jugar como equipo.



UNA PERSONA EN LA CUADRANGULAR CON QUIEN QUISIERA ALMOZAR

Un superintendente del área para aprender de él o ella.

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Fue este sentimiento de pertenencia en nuestra denominación que llevó a Luis a crear puentes con pastores independientes que no estaban conectados con la Iglesia Cuadrangular. Muchos de estos pastores se unieron a la familia Cuadrangular gracias a sus esfuerzos y buena experiencia en su propia adopción a nuestra familia. El interés del Pastor Luis va mucho más allá de conectar a los pastores con la iglesia Cuadrangular; su deseo es conectar a congregaciones enteras con otras congregaciones para que de esta manera logren conocer y tener comunión con más hermanos en la fe.

Para el Pastor Luis la clave de sentirse como uno nacido dentro de nuestra familia fue que al buscar a sus líderes,

ellos le brindaron de su tiempo para reunirse. Y aunque ha tenido tiempos breves en los que se sintió solo en el pasado, siempre le gustaba ir a las convenciones porque allí se encontraba con otros líderes que eran como hermanos de sangre.

Luis resalta que sin importar la situación por la que pase, continuamente ora por sus líderes. Y en especial siempre ha orado por un líder hispano que pueda visitar a todos los pastores hispanos, un deseo y oración que ya es una realidad con el nuevo supervisor del Distrito Hispano del Suroeste, Juan Vallejo.

Un consejo que el Pastor Luis le gustaría dar a todos aquellos queriendo unirse a la familia Cuadrangular es que

lo hagan porque van a encontrar líderes sinceros siempre dispuestos a ayudar y que, aparte de hacer todo con transparencia, lo hacen con amor. Dice que siempre va a recordar el amor de líderes como el Pastor Jack Hayford y Dr. Paul Jones, que siempre le extendían un saludo muy cariñoso y amable.

El Pastor Luis, que se retiró del ministerio en el 2014 tras haber servido al Señor por más de 50 años, en su mayoría con la Iglesia Cuadrangular, dice que está muy agradecido por la amistad, el amor y la forma en la que la familia Cuadrangular lo acogió a él, a su esposa, Rosamelia, y a su ministerio.

—JUAN ECHEVERRI

MOMENTOS CITABLES

Les preguntamos a ustedes sobre algunos de sus momentos Cuadrangulares favoritos, y esto es fue que dijeron los líderes Cuadrangulares.

¿Por qué sigue conectado a la Iglesia Cuadrangular?

“Aquí es donde Dios me puso y no tengo ganas de irme a ningún otro lugar. Creo firmemente en la declaración de la misión de nuestro movimiento”.

—HUMBERTO PAZ

*Misionero de Área al África Oriental y Meridional,
Foursquare Missions International*



“Varias familias me acogieron desde que llegué a la Iglesia Cuadrangular en Concord, Carolina del Norte, sin mi familia. Estas no eran familias de pastores, sino sólo familias regulares de la iglesia. Me mostraron el amor de Jesús”.

—JAKE CORDELL,

*Administrador de distrito,
Distrito Southeast*

“Seguimos conectados porque hemos visto una buena organización y el apoyo del distrito hispano, del pastor Daniel Prieto y también del pastor Sam [Rockwell], y cómo ellos se enfocan en aquellos pastores que desean trabajar para Dios”.

—LUIS E. MORALES

Pastor Principal y Solicitante de Licencia Cuadrangular, Salina Hispanic Plant en Salina, Kansas

Líderes Cuadrangulares a Seguir en Twitter

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Wayne Cordeiro
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Glenn Burris Jr.
@GlennBurrisJr

Juan Vallejo
@VallejoJuanM

Jim Scott
@FMIGuy

Ted Vail
@TheoVail

¿Por qué se identifica con la familia y cultura Cuadrangular?



Juan Galloway

“Desde sus primeros días, el ministerio de la hermana Aimee alimentó a aquellos que tenían hambre en Los Ángeles. La predicación del evangelio implicaba siempre cuidado compasivo para los pobres. Estoy feliz de continuar este legado en el noreste, donde sirvo. Debido a que mi esposa, Tracy,

es una poderosa ministra, valoro el ejemplo que nos dio la hermana Aimee y el apoyo del movimiento Cuadrangular para las mujeres en el ministerio”.

—JUAN GALLOWAY

Presidente de New York City Relief, Distrito Northeast

La Iglesia Cuadrangular en una Palabra

Amor Misiones

Completa

Integridad

Unidad

Familia

Discípulos

“La familia es única y exhibe diversidad cultural. Hay suficiente espacio para todas y todos a venir y ser parte de esta familia, sin perder su identidad y singularidad”.

—J.D. MIERA-MARTINEZ

Pastor Principal, Victory Faith Fellowship (Española Victory Faith Foursquare Church) en Española, Nuevo México

“Creemos que Jesucristo es el mismo ayer, hoy, y por los siglos. Mi familia y yo nos sentimos muy honrados de servir a Dios en una denominación que predica y enseña el evangelio completo y que en todo se sujeta a la Biblia o Palabra de Dios”.

—GUSTAVO DELGADO SR.

Pastor Principal, Promesa de Dios (Palmdale Hispanic 3 Foursquare Church) en Palmdale, California

El Diccionario Cuadrangular

¿NO SABE LA DIFERENCIA ENTRE IFLF Y UN SUPERINTENDENTE DIVISIONAL? COMO MUCHAS OTRAS ORGANIZACIONES, LA IGLESIA CUADRANGULAR TIENE SU PROPIA TERMINOLOGÍA, Y LOS QUE LA INTEGRAN PUEDEN SONAR COMO SI HABLARAN UN IDIOMA FORÁNEO. LEA NUESTRA AMIGABLE GUÍA Y PÓNGASE AL DÍA SOBRE ALGUNOS DE LOS TÉRMINOS COMÚNMENTE MAL ENTENDIDOS. ¿AÚN CONFUNDIDO POR ALGO? ESCRÍBANOS A COMM@FOUR SQUARE.ORG, Y LE RESPONDEREMOS EN UN DÍA O DOS.

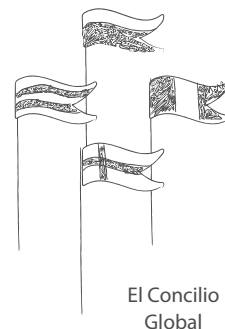
501(c)(3) Esta es una entidad con status libre de impuestos: La determinación hecha por el IRS está basada en el Código de Ingresos Internos sección 501(c)(3) en el que una entidad de caridad cumple con los criterios necesarios para estar exenta del pago de impuestos federales. Las corporaciones pueden aplicar para un status exento de impuestos 501(c)(3), y en la mayoría de los estados las sociedades de responsabilidad limitada también pueden solicitar dicha exención.

La Casa Pastoral de Aimee Semple McPherson (El Centro de Patrimonio) fue construida originalmente como una casa parroquial para la fundadora de la Cuadrangular. Ha sido renovada para convertirse en el Centro de Patrimonio, que celebra la vida y contribuciones de la hermana McPherson. El Centro de Patrimonio muestra muchos de los objetos personales de la hermana McPherson y está abierto al público de lunes a viernes.

La Comisión Nacional Hispana es un comité que asesora a la Junta Directiva y a la Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional con el propósito de avanzar la misión de la Iglesia Cuadrangular en el contexto de la iglesia hispana en los Estados Unidos.

La Conexión Cuadrangular conocida también como la convención; es la reunión anual de la Iglesia Cuadrangular. Los ministros licenciados en los Estados Unidos y alrededor del mundo se reúnen para aprender, adorar y votar en asuntos pertinentes a la Iglesia Cuadrangular, incluyendo cambios propuestos en los estatutos.

El Concilio Global Gran parte del gobierno, estructura y misión de la Iglesia Cuadrangular global fue impulsado históricamente por la iglesia de Estados Unidos y su liderazgo. Como resultado de una fresca renovación de la relación y colaboración en todo el mundo hemos pasado de ser "iglesia madre" a una "iglesia asociada", y la responsabilidad del liderazgo global Cuadrangular está siendo compartida por el Concilio Global. Este organismo mundial comprende a líderes regionales y nacionales de la iglesia, junto con ancianos globales ungidos. El objetivo es proveer una estructura que ayude a los creyentes Cuadrangulares en todo el mundo a servir en su llamado, dando la oportunidad de expandir el evangelio más allá de las culturas, barreras y fronteras.



