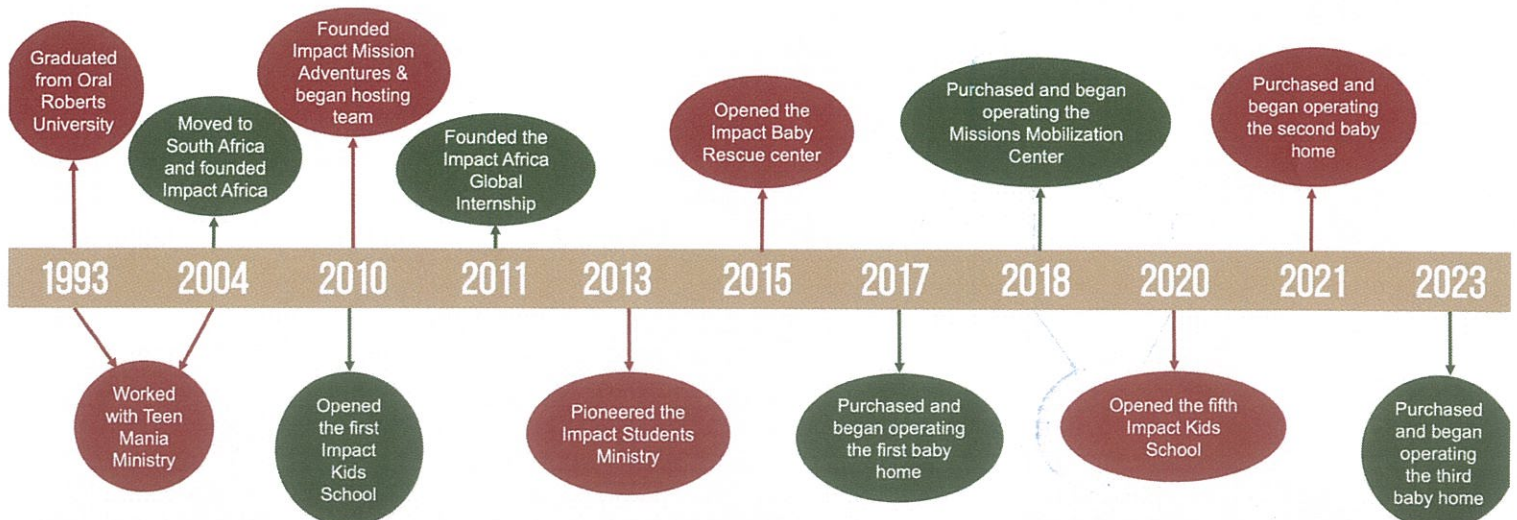
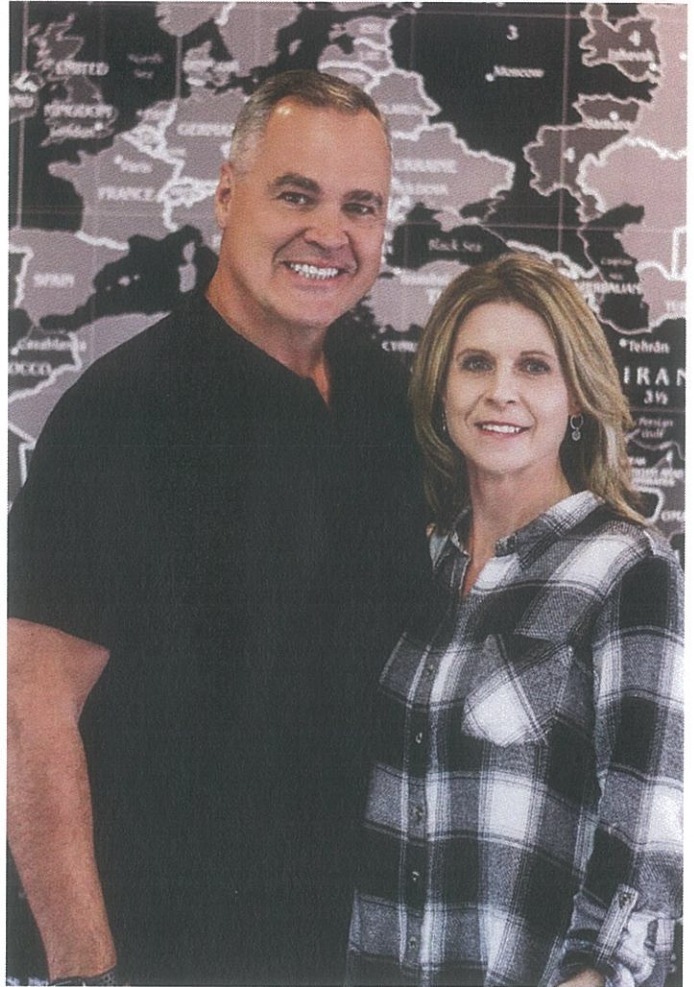


