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More effective than government programs in curtailing gangs.

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Employers Wanted
There are benefits to hiring a Hope Now youth: First, you help our community by providing employment for one in need of hope. Second, there is a support team behind each Hope Now young man you hire. Working together, we will help you make sure your new hire succeeds. Call our office for more information.

Odd Jobs Needed.

Executive Director and CEO, Since 2004
Pastor Roger Feenstra

Founded 1993
Rev. Roger Minassian

It only takes about $5,000 per year to guide and assist one young man. Your gift goes a long way!

Thank you for giving monthly!

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Congratulations to our Youth of the Year, Franky Chavez, pictured here with his wife and our executive director and his wife. We are proud of Franky’s accomplishments.

Franky grew up in a small town. He loved and excelled at playing sports, but being the oldest of 9 siblings, his family couldn’t afford to enroll him in extracurricular sports. He saw gangsters who always had money and new clothes, and he wanted that way of life.

After being jumped into a gang, he began selling drugs, stealing, and even hustling some people playing basketball and taking their money. Convinced that he was doing better on the streets than sitting in a boring classroom, he dropped out of school in 11th grade.

Party life and street mentality became second nature to him but eventually put him in mortal danger. He was confronted by some enemies at a party who jumped him, beat him, and left him for dead in a field. He mustered enough strength to drag himself to a nearby house for help. The cops were called and an ambulance took him to the hospital. The doctor made note that Franky would have bled to death if he hadn’t arrived when he did. Desiring revenge for what had happened to him, he went back to the gang and party life after his recovery. He got his revenge, but still wasn’t satisfied. His heart wasn’t at rest until he came to Hope Now For Youth.

That was over 5 years ago, and today he is a changed man. Having completed the Hope Now training, he was given employment at Electronic Recyclers International where he still works full-time today. He began attending Hope Now Bible Church regularly and married his girlfriend. Today he is a husband, a father, and an active member of Hope Now Bible Church.

Thanks for your support so we can help young men like Franky change their lives.

Roger Feenstra, Executive Director
Cambodia Corner

[For more information on our Cambodia Hope Now program, please go to our website.]

Our executive director heads to Cambodia next month to conduct the Institute for Pastoral Development and Leadership for some of the deportees in that country. “We want to offer hope to the young men who have been deported,” said our director Roger Feenstra. Developing not only leaders, but spiritual leaders, is the key to helping young men discover God's plan for their lives. We are still in need of help with some of the details of the Institute:

Transportation $200 (to bus in participants from outlying areas)
Meals: $120
Hotel accommodations: $120
Books and materials: $225
Total: $665

If you would like to help, please designate, "Cambodia" on your next gift. Include your e-mail and we will keep you up to date on the progress. Your support will help train a young man for the Hope Now ministry.

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