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Out of the comfort zone

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Dear Friends,

Changing gear in 2014

In the early weeks of the 2014 we received a prophetic word that the Lord was taking us out of the comfort zone, moving us on and increasing our authority.

Shortly after that, Alstom my main source of income announced that while they wanted to continue working with me, the future was uncertain due to a corporate takeover. The Lord then brought SwissRe to me with an interesting request and so I have had plenty of work throughout the year and a fun new challenge.

In early 2014, I also felt the Lord asked me to start work in two new countries, including places I could take Isabelle. So in April and September we ministered together in Zimbabwe, Africa and Charleston, South Carolina respectively.

Film reports

We invite you to share the joy of what God did on those trips by watching the film Hope Trip Zimbabwe and the Charleston testimonies report. Both are well worth watching and found at www.freeandhealed.com under the menu point Revivalist Films.

Upcoming mission needs

I also want to let you know about my upcoming mission trip to Pakistan and ask you to support this work in prayer and if you can financially. Given the tumult in the Islamic world it is more vital than ever that we boldly proclaim Jesus and do all we can to equip Christians on the front-lines.

More info is given in the articles here, or you can watch the Hope Trip Pakistan Film at <www.freeandhealed.com>.

Yours in Christ

David M.Taylor

GKCM Pakistan news

Last summer, Pastor Ghaffar Bhatti (GKCM.org) was with us again in Switzerland and we organised a two day seminar in Weinfelden. It was a well attended, short notice, holiday time event. The Lord said we should advertise in the local newspaper, but instead of having to pay CHF 500.- for an ad, the newspaper actually paid CHF 100.- for an article about Ghaffar.

God moved wonderfully healing, delivering and filling some people with the Holy Spirit. Ghaffar and I followed up with many personal counselling appointments.

Now I plan to return to return to Pakistan again in early 2015. GKCM will organise several crusades and hold day seminars for church co-workers. Tensions are high throughout the nation, so we need to operate with added security, boldness and spiritual wisdom.

- We want to invest in large public events because they allow us share the gospel beyond the walls of the church.
- We have also seen in Pakistan that the public demonstration of signs and wonders reduces hostility towards Christians.
- When Muslim community leaders see Christian evangelists healing and delivering people from all backgrounds, they become more sympathetic to the Christian community.

Note also that I go beyond the message of salvation and use crusades as a platform to teach believers and impart to them knowledge, faith and anointing. It is vital that all Pakistani Christians learn to use the name of Jesus and to operate in their authority and love when under threat. Perfect love never fails!

Please would you consider giving financially to help us do more than we can do alone. With CHF 3'000 in additional donations, we can reach 5'000 people in 2 crusades in an area where we have already laid a strong foundation and in a town where GKCM is starting a new church.

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2014 horrors upon horrors

2014 was one of the most shocking years in my memory. As IS (Isalmic State) swept onto the global stage and Al-Shabab upped activities in East Africa and Boko Haram rampaged in the West, we have been forced to literally cry to God for mercy and for justice.

And just when it seemed it was safe to tuck the fate of those in Moslem countries and border regions into the back corner of our mind, the attacks in Paris early this year sent shock waves through Europe, once again forcing people to think about our values and foundations. Unfortunately, contrary to what many are claiming, our European freedom is not built on the freedom to be a caricaturist or a scoffer to give it a biblical label.

Je suis pas un satirist: scoffers and sons of God.

The Bible condemns scoffers because ridicule is superficial. Scoffing or cartoon satire makes real debate and in-depth discussion more difficult: one side is too offended to talk and the other side is proudly focussed on their rights. Europe needs to discuss the nature of political Islam and the content of the Quran and not get bogged down in the question of freedom of speech.

I believe that we have a duty to warn the secular leadership in Europe and the lukewarm liberals. The IS videos are a shocking reminder that the murderous spirit of Cain that is a form of the anti-Christ spirit is still at large.

Two of the GKCM Muslim converts have had to escape to Thailan to escape the death threats of their own family. These are not Taliban fanatics, in Peshawar but middle-class Punjabis in Lahore.

Hope in Christ alone

On the other hand, as lovers of Christ we have to renew our evangelistic efforts and our efforts to strengthen the church, because our hope is ultimately in Christ alone.

That is why we are renewing our efforts to evangelise and equip the church with our partners. After all, "creation eagerly waits with anticipation for God's sons to be revealed." Romans 8:19.







IS is on the move with a concrete 5-year plan to paint the world black. In occupied regions, all classes except Islamic studies have been cancelled. Children are growing up in a world where beheading and all kinds of torture are normal.

We need a 5-year plan to strengthen Christians in buffer regions.