IMPACT AFRICA

SERVE • EDUCATE • RESCUE

Rich and Michelle Franzen began their journey on the mission field when they both embarked on their first short-term mission trips in their late teens. With hearts wrecked for the nations, they continued to pursue the Lord's calling on their lives as they finished their education at Oral Roberts University in 1993, when Rich graduated with a BS degree in Education and a minor in counseling, and Michelle with a BS degree in Education. Eager to inspire the next generation with the life-altering call to missions, Rich and Michelle spent the next 13 years working with Teen Mania Ministries as they organized Acquire the Fire youth conferences for thousands of teens, and simultaneously began to train, recruit, and send thousands of young adults and leaders to over 25 countries throughout the globe. It was through their international travel that a yearning emerged in their hearts for Africa. As a result, they moved their young family to South Africa in 2004, and established Impact Africa - a non-profit organization whose mission is to serve, educate, and rescue individuals while provoking them toward a passionate relationship with Jesus Christ through socially relevant outlets of ministry service; which in turn deeply impact individuals, communities and nations.



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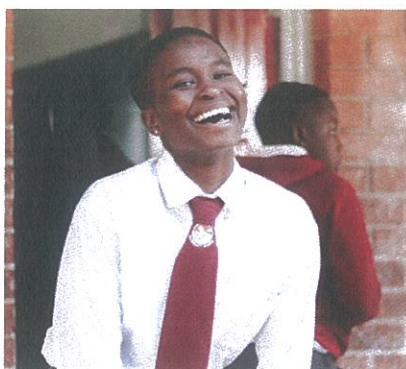


IMPACT BABY

Impact Africa's Baby Rescue Center is a beacon of hope shining into the dark statistic that on average, in Johannesburg alone, at least 3 babies are abandoned every day. Due to the insurmountable challenges that young women face in informal settlements, many find themselves pregnant and believe that they have no other option than to abandon their baby. We will rescue these abandoned babies and immediately place them in our Baby Homes, where they will be cared for until they are adopted into their forever family! Our heart is to come alongside these women as they journey through this season by providing counseling and prenatal, postnatal, and parenting education and training. Impact Africa is committed to being an advocate that will intervene on behalf of these desperate young mothers and their babies in order to ensure the best future for their children, while rescuing and preventing babies from being abandoned.

IMPACT KIDS

One of the biggest challenges and opportunities facing residents of squatter camps is education. An African female born in South Africa has a greater likelihood of being raped than learning to read. South Africa estimates that 4.7 million of its people are totally illiterate (never attended school), and another 4.9 million are functionally illiterate (adults who left school before Grade 7). Research shows that up to half of an individual's capacity to learn has been established by age four. Education of the young is imperative as well as it is an investment in the future of a community, a people group, and ultimately an entire country. Impact Africa is seizing this investment opportunity and is overcoming the lack of quality education within the squatter camps through Impact Kids Pre and Primary Schools. The goal of Impact Kids is to reach and educate the underprivileged, orphaned, and at-risk children through quality, Christian education.