La Congregación Misional es una entidad que está registrada con la Cuadrangular y tiene una relación de pacto con una iglesia Cuadrangular local; Esto incluye a los campus multi-sitio, congregaciones étnicas/con idioma específico y plantaciones de iglesia en proceso de desarrollo. Una congregación misional difiere de una iglesia Cuadrangular en que una iglesia Cuadrangular tiene un número EIN registrado y tiene una relación de pacto con la iglesia Internacional del Evangelio Cuadrangular (International Church of the Foursquare Gospel, o ICFG).

La Corporación Religiosa es una entidad con autoridad legal para actuar distintamente de sus miembros, si los hubiere y que puede existir indefinidamente. Las corporaciones tienen una junta directiva y ejecutivos.

El Diezmo se refiere a la Extensión del Fondo de Diezmos de la Iglesia Cuadrangular (Foursquare Gospel Church Extension Tithe Fund). Este fondo es el diezmo recibido por parte de las iglesias Cuadrangulares y es el modelo de financiamiento para nuestra misión y las estructuras de apoyo de la oficina central y oficinas de distrito.

El Entrenamiento en Socorro Cuadrangular en Caso de Desastres (Disaster Relief Training, o DRT)

es un entrenamiento en primera respuesta ofrecido varias veces en los Estados Unidos. Este entrenamiento de dos días (16 horas) en asociación con los Capellanes Cuadrangulares Internacionales, se ofrece con un descuento para los ministros con licencia Cuadrangular.

El Equipo Nacional

es "Un equipo, 12 distritos". Compuesto por los 12 supervisores de distrito y su personal, este equipo es liderado por el/la supervisor(a) general y apoyado por los especialistas de ministerio de la Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional. El equipo nacional proporciona recursos y entrena y anima a los líderes de la iglesia local a alinear sus ministerios con la Gran Comisión.

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Abreviaturas de la Iglesia Cuadrangular

MUCHAS ABREVIATURAS SON USADAS CON REGULARIDAD. ESTAS BUSCAN AHORRAR TIEMPO PERO SON POCO PRÁCTICAS — A MENOS QUE TODO EL MUNDO HABLE EL MISMO IDIOMA. AQUÍ ESTÁ UNA LISTA PARA ACLARAR ALGUNAS DE LAS ABREVIATURAS MÁS COMUNES EN EL IDIOMA AUTÓCTONO CUADRANGULAR.

AT	Angelus Temple, la primera iglesia Cuadrangular
BOD	Board of Directors, o Junta Directiva
CSR	Center for Spiritual Renewal, o Centro de Renovación Espiritual (Este y Oeste)
DRT	Disaster Relief Training, o Entrenamiento de Socorro Cuadrangular en Caso de Desastres
ELN	Emerging Leader Network, o Red de Líderes Emergentes
EPEA	Echo Park Evangelistic Association, o Asociación Evangelística de Echo Park
FDR	Foursquare Disaster Relief, o Socorro Cuadrangular en Caso de Desastres
FCEF	Foursquare Church Education Commission, o Comisión de Educación de la Iglesia Cuadrangular (Un comité de la junta directiva de ICFG)
FCI	Foursquare Chaplains International, o Capellanes Cuadrangulares Internacionales
FF	Foursquare Foundation, o Fundación Cuadrangular
FFS	Foursquare Financial Solutions, o Soluciones Financieras Cuadrangular
FFSLF	Foursquare Financial Solutions Loan Fund, o Fondo de Préstamos de Soluciones Financieras Cuadrangulares
FMI	Foursquare Missions International, o Misiones Cuadrangulares Internacionales
GC	Global Council, o Concilio Global
ICFG	International Church of the Foursquare Gospel, o Iglesia Internacional del Evangelio Cuadrangular
IFLF	International Foursquare Loan Fund, o Fondo de Préstamos Cuadrangular Internacional
LIFE	(o L.I.F.E.) Faro del Evangelismo Cuadrangular Internacional (usado para LIFE Bible College, universidad ahora conocida como Life Pacific College)
LPC	Life Pacific College (la universidad Cuadrangular en San Dimas, California)
MMEF	McPherson Memorial Extension Fund, o Fondo Conmemorativo de Extensión McPherson
NCO	National Church Office, o Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional
NCC	National Church Committee, o Comité de la Iglesia Nacional (un comité de la junta de ICFG)
NHC	National Hispanic Commission, o Comisión Nacional Hispana
UMC	Urban and Multicultural Ministries, o Ministerios Urbanos y Multiculturales

Exención de Grupo A veces el Internal Revenue Service (IRS) reconoce a un grupo de organizaciones como exentas de impuestos si las mismas están afiliadas a una organización central. Esto evita la necesidad de solicitar exención individual para cada una de las organizaciones. Una carta de exención de grupo tiene el mismo efecto que una carta de exención individual, excepto que se aplica a más de una organización.

Los **Foursquare Chaplains International (FCI, o Capellanes Cuadrangulares Internacionales)** envían hombres y mujeres

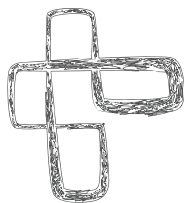
como capellanes a alcanzar a la gente más allá de las paredes de la iglesia. Los capellanes sirven en ámbitos especializados, tales como organizaciones militares, civiles, hospitales y hospicios, cárceles, organismos policiales, estaciones de bomberos y otros campos de misión especializada, tanto en los Estados Unidos como alrededor del mundo.



Foursquare Chaplains International

El **Foursquare Disaster Relief (FDR, o Socorro Cuadrangular en Caso de Desastres)** proporciona ayuda

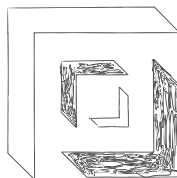
en situaciones de desastre, limpieza y asesoría en áreas afectadas por desastres naturales o provocados por el hombre tanto en los Estados Unidos como alrededor del mundo. Auxilio es proveído ante las secuelas de catástrofes mayores que afectan a grandes poblaciones, así como desastres de menor magnitud que puedan tener gran impacto en las iglesias locales o pastores Cuadrangulares.



Foursquare Disaster Relief

Foursquare Financial Solutions (FFS, o Soluciones Financieras Cuadrangulares) es una entidad que proporciona

supervisión fiduciaria integral de servicios financieros a la Cuadrangular: (1) todo lo planeado y actividades de donación de bienes raíces (organizaciones de beneficencia, donaciones anuales, bienes inmobiliarios y servicios fiduciarios y de fideicomisos); (2) el nuevo fondo de préstamos de FFS; (3) servicios de jubilación Cuadrangular; (4) servicios de seguros Cuadrangulares; (5) cartera de inversiones de la Foursquare Foundation (Fundación Cuadrangular); y (6) servicios de inversión.



Foursquare Financial Solutions

El **Foursquare Financial Solutions Loan Fund o Fondo de Préstamos de Soluciones Financieras Cuadrangular (Fondo de Préstamos de FFS)** proporciona fondos para refinanciamiento, construcción, compra,

mejoras y préstamos de capital a iglesias y ministerios Cuadrangulares calificados y ofrece certificados de inversión a términos de 1, 3 y 5 años con tasas competitivas a individuos e iglesias. Los beneficios obtenidos se reinvierten en ministerios Cuadrangulares en vez de beneficiar a bancos exteriores.

La Fundación Cuadrangular

ha comprometido su próxima etapa de colaboración ministerial a los esfuerzos de Re-imagina a la Iglesia Cuadrangular. Incluidos están: un compromiso continuado con la educación Cuadrangular a través del fondo del legado Risser y la fuerza de tarea educativa Cuadrangular; la alianza con Misiones Cuadrangulares Internacionales (FMI) y el Concilio Global Cuadrangular para la catalización de la obra internacional; el honrar los esfuerzos ministeriales del pasado mediante el apoyo a los jubilados a través de nuestros proyectos de residencia para adultos mayores; y el alcance del núcleo urbano a través de un compromiso de tres años con la Estrategia de Ciudades Globales de la Iglesia Nacional.

