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My law career ended in the spring of 1999 when I received a call from the Presbyterian Church asking us to go to Albania to manage the Church's Kosovo War refugee effort. We realized that this kind of offer comes once a lifetime, so we moved and worked in Albania, the Balkans, and Kosovo for three years.

Americans have a belief that we can solve big problems. We learned that you can help individual people, but the big problems of the Balkans cannot be solved in three years, if ever.