

Messiah's Light for Israel- Newsletter June 2021



Grace and peace dear brothers and sisters from the land of Israel!

We are delighted in sharing some good news about how God is advancing His Kingdom, for He is the faithful One, to Him be the glory and honour. Amen & amen!

By His grace we are still persevering in the assistance to the poor and needy at the soup kitchen in spite of every trial and hindrance.

We have faced and overcome another war against Israel and we praised our heavenly father for having put us under His protective wings during such a time.

We proceed with our service and we are very grateful to the Lord for He is pushing more workers into the field.

Two dear brethren have joined us to help us with our daily tasks but above all with a fervent desire to share the gospel. Shulamite, a dear sister and Hilik a dear brother, do not miss any occasion to tell our visitors about the salvation in Yeshua.

We appreciate each and every one of those who come here for their precious effort, willingness and commitment to help us in practical ways.

We need people to share the gospel, yes! However, our activity requires also hands and feet; to cook, to clean, to go shopping, to care the maintenance of our place and much more.

We are very glad to see some of our old visitors (Joseph, Oded, Ayalah, Malkah, Tal) are coming back to our place (after the whole Covid19 issue). Despite being under some restrictions to fully open the soup kitchen, we take the chance to host them inside and spend time together: eating, talking, singing and “watering” them with the word of God.

Alexander, the young French man whom we told of in our previous letter is still visiting us but haven't made a decision for Yeshua yet.

God is so great and He is always making something new. A young woman called Shira visited us along with one of our brothers.

She is a social worker whom takes care of abused people. Shira comes from an ultraorthodox religious background, which she gave up some time ago. It goes without saying, that she has heard the truth of salvation from us, so that we are praying for her to be saved.

Although she is not yet a believer, she has a heart for the outcast of our society and she expressed the desire to serve along us.

Another Jewish lady, became very emotional when she heard that some of us left their countries to serve the Jews here in the Land of Israel. In the end it all boils down to the Jews becoming jealous and wondering: “how it is that these gentiles have such a special connection with their/our God and come here to serve Him?”

Like Paul himself quoted:

“I will provoke you to jealousy by those who are not a nation,” (Rom 10:19)

A man called Albert came to us for the very first time and as you may imagine he got the gospel preached to him.

In the beginning he was resisting it and arguing by naming some traditions and teachings of the rabbis and his personal intention to keep those.

However, he was confronted with the truth of salvation and he agreed to make the confession to be saved.

When he got to the point of saying that he is a sinner he couldn't pronounce the word “sinner”, in spite of having earlier told us that he nearly killed a man in the pas!

There was obviously some spiritual blockage. In the end he burst into tears and continued his confession towards salvation. He received a New Testament.

I am very glad to share this event, as this was the response to my prayer: that very same day I had asked God to show us something special.

Please pray that Albert will continue to walk with Yeshua, persevering in the ways of the Lord.

We are joyful to tell you that God, as a matchmaker, has joined in marriage two couples of believers (our co-workers) here in the Land. We rejoice with those who rejoice!

We pray that their love would be strong and fruitful, that they would edify each other in respect and submission, unto God's glory.

"Two are better than one, because they have a god reward for their labor...

Though one may be overpowered by another, two can withstand him.

And a threefold cord is not quickly broken." (Ecclesiastes 4:9,12)

You will see from the pictures, a man who decided to enter our rehab centers.

Halleluyah!

Once people get there, separated from the ordinary world and its temptations, they get the chance to physically detoxify themselves and to receive the washing of the word of God that gradually cleanses them from spiritual filthiness.

Please keep them also in prayer that they may endure through this healing and deliverance process.

With the wonderful assurance that our great God is working all things for our good, we kindly ask you to keep praying for us and for the people we have mentioned in this letter.

"The Lord has heard my supplication; the Lord will receive my prayer" Ps 6:9

In brotherly love,
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