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# MICAIAH MINISTRIES



## Little Angels

Amidst all of the staff meetings, training sessions and business meetings on our recent trip to Russia, there were many surprises including a wonderful welcome dinner prepared by our staff and residents in celebration of Kent's 50th birthday. Kolya said, "All the other's gave you one cake, but we give you two."

Kent's son presented him with gifts and a beautiful card signed "Love Son Ilya." The girls made a cardboard frame covered in wrapping paper to create a beautiful picture of Kent holding one of the cakes that they had seen on facebook.com. "This is from all your Little Angels" Yulia and Ira said. And, on the final day the staff gave Kent a



Meatloaf, twice baked potatoes, broccoli & cauliflower with cheese, pumpkin cake with ice-cream & chocolate sauce & fresh lemonade

beautiful painting of the center of Gatchina, our closest city. They are such a great family!

Often after Kent speaks about the residents at Restoration House Todd comments about how he makes them all sound like "Little Angels." Although they have their struggles and each day is filled with ups and downs, we see progress in each one of the residents. There was a lot of talk among the staff about "Kent's Little Angels" until one day someone came up with the idea of having "Angel Day" at the house.

Angel Day would be a day when each resident would have to do

special things, leave encouraging notes and give little gifts to a person (staff or resident) who's name they had secretly drawn.

Before I go on, let me go back to the night before and tell you of an incident that could change your view slightly of "Kent's Little Angels."

Like most families, at Restoration House we serve simple meals of soups and a variety of one-dish dinners. Everyone always seems to be in a hurry to get finished and get on to something else. Many times residents and staff alike are late for dinner or will just eat on the run.

September 12-19, 2011

### RUSSIA

Micaiah Ministries is 30 years old - Leadership Conference is 10 years old  
Restoration House is 5 years old

**Celebrate with us!** \$2,695.00 from NYC

Restoration House Celebration Picnic  
Leadership Conference  
Micaiah Ministries 30 year Celebration

Gatchina Palace Tour  
Saint Petersburg walking tour & shopping  
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## Micaiah Ministries

Guest Speaker  
Pastor Linda DeAngelo

*Step Into Your Destiny*  
*Women's Conference*

July 2, 2011  
Saint Petersburg, Russia

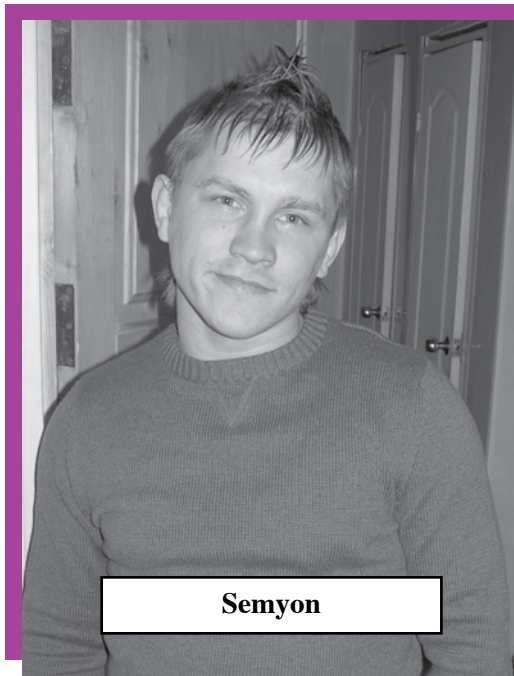
### 3rd Annual Camp for Youth in Crisis

June 27 - July 8, 2011

This is a trip for youth and also for adults who want to work with youth

\$2,695.00 from NYC includes:  
orphanage ministry  
street youth ministry  
Restoration House visit  
drug rehab ministry  
Saint Petersburg walking tour and shopping  
city boat tour

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Semyon

Our staff agreed to set aside one night each week to have a special family dinner where each one will dress a little nicer than usual and would not be in a hurry to finish the meal. Our goal is to prepare these kids with life skills even as simple as to know how to eat out at a restaurant or attend a nice dinner in someone's home and not be uncomfortable to be there. Most of them only know the orphanage and the street.

We purchased special serving bowls and other items that are used only on this night of the week and we will continue to add to this collection. After dinner the plan is to have an opportunity for family discussion to allow the residents to express their concerns and for the staff to make announcements and listen to ideas from the kids. Then we will either have special movies, activities or guests to fill our night with music, laughter and fun.

