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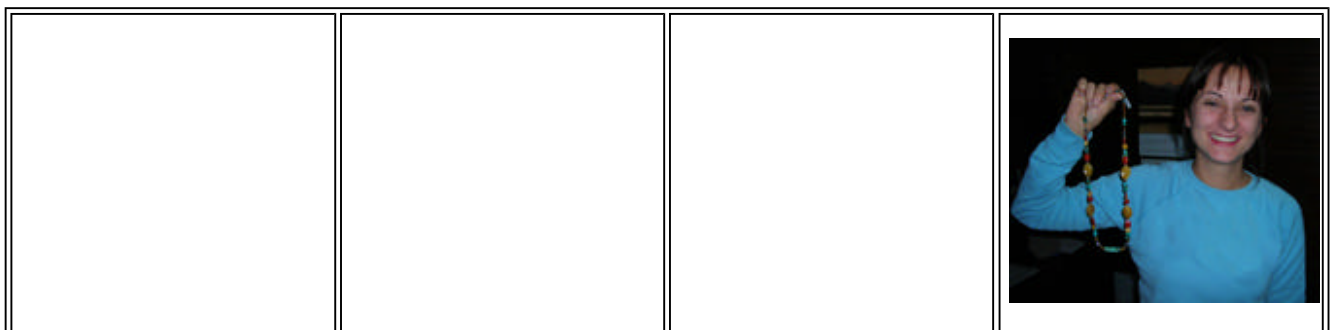


## Jewelry Featured on Primetime Serbian TV.

Three days after we arrived in Serbia, jewelry made at "Crossroads" Teen Challenge was featured on primetime Serbian television after Svetlana Ivanovich, was interviewed about a recent book she wrote which tells her life story. She and her husband, Sasa, founded and Direct Teen Challenge Serbia. The broadcast will be featured on our web site as soon as we receive it and English captions are inserted.

## Meet One of Our Trainees...

 <p>Datsa making jewelry.</p>	<p>One of the women we were privileged to train in Serbia was Datsa. Like the other women at Teen Challenge Serbia she was a heroin addict (for 20 years). She was also a drug dealer, in an out of prison, and involved in witchcraft. Seven years ago she was one of the first students to complete Teen Challenge in Serbia . Her husband, Djorga, is also a TC graduate, and the women's program manager. Once Datsa used to sell clothes as a cover for the drugs she would traffick from Turkey . Now, Datsa is making and going to sell jewelry for Jesus so Teen Challenge Serbia can help rescue others from addiction.</p>	 <p>Datsa proudly showing one of the necklaces she made.</p>
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## Professional Christian Counseling Impacts Lives...

The entire staff and student population of Teen Challenge Serbia (over 40 people) received teaching on the effects of trauma and how to overcome shame. Below are just a few of the comments that were made after the training...



Bonnie Martin, LGPC,  
with four of the students  
from Teen Challenge Serbia

"I finally realized where are my fears coming from, that it is the consequence of trauma experiences from my past. Also, it was great that I learned how can I overcome that!"

"Now I know I am not the only one feeling this way and I know that there is a way out!"

"I was so encouraged by realizing that it is possible for me to get healed and that God is glorified through my endless tryings to do His will."

"I have finally learned how to effectively help myself and others!"

"I was able to confront the unforgiveness that has been constantly giving struggle to my Christian walk."

"I was finally able to say loudly what happened to me that left such a deep pain in my heart. I realized that supressing this feelings is not the solution but rather the cause of getting into bigger emotional problems. Now I know I can confront my pain, insecurity and fears....and win!"

Blessings,

*Tim and Michelle Zello*

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*And they will be mine, says the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels; and I will spare them, as a man spares his own son that serves him (Malachi 3:17).*

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