

DISCIPLETRIP
EXAMPLE FUND RAISING LETTER



(Current Date)

Dear (FRIENDS, RELATIVES, MEMBERS FROM FORMER CHURCHES, ETC.)

(1st Paragraph—friendly greeting, personal info, etc.)

(2nd Paragraph)

The reason I am writing this letter is to let you know about an exciting opportunity this summer. On [**DATE OF YOUR TRIP**], I'll be traveling with DiscipleTrips on a mission trip to [**TRIP CITY AND COUNTRY**]. We are being hosted by [**NAME OF MISSION CHURCH OR MISSION ORGANIZATION, I.E. ST. JOHN'S CHURCH OF CHRIST, MISSION UPREACH, ETC**] for a week-long campaign of outreach and ministry. We will engage in service to the poor, assisting construction projects, working with the local teenagers and conducting a VBS outreach to children and their families. If you're interested in knowing more about our trip and the group I'm working with, you can check them out at www.discipletrips.com or on Facebook.

I am sharing this with you because I know you care about me and are concerned about world evangelism. There are a couple of ways that you could participate with me in this great effort, and in that sense, become a part of our team. The most important thing you can do is pray for our group! We know that God will bless us because so many people will be praying for us. The other way you can help is to sponsor my efforts with a financial contribution. The entire cost of the trip is about \$[**COST OF THE TRIP**]. I will need several partners to help me reach my goal. If you could send \$20.00, \$50.00 or whatever you can spare, it would be greatly appreciated! Checks should be made payable to the Sunset International Bible Institute (memo-DiscipleTrips for [**YOUR NAME HERE**]).

The address is:

DiscipleTrips
Sunset International Bible Institute
3723 34th Street
Lubbock, Texas 79410

If you cannot send any money, don't worry, I'm confident that God will provide!

Our [**COUNTRY**] mission trip will be an experience that I'm sure I'll never forget! As I'm helping others, I know that I'll be helped too! Please remember me and my mission team in your prayers. Thank you for your encouragement and support!

In Christian Love,

(SIGN YOUR NAME)

**** Note****

1. MAKE YOUR LETTER AS PERSONAL AS POSSIBLE.
2. ADAPT THIS EXAMPLE – USE YOUR OWN WORDING SO IT DOESN'T SOUND LIKE A CANNED LETTER.
3. BE BRIEF. KEEP YOUR LETTER TO ONE PAGE.
4. THE MORE LETTERS YOU SEND INCREASES YOUR SUPPORT POSSIBILITIES.
5. JESUS SAID, "ASK AND IT SHALL BE GIVEN TO YOU" – LK 11:9
6. READ MATTHEW 21:21, 22. ASK IN PRAYER WITH FAITH!
7. GET STARTED NOW!

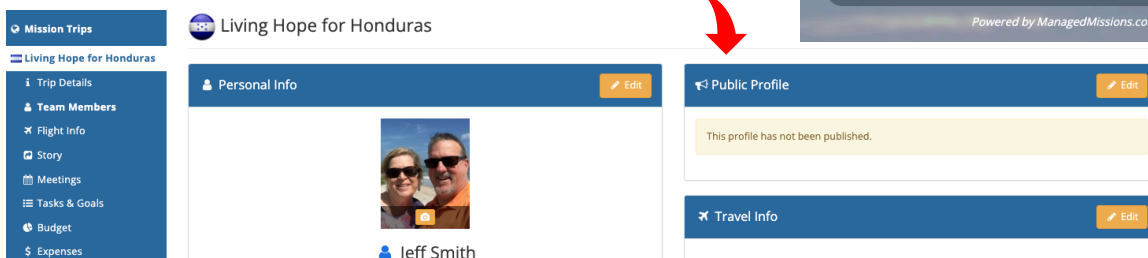
Navigating PUBLIC PROFILES in Managed Missions

What are Public Profiles?