The Foursquare Hub, la Base de Datos Cuadrangular, es la base

nacional de datos de ministros e iglesias Cuadrangulares. Siendo lanzada inicialmente en enero del 2015, su funcionalidad inicial incluye la inscripción nacional al evento de Conexión Cuadrangular, información demográfica, estatus de credenciales y manejo de posiciones o nombramientos ministeriales. Las iteraciones futuras incluirán características adicionales.

Foursquare Missions International (FMI, o Misiones Cuadrangulares Internacionales) es el

brazo de las misiones internacionales de la Iglesia Cuadrangular de Estados Unidos. FMI trabaja junto con la familia Cuadrangular global para evangelizar, discipular, plantar iglesias y multiplicar movimientos de iglesias nacionales alrededor del mundo. El propósito de FMI es llevar todo el evangelio a todo el mundo, hasta que todos hayan escuchado.



Foursquare Missions International

El **Gabinete Cuadrangular** se compone de la junta directiva, supervisores de distrito y representantes ministeriales elegidos de las diversas regiones electorales en los Estados Unidos. El gabinete Cuadrangular se reúne por lo menos una vez al año y puede reunirse adicionalmente a petición de la junta para recibir informes, brindar asesoría sobre el ministerio global de la Iglesia Cuadrangular y actuar como comité de nominaciones en la elección del presidente.

International Foursquare Loan Fund o IFLF es la sigla en inglés para el Fondo de Préstamos Cuadrangular Internacional; ofrece préstamos a las iglesias Cuadrangulares.

La actual **Junta Directiva Cuadrangular** se compone del presidente, la supervisora general, el director de misiones, el secretario corporativo, el director financiero, 12 directores elegidos (uno por cada distrito) y seis directores nombrados. La mayoría de los directores que no son ejecutivos son pastores principales. La junta también tiene cinco directores sin voto: el Presidente de LIFE Pacific College, el director de operaciones de ICFG, el presidente de la junta y el jefe de operaciones de Foursquare Financial Solutions, y un pastor en general. La junta directiva se reúne cara a cara cuatro o cinco veces al año y sostiene una conferencia telefónica cada mes. Ellos son responsables del manejo de la corporación y la eficacia misional del movimiento Cuadrangular.

La **Licencia de Estados Unidos** es para pastores principales y ministros asistentes de las iglesias Cuadrangulares. Está autorizada por la junta directiva de la Iglesia Cuadrangular, después de la solicitud y aprobación adecuadas.

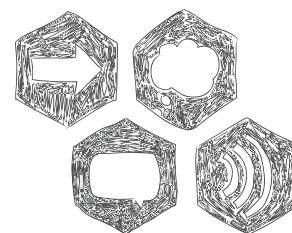
Los **Misioneros de Área** supervisan 15 regiones del mundo y trabajan directamente con los líderes nacionales de los países de esas regiones para establecer movimientos de plantación de iglesias y ministerios locales sostenibles dirigidos por pastores nativos. Los 11 misioneros de área sirven en asociación con Foursquare Missions International (FMI, o Misiones Cuadrangulares Internacionales) y el Concilio Global Cuadrangular, ayudando a expandir el ministerio global de la Iglesia Cuadrangular.

La **Oficina Central** se encuentra en Los Ángeles, frente a Angelus Temple. Alberga las operaciones ejecutivas y administrativas de la Iglesia Cuadrangular, incluyendo la Oficina del Presidente, la Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional (NCO), Foursquare Missions International (FMI, o Misiones Cuadrangulares Internacionales), el Departamento de Comunicaciones y el Departamento de Contabilidad. También alberga a Foursquare Financial Solutions (Soluciones Financieras Cuadrangulares), incluyendo el Departamento de Préstamos y la Foursquare Foundation (Fundación Cuadrangular).

La **Oficina de la Iglesia Nacional (National Church Office, o NCO)** es un departamento de la oficina central; no se debe confundir con la oficina central entera. NCO provee recursos a las 12 oficinas de distrito, que a su vez prestan apoyo a las iglesias y pastores locales que trabajan para cumplir la Gran Comisión.

La **Ordenación** es un empoderamiento espiritual subsecuente a la licencia de los Estados Unidos y es autorizada por la junta directiva después de la solicitud y aprobación apropiadas y en combinación con un servicio de imposición de manos; la ordenación está disponible para los ministros que han tenido una licencia de los Estados Unidos por al menos dos años.

Re-imagina la Iglesia Cuadrangular es el nombre dado al proceso que ha emprendido la Iglesia Cuadrangular para dar una mirada honesta, profunda y colaborativa a su efectividad organizacional y misional. Re-imagina es un camino de discernimiento, diálogo y descubrimiento para establecer un movimiento misional y organizacionalmente eficaz: un movimiento que hace discípulos, desarrolla líderes de diversos grupos étnicos, multiplica iglesias y congregaciones misionales y se convierte en un movimiento de movimientos.



Re-imagina la Iglesia Cuadrangular

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Welcome

There is great favor involved in being sent! This year's Foursquare Connection theme, "Sent," is indicative of the fact that we are commissioned to go to the nations in Jesus' name, and that we are entrusted to deliver His Good News to a lost and broken world. Even more exciting—we are empowered by the Holy Spirit to accomplish what we have been sent to do.

Our theme verse states: "As the Father has sent Me, I also send you" (John 20:21, NKJV). Being sent is a divine call that is exhilarating, but it is also humbling. God believes in us, and entrusts us with His message to reach a dying world and extend His kingdom.

I recall early times in my ministry life when I was chosen for specific tasks. I felt the honor of having been selected, but I also felt the sobering responsibility of doing successfully what I had been sent to do.

Our Foursquare family has also been chosen for a distinct task, and we have been divinely called and divinely sent. "Sent" has many synonyms—appointed, delegated, directed, dispatched, commissioned, ordered—and I believe that each of those words aptly describes the heart of the Lord for us.

As we come together this week in Anaheim, Calif., to seek the Lord, I am encouraged, hopeful and full of expectation! The favor of the Lord is upon us, and He has entrusted us with the Great Commission—we are being sent! It is a joy and honor to run this race with you!

Till all have heard,



Glenn C. Burris Jr., President
The Foursquare Church



Bienvenidos

¡Hay gran favor en ser enviados! El tema de la Conexión Cuadrangular de este año, "Enviados", es indicativo del hecho de que hemos sido comisionados para ir a las naciones en el nombre de Jesús, y de que se nos ha confiado la tarea de compartir sus buenas nuevas a un mundo perdido y quebrantado. Aún más emocionante — hemos sido empoderados por el Espíritu Santo para lograr lo que se nos ha enviado a hacer.

El versículo de nuestro tema dice: "Como me envió el Padre, así también yo os envío" (Juan 20:21, RVR1960). Ser enviado es un llamado divino estimulante, pero también nos llena

de humildad. Dios cree en nosotros y nos confía su mensaje para que alcancemos a un mundo moribundo y extendamos su reino.

Recuerdo los primeros años de mi vida ministerial en los que fui elegido para tareas específicas. Sentía el honor de haber sido escogido, pero también la sobria responsabilidad de realizar con éxito lo que se me había encomendado.

Nuestra familia Cuadrangular también ha sido elegida para una tarea específica y hemos sido divinamente llamados y enviados. La palabra "Enviado" tiene muchos sinónimos — nombrado delegado, dirigido, despachado, comisionado, ordenado — y creo

que cada una de esas palabras describe acertadamente el corazón del Señor para con nosotros.

Al reunimos esta semana en Anaheim, California para buscar al Señor, ¡me siento animado y lleno de esperanza y expectación! El favor del Señor está sobre nosotros y Él nos ha confiado la Gran Comisión — ¡Hemos sido enviados! ¡Es un gozo y un honor poder participar en esta carrera con usted!

Hasta que todos hayan escuchado,



Glenn C. Burris Jr., Presidente
La Iglesia Cuadrangular

Nice to See You!