IMPACT STUDENTS

Through our Impact Students branch, we have an open door to reach out to the youth of South Africa by working with public schools who have asked us to come teach their students' Life Orientation class on a weekly basis. During our time in the classroom, we reach the students where they are at through an aggressive force of prevention. Through multi-media content, we walk the students through issues that they face on a daily basis, such as drugs, alcohol, sex, abortion, and suicide. Not only do we tackle these issues head on, but we also provide the students with the resources and knowledge for them to make wise decisions for their body and future. Ultimately, Impact Students is a catalyst provoking South African youth away from addictions and equipping them with exposure to transformational life in Christ.

IMPACT MISSIONS

We have a mandate to activate and mobilize individuals from across the world to step out of their comfortable everyday lives, and into the amazing opportunity of making an impact in the lives of a hurting and dying people. Our short-term mission teams and individuals serve a vital role in many areas within the practical work of Impact Africa, as we plug each team/individual into our long-term strategies for each community. Through these trips, we see thousands positively respond to the message of hope during team outreaches. It is undeniable that the harvest is ripe, but we must act now before it is too late. Impact Africa offers customized mission adventures for groups and preset adventures for individuals and/or smaller groups! From an individual participant to groups of ten to three-hundred, let our experienced staff handle all of the details while you are in country. It has never been easier to reach people with the love of Christ!



GLOBAL INTERNSHIP

The Global Internship is an on-the-field missions experience providing participants with tangible ministry training. Our purpose is to help young people to discover God's calling on their lives and develop the necessary skills and Biblical knowledge to pursue that calling, so that we can deploy them into their unique, God-given purpose to advance the Gospel and build His kingdom! This three, six, or ten-month program is designed for individuals whose passion for overseas missions stretches beyond short-term mission trips, and who desire a more long-term experience. Whether you relocate back to the States to continue to advance the Kingdom, or continue on as a long-term missionary serving somewhere overseas, this program is for you. Either way, this mission experience will be the initial training to prepare you for living a successful life of missions as a condition of your heart.

FAQ

ARE THERE ANY UNEXPECTED EXPENSES? The only unexpected expenses will be any form of emergency (medical, missed flight, etc.).

HOW ARE FLIGHTS PURCHASED? We will purchase your flights for you on a group contract, as we find that this is the best way to keep the trip preparation process as simple for you as possible, as well as ensure we all fly together to and from Johannesburg.

WILL I NEED A PASSPORT? Yes! You will need a valid passport that does not expire within 6 months after your trip and with at least two blank visa pages. For information on how to apply for a new passport, renew your passport, or add visa pages please visit www.travel.state.gov.

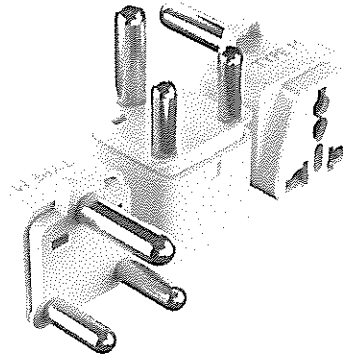
WILL I NEED A VISA? No. Upon arrival in South Africa, you will automatically receive a 90-day visa. This is free of charge and does not require any paperwork. If you are NOT a U.S. citizen, please contact us (jordan@impactafrica.org), as you may need to apply for a visa.

IS THERE AN AGE LIMIT? Our trips are primarily open to individuals who are 16 years old and above; however, if there is a participant who is under the age of 16 they may be permitted to participate if there is an accompanying family member or guardian. For more information, please contact us at jordan@impactafrica.org.

IS THERE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR PAPERWORK FOR MINORS (under the age of 18) TRAVELING TO AND FROM SOUTH AFRICA? Yes, South Africa has implemented immigration laws for anyone under the age of 18 who is traveling to and from South Africa. There will be additional paperwork that each participant under the age of 18 must complete and have with them as they travel. We are very familiar with this process and the paperwork required, so we will assist you as you prepare these documents.

WHAT IF I HAVE FOOD ALLERGIES? If you have any form of food allergies (gluten, nuts, etc.) you are still able to come on the trip! Please be sure to mention any food allergies or any other form of allergy on the Team Roster. Please note that depending on your allergy, you may be asked to bring food to supplement your meals.