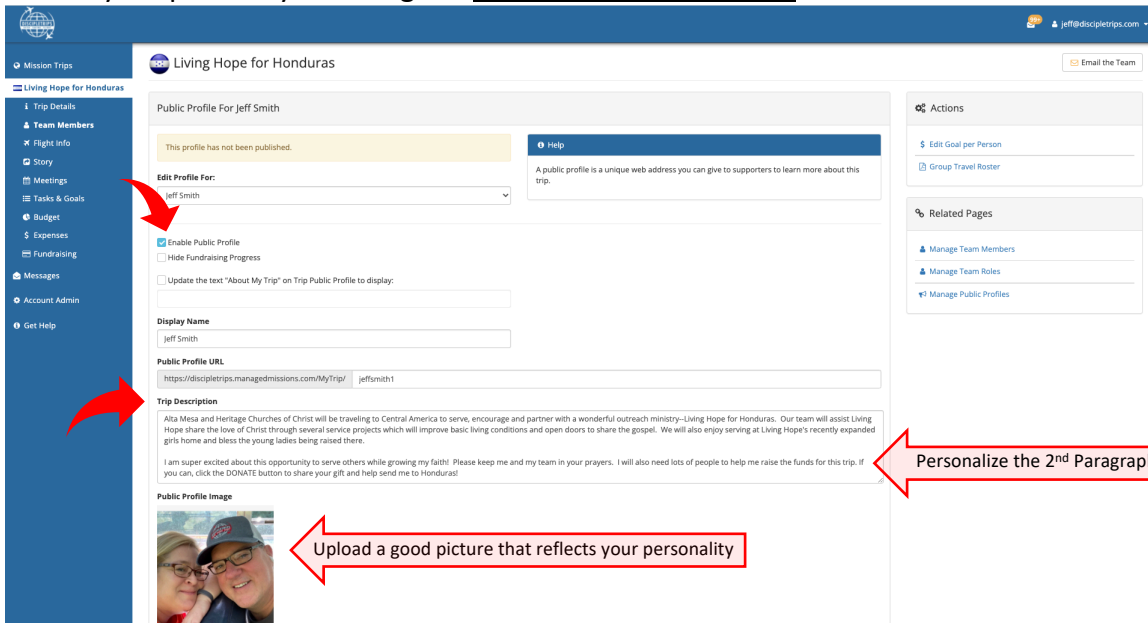
- They are like a **GO FUND ME** page that's already built into Managed Missions and linked directly to your mission account to receive online donations.
- It's a free service that's designed to assist you in fundraising for your trip. It has a **Donate** button and progress bar.
- In just a few minutes, you can personalize your Public Profile page and link it to your social media accounts.
- Complete the instructions below and you'll have your own page that looks like this one to the right.

How to create your own Public Profile:

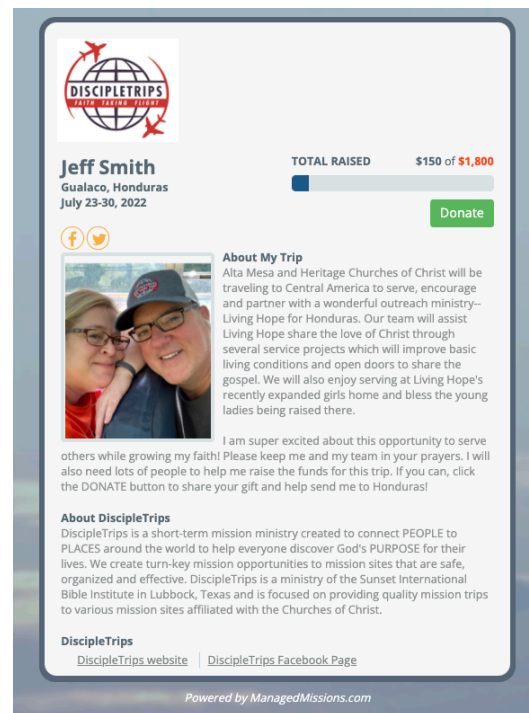
1. Log into your Managed Missions account.
URL: discipletrips.managedmissions.com
2. Find the "Public Profile" bar and click edit button.



3. Enable your profile by selecting the **Enable My Public Profile** checkbox.



4. Find **Trip Description**. Edit the second paragraph in your own words to reflect your excitement and ask others to help by making a donation to fund your trip.
5. Add a recent photograph that show's your happy face (headshot).
6. Click **"Save and Publish."**
7. Congratulations! You've completed your Public Profile. It will be sent for review. You'll be notified of approval or any changes. **Now copy the URL for your page and upload it on all your social media platforms or add it as a link to any emails you send out seeking support.**



I want to let you know about an exciting opportunity I am participating in this _____. On _____, I'll be traveling with DiscipleTrips on a mission trip to _____. We will be serving at _____. There are a couple of ways that you can participate with me in this effort, and in that sense, become a part of our team. The most important thing you can do is pray for our group! We know that God will bless us because so many people will be praying for us. The other way you can help is to sponsor my efforts with a financial contribution. If you cannot help financially, don't worry, I'm confident that God will provide! Our mission trip will be an experience that I'm sure I'll never forget! As I'm helping others, I know that I'll be helped too! Please remember me, and the rest of our group, in your prayers.