

2021 ANNUAL REPORT



LETTER FROM THE FOUNDER

Dear Friends,

In the early days of Samaritan Aviation's humble beginnings, it seemed challenging to plan just two years out. For the first few years, it was just myself, Kirsten, and our three kids. We filled every role in order to make the ministry work. At times Kirsten was not just the ambulance driver, but would rush to the airport to turn on the airstrip lights when I was arriving later than planned, and gave me vital weather updates when severe tropical storms were in the area. Our family would also minister to the patients in the hospital with our kids offering food, clothes and prayer.

Here we are over 20 years later, and we can no longer plan just a year or two out and are currently setting the direction of Samaritan Aviation for the next twenty years. No longer is it just one family; by the end of this year, we will have six families serving in Papua New Guinea and our third seaplane enroute! We feel that in the coming year we have the ability to double our impact in meeting the desperate needs in two of the most remote provinces in all of Papua New Guinea!

Two things have become very evident to me as I reflected on the last 20 plus years. The first, is that where we are today as an organization could not have been possible without the prayers and support from people like you. Secondly, where we need to go as an organization will not take place unless we continue to partner together to meet the critical needs of the people living in the remote communities. Only together can we accomplish "The Mission to More" which is the theme of our next big push, to enable us to lay the foundation and much needed infrastructure for the next twenty years.

I am forever grateful for your partnership and look forward to all of us celebrating even more lives saved and becoming followers of Christ.

In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now - Philippians 1:4-5 NIV

Thank you for your partnership!

Mark Palmer



EVERY YEAR WE FACE ONGOING OPERATIONAL COSTS TO PROVIDE OUR LIFE SAVING SERVICES TO THE PEOPLE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA FREE OF CHARGE

THIS YEAR WE NEED TO RAISE \$300,000 FOR INCREASED OPERATING COSTS; \$150,000 OF IT IS RAISED THROUGH OUR ANNUAL FUEL FOR LIFE PROGRAM.

ANY AMOUNT WE RECEIVE HELPS ADVANCE OUR MISSION. WE NEED MONTHLY SUPPORTERS AND GIFTS "WHERE NEEDED MOST" TO ASSIST US AS WELL.



PAPUA NEW GUINEA

- PNG has over 8 million people along with 840 languages
- Over 250,000 people in the region are without access to the hospital
- Infant mortality rates are often as high as 40%
- Tribal communities face many challenges such as malaria, other diseases, snake bites, tuberculosis, pregnancy complications, and tribal warfare



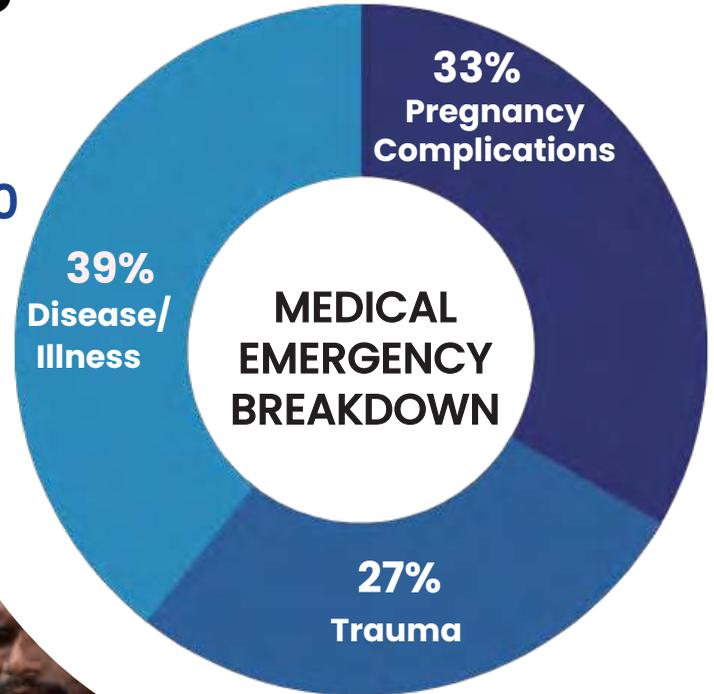
Samaritan Aviation base and only hospital for 250,000 people living along the Eask Sepik river

IMPACT FROM LIFE FLIGHTS

TURNING A 3-DAY JOURNEY INTO A 1-HOUR FLIGHT

OF PATIENTS FLOWN IN 2021: 140

SERVING OVER 116 VILLAGES EACH YEAR



HOSPITAL MINISTRY

- Our missionary families and national staff visited and prayed with patients daily
- We provided print and audio Bibles, as well as clothing, blankets, and food for patients and their caretakers
- Our staff provided faith-based medical and trauma training to aid workers
- The ultimate goal of everything we do is to share a clear gospel message of who Christ is



MEDICAL SUPPLIES



THROUGH PARTNERSHIP WITH THE PNG GOVERNMENT, WE ARE ABLE TO HELP STOCK AID POSTS AND HEALTH CENTERS WITH MEDICINE, VACCINES, AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES.



