

## **THREE YEAR BUTTERFLY TRAINING STRATEGY**

LUV Leadership Training Strategy is prayerfully based on Jesus own strategy of teaching his disciples for three years, and the council given to Moses in Exodus 18:20: *And you shall teach them the laws, show them the way in which they must walk and the work they must do.*

We believe women are the integral communicators in their communities. Once equipped in the truth of God's word and empowered by His Holy Spirit, they will be able to reach out and help others around them. It is our desire to teach, train and equip lay women to reach the unreached in their communities, and to disciple and mentor new believers, helping them to pursue an intimate relationship with Jesus Christ, teaching them His word and helping them to apply it in their daily lives.

The long term strategy for LUV leadership and discipleship training in each area will vary country by country and according to literacy ability, local environment, and the needs of the women.

We use a combination of purpose designed training tools in our LUV *Butterfly Tool Kit* (Caterpillar/Butterfly puppet, "The Transformation Story" flash cards, DVD *Magdalena Released from Shame*, LUV Leadership & Discipleship Curriculum) to teach lay women the word of God and how to minister and share with others in their communities.

### **LUV Three Year Butterfly Training Plan:**

1. Identify and recruit lay women in each area who have the desire and are able, willing and available to be trained in LUV leadership and discipleship principals. (Up to twelve women in each area)
2. Provide three or four day (depending on the need) LUV Leadership & Discipleship workshops every six months for three years to encourage these women in their personal relationship with Jesus, teach them the word, and equip and release them to teach others.
3. At the end of each LUV workshop we will provide each woman with a copy of the leader's workbook and a new disciple's workbook which they will use to train and mentor up to five other women (disciples) before the next workshop held in six months time.
4. Trainees return for the next workshop training only if they have been diligent in studying and applying the lessons in their own lives and have been mentoring and teaching at least one other woman in the same lessons.