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Dear Friends of GoStrategic,

During this 40th year of <u>GoStrategic</u>, we are so grateful for the privilege of touching so many people in so many nations as we represent God's love for them via our educationally based mission. You are part of the "we" as this is only possible through your investments in us and so many on-the-ground fellow workers. We salute you all as sharers in the fruits of changed lives and challenged social systems. Indeed, the Kingdom of God is on hand and increasingly activating change.

We are experiencing unprecedented growth and opportunity for international investment and ministry. Many hunger for the message of the Kingdom but have no opportunity or connection for training. This is where we believe GoStrategic can provide radical tools and relationships to the nations by teaching and empowering people to live by God's design, thus bridging the gap between spiritual truth and the practical implementation of these truths in confronting real-world problems. We are prepared to satisfy a significant part of this hunger.

Here are the three main areas we need funding to invest strategically in our international opportunities:

- 1. Hire Bruce Billington: Bruce has voluntarily served with us for over 30 years. He began ministering and teaching with Dennis in 1987, has served on our board since 1992, founded our sister office in New Zealand in 1995, and has actively been involved over the years with both schools and provided leadership in the development of their curricula. His latest role has been that of *International Relational Director of the Schools*. We are now looking to hire him to serve not only in the school capacities but also as an official Ambassador for GoStrategic. Bruce has been particularly active in Austral Asia and that is where his primary focus and ministry would be in 2019. This fulfills a long-standing request for God to provide someone to work alongside Dennis and GoStrategic, growing what has already started. We believe God has equipped Bruce to answer this call.
- 2. Fund international education and development: Funds are needed for the translation of schools into other languages (new software makes this increasingly affordable), to establish the schools' online platform for these countries and regions, and to travel to further identify, empower, and train local leadership to help them become independent affiliates rather than dependents.

3. Add support in the home office: Needs remain ongoing for our offices to support the international work, including additional staffing and overhead.

Will you please plan to help us fund this work? To support one of these points specifically, please note in the comments section online or in the memo of your check.

Your one-time or ongoing pledge is both a missionary offering and an educational gift. We appreciate your investment as we present God's perspective through training local leaders in biblical solutions empowered by the Holy Spirit.

One-time donations can be made at www.gostrategic.org/donate; you can also indicate in the comments section of your gift, if you would like to give monthly and we will follow up with you. Thank you for including us in your giving!

In Him,

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