We need a five-year plan to reorganise our lives to make the gospel our priority.





Whitewash or restoration

For years I had an aversion to the idea of ministering in America because I felt that they are saturated with ministries. But God does not seem to think my thoughts. He is interested in relationships and works through unexpected connections. So it came to pass that Peter and Karen Tetrev, a mission connection from Uganda, invited Isa and me to go to Charleston and support them through a transition. We ended doing a conference together in a small Afro-American church and seeing the Lord do some big miracles in the hearts and bodies of the people.

As the speaker, I taught using the picture of whitewashing furniture versus furniture restoration. Religion focuses on sin - the return to Genesis 3. But the message of the Kingdom of God is a return to a Genesis I identity, in the image of God. This life is empowered by a faith connection which is relational rather than doctrinal. In each session we were able to practically lead people in inner healing, deliverance and renewal, with powerful results.

Testimonies

Clement's ankle was damaged in a lawn mower accident 30 years ago; he had pain and a limp that were getting worse with age. That morning I felt an arrow shoot into my ankle during prayer so called for anyone with a ankle/foot problem. Clement limped to the front. The Lord took away his pain and he was able to go for 30 minutes walk in the days following.

Prior to the trip God told me he would heal someone with Haemophilia, so I shared this with our little group. Vernelle had just gone to the doctor and received the diagnosis of internal bleeding due to haemophilia that very morning! As we prayed, the Lord immediately took away the pain and it has not returned since.

Peter Tetrev, our host, prayed for a lady who had a hip injury and after he led her in searching her heart and forgiving someone, she noticed that her hip pain had gone.

On Friday night, an elderly lady manifested a strong demon when we dealt with the spirit of depression and indeed it turned out she had been on anti-depressants for a long time. She returned looking much happier:

Isa shared words from the Lord with many people and they came back the next day with changed faces – radiant. Others felt the power of God, release, refreshing.

A young man, Philip with a lazy eye since birth came forward asking for various prayer needs. I asked the Father to reveal love in a way that would make all other problems seem small. And I commanded the eye muscles to be corrected in Jesus name. Philip fell to the ground unconscious. When he came around, he looked at me with his eyes perfectly aligned. You can watch his story in the film.







Watch testimonies film at www.freeandhealed.com/scfilm





Hope Trip Zimbabwe

In April 2014, we joined Great Harvest Ministries for their Easter camp and a series of outreach meetings in Harare.

During the camp, we had loud and enthusiastic times of worship. I taught on the need, the process and the power of forgiveness to a group of around 70 campers with additional day guests and we were graced by a powerful move of God.

We began to see an increase in miracles and the word spread that God was moving. A couple travelled 500 km to reach us. He walked in with a cane, weak with a malaria diagnosis but sure from a series of dreams that his wife had put a curse on him. We began to minister healing and deliverance and they went home a transformed couple.

At the end of the week, GHM baptised 45 people, of whom 8 manifested and got set free from demons during the baptism ceremony. As a result, a local witchdoctor who said he had been sent by the spirits to check us out was impressed that we have authority in the Name of Jesus. He said, "I am tired of the emnity and power struggles with the spirits. I want to surrender to Jesus." So he got saved, baptised and delivered as well within the space of an afternoon.

In the Hope Trip Zimbabwe film you also see the story of Talkmore, an adopted son of one of the GHM pastors who got his final full deliverance during the baptism.

One of the highlights was also the case of a young lady who came to the outreach describing herself as a social outcast, hated by all her neighbours. After a prophetic declaration of favour was made over her life by my wife and the leader's wife, the lady returned the next day to report that within hours of the prayer, people began coming to ask forgiveness, give her gifts or repay debts etc.

This was just one of several reports of supernatural favour coming upon people who received ministry.

Watch <u>freeandhealed.com/revivalist-films/</u>



"Revival broke out because of the teaching on forgiveness and people releasing bitterness.

People are still talking about the impact of that conference."

Apostle Martin Toga.

Watch a live blog with David and Martin Toga at <u>www.freeandhealed.com/gwerublog/</u>







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Our statement of faith

We believe that faith is a verb. Faith is not what we believe, but it is the connection that enables us to do what God promises. We believe though we do not see; but faith is what empowers us to see God's goodness in action.

Our creed

Our creed or doctrine is expressed in the Apostles/Nicene Creed, which is the generally accepted creed of the Church since 325 AD. We believe that God is sovereign, the creator and sustainer of the universe, but he chooses to involve us. Indeed, he generally chooses to limit himself to working through and with people.

Our practice

Like Paul we have "a gospel of power and not of words". Like James we believe that Faith needs actions"

