



## The Rand Show 2026

"Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others." Philipians 2:4

God gave us a really special opportunity this month to raise awareness for foster and adoptive care here in South Africa. We were invited to be part of the Rand Show—one of the oldest and largest events of its kind in the country—which was something we wouldn't have been able to afford on our own. It opened the door to so many meaningful conversations, and we even had the chance to be interviewed on the radio.

A big part of why we were invited was to bring the Bags of Hope initiative to 44 orphaned children of fallen South African Police Service heroes. It was such a privilege to spend time with these children and see their joy—it truly meant a lot. We were especially grateful that each bag included a Bible. Thank you for being part of bringing hope and the Gospel into so many homes this month.

Thank you for your faithful prayers and support—because of you, lives are being touched and children are experiencing the love of God in tangible ways. You truly

are making a difference and we cannot do this without you! (Phil. 4:17) Please pray with us that more South African families will be willing to help serve the millions of orphaned and vulnerable children who need Gospel-centered, Family-based care.



We were given a booth in a busy area, which gave us a great opportunity to connect with many people. We prayed that God would bring the right individuals across our path, and we believe He did. Please continue to pray for lasting fruit from the many conversations and connections that took place at our booth.





Above: It was a true privilege to bring hope and healing to 44 children of fallen heroes from the South African Police Service. Bags of Hope is a meaningful initiative that not only helps children feel seen and valued, but also raises awareness of the vital need for more people to step into fostering and adoption.





We made many meaningful connections and had the privilege of being interviewed on seven different radio stations. We're especially looking forward to our upcoming hour-long broadcast on Radio Pulpit, where we'll be sharing about the need for foster and adoptive care here in South Africa.

If you'd like to listen to our interview on Lekker Radio, click [Here](#).

### Prayer Requests

1. Please continue to pray for the Gospel to spread through the work in our communities.
2. Please continue to pray for families that will rise up and meet the needs of the many vulnerable children in South Africa.
3. Please pray for Charis's visa to be approved. We had to apply for a new one this year.
4. Please pray that God will provide the right staff this year. We are growing and need to add employees!
5. Please continue to pray for financial provisions for our family and Lukiwe. We are 25% complete on Phase 2 of our Self-Sustainability Model. If you would like to partner with us here is a link: [Giving](#)



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