Thursday night, Kent fixed a special dinner of spaghetti, garlic toast, coke and homemade cinnamon rolls. This would be the night to announce to the residents our plans for family night. Of course Kent thought his "Little Angels" would be delighted about the concept, but to his surprise we were met with stares and frowns.

Immediately following the prayer, Semyon threw a spoon full of spaghetti onto a slice of garlic toast and in a very unmannerly way shoved it into his mouth and shouted with his mouth full, "WHY DO HAVE TO PLAY THESE SILLY GAMES?"

Of course the natural reaction is to tell him to sit down or let him know that he will not be able to



Family night – Sasha playing the piano, Roma playing the guitar, everyone singing and playing Russian Uno

return later for something to eat. But, knowing these kids have been through so much in their lives and that they are normally "acting out" due to something that is hidden deep inside, we simply continued with our meal.

After Semyon had time to think about his actions Kent went to him in an attempt to open up a dialogue and asked "Did I do something wrong?" "Why do you always think you did something wrong?" was the response as he stormed off. It was his way of making an attempt to admit his fault and begin repentance.

We were soon to learn that he believed that he would never have money enough to enter a restaurant or that he would ever be invited to someone's home for a nice meal. To him, this night only brought back the reality of who he is...how he sees himself...an orphan and a street kid.

Kent was able to talk to him about how God sees him and how there is much more in him than what is coming out of him. God has a plan for Semyon's life. It is possible that God has something

great ahead for Semyon but that he will never realize it unless he can get beyond himself, which is our goal to help him.

Finally realizing how much we believe in him and the others, when the cinnamon rolls were fresh and hot out of the oven and ready to eat, Semyon asked if he could pray. As he began to pray, the first thing he did was to repent in front of everyone for how he acted. It was a real breakthrough moment!

On "Angel Day" Kent began to receive notes and a cutout of a heart and of a boy holding a soccer ball. One note said, "A wise son is listening to his father's instructions, but the rebellious one isn't listening to correction." Another said, "Let this day bring you blessing and let every word you speak be a law. May God protect you from any trouble. May every day bring you peace and love. And God, may every one of Kent's dreams come to pass. Love, your Angel."

Some thought that it was Kent's son Ilya who was represented by the little boy holding the soccer ball. No, the Holy Spirit guided

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Pastor Jay Jones  
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May 18  
Sugarloaf Christian Fellowship  
Poteau, OK  
Pastor Les Scroggins  
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May 22  
Haynesville Assembly of God  
Clinchfield, GA  
Pastor Marcus Johnson  
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June 5  
New Life Worship Center  
Sarasota, FL  
Pastor Richard Carr  
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June 8  
Light of the World Tabernacle  
Port Richey, FL  
Pastor Leonard Lord  
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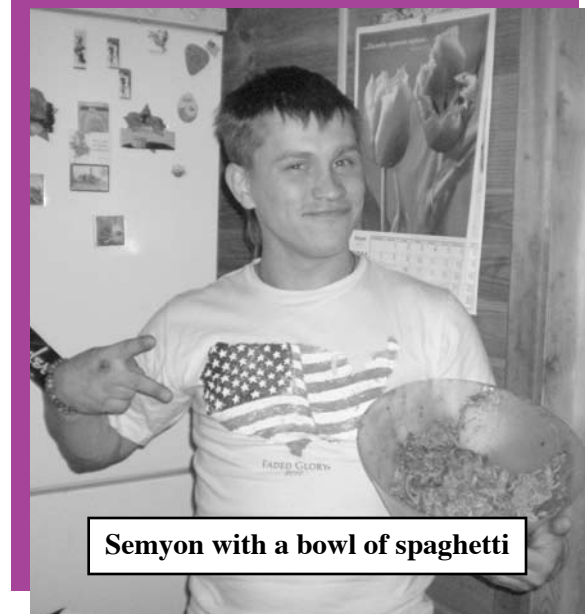
### YOUTH CAMP SPONSORS NEEDED!

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Semyon to draw Kent's name. In all that he wrote it is clear that God is some how touching and changing Semyon's heart.

The final night before Kent and Todd returned to America was family night. This time Semyon was all dressed up in a new sweater and had fixed his hair. He was excited and ready, and polite as were all of the others. We sat around the table for 45 minutes and would have probably sat longer if not for the fact that we had guests who would soon be coming.

You make it possible for these young people to realize they are valuable. To realize maybe there is a bit of a "Little Angel" inside each one of them.



Semyon with a bowl of spaghetti

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