This special, double-header edition of the Foursquare Connection 2015 program and *Foursquare Leader* magazine should prepare you for anything! We are so excited to gather together for this year's Connection, and there is a lot in store for us. Keep this guide in hand because it has all the information you need to make the most of your time in Anaheim.

Learn about the speakers, our new Connection Studios, or flip this over and get to know more about your Foursquare family. Unless, that is, you want to hunt each one down in person here at Connection 2015 and find out the story face-to-face. ... Ready? Go!

—Foursquare Communications Team



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Anaheim Convention Center Hall A



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Connection 2015 Area Map



Mon

May 25

Tues

May 26

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May 28

7 – 7:45 a.m.

Q+A with Board
of Directors

Preguntas y
Respuestas la
Junta Directiva con
Anaheim Marriott

8:30 a.m. – 10 p.m.

Registration Open

Se inicia la Inscripción

*Connection Center,
Hall A*

8:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Morning Session

Sesión de
la Mañana
Arena

8:30 – 10:15 a.m.

Morning Session

Sesión de la Mañana
Arena

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

Business Session

Sesión de Negocios
Arena

12:30 – 4 p.m.

Conexión Hispana

Anaheim Marriott

**10:45 a.m. –
12:45 p.m.**

Connection
Studios
Estudios de
Conexión

*Anaheim Marriott +
Convention Center*

**10:30 a.m. –
12:15 p.m.**

Business Session

Sesión de Negocios
Arena

9:45 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Closing Session

Sesión de Clausura
Arena

1:15 – 5:15 p.m.

Multiethnic
Connections

Conexiones
Multiétnicas

Anaheim Marriott

1:15 – 5:30 p.m.

Southern California
Tours Offered

Tours del Sur de
California Ofrecidos

6:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Evening Session

Sesión de la Noche
Arena

6:30 – 9 p.m.

Evening Session

Sesión de la Noche
Arena

6:30 – 9 p.m.

Evening Session

Sesión de la Noche
Arena

8:30 – 9:30 p.m.

Prayer Service

Servicio de Oración
Arena

8:45 – 11 p.m.

Connection
Center Café

Cafetería del
Centro de Conexión

*Connection Center,
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8:45 – 11 p.m.

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and after
our evening
sessions as
well as after
our morning
sessions.



Welcome Home, Foursquare!

Over 90 years have passed since the Lord established The Foursquare Church through Sister Aimee Semple McPherson. Now we gather from the nations in our movement's birthplace.

Here on the West Coast, the living heritage of Foursquare is visible in so many ways: at the historic Angelus Temple; in the ministry preparation at Life Pacific College; at Foursquare Missions Press, where gospel materials are created to reach the global mission field; and here, at Foursquare Connection 2015, in the faces of representatives from every tribe and tongue in our church family.

We grew from the ministry of Word and Spirit. We nurtured that growth through training and deploying new leaders. And we saw the Lord send them into the world to make disciples and seek the fulfillment of the Great Commission.

From the founding of our first church, Angelus Temple, in 1923, we saw rapid expansion as new churches were planted that same year. It was only four years later that the Foursquare Gospel was sent out to the Philippines. Today, Foursquare is serving in 147 countries and territories with more than 62,000 churches and meeting places worldwide.

As we return together to the roots from which we sprang, we pray that you will be refreshed by the One who starts and sustains every family, and continues to send us out into all the world, until all have heard.



Bienvenida a Casa, Iglesia Cuadrangular

Han pasado más de 90 años desde que el Señor estableció la Iglesia Cuadrangular por medio de la hermana Aimee Semple McPherson. Ahora nos reunimos desde las naciones en la cuna de nuestro movimiento.

Aquí en la costa oeste, el patrimonio viviente de la Cuadrangular es visible de muchas maneras: en el histórico Angelus Temple; en la preparación ministerial de LIFE Pacific College; en la Imprenta de Misiones Cuadrangular, donde se crean materiales evangelísticos para alcanzar al campo misionero global; y aquí, en la Conexión Cuadrangular del 2015, en los rostros de los representantes de cada tribu y lengua en nuestra familia eclesíastica.

Crecimos de un ministerio de la Palabra y del Espíritu. Nutrimos ese crecimiento mediante el entrenamiento y envío de nuevos líderes. Y vimos al Señor enviarlos al mundo para hacer discípulos y buscar el cumplimiento de la Gran Comisión.

Desde la fundación de nuestra primera iglesia, Angelus Temple, en 1923, vimos una rápida expansión a medida que se plantaban nuevas iglesias ese mismo año. Fue tan solo cuatro años después que el Evangelio Cuadrangular fue enviado a las Filipinas. Hoy, la Cuadrangular está sirviendo en 147 naciones, con más de 62.000 iglesias y lugares de reunión en todo el mundo.

Al regresar juntos a las raíces de las que surgimos, oramos para que usted sea refrescado por Aquel que comienza y sostiene a cada familia y continúa enviándonos a todo el mundo, hasta que todos hayan escuchado.



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Want a say? Be here!

Foursquare is a family, and every family has to make decisions together. As we continue through the Reimagine process, there are questions to be asked, information to be considered and prayerful determinations to be reached. From missions to mortgages, spreadsheets to soul care, the convention floor is the place where Spirit-led strategy is agreed upon for the continuation and success of the mission of the church—reaching all nations with the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Our movement gives the highest human authority to the convention body. So if you are at Foursquare Connection 2015, and you are either a credentialed minister or a voting delegate for your local church, you have a part to play in the decisions that shape our future. God gave you to this church, and your voice matters. Let your voice be heard, and let us find unity with the Holy Spirit so that we can say, “It seemed good to us and to Him.”



Board of Directors Q+A

TUESDAY, MAY 26

7 to 7:45 a.m.

Marriot Hotel

Business Sessions Schedule

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27

10:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 28

8:30 to 9:30 a.m.

**God gave you to this church,
and your voice matters.**



Important Information



Badges

You must wear your Connection 2015 badge when gathered for the business sessions.

Yes, even if it doesn't match your shoes and your iPad case.



Eligibility

While all convention delegates are welcome at the business sessions, only licensed ministers and authorized voting delegates (people pre-authorized by the church council of a local church body) can participate in business sessions.



Prayer

Pray! The term “business session” might give you the cold sweats, but it genuinely is a place of intense prayer and discernment.

Pray before the sessions for wisdom, pray during them for discernment, and pray afterward for unity after we have voted and as we move forward together.



Negocios de la Familia

Somos una familia y la familia hace planes juntos. Cada año en la convención, nos reunimos para buscar al Señor y sus estrategias y planes, y para votar juntos sobre estos asuntos. Usted necesita estar en las sesiones de negocios si quiere que su voz sea escuchada y su voto sea contado mientras tomamos decisiones para la siguiente parte de la misión. Si usted es un ministro con credenciales o un delegado autorizado para votar, únase a nosotros para las sesiones de este miércoles y jueves, mientras buscamos juntos la voluntad del Señor y el camino para nuestra familia Cuadrangular.

Information, Lost + Found



Lost and Found

Misplaced something? Wondering where the best fish tacos in town are? Forgotten which room your next meeting is in? The info desk, located outside the entrance to the arena, can help!



Translation

Translation is available in the following languages during the general sessions:

- Chinese (Mandarin)
- French
- Indonesian
- Korean
- Portuguese
- Spanish

Translation device checkout is located outside the main arena entrance.



Badges

They may not be at the height of fashion, but you have to wear your badge anyway. Registration badges are required to attend general sessions, business sessions, Connection Studios and the Connection Center. Please wear your badge. It's how we know you belong.

Frequently Asked Questions

1 *What's with all the purple shirts?* Work with us people—purple. King. Sent. Got it? Our purple shirt crew is here to serve you and “send” you where you need to go. Give them your best high five and ask whatever questions you need answered at Connection 2015.

2 *Where should we eat?* If you don't trust Google, Yelp or Siri, come to the info desk or the hotel concierge; we can make suggestions and give you directions.

3 *Can youth come to general sessions?* If your kids and/or youth have wisdom beyond their years and want to jump into an adult session, we're happy to register them at a discounted rate and award them their very own badge. Just swing by the registration desk for more information.

4 *How can my team back home see what I see?* We hope that **connectionlive.org** or the jam-packed Connection Experience Kit, available for purchase at the Connection Store, will help you share what you've learned with your church team and your congregation.



