MUTEYO



Christina & Lance Muteyo

ZIMBABWE

LANGUAGES

Shona Ndebele

MINISTRY PRIORITIES

Discipleship, Evangelism, Peace and Justice

BIRTHDAYS

Christina 11/29 Lance 8/22



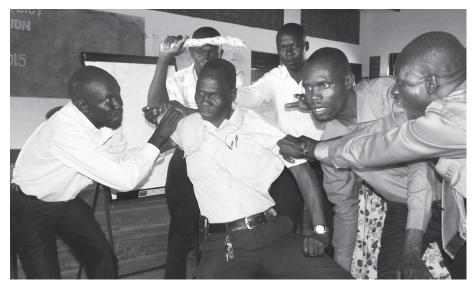




ABOUT

CHRISTINA and LANCE describe themselves as "Zimbabwean peace warriors." Working with the Trees of Peace Africa ministry in Zimbabwe, they conduct trainings in conflict transformation across Africa, utilizing experiential learning methodologies. In addition to their primary work of peace-building and conflict

transformation, the Muteyos develop leaders through training and capacity building and oversee sustainable economic development projects. Christina and Lance share, "It is our belief that peace, justice, truth, and mercy are ingredients for sustainable peace-building." They serve with IM as international associate global servants.



Participants engage in a role-play of conflict transformation in Lira, Uganda.



Experiential education is a powerful alternative to traditional educational methodology. Groups learn through a combination of action and reflection. It gives power back to the group to discover and rediscover, thereby empowering them to try new things.

Africa is full of stories. Groups use their own stories to formulate tools they use to untangle difficult subjects of oppression, violence, and poverty for peace-building. Our role as facilitators is to guide groups to maximize their own learning experiences. This method was not started in Africa but we are only taking its skeleton and letting the participants fill in the flesh. Each training is unique based on the group.

Recently, we formulated a program called the Barnabas Project based on Acts

15:36-39. Barnabas is known as a son of encouragement. We are walking with inexperienced trainers to encourage and mentor them in the training room. So far we have encouraged budding trainers in Burundi, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Zimbabwe, Malawi, South Africa, Uganda, and Kenya.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the Barnabas project to raise powerful leaders who will impart skills to others in Africa.

Pray for our divine health as we minister peace and justice in our community.

SCRIPTURE

"You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden."

Matthew 5:14 (NIV)

