# Two Sisters in Christ



Meet Kari Martin on the left and Jane Maynard on the right. They both are Bible teachers of women. Jane has been speaking across the U.S. for over 50 years. They have a passion for ministering to women.

Jane has faithfully served the Lord while Arkansas and Mississippi have been where she called home. Now widowed, she has committed the remainder of her life to the ministry of women. However, she is family oriented and her children and her grandchildren are the most important thing next to God in her life. She is known for feeding the hungry, touching the hurting, listening to the burdened, and speaking God's word to ladies' events.

Kari has worked with Jane for many years on many events. She cares for her family in Arkansas and manages her career. She speaks at ladies' events as well and is a devoted mom and grandmother.

Jane and Kari make quite the team. They are passionate not only about the ministry to ladies, but they are driven to support the work in Ghana, West Africa. They work tirelessly to help support both the schools for the children and the ministry of Derchie and Kojo as they minister and train men to preach the Word.

# Project Ghana

Jane and Kari have supported Derchie and Kojo's efforts for a number of years. They have been invited to Ghana to not only see the work but also to participate in things like teaching classes for ladies and helping serve in any way they can in <u>August 2019</u>. Jane and Kari are also very thankful to the ladies at the Oakland and Mountain Home churches of Christ, who have been very generous to give to help the children over the years. They hope to bring the story home to encourage the sisters as well as they speak to groups of women. Here are some things that have been accomplished over the years:

- Freezer provided to the school.
- Medical Insurance so the Children can see a Doctor—No treatment otherwise
- Sunday School children's classes collect coins in cans for food for the kids
- Regular monthly support is given to the schools
- Medical treatment and medicine is being provided for Kojo something not available in Ghana
- Collecting funds to drill a well for Kojo to water his garden to grow food for the children
- And many other things.

# Many have asked how they could Help

A number of people have stated that they would like to help Jane and Kari with the financial part of the trip. Prayers are welcome and desired by all. For those who are interested in helping financially for things like plane fare, immunizations, etc. a means has been set up at the Mountain Home church of Christ. Checks with "Jane & Kari to Ghana" in the memo can be sent to:

Mountain Home church of Christ 380 North College Street Mountain Home, AR 72653

Find Updates on the Project at: maynardonline.net/ghana

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Church of Christ International School in

Accra & Agona Swedru

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# Project Mission:

Help Christians and their children in the impoverished area of Ghana, West Africa



## Two Schools for Kids

This project involves two schools for children in Ghana. One is located in the capital, Accra, and the other in the town of Agona Swedru.

### Pakro church of Christ Preparatory School

A number of years ago, Jane Maynard and her late husband Leo, along with Derchie and Rosina Davies, started



a small church of Christ school in the area. Derchie and Rosina live in Accra and work with the children helping them gain education and caring for them as well. This effort has grown significantly.

This project involves not only education, but also meeting some of the very basic needs of the children. The manual labor involved in this as well as funding needed for basic things, such as food, clothing, and transportation is large and growing.

The Davies were so touched by the support they have received, that they named their daughter "Jane". Jane is completing high school.

#### church of Christ International School

The Maynards and their friend Kari Martin, have also been involved with and supporting another church of Christ school, this one located in the town of Agona Swedru. They work with Kojo Aquah Beenyi to carry on this work.

Basic needs in Ghana are scarce. Kojo gardens to feed family and the children. Supplies are limited and the most fundamental needs can be difficult to meet. For example, the 340 children in the school receive a "full meal" three times per year in place of their normal ration of rice or corn or beans. Ladies' classes in the U.S. help pay for these meals.



# Two Godly Leaders

This project involves two schools for children in Ghana. One is located in Accra and the other in town of Agona Swedru. Meet Derchie Davies. In addition to the children, he ministers to a number of villages while training men to preach the Gospel. He has three children: Jane, Barnabas, and Blessings Maynard. Derchie has dedicated his life to serving the Lord among his own people.



In addition, meet Kojo. He lives in Swedru. He has adopted Jane as his American mother and calls her "maame". Kojo tends the children and teaches in the preachers' school with Derchie in Accra. He also teaches in another preachers' school in Northern Ghana, 12 hours from his home.