Kids + Youth Program at Connection 2015

Foursquare is committed to raising disciples of every age. So Connection would not be complete without a fun, challenging, safe place for your littlest disciples to enjoy some time together in Anaheim. The program runs parallel to all adult general sessions, business sessions and Connection Studios.

All Kids + Youth program activities, including registration, are located in the Anaheim Marriott.

Important Notes

- Onsite registration will be limited by class size and worker availability.
- No meals are included. Snacks are a possibly-maybe, but no meals. Please feed your kids and students.
- Immediately following each session, please sign out and pick up your children. No dilly-dallying.



Información, Objetos Perdidos y Encontrados

¿Perdió algo? ¿Se pregunta dónde se encuentran los mejores tacos de pescado en la ciudad? ¿Olvidó en qué salón es su próxima reunión? ¡El mostrador de información ubicado afuera de la entrada al auditorio le puede ayudar!

Traducción

El servicio de traducción está disponible en los siguientes idiomas durante las sesiones principales:

- Chino (Mandarín)
- Francés
- Indonesio
- Coreano
- Portugués
- Español

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Insignias

Insignias. Podrán no estar a la altura de la moda, pero de cualquier manera necesitan ser portadas. Las insignias de inscripción son requeridas para asistir a las sesiones principales, sesiones de negocios, Estudios de Conexión y el Centro de Conexión. Por favor, use su insignia. Esta es la forma en que sabemos que es uno de los nuestros.

Programa de Niños + Jóvenes

La Cuadrangular está comprometida a levantar discípulos de todas las edades. Por esta razón la Conexión no estaría completa sin un lugar divertido, seguro y desafiante para que nuestros discípulos más pequeños disfruten su tiempo juntos en Anaheim. El programa se lleva a cabo simultáneamente a todas las sesiones principales, sesiones de negocios y Estudios de Conexión para adultos.

Todas las actividades del programa para niños + jóvenes, incluyendo la inscripción, están ubicadas en el Anaheim Marriott.

Notas Importantes

- La inscripción en sitio estará limitada por el tamaño de la clase y la disponibilidad de voluntarios.
- La comida no está incluida. Las meriendas son una posibilidad pero no comidas. Por favor, alimente a sus hijos y estudiantes.
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AS FOUNDER AND SENIOR PASTOR OF THE ROCK, JERRY DIRMANN HAS WATCHED HIS CHURCH GROW INTO 12 CONGREGATIONS ON NINE CAMPUSES WITH TEACHING IN THREE LANGUAGES. JERRY HAS ALSO DEVELOPED OPERATION: SOLID LIVES (OSL), A TIME-TESTED DISCIPLESHIP SYSTEM FOCUSED ON THE POWER OF THE WORD OF GOD.

Operation: Solid Lives (OSL)

Jerry Dirmann

Publisher: The Rock Publishing

OSL is a biblically based discipleship system with five levels of audio teachings, daily Scripture readings, and other disciplines. Hundreds of churches around the world use OSL to radically transform lives for Christ, and it's available for free to individuals and groups everywhere through oslonline.com.



? What has made The Rock grow so quickly in so many different areas?

Most churches can get people in the door, but the key to retention is real life change. This only happens through authentic discipleship. Then people stay put, and they invite others to join them.

? You recently launched a campus in Miami. What's going on there?

Miami is The Rock's first Spanish-language-only campus. We opened it in October last year, and it's already above 70 attendees. I love that our church plants aren't limited to one tongue.

? What does being "sent" mean to you?

It's got to be from the Lord. It is not that you sent yourself or that your district supervisor sent you, but that God is backing you with all of His resources to accomplish His will. We have nothing to fear when He sends us.



Jerry Dirmann

Como fundador y pastor principal de The Rock, Jerry Dirmann ha visto su iglesia crecer a 11 congregaciones en ocho instalaciones con enseñanza en tres idiomas. Jerry también ha desarrollado la Operación: Vidas Sólidas (OSL), un sistema de discipulado probado a través del tiempo y enfocado en el poder de la Palabra de Dios.

Tammy Dunahoo

EVERYONE IS SENT

Tammy Dunahoo

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BEFORE SERVING IN HER CURRENT ROLES, TAMMY'S LEADERSHIP INCLUDED PASTORAL MINISTRY AND CHURCH PLANTING, DISTRICT SUPERVISOR OF ARKANSAS, VICE PRESIDENT OF WOMEN IN MINISTRY LEADERSHIP AND DIRECTOR OF FOURSQUARE WOMEN INTERNATIONAL.

? What will be unique about Foursquare Connection 2015?

We are fully engaged in the implementation of the Five Stakes of Reimagine, and we are poised to gain momentum in mission—in being “sent.” It is a privilege to have the opportunity to talk about the story we will write together in this season of history!

? What do you hope attendees take away from this convention?

My prayer is that we leave Anaheim with a renewed vision for what we can do together as we partner in God's mission.

? What is one of your favorite memories from a past convention?

At Cincinnati 1997, my husband and I were recovering from a season of loss, and we wondered if there was a fruitful future for us. A particular word of the Lord from Dick Mills gave us hope and set our trajectory.

Daily Acts

Various Authors

Publisher: The Foursquare Church



In *Daily Acts*, Tammy Dunahoo and more than 30 other Foursquare leaders use the early church as a model to address contemporary challenges for evangelism. This book shares real-world stories to explore how ancient principles can still help us reach others for Jesus.



Tammy Dunahoo

Antes de servir en sus papeles actuales como Vicepresidenta de Operaciones de los Estados Unidos y Supervisora General de la Iglesia Cuadrangular, el liderazgo de Tammy incluía el ministerio pastoral y la plantación de iglesias. También fue supervisora del distrito de Arkansas, vicepresidenta de Mujeres en Liderazgo Ministerial y directora de Mujeres Cuadrangulares Internacionales.

Bob Goff

SENT TO GO AND DO

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AUTHOR OF THE *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING BOOK *LOVE DOES* AND FOUNDER OF RESTORE INTERNATIONAL, A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION FOCUSING ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND EDUCATION IN UGANDA, INDIA AND SOMALIA, BOB GOFF HAS A PASSION TO SEE CHRIST'S LOVE LIVED OUT TANGIBLY.

? You're involved in so many things. How do you decide what to do with your time?

We all make too many plans. We should stop trying to figure out the specifics of God's plans and just do what He commands. I'm more afraid of succeeding at all the wrong stuff than I am of missing the mark on the right stuff.

? Which project are you most excited about this year?

Restore International is hoping to get going in Afghanistan. I've been meeting with people who are equipped to influence culture there, so I hope we can start a school soon.

? What are you most looking forward to about speaking at Foursquare Connection 2015?

I love to tell stories of what I see God doing. I can't wait to share what I'm learning from others around the world.



Bob Goff

Autor del libro en la lista de mayores ventas del *New York Times*, *El Amor Hace* (Love Does) y fundador de Restaurar Internacional (Restore International), una organización sin fines de lucro enfocada en los derechos humanos y la educación en Uganda, India y Somalia, Bob Goff tiene pasión por ver el amor de Cristo demostrado de manera tangible.

Miles McPherson

SENT TO MOBILIZE OTHERS

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MILES IS A FORMER ALL-AMERICAN AND NFL FOOTBALL PLAYER WHO GAVE HIS LIFE TO CHRIST AFTER STRUGGLING WITH A COCAINE ADDICTION. HE FOUNDED ROCK CHURCH IN 2000, NOW SERVING 15,000 ATTENDEES, AND DO SOMETHING CHURCH IN 2013, A GROUP OF CONGREGATIONS MEETING REAL NEEDS THROUGH CREATIVE OUTREACH.

God in the Mirror: Discovering Who You Were Created to Be

Miles McPherson

Publisher: Baker Books

Using the scripture that says we are made in God's image, Miles helps readers redefine themselves as Christ's reflection of love to the world. That process helps transform their relationships with others and with God.



