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Dear Brothers and Sisters,

It's been 4 days since the earthquake occured and we'd like to send an update. Our teams were on the road within hours of the initial quake. So far according to the Center of Health and Natural Disasters 14.351 lives have been lost and 63.794 people are injured in 10 provinces; Kahramanmaras, Gaziantep, Sanliurfa, Diyarbakir, Adana, Adiyaman, Osmaniye, Hatay, Kilis and Malatya.







92.738 tents have been put up by the department of natural disasters. Unfortunately there are not nearly enough rescue workers in the area. A small percentage of bodies have been identified and taken to a safe location. Over 6,000 apartment buildings have completely collapsed and many more buildings are damaged but unsafe and may collapse in the aftershocks.

So far we have sent two mobile kitchens, two mobile bathroom trailers and two trucks of supplies. We also have equipment for search and rescue working in two neighborhoods of Gaziantep along with trucks bringing aid to the area.























Materials we have shipped so far;

Generator, beds, hygiene kits, women's pads, diapers, basic food supplies, canned food, water, blanket, bread, sleeping bag, beds, battery, flashlight, power bank, candle, heater, gasoline in cans, crusher cutting tools, digging shovel, outdoor supplies, sleeping mats, conteiners..







All of our staff and volunteers are working in difficult conditions. They sleep in their vehicles or on the ground in sleeping bags.

Many buildings have been destroyed in a large area. As a result most of the aid has been focused on the large cities while smaller towns and villages have been completely without help.

We are thankful for the support that is pouring in from dozens of churches, companies and individuals. Our next big hurdles are setting up mobile hospital units and getting permission from customs officials to import supplies and bring in foreign professionals.

Right now the situation throughout the region is extremely chaotic. We need prayers for quick solutions. We just received 5 trucks of blankets, generators, food, diapers, female products, and other essentials that are being distributed.

We need prayer and support. We anticipate spending \$250,000 on the current project. During times of crisis it is difficult to maintain quick communication but there are many needs and many ways to help. We are all doing the best that we can to meet the needs of the community and we are thankful for all of the aid we are receiving. We look forward to continuing to serve the people in this crisis.

#### Our current needs are:

tents Hygiene: Food: blankets diapers bread water heaters wet wipes - normal and scarves, gloves, hats antibacterial milk shampoo biscuit flashlights sleeping pads hand soap baby food pillows liquid soap dried legumes thermal clothing tooth paste fruit juice sleeping bags tooth brush prepared foods thermoses toilet paper package soup paper towels underwear pasta winter clothing power banks canned food shoes and boot generators

As the situation constantly evolves it is difficult to keep supplies coming and maintain budgets. We are thankful to everyone who is helping and praying.

With Deep Gratitude,

**FHA** 

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