24,679 POUNDS OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES DELIVERED IN 2021.

2021 HIGHLIGHTS



OUR TEAM IS GROWING

Three new missionary families joined Samaritan Aviation in 2021: The Vissers, Condons, and Snaders; They will join our team in Papua New Guinea in 2022.

OSHKOSH – EAA AIRVENTURE AIRSHOW

We showcased our newest floatplane at the main hub where they were highlighting aviation humanitarian organizations, and also had our booth at the seaplane base!

MILESTONE

Samaritan Aviation crossed a milestone of having delivered over 200,000 pounds of medical supplies in the history of our organization, supporting the 40+ aid posts and health centers along the Sepik River.

MEDIA FEATURES

AOPA Magazine, one of the largest aviation organizations in the world, published their interview with our CEO/Co-Founder Mark Palm. The article can be found on AOPA.org or on our website under "Stories".

USA TEAM RETREAT & PNG CHRISTMAS PARTY

We were blessed to have a team retreat with our US staff, and families on home assignment, in Bonaparte, IA. Our PNG team was also able to have a gathering, allowing us all to start the new year off with renewed energy.

MARK'S REMISSION

CEO/Co-Founder Mark Palm continues to have a clean bill of health after completing chemo & radiation for cancer in 2020. We are grateful for answered prayers!



SAMARITAN AVIATION CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FOR FUTURE GROWTH

In the East Sepik Province we plan to buy our first section of land to build safe and secure home for our missionary families.

We also have plans to expand our emergency medical flight services to the Western and Gulf Provinces, and have been invited to do so by the Minister of Health.

WE WOULD LOVE TO TALK MORE ABOUT THIS WITH YOU. PLEASE REACH OUT IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION. OUR CAPITAL CAMPAIGN LAUNCHES THIS SUMMER.

By building homes for missionary families and providing them with safety, stability, and security, we can do more. By building a fully-equipped hangar and expanding our medical aviation services to the Western & Gulf Provinces, we can serve more.

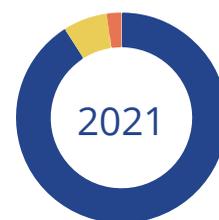
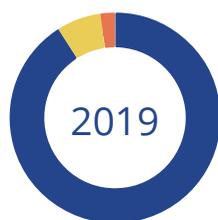


"For over 20 years, we have strived to fulfill the great commission in Papua New Guinea. As we enter the second 20 years of our efforts, we have a vision to go deeper in the East Sepik Province with staff housing, and to reach even more with access and hope by expanding to the Western & Gulf Provinces! We will need your help to answer the desperate cries from those in these remote areas."

Mark Palm
CEO/Co-Founder

FINANCES

| | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Revenue | | | |
| Cash Donations | \$1,798,624 | \$1,294,216 | \$2,217,576 |
| Noncash Donations | \$0 | \$16,483 | \$92,000 |
| Other Revenue | \$86,507 | \$82,388 | \$148,779 |
| Total Revenue | \$1,885,131 | \$1,310,699 | \$2,458,355 |
| Expenses | | | |
| Total Expenses | \$1,654,874 | \$1,515,157 | \$1,789,644 |
| Excess (or Deficit) for the Year | \$230,257 | \$-122,070 | \$644,835 |
| Total Change in Net Assets | \$230,257 | \$-122,070 | \$644,835 |
| Total Assets | \$2,720,627 | \$2,636,919 | \$3,274,662 |
| Total Liabilities | \$90,540 | \$128,902 | \$121,810 |
| Net Assets | \$2,630,087 | \$2,508,017 | \$3,152,852 |



■ 91.4% Ministry
■ 6.3% Admin
■ 2.3% Fundraising

■ 90% Ministry
■ 6% Admin
■ 4% Fundraising

■ 93% Ministry
■ 5% Admin
■ 2% Fundraising

Samaritan Aviation has been awarded the Evangelical Council for Financial Accountability (ECFA) seal and has a Platinum rating on GuideStar!

Less than 1% of organizations achieve a Platinum rating!



CURRENT BOARD & ADVISORY BOARD

MARK PALM

CEO/Co-Founder, pilot, missionary

DR. DAN CRANSTON

Chairman, Doctor of Medicine

JOEY BURNS

CEO/Co-Founder Eagle Land Brokerage

DANIEL JONES

Pilot, former Dir. Nazarene Mission Aviation

JOHN DAVIS

Executive Producer of movies and television

JASON SCHWITTERS

CEO/Owner Schwitters Farm, pilot

STAN ASKREN

Retired Chairman/CEO of HNI Corp., Pilot

JEFF BERG

CEO/Owner of Planning Center

DR. PILLY MAPIRA

Doctor of Medicine, President of Public Health Assoc. of PNG

BRUCE JOHNSON

Founding member of Quest Kodiak Team, pilot

PATRICK CLOWES

Attorney, Real Estate Broker, Former VP of Promise Keepers

JASON KENDALL

CEO of Kendall Farms, pilot

JEFF PETERSEN

Owner/Broker Trans World Business Advisors of E. Texas

REX SHERIDAN

Marriage and Family Therapist, Clinical Director

BISHOP PHILEMON WACHARA

Bishop of Harvest Center Fellowship denomination in E. Africa, pastor

JOY SCHWERTLEY

Owner of Discovery Profiling Inc.