Miles McPherson

Miles fue un antiguo jugador de fútbol americano tanto a nivel colegial como profesional (NFL), que entregó su vida a Cristo tras luchar con una adicción a la cocaína. Fundó la iglesia Rock en el 2000, que actualmente sirve a 15.000 asistentes, y la iglesia Haz Algo (Do Something) en el 2013, un grupo de congregaciones que satisface las necesidades reales a través de alcances creativos.

? Why is it so important to raise up people to serve?

It's important for us to realize we've been "sent" by Christ to share the gospel and make disciples of all nations (Matt. 28:19). This is not a suggestion but a command, and it should be our No. 1 motivation for serving others.

? What are you working on this year that excites you the most?

Gospel Central. It's an app that will provide three-minute candid testimonies about the power of the gospel. People can discover, watch and share testimonies that most closely match the life of the person they're witnessing to.

? What is an interesting fact most people don't know about you?

I can listen to the same song 50 times in a row, especially sad love songs like those by Sade and Adele.

Misael Argeñal Rodríguez

SENT TO SEND OTHERS

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MISAEAL ARGEÑAL RODRÍGUEZ CURRENTLY LEADS A MOVEMENT OF 71 CHURCHES IN SEVERAL COUNTRIES REACHING AROUND 100,000 PEOPLE. HE FOUNDED A SCHOOL, A COLLEGE, AN ORPHANAGE AND A CLINIC FOR LOW-INCOME PEOPLE. HE AND HIS WIFE, MARIA ELENA, HAVE THREE CHILDREN AND EIGHT GRANDCHILDREN.



Misael Argeñal Rodríguez

Misael Argeñal Rodríguez actualmente lidera un movimiento de 71 iglesias en varios países tocando alrededor de 100,000 personas. Ha fundado un colegio, una universidad, un orfanato y una clínica para personas de bajos recursos. Él y su esposa María Elena tienen tres hijos y ocho nietos.

? After 36 years of ministry, what advice do you have for new pastors?

Love your calling and never back down in adversity. Do not run after growth or money, love the presence of God, and what your soul desires will be added to you. Be a conqueror.

? What would you say to ministers who are sending others out to ministry?

Train them theologically, but also train them in vision, conquest, passion and the healing of their hearts. Establish them in a city and provide financial support, that they may be effective in their calling.

? What do you like to do during your time off?

God gave us a farm with cows and horses. This is the place where my mind rests, and my strength is replenished. I think every man of God should have a place he loves that he can enjoy on his day off with his family.

Crónicas De Una Gran Cosecha: Cómo Pasar De La Visión A La Acción

Misael Argeñal Rodríguez

Publisher: Editorial Vida

In *Crónicas De Una Gran Cosecha*, available only in Spanish, Misael vividly shows us what it means to be persecuted for proclaiming the liberating truth of a living Christ. We learn not only our position as mature believers willing to take on ministry challenges and be sent as disciples, but also explore authority and dominion to establish God's kingdom.



QuickTalks + Interviews

2015 QUICKTALK SPEAKERS

Community Transformer

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Church Planter

Antonio Sims
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Danny Bennett

Senior Pastor

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Interviews

Hear more conversations throughout convention main sessions from some Foursquare movers and shakers. These casual Q&A style interviews will include updates on Reimagine Foursquare, Global Cities and leadership health, and are a great way to meet some new faces in Foursquare.

Ushering in Worship

THIS YEAR'S FOURSQUARE CONNECTION BRINGS TOGETHER THE TALENTS OF THREE LEADERS FOR AN EXCLUSIVE WORSHIP EXPERIENCE YOU WILL NOT WANT TO MISS. BROTHERS ERIC DIAZ AND CHRIS DIAZ WILL JOIN MEARAH ALLMOND TO LEAD A SPIRITUALLY AND MUSICALLY INSPIRED TIME WHERE WORSHIPERS CAN BE STRENGTHENED TOGETHER AND REFRESHED AS THEY LIFT PRAISES TO THE LORD.

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Mearah Allmond

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Eric oversees Spanish worship ministries at The Rock and is passionate about bringing different cultures together to worship God. He has written and recorded songs in English, Spanish and Portuguese, and has led worship in several countries.

As director of youth worship at The Rock, **Mearah** enjoys watching God impact kids' lives through music. She has co-written songs for a number of projects at The Rock and is currently studying to be a teacher.

With a varied musical background, **Chris** has recorded albums ranging from Christmas music to singer-songwriter styles. He currently leads worship at Angelus Temple Hispanic Foursquare Church in Los Angeles where he also creates original music for Easter plays, kids musicals and other theatrical productions.

God Will Reign

Mearah Allmond
and various artists
Label: TRW Records



God Will Reign is a 2014 live recording capturing worship from The Rock Forum in Anaheim. The album features 12 original tracks, two of which Mearah co-wrote: "I Let Go" and "Love, Love, Love."

All I Have Inside EP

Chris Diaz
Label: Independent



Released in June 2009, *All I Have Inside* features

seven tracks of original worship music and conveys Chris' diverse musical interests and talents.

Eric Diaz: En Vivo Desde El Templo Angelus

Eric Diaz
Label: Independent



Eric's live recording from 2008 offers 12 tracks of

Spanish worship music, including songs such as "Mi Buen Señor," "Haz Llover," and "No Hay Otro."



Lideres de Alabanza

La Conexión Cuadrangular de este año reúne el talento de tres líderes que brindarán una experiencia de adoración exclusiva que no se puede perder. Los hermanos Chris Díaz y Eric Díaz se unirán a Mearah Allmond para un tiempo inspirado espiritual y musicalmente donde los adoradores pueden ser fortalecidos y refrescados al levantar alabanzas al Señor.

Emcees



Carrie Jenkins

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As co-pastor alongside her husband, Dale, **Carrie** leads the worship, women's, and J12 ministries at New Hope Worship Center. She also serves as a

member of the Foursquare board of directors. Carrie's other endeavors have included working as a personal assistant to entrepreneur and former NFL Carolina Panther Mike Rucker, and helping to create a real estate company and a childcare center. These diverse experiences have allowed Carrie to minister both within the church and the marketplace, encouraging others to embrace ways they have been uniquely "sent."

Dale Jenkins

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Dale and his wife, Carrie, have been married for 23 years. They have served together at New Hope Worship Center for most of those years, first as assisting ministers,

and since 2006 as co-lead pastors. Dale also serves on the Foursquare cabinet as the pastoral representative for his voting region. He delights in building meaningful relationships for Christ's glory, particularly those that promote true discipleship and powerful leadership within the church. Dale counts being a father to Gabrielle and Kaleb among his greatest joys.

Carrie Jenkins

Como co-pastora junto a su esposo Dale, Carrie dirige la adoración, el ministerio de damas y los ministerios J12 en el Centro de Adoración New Hope. Otras iniciativas de Carrie han incluido su trabajo como asistente personal del empresario y ex jugador de fútbol americano profesional de las Panteras de Carolina, Mike Rucker y su ayuda en la creación de una empresa de bienes raíces y un centro de cuidado infantil. Estas experiencias diversas le han permitido a Carrie ministrar tanto dentro de la iglesia como en el mundo de los negocios, animando a otros a abrazar maneras en las que han sido excepcionalmente "enviados."

Dale Jenkins

Dale y su esposa, Carrie, han estado casados por 23 años. Juntos han servido en el Centro de Adoración New Hope por la mayoría de esos años, primero como ministros asistentes y, desde el 2006 como pastores asociados. Dale también sirve en el gabinete Cuadrangular como representante pastoral para su región. Él se deleita en entablar relaciones significativas para la gloria de Cristo, particularmente con aquellos que promueven el verdadero discipulado y un liderazgo poderoso dentro de la iglesia. Dale cuenta ser padre de Gabrielle y Kaleb entre sus mayores alegrías.



A background image of a musician playing an electric guitar on stage. The musician is wearing a dark shirt and jeans, and is captured in a dynamic pose. The stage is dimly lit with warm, golden light from the left and blue light from the right. Other musicians are visible in the background, out of focus.

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Connection Studios are a great way to learn in a smaller setting.

