

Team Leader Information and Trip Details

About the Trip Leaders

Team leader names: Boots Shaffer & Ramsay Walker
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About the Trip

Location: Trishuli, Nepal
Dates: March 31 to April 9, 2018
Cost: \$1500
Expected group size: 8-10
Trip Number: GB46020

Boots and Ramsay Walker have been involved with volunteer home building programs initially as team members and more recently as team leaders primarily in various parts of Europe, Asia, Africa, and Latin America. With Habitat for Humanity, they led teams most years to Thailand including to Lampang as well as to other countries. In 2016, they led the first Fuller Center teams to Thailand, in Lampang, and have since continued leading teams there in 2017. They have also led Global Builders teams in recent years to Armenia, Peru, India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Nicaragua, and Bolivia.

Nepal experienced a very major earthquake in 2015, destroying or seriously damaging tens of thousands of homes and causing significant loss of life. One of the major areas impacted was Trishuli, a smaller city surrounded by beautiful mountains, hills, and valleys.

We are looking for volunteers of all ages, backgrounds, experience, and interests. There is no requirement for building experience to join this team, only a willingness to work hard, follow directions, be flexible, and have fun. We will be working closely on this build with a family in the Trishuli area significantly impacted by the earthquake, to improve their housing situation. We will also have an opportunity to do some sightseeing in and around Trishuli and in Kathmandu.

You are most welcome to contact us by email at walkerteams@gmail.com for more information about this building trip to Nepal starting at the end of next March.

