

FAMILY ENQUIRIES COOPERATING
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Submitted in triplicate to
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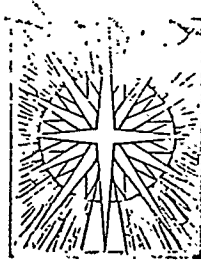
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#4 Mission Village Supplies

1. 3 5gal plastic containers
2. 10 pillow cases
3. 1gal super-Q sanitizer
4. 4 bottles Alcohol
5. 20 bars Irish Spring Soap
6. 8 Sheets



PEOPLES
TEMPLE

OF THE
DISCIPLES OF CHRIST

Jim Jones,
Pastor

November 19, 1977

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I was thirsty
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Naked, and ye clothed me;
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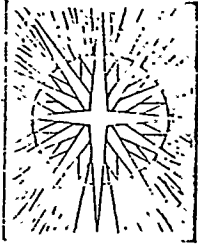
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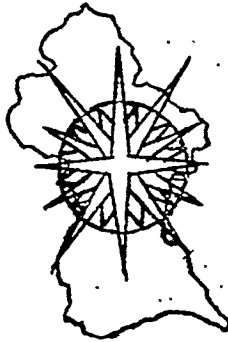
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Best wishes to you and your loved ones from Pastor Jim Jones and the members of Peoples Temple Christian Church of the two million Disciples of Christ denomination in the United States and from the Peoples Temple Agricultural Mission in the North West Region of Guyana.

On this sacred occasion it should be remembered that various parts of the world are suffering from massive starvation and at this very moment two out of three of the worlds' babies are going to bed hungry. Peoples Temple has reached out to help those in need and has aided in relieving every type of human suffering through the many extensive programs designed to meet those needs.

Support has been given to various worthy programs in many ways: Only a few days ago a senior citizen's escort service in California which provided protection, assistance, and companionship to the elderly was being threatened with termination due to a budget cut. Pastor Jones heard of the plight of these senior citizens and acted immediately, contributing funds which will carry them for several months. A health clinic serving critical needs was endangered with closure because of a large financial deficit and a lack of funds to carry on. Upon being informed of the circumstances, Pastor Jones pledged the entire amount of the deficit and a substantial monthly donation will be given from Peoples Temple.

It is not surprising that Pastor Jones has again been recognized as one of the most "outstanding clergymen" by an interfaith organization, Religion in American Life. One of the largest Black-owned newspapers in the United States also hailed him as "This Nation's Greatest Humanitarian". His dedication to serving Jesus Christ in tangible ways follows the teachings in Matthew 25.

It was through this scripture that the agricultural mission was seen as a necessary means for combatting the growing food shortage affecting so many parts of the world. The beautiful hinterland of the Cooperative Republic of Guyana has provided an ideal setting for the agricultural mission. Rich fertile soils, a friendly cooperative atmosphere, and a dedicated workforce of persons from the United States and Guyana have served to help make this program a success. Hundreds

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of acres have been planted in crops such as yams, corn, sweet potatoes, citrus, and avocado.

In addition to the agricultural and livestock programs is extensive community development. Three houses, a workshop, an equipment maintenance station, a warehouse, a shoe repair shop, and a church/community center have been built by the Peoples Temple mission workers. The cooperation and assistance given by this fine government's agricultural advisors, as well as from many other government departments, has been invaluable.

Pastor Jones extends his gratitude to all of our Guyanese brothers and sisters for their interest and encouragement. Although he hasn't much time for travel because of his busy and hectic schedule ministering to the three large United States based churches, he does enjoy hearing from you and gives every letter he receives personal attention.

May God Bless You.

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