WE ARE SENT, BUT WE ARE NOT SENT ALONE. JOIN US FOR ONE OF THE MANY CONNECTION STUDIOS THIS YEAR, AND GET CONNECTED WITH PEOPLE WHO ARE PURSUING THE SAME PASSIONS AS YOU. WHETHER YOU'RE FOCUSED ON LEADERSHIP HEALTH, WORLD MISSIONS, MARKETPLACE ENGAGEMENT OR SOMETHING ELSE, THERE'S A PLACE FOR YOU AT ONE OF OUR 14 STUDIOS. COME ALONG AND LEARN WITH FELLOW MINISTERS, AND BRING YOUR OWN INSIGHTS TO THE TABLE.

STUDIO 1 **Worshippers Leading:** **Developing and Networking** **Foursquare Worship Leaders**

Join this gathering of worship leaders to connect with others and discuss current music and worship ministry in the church today. In a panel setting, information will be shared about an ongoing Worship Leaders Network. We'll be covering topics such as music recording and distribution, publishing, and using technology in "live" settings.

STUDIO 2 **Kid-Vangelists: Equipping and** **Sending Kids Into Their Schools**

Secularism has invaded our school systems, and our children are facing anti-Christian rhetoric in the sciences and amoral social worldviews, all within a pluralistic context. Learn how to help young people be salt and light in their own schools.

STUDIO 3 **Developing Youth Culture That Goes!**

Youth culture will not stand still. And yet, it also won't get out of bed. In a swiftly transitioning subculture, we need to effectively equip, motivate and release our youth as God is calling them. This studio will consider how to develop and unleash a youth culture that impacts the world.

STUDIO 4 **Foursquare Scholars**

The Foursquare Scholars conversation continues to bring together our movement's scholars and researchers to build relationships and discuss various research interests. If you identify with this group, plan to join us as we continue the conversation this year.

STUDIO 5 **Sponsoring Women Leaders:** **How to Foster a Culture That** **Goes Against Religious Culture**

Foursquare was founded by a woman, and we are doctrinally positioned for the release of women in ministry leadership. But we work within a culture that still opposes such ideas, even within the church. How can we help encourage women to pursue and thrive in the ministry God is calling them to? Learn more here.

STUDIO 6 **Sent to Send Others:** **Becoming a Church That Sends** **Missionaries With Foursquare** **Missions International**

Sent. It's our theme, our strategy, and a part of our DNA as a movement. We have a Four-Stage Model that ends in sending. How can you get your local church from here to there? FMI has a way for you to connect your local members to the mission field, and this studio is where you can learn more.

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STUDIO 7

Sent to Foreign Nations: Becoming a Missionary With Foursquare Missions International

Some people provide resources to foreign missions, and some people are the resources to foreign nations. Foursquare has a long history of sending across national boundaries, and has developed a great process of training and deploying missionaries around the world. Whether you're a pastor wanting more information, a missions-minded member, or you have the urgent call to cross borders, join us and see how FMI can help.

STUDIO 8

Sent to Foreign Neighbors: Cross-Cultural Training to Reach Those Around You

The world has moved in, next door. The demographic landscape has shifted drastically, and many have awoken to find they are missionaries at home. Being cross-cultural in ministry has its own particular challenges, and we want to talk about overcoming those to reach our neighbors from around the globe.

STUDIO 9

Long-Lasting Effectiveness: Leadership Health and Spiritual Disciplines

We are both what and how we eat—and that includes our spiritual diet. Leaders are no exception to this rule, but we often pour into others and neglect our own spiritual health. If you are suffering from spiritual heartburn, or joy anemia, we want to talk with you about getting healthy through your personal spiritual disciplines.

STUDIO 10

Sent to Do Business: Effective Ministry in the Marketplace

Vocation is sacred. God works in the pulpit and the pit, and more of His church is called to marketplace ministry than to full-time vocational ministry. How can we operate in secular systems to the glory of God, and reach those we work alongside? This and much more will be discussed in this studio on doing "business as mission."

STUDIO 11

Sending Healthy Leaders: Caring for Leaders

Ministry leadership can be an exhilarating and exhausting call. If leaders are not healthy, they will reproduce unhealthy patterns and face significant, avoidable problems. Learn how to make space to invest in yourself and your family, and join fellow leaders who want to finish the race with strength and joy.

When? Where? I'm lost!

Studio sessions are taking place in the Anaheim Marriott meeting rooms and the second floor of the Anaheim Convention Center, on **Tuesday, May 26, from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.**



STUDIO 12

Siendo Enviadores (presentado en Español)

Los líderes existen para levantar y enviar ministros. Somos llamados a ser enviados del pueblo de Dios a todos los rincones geográficos y a toda esfera de la cultura humana. ¿Cómo podemos hacerlo con eficacia? Hablemos sobre levantar y enviar a nuestra familia para alcanzar al mundo para Jesucristo.

STUDIO 13

Sent to Lead in the Urban Context

The United States is a complex nation culturally, historically, religiously and socially. In this unique studio session, join us as we look at the particular needs for taking the gospel to urban areas.

STUDIO 14

Sent in Power: Holy Spirit Baptism for Empowerment

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever—and the Holy Spirit is just as active today as we read about in the book of Acts. But the baptism with the Holy Spirit and the utilization of the Spirit's gifts are required to connect our message with the ministry it promises. Join the conversation and be sent out in the power of the Spirit.



Estudios de Conexión

Somos enviados, pero no somos enviados solos. Este año, la Conexión del 2015 presenta nuestros Estudios de Conexión — 14 grupos pequeños diseñados para involucrarle y animarle en una multitud de áreas, incluyendo un estudio en español sobre ser un enviado. Únase a otros ministros Cuadrangulares que comparten pasiones similares y aporte su perspectiva a la discusión. Pequeños y relacionales, los Estudios de Conexión son el lugar para crecer y compartir en familia.

Tour Foursquare's History

HERE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, FOURSQUARE HISTORY LIVES! SEE THE HISTORIC ANGELUS TEMPLE, WHERE ALL OF OUR MODERN-DAY FOURSQUARE MINISTRIES WERE FIRST STARTED, AND A WHOLE LOT MORE. THERE IS PLENTY TO SEE AND CELEBRATE WHILE YOU TAKE A BREAK FROM THE NORMAL PRESSURES OF MINISTRY.

We've got three special tours lined up for you to explore and engage with our heritage. Join us on **Tuesday, May 26, from 1:15 to 5:30 p.m.** for one of these great opportunities to see where we started and where we are heading. Registration is required, but we'll keep making room until we have none left. Inquire at the registration desk if you'd like to join in the fun.

1 Echo Park

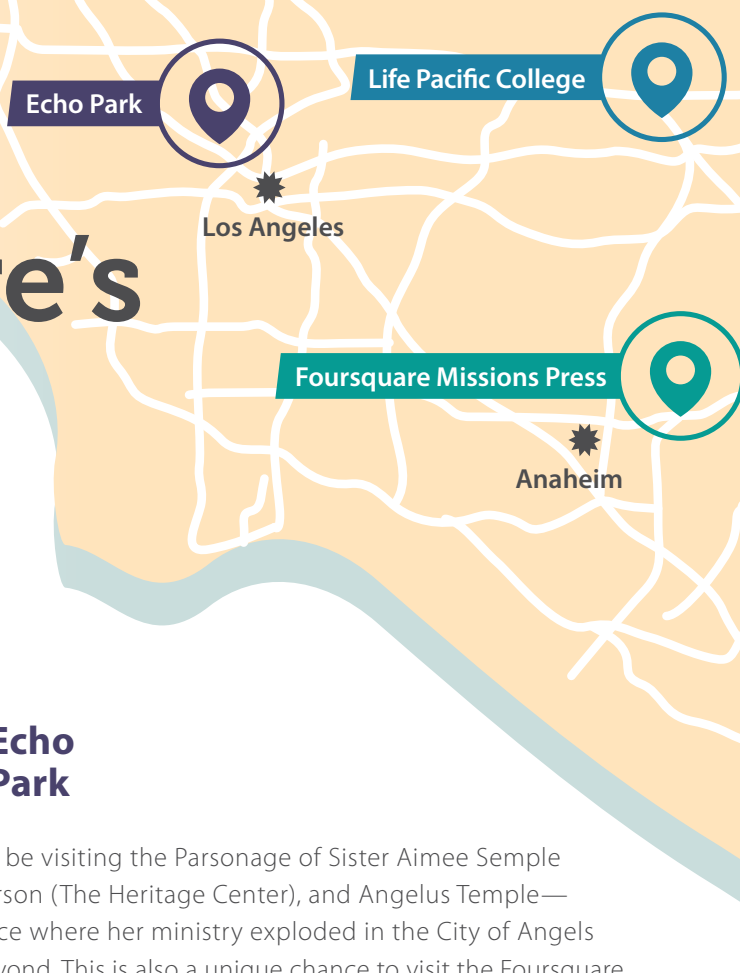
We will be visiting the Parsonage of Sister Aimee Semple McPherson (The Heritage Center), and Angelus Temple—the place where her ministry exploded in the City of Angels and beyond. This is also a unique chance to visit the Foursquare central office and see where so many strategies, plans and even this very publication are created.

