

Summer Theme "1,2,3...GO!"

Hebrews 12:1 "...let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us."

Hola dear friends! We first went to Spain in 2009 and God began to work in our hearts with a concern for a country that had only .03% evangelical Christians. Now, in 2024, it is being reported that the percentage has risen to 2%. Praise God! We have seen a definite change in what God is doing at L'Arcada! Young people seem much more open to the Gospel since we first arrived and it is so exciting!



We now have a new group of young adults called SixSport that we have worked with over these many years that are taking over the Sports Camps. We have built a program that is ready for the next generation and we are now stepping into a transition. After hosting our Football Clinic in Barcelona this past spring, we began the process of moving from Spain in May and arriving at our new home in Leesburg, Florida. We will continue to remain full time with GEM and have become the International Recruiters for L'Arcada.

In 2023, we had over 150 Internationals come to serve with us! God is so good to provide just what was needed this summer. Greater Europe Mission again sent us college interns called Ten-2 (Luke 10:2)...we were blessed to have them serve at L'Arcada! Coach Nate (Basketball) from Chicago said, "Really good week of camp. Lots of great campers who seemed to have a lot of curiosity about the gospel. Sports Camps are thriving and impacting lives!"

180 campers heard the Gospel this summer in Sports Camps and we were grateful to have a full staff of volunteers from Spain and America willing to share with the campers! Reports are that many accepted Christ...here is one story: "Marc was sitting in his tepee with his counselor, and he wouldn't stop asking him questions about Jesus. He had experienced unconditional love for the first time, and he was ready to receive Christ. His counselor encouraged him to pray, and right there, Marc gave his life to Jesus and decided to follow him." Please pray for the Spanish campers as the staff reaches out to them in the days ahead.



Our next recruiting trip in the USA will be in September & October. Please let us know if you have any contacts we might visit. We are always willing to share the opportunities to take mission trips to Spain! We will head back to Spain ourselves in the spring of 2025 and look forward to hosting the Christian School teams that will be coming to L'Arcada to play Goodwill Games with Spanish clubs.

Thank you to those who are still standing with us as we finish strong through 2025! We are so grateful for those who pray, those who serve with us, and those who support in some way! We continue to mentor from afar and open our home to our missionary friends, and those passing through Florida! If you would like to be part of our support team, we welcome you! Here is the website, <https://gemission.org/donate/missionary/dave-and-cindy-bintz/>.

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