



„Show me your ways, o Lord, teach me your paths“ (Ps. 25,4-5).

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Dear friends,

Antje and I have experienced many things with our Lord this year and I would like to share with you what the Lord has done. All over the year some not really planned opportunities seemed to be prepared for us. In April we went for a retreat in a prayer house in Wales and met some brothers and sisters from all over the world there. Before, we didn't even know this prayer house! On our traveling back we had a great time together with our friends from Seattle from the United States at the beach in the Netherlands. And in August we could visit our long time friends from Dallas, Texas for a weekend in Prague joining a church service there with our friends in Prague and had fellowship again with the two American missionaries we had seen in Wales in April. In all these events we felt led by our Lord and found new prayer warriors for our ministries.

In July we were volunteering for a week in a food-sharing program in the city of Jerusalem. In these difficult times we could encourage Jews and messianic Jews in our ministry by showing them the love of Christ and sharing our faith. In our conversations we learned that more and more Jews are wondering about the meaning of the events right now from a godly perspective. Let us keep on praying for the people in Israel and for the people in the countries around for godly protection and that more and more Jews all around the world will recognize Christ as their Messiah! We also attended a messianic Synagoge in that week.

Finally I would like to tell you about my teaching ministry at a faith-conference in Kenya. I was one of the main speakers in Naivasha from the 10th to the 19th of August teaching Bible exposition of the letter of Hebrews. 500 people attended including 70 pastors and lady pastors. I was also asked to teach different groups for special topics (pastors and lady pastors, men, women, young people). The teachings were held in rooms of the church building and in tents.

The conference has been organized by the Joy in Christ Fellowship in Naivasha under the leadership of Bishop George Warui. Joy in Christ Fellowship is a church convention of 140 churches all over Kenya reaching out to different tribes like Kikuyu, Samburu and Massai. On the picture above you can see the new church building the Bishop has promised the Massai to build on year ago. A bigger building for around 100 Massai people to join the services is planned.

What God does in Kenya is exiting! Everywhere you can see church-buildings of free churches. You can see christian TV on secular channels playing christians films like „The Chosen“ and they have many christian TV channels, too. Cars with big christian stickers pass you by. Sometimes they even have christian names on their shops! For us Europeans it feels like being in another world realizing that the influence of our churches in our country is loosing its impact.

While we had been driving back by car to the airport in Nairobi we passed another christian faith-conference with big tents. The way God works in this country is amazing!

To experience the joy of the Kenyans for a week has been exiting again. To me this looks like a revival! They celebrate a long sunday service with loud music and dance (usually for four hours!). They have many loud preachers and great testimonies. But what our African brothers and sisters need is a good Biblical foundation. Here I see my calling and task. My ministry is to support, what the Lord is already doing there by teaching the Bible. Many attendants of the conference knew me from last year and welcomed me very warmly. Some remembered my teaching content from last year. Soon I expect to get information about another ministry opportunity in Kenya in 2025.

Another teaching ministry in Pakistan in February 2025 is planned. And I will be teaching Biblical Counseling from 11th until 15th of November in the „Haus der Stille“ in Friedrichroda, East Germany. I thank you so much for your prayers for godly protection, health and spiritual guidance. Without such a support a ministry like that is not possible and I appreciate also your financial support for my traveling costs. You can pray for our Church, the International Baptist Church Stuttgart, too, because they are considering to support my ministry financially. Thank you so much for your interest in our activities as a couple.

May God bless you

Yours in Christ



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