2 Foursquare Missions Press

Foursquare Missions Press is the literature arm of Foursquare Missions International, printing over 160 million tracts, books and other literature that has enabled the spread of the gospel into 110 nations through 52 languages. See how the humble beginnings in 1981 have flourished into a major operation in Anaheim, Calif.

3 Life Pacific College

Alumni or prospective students can enjoy a tour of Life Pacific College (also called LIFE Bible College) in San Dimas, Calif., and see how Foursquare is preparing people for effective and fulfilling careers inside and outside the walls of the church.



Connection Center

HUNGRY? DE-CAFFEINATED? IN NEED OF LIVE MUSIC AND THE CHANCE TO ENTER FREE DRAWINGS FOR GREAT PRIZES? OR MAYBE YOU JUST WANT TO BE THE FIRST TO GATHER PAMPHLETS AND GIVEAWAYS FROM EVERY ONE OF OUR AMAZING VENDORS AND EARN THE "HEAVIEST CONNECTION 2015 BAG" PRIZE. (THIS MAY OR MAY NOT BE A REAL COMPETITION.) THE CONNECTION CENTER ANSWERS ALL THESE NEEDS, AND MUCH MORE!



REFRESHMENTS

Whether it's a(nother) cup of java, a seat with friends old and new, or hearing some local talent from the stage, we have plenty of choices available. So take a break from all the learning and stretching of hearts and minds. *Rest.* It's biblical.



EXHIBITS

We love to help you learn about innovative tools, ministries and resources that will help you in your local church or organization. Take a stroll through our exhibit hall and see the new developments in the fast-moving world of ministry.



PRIZES

Everyone loves prizes. Only the people who win really love prize drawings, but this could be your year! Prize drawings will take place nightly at the Connection Center stage each evening—but you have to be there to share in the chance to win!

Connection Center Open Hours

MONDAY

4 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
8:15 p.m. - 11 p.m.

TUESDAY

10:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
8:45 p.m. - 11 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

10:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
8:45 p.m. - 11 p.m.



Centro de Conexión

Únase a nosotros en el Centro de Conexión para tiempos de descanso, refrigerio y para edificar relaciones con viejos y nuevos amigos. El Centro de Conexión está abierto todas las noches después de la sesión principal hasta las 11 p.m. Usted puede disfrutar de café y bocadillos en la cafetería, averiguar sobre los últimos recursos ministeriales en nuestra sala de exposiciones y aún ganar premios — ¡sólo por estar aquí! No se pierda de esta gran parte de la Conexión del 2015.

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Video and audio downloads are available in DVD and CD format, respectively, for an additional \$35, including shipping and handling. All DVD and CD orders will begin shipping in July. Downloads are also available in July.



Multiethnic Connections

Please join us for Multiethnic Connections, and enjoy Foursquare Connection 2015 with the world. Hosted by our Urban and Multicultural Ministries team, these multicultural, multilingual sessions have taken last year's theme, "Multiply," and put it into action. We have more language groups meeting for more sessions starting on **Tuesday, May 26, from 1:15 to 5:15 p.m.** in the Anaheim Marriott.

Jesus Christ is the same, always, and the Good News is universal, but our expressions of and ways of celebrating the gospel are wonderfully diverse. Take some time to enjoy Jesus in a different culture; discover more about our great Savior who saves people from all tribes, tongues and nations, and sends them out to spread the gospel.



Conexiones Multiétnicas

Nuestro recién formado Distrito Hispano del Suroeste está entrando directamente en acción en la Conexión del 2015, con miembros del distrito sirviendo en las Conexiones Multiétnicas de la Iglesia Cuadrangular. El año pasado, las Conexiones Multiétnicas fueron parte de la Conexión Hispana — pero por la bendición de Dios han crecido, y ahora tenemos aún más grupos lingüísticos reuniéndose para este tiempo diverso y poderoso juntos. Abracemos a hermanos y hermanas de muchas culturas y naciones y aprendamos juntos mientras buscamos la rápida expansión del Reino de Dios alrededor del mundo.

Las Conexiones Multiétnicas se llevarán a cabo en el hotel Anaheim Marriott el martes 26 de mayo de 1:15 a 5:15 p.m. Nos encantaría verle ahí para ser parte de las naciones juntándose para aprender y ayudarse mutuamente. La fiesta de las naciones está ocurriendo en la Conexión del 2015. ¡No querrá perdérsela!



Conexión Hispana del 2015

En el año 2014 Conexión Hispana tuvo 700 personas que se comprometieron por la obra del Señor en medio de las naciones! Únase a nosotros este año a celebrar el nacimiento del Distrito Hispano del Suroeste y enfocarnos en los retos que debemos superar para empoderar y liberar el movimiento hispano en todo el país. Juan M. Vallejo y Daniel Prieto hablarán en este encuentro que comienza a las 12:30 p.m. del lunes 25 de mayo en el hotel Anaheim Marriott. La adoración estará dirigida por el grupo de alabanza "Dios Restaura".

Conexion Hispana is for you.

Come to the kick-off event of Foursquare Connection 2015 as Conexión Hispana gets us underway at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, May 25, at the Anaheim Marriott. Translation services are available for those whose Spanish has only matured to "taco," so you can hear Juan M. Vallejo

and Daniel Prieto share what God is doing in and through the Hispanic church. Join us in a powerful celebration of praise and worship, led by Dios Restaura Worship Team, and begin your time in Anaheim with your Hispanic Foursquare family.

Thanks + Gracias!

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO WORKED TO BRING THE FOURSQUARE FAMILY AN AMAZING FOURSQUARE CONNECTION EVENT THIS YEAR. WE APPRECIATE EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU!

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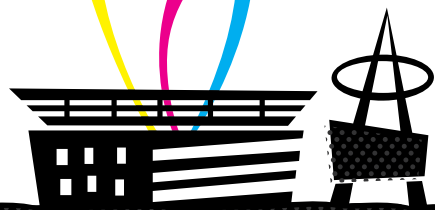


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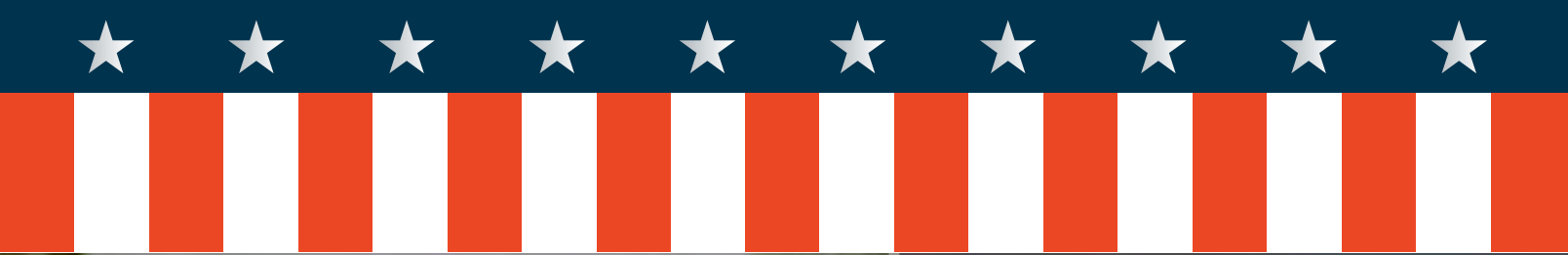
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