WHAT IS THE VOLTAGE FOR ELECTRICITY? The South African electricity supply is 220/230 volts AC 50 HZ (as opposed to 110/120 volts in the U.S.). Most plugs are 15 amp 3-prong or 5 amp 2-prong, with round pins. The Type M adapter will allow you to plug your U.S. electronics into South African outlets and can be purchased on Amazon. Please note that adapters only change the shape of the plug, but DO NOT convert the power voltage. This means that for smaller electronics, such as phone and camera chargers, they will work just fine; however, for larger electronics/small appliances, such as hair dryers, the power voltage will not convert properly, and will ruin both the appliance and the outlet. Please make sure that whatever electronics you choose to bring (which shouldn't be much more than a phone or camera charger), will be compatible with the voltage in South Africa.



WHAT WILL WE BE EATING? Breakfast and dinner will be provided by Impact Africa caterers and enjoyed in the dining room. Lunch will be deli meat and/or PB&J sandwiches out on the ministry. Breakfast Example: Eggs, porridge/oatmeal, toast, cereal and South African sausage
Lunch: Meat and cheese sandwiches, fruit, and chips.
Dinner Example: Beef stew with rice and veggies, chicken with roasted potatoes and salad, etc.

IS THE WATER SAFE TO DRINK? Yes! The water is safe to drink in South Africa.

WILL THERE BE COFFEE? Our housing complexes do serve either instant coffee or regular coffee in the morning with breakfast, however, if you have a favorite instant coffee that you like, you are more than welcome to bring your own as well!

WHAT TYPES OF MEDICINE OR VACCINATIONS ARE RECOMMENDED? Impact Africa/South Africa does not require any vaccinations or malaria medication for North Americans, however, you may consult your doctor for travel recommendations.

WHAT TYPE OF MINISTRY WILL I BE DOING? During your trip, you will have the opportunity to share your personal testimony, share the hope of Jesus, and pray with people through house-to-house evangelism. You will also have the opportunity to love on all of the kiddos as you help us lead our Jabulani Kids VBS-style program in the communities. Other special ministry opportunities may be available depending on the season and your unique group.

WHAT WILL OUR SCHEDULE LOOK LIKE? Each trip kicks off with ministry and cultural training led by the Impact Africa staff. Your day is packed with a wide range of ministry, so we begin the mornings with quiet time and prayer. The evenings are completely flexible and available for free time, additional training, teachings, or fun team time activities. Here is an example of what your typical ministry day may look like (please note that this is subject to change based on availability of various ministry opportunities):

7:00 a.m. Devotions
8:00 a.m. Breakfast
8:45 a.m. Travel to ministry site
9:00 a.m. Personal evangelism
12:00 p.m. Lunch
1:00 p.m. Personal evangelism
3:00 p.m. Jabulani Kids
4:00 p.m. Program Ministry debrief and prayer
4:30 p.m. Travel back to housing site
6:00 p.m. Dinner
7:00 p.m. Free Time / Team Time

Your adventure includes a full day African Safari, a nice African dinner out, and souvenir shopping at one of our premier parks in South Africa. We will also take some time at the end of the trip to debrief your team so that each member can properly process all that they have experienced and learned during their mission trip.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING? Please refer to the 'Dress Attire' and 'Packing List' for more information on what to bring.

CAN I BRING SUPPLIES TO DONATE? Yes! If you would like to bring any supplies to donate, please send an email to Jordan at jordan@impactafrica.org, so that we can let you know what our biggest needs are at that time.

WHAT HAPPENS IF THERE IS AN EMERGENCY? Safety is our number one priority for each participant. We are very aware of our surroundings and will not bring a team into any area that may seem unsafe for any reason. Each housing facility is about 15-20 minutes from a hospital should we need to take anyone to the doctor for any reason. We will notify parents as soon as possible if any form of emergency arises.

WILL THERE BE WI-FI AVAILABLE? Upon arrival in South Africa, each participant will contact home to let their families know that they have arrived safely. There may be one or two opportunities to connect to WI-Fi, but you should expect to have limited WI-Fi connectivity. If you would like, you may look into purchasing a temporary international plan through your provider if you wish to have additional data connectivity to stay connected with family and friends throughout the trip.