RICK ORRED

President/Owner of Orred Financial Partners, Financial Advisor

DR. RICK MERRITT

Pastor, Clinical Family Counselor

MICHAEL BANTZ

Professional Civil Engineer

REVEREND MATT PALM

Founding Board Member of Samaritan Aviation, pastor

PAUL FOREHAND

Former flight school owner, pilot

PASTOR JOHN POOL

Lead Pastor, accountant

EXECUTIVE STAFF

MARK PALM

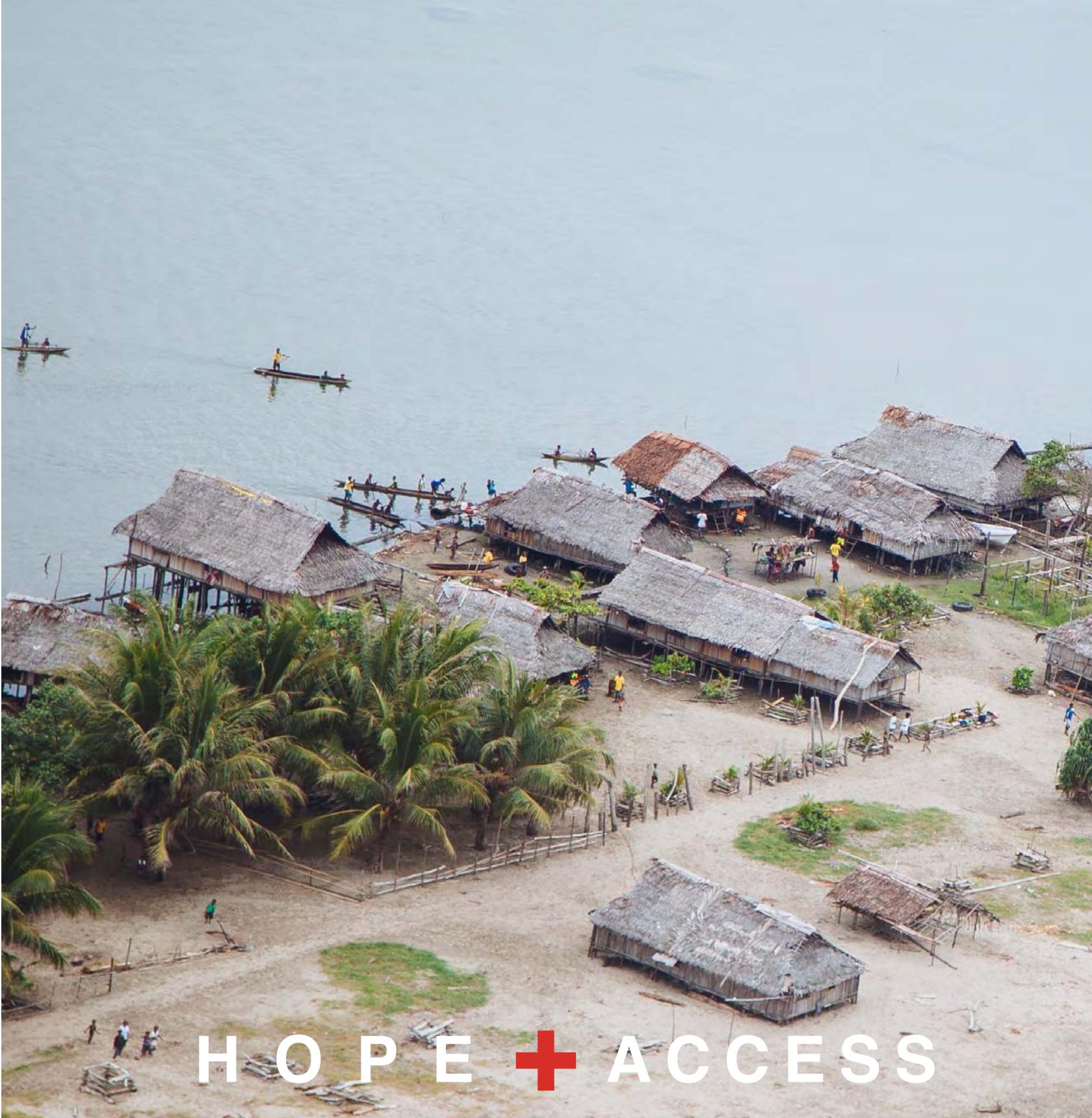
CEO/Co-Founder, pilot, missionary

BRYAN YEAGER

COO, former Dir. of Promise Keepers, author

TIM ASKEW

Dir. of Staff Development and Missional Engagement, bible translator for PNG



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