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## MOVING KIDS TO HELP THE LESS FORTUNATE

*CURE International's New DVD Resource Educates Kids  
about Peers in the Developing World*

**Lemoine, Pa. July 20, 2009:** Picture two kids in two different countries.

One, a healthy American child. He has a nice home, a way to get to school every day and a nearby hospital that could treat any possible injury or illness he might suffer.

Another, a child from Malawi who cannot walk because his legs are twisted. He has no way to get to school, lives in poverty and has little, if any, options for medical treatment.

They are two children, thousands of miles away from each other, with vastly different living situations.

But that child from Malawi has more in common with his American peer than you might think. And there is also a lot to learn from his story, things that could change the life of his American peer forever.

This is the purpose of CURE International's new *Mission Momentum, Volume 2* DVD resource.

Created for use in Vacation Bible Schools and Sunday School classes as well as by parents of children ages 5 through 12, *Mission Momentum, Volume 2* contains the real-life video stories of

four remarkable kids from the developing world who struggled with living day to day with a disability and how their lives were forever changed through physical and spiritual healing by CURE International.

It is available for order, free of charge, at [www.kidscorekids.org](http://www.kidscorekids.org). Donations are suggested.

“Many churches and parents have a passion for teaching their children the importance of missions and how as Christians they all have a part to play in reaching the world,” said Jerry Meadows, director of global outreach for CURE International. “But they often struggle with making the message relevant to these kids. The stories in *Mission Momentum, Volume 2* show kids that their peers in the developing world are not much different from them in many ways. It expands their worldview and offers them practical and fun ways they can help make a difference to their peers in the developing world.”

This resource features Laudy from the Dominican Republic, Immaculate from Uganda, Adam from Malawi and Habtam from Ethiopia. Shot on location in each child’s country, these stories give an authentic and realistic look into how they lived their daily life, coped with their disability and experienced liberating healing through CURE International.

*Mission Momentum, Volume 2* is supplemented by content available for viewing or download at [www.kidscorekids.org](http://www.kidscorekids.org). This Web site features interactive ideas to supplement the educational content in the DVD stories. Prayer cards, posters and other materials can also be downloaded from the site.

Using the materials on the Web site in tandem with the video stories will further enhance a child’s educational and cultural experience. Like the DVD, they are free as well, according to Meadows.

“Through this resource, children will not only be educated, but motivated to be grateful for what they have and moved by generosity to help the less fortunate,” said Meadows. “I encourage children’s leaders and parents to visit our Web site today to get *Mission Momentum, Volume 2*. It can change a child’s life forever!”

### **About CURE International**

Founded in 1996, CURE International is the largest provider of pediatric specialty surgical care in the developing world, transforming the lives of physically disabled children and their families through medical and spiritual healing. A nonprofit medical organization, CURE International specializes in the treatment of children with curable orthopedic and neurosurgical conditions. It also provides educational and training programs to national medical professionals throughout the developing world. To date, it has performed more than 64,000 surgeries and seen almost 1,000,000 patients. Visit [www.cureinternational.org](http://www.cureinternational.org) for more information.

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