



## NYSET History

NYSET Director, Doug Lowery, went with five other Bob Jones University students to Manhattan in the summer of 1971. God greatly used that summer to burden his heart for New York City. In fact, Doug and Donna went to Queens in the fall of 1974, and started Faith Baptist Church. (Two other team members also became pastors in NYC.) After 23 years in pastoral ministry (12 in Queens and 11 in Wisconsin), God called Brother Lowery into full-time itinerant evangelism. God also gave

them the burden to establish a summer ministry called, NYSET.

The first summer for NYSET was 2004. Daniel Klaus was on the first team in 2004. The Spirit of God worked greatly in his heart through that summer to call him to New York City. Daniel and his wife, Maggy, have been working with the Lowerys each summer since 2008. The Klaus family moved to Brooklyn with their two children in 2011, where he is an Assistant Pastor in a local church.

From 2004 through 2013, NYSET had a focus on recruiting young men and women from Bible colleges to help inner-city churches in the NYC area with evangelism. The following summarizes those first 10 summers: Personal soulwinning on the streets, in the parks and door-to-door | Tract distribution | Street meetings | Children's meetings in the parks | Ministering in local churches with special music, preaching, junior church, help with VBS, teen activities and physical work projects

## nyset member stats

NYSET members have numbered 45 people from college age through folks in their 60's; another 12 have joined up with these ten teams for 1, 2, 3 or 4 weeks; 6 team members have returned multiple times; team members have come from 11 different Bible colleges, and have been from many states in the US and the following countries: Cambodia, Egypt, Ghana, Haiti, Liberia and Northern Ireland.