

Conference Report #5

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Mission To Kenya, Africa

Second Day of **Women's** Conference in AM at Naitiri, Nazareth

Tony:

After worship the guys were off for door to door ministry in the village. Some of the homes we stopped:

- A home where we met an elderly husband and wife. They confessed Jesus, but said that they had no physical needs and only wanted prayer for finances. Holy Spirit showed me that she had a problem with her leg. I asked her that and she confessed it to be true and added to it that she had a bad back and difficulty breathing. We prayed and she was miraculously healed. They had never seen God do anything like this before and were very excited.
- In another home we met momma outside with her feet covered with mud as she was working on the crops. She had a bunch of children and when we asked where her husband was she said that he was with one of his other 3 wives. We blessed her.
- Another household papa was just sitting in a chair and not out working. The family declared their faith in Jesus. Papa said he couldn't work because his foot was swollen and he had constant pain in his leg. As we prayed he said that it returned to total normal. Later in the morning we met him on the road walking and he was very happy and said "I can walk again, praise God!"
- Others were touched by the Holy Spirit with various manifestations of power. It is always so cool to watch.
- Another home we met an elderly man laying on a mat under a tree. He beckoned us to come over. He had been a believer for many years but was suffering from diabetes and a damaged back that has kept him from working for many

years. We prayed for his back and the pain began moving all around his back. After a little bit that spirit of infirmity left him and he knew it. He smiled very big, lifted his hands in the air and praised God. Back totally restored! We then prayed for the diabetes to end. He said that he felt something happen inside of himself. His wife watched and she said that she didn't need prayer for anything. Again Holy Spirit showed me that she was in constant neck pain and had difficulty turning and bending her neck. When we asked her that, she was amazed that we knew that and recognized that God told us. She agreed to prayer and was miraculously healed. She experienced how much God loves her with that tangible touch. She praised God.

- While we were at the last house another man came to us and said, "Please come to my house." We went to his house and found out that he was a member of one of the pastor's church that was with us. He told us that his wife would never go to church with him, she attended one of the large denominations because it was what he family always did. She gave us testimony, talking so fast and so excitedly that I couldn't wait for the interpretation. She said that her husband convinced her to go with him to the first day of the leader's conference on Monday. She said that for many years she had bad arthritic pain in all her joints and had not been without pain for even one day all those years. She had hands laid on her at the conference and said that electricity went powerfully thru her and all the pain was totally removed. She said that since Monday she has felt like a new person, completely pain free. She said that she will now be going to church with her husband because she realizes that she had been attending a Religious Church where miracles do not happen and the Presence of God cannot be experienced. Her husband was one very happy camper.
- That's it for now. Bless you all!

Harvey aka Moshe:

Today was another walkabout to visit families in the area. The team I was on went to about six houses and most of the people we talked to got saved about 18 in all. There were three or so that were already saved. One woman had a sore arm and hand that received healing and we prayed for her husband for peace because a neighbor had stole a cow and mentioned his name so the police were giving him a hard time. One of the women we prayed for her said her children were always getting sick so we prayed for the children and the healing impartation to occur. One of the men we prayed for was partially deaf and God healed him. He sure was happy. One of the women we prayed for said he left to find work and had not been back. So we prayed for provision and for the family to be restored. There was one woman whose husband had left her. She had pain all over her body. We prayed, took her through deliverance, and God healed her. The last one we prayed for had a headache and wanted the construction on her house completed. They were doing some remodeling and I think she was tired of it. We prayed and God showed up and she got healed and filled up. She would have been on the floor if a chair had not been behind her. God is so good! Then it was time to head back since we were already late. Thanks for all the prayers.

Caroline:

Today was the last day of the Women's Conference. I have sensed that there is a real need among the women for encouragement, sharing and praying for each other. The other impression that I received is that they did not know much about spiritual warfare. I was led to talk from Ephesians 6 about putting on the full armor of God. As I said in my earlier report these women deal with a lot of the same things that we women in the U.S. deal with and a whole lot more that we will never have to be concerned with.

There is a lot of chest pain with women and I believe that it is stress and anxiety as they are trying to cope with all the things being thrown at them everyday.

I also shared with them about carrying each others burdens and supporting each other for encouragement and prayer and Bible study. So another thing that happened was that each of them chose a prayer partner. I also divided them into groups of six or more. With these groups, they have committed to meeting together once a week to share prayer needs, answers to prayers, share what is going on in their life and to pray and encourage each other. They seemed quite happy and open to this suggestion. They asked a lot of questions such as, what if you have someone in your group who cannot keep a secret. So I reviewed with them confidentiality and also exhortation and confrontation when needed, reminding them that all of these actions need to be directed by the Holy Spirit and love.

After we met in groups we prayed for each one that requested it. I thank God for giving them what they needed. They are all so precious. I wish that I could stay longer to teach and disciple them.

Nathan: So this morning when we went to the store before the meeting, I bought a Bible for a gentleman who the Lord led me to buy one for. When we arrived at the church I found him and gave him the Bible. The Bible was in a bag and at first he thanked me but did not open it. I told him to open the bag to see what was inside. When he opened the bag and took the Bible out he jumped up and down with joy. The expression on his face was worth a million dollars. I will never forget his face. I had to leave before I started crying. I looked at my mother and it was