VISION: "To see the world transformed by Jesus Christ through the influence of coaches and athletes". MISSION: "To lead every coach and every athlete into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ and His church".



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## World Championship in Abu Dhabi



It all began with a dream—one shared by our young athletes, their families, and everyone who believes in the power of discipline, faith, and perseverance. This summer, that dream took us to one of the most prestigious stages in the world: the IMMAF World Championships in Abu Dhabi.

Your generous financial support allowed our young athletes to participate in one of the most prestigious MMA tournaments in the world, an event that was watched live by over 10 million viewers globally.







Although each of our fighters lost their first matches—in very close and competitive bouts—we want you to know that they showed true courage and determination. This was their first time stepping onto such a massive international stage, competing against elite athletes from 62 countries, many of whom had years of experience in world-level tournaments.



Together with coach Petya, we gathered our team, prayed together, and spoke to their hearts. We reminded them of their purpose, of the flag they represent, and the people who believe in them. And something powerful happened: all three fighters came back to the cage with renewed fire and won their second fights in dominant fashion.





One of those victories was especially meaningful—it was against a fighter from Azerbaijan, making it a principled and emotional moment for us all. After the fight we saw how an Azerbaijani boy was very upset that he lost the fight and he was cut and was sitting in the corridor with only a coach and we approached them and stripped them despite the fact that our countries are at odds we will spare their hands and thank them for a wonderful fight in this way we tried to show how a true Christian athlete should behave