

## Parenting Around The World



With God's unseen work, small beginnings become life-giving ministry avenues to others. Genesis received another e-mail from an influential, Christian leader in Kenya, requesting more information about purchasing our book, *Courageous Parenting*. Stanley Mukolwe, the Kenya national director of the *Navigators*, found our book significant as a primary family resource for parents of teens in Africa! Our office staff has dialogued over the last few years with Stanley about how many Kenyan families have benefitted by this biblical and practical resource developed for parents. Our ministry team has been so encouraged that the Lord has taken our local efforts and multiplied it to reach and encourage families so far away.

*"This is Stanley Mukolwe from Kenya. The demand for Courageous Parenting is growing. As mentioned in an earlier e-mail, it's become my reference book for teaching on teenage parenting."*

Genesis has supplied him with boxes of *Courageous Parenting*. But now the demand has outstripped our supply! Stanley and Genesis are in conversation to find creative ways to make *Courageous Parenting* training materials more available for this growing demand for parents of teenagers. He indicated that the parents have truly connected to the big theme of our training curriculum: *Parenting isn't about control, it's about influence*. *Courageous Parenting* is a thoughtful guide to developing the kind of loving and influential relationship parents long to have with their teens. This life giving resource is a powerful help as parents minister to their own kids in Kenya.

Even as I write these words, it feels somewhat surreal that God has taken our work and multiplied this resource to help many families. Stanley told me our book connects to parents' desire to grow themselves in love and wisdom, and then help their teens. It is his desire to train parents to be able to assist other families in an attempt to help many more struggling teenagers.

We will keep you posted on how this process works out as we dialogue and find the best ways to help Stanley and the parents he serves through his ministry. Know your prayers, support, and financial giving to Genesis ministry makes this possible...serving parents around the world.

Warmly in Christ,

Dave

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