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Galveston was in need and SOLAR STIK™ was there.

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Ever thought about life WITHOUT electricity? Hurricane Ike not only destroyed the electrical utilities in Galveston, the tidal surge also submerged most of the portable gas-powered generators on the island. The people from Solar Stik™, a manufacturer of portable solar and hybrid solar-wind generators, were there and provided electrical power to those who most needed it.

Brian Bosley, the Chief Operations Officer, and Dr. Stephanie Hollis, both representatives for Solar Stik™, arrived in Galveston right after the storm passed over the city. They brought with them three of the company's revolutionary new solar and solar-wind generators in order to help the first responders and the people of Galveston. Initially, the authorities were skeptical and ordered Brian and Stephanie to leave, but they relented when Brian showed just how effective the Solar Stik™ System was.

During their five-day stay in Galveston, Solar Stiks™ provided power for charging laptop computers, radio batteries and flashlights to the police, fire department, and the Texas Army National Guard. They also provided power for lighting inside Ball High School, which was used as a shelter and mess hall for victims and responders. They even powered coffeemakers and microwaves for people onsite. Solar Stik™ "Power Paks" acted as auxiliary power units for emergency vehicles, allowing them to conserve their fuel and eliminating diesel noise & exhaust fumes. One U.S. Army official who was charging her cell phone from the System said "This cell phone is the only way that I can 'tuck my kids in' at night, and there is no other way for me to charge it here in these conditions" while a weary Galveston resident stated "this is the first access to power I've had since Friday."

While in Galveston, Brian and Stephanie received a number of impassioned calls from other parts of southern Texas requesting more Solar Stiks™. Galveston school officials were so taken with the system that they are making plans to buy one, following in the footsteps of other visionary school districts like Broward County, FL.

The company's founders always envisioned the Solar Stik™ System being used in Emergency Response and Humanitarian Relief scenarios. It generates power using solar and/or wind (no fuel needed), and it can operate indefinitely in demanding conditions providing power where there is none. It can be deployed nearly anywhere by usually just one person, and it can be even used in conjunction with traditional fuel-driven power generation reducing operating costs and the need for fuel.

Solar Stik™ is located in St. Augustine, FL. The System was originally built for cruising sailors who needed a system that would provide power on long ocean voyages. The system evolved and was adapted for use on land as a portable power generator. The Solar Stik™ company is paving the way for the solar generator industry, successfully using the system in place of fuel driven generators. They provide the systems for relief efforts at no charge during crisis situations like Hurricane Ike. In addition to Emergency Response and Humanitarian relief, Solar Stik™ also has systems suitable for the Military and Recreation Markets.

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