

We have an urgent prayer request to share, time is of the essence....the Lord is at work, His wonders to perform!

Bessie, our refugee friend from Iraq, who is part of the Yazidis people group, has been in the hospital for several weeks now. A week ago she had surgery and 40% of her stomach was removed. Scared, alone in the hospital for most of the time, she waited for the results of her test. Her husband and son still in Iraq, she wondered if she would ever see them again. Her son-in-law, her 16 year old daughter and their 4 1/2 month old baby here in Austria - she worried what would become of them if the diagnosis was cancer.

In the midst of all this fear, worry and concern, she had visitors - three people entered her room. Two ladies and a man. The man came and stood at the foot of her bed, one of the ladies sat down in the chair beside the bed. Bessie asked the lady who the man was, and she spoke and introduced her to Jesus! Then, Jesus spoke to Bessie and told her not to worry that everything was going to be OK, to be at peace and rest! When she shared this with us, her daughter said she was dreaming, but Bessie was adamant that she was not dreaming, she was fully awake - she said she saw and spoke to Jesus! Her face glowing as she went on to describe in detail her encounter. She described the peace that washed over her, the joy, and the excitement that she felt about being in the room with Jesus.

The next day the Dr. arrived with her test results - they were all negative for cancer!

We've heard and read about these types of visitations within the Muslim community. Because of language and cultural challenges we have prayed that the Lord would do the same within our group of Muslim friends. We knew it was possible, but to now experience it through one of our own - it has really shaken us up! Praise Be to God! Bessie is not a Muslim, she comes from the Yazidis people group, an ethnically Kurdish religious community. There are less than 700,000 Yazidis in the world today, and for the last year we have been praying for them, specifically praying and ministering to the four that the Lord sent to us.

We are in awe of what the Lord has done, and what he continues to do...when Bessie shared this with us, another one of our friends, Vardohe was present and she exclaimed that she too wanted to see Jesus and talk with him! This day sitting in the hospital gardens, I sat and shared the gospel once again to this group of ladies and how we can all talk to Jesus and he with us. In my excitement, I rambled on until I thought they had tuned me out, but every time I took a breath, they asked more questions!

Please, the Spirit is moving, the Lord Jesus Christ has made himself known, he has revealed himself to Bessie, and others want to encounter him too - please pray for us all!

Bessie is still in the hospital and in pain - I have spent hours with her praying for her and with her - she always says AMEN, AMEN at the end of my prayers..*but she has not professed her faith in Jesus yet, please will you partake of this witness and help pray her and her family along with Vardohe into the Kingdom!*

"Now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all we can ask or think, according to the power that works in us, to Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus to all generations, forever and ever! Amen" Ephesians 3:20-21.

For His Fame Among the Nations!
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