



Hungarian Gypsy Missions  
International

CANDIDATE  
László Sötét

# CTL PROJECT

COMMUNITY  
TRANSFORMATIONAL  
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*Yet this I call to mind  
and therefore  
I have hope.*

*Lamentation 3:21*





My name is **László Sötét**, I have been working for HGMI since 2008. I'm a Hungarian refugee of the former Yugoslavia who fled to Hungary with his family due to severe violations committed against the Hungarian population. I gave my life to Jesus in 2006 and ever since I've been serving him passionately.

## COMMUNITY

I serve in several settlements around Hungary, I also pastor a Gypsy church in Körösszakál. There are 6-7 adult and 2-3 child members of the church, all of them are Gypsies. We usually have 2 or 3 visitors. The members of the church are of the age 30-40, but we have also senior members of the age of 60 or more.





## Family background and Life path

I was born in 1960 in Yugoslavia (today's Serbia). In 2004, we fled to Hungary as victims of violence against the Hungarians in the country.

I gave my life to Christ in 2006 and got baptised in 2007 along with my family.

My wife and I have three children, all grown up with their own families and to my utmost joy they are all Christians!

## Ministry and plans

Currently we have church sermon and home group weekly. I regularly visit families from my church so I can meet their needs and pastor them well.

I am planning to have a summer camp for the kids of Körösszakál where we can reach the parents. I also wish to arrange reach outs in different spots of the village.

I am planning to have consulting hours where people can come and share their struggles and together we can find a way out.

I want to have regular Bible study to teach people the value of Bible reading and studying.

I am committed to share the Gospel with each and every person in Körösszakál.

There are only a few jobs in the village, it is one of the greatest struggles there, but I believe proper education is the key for them to have a better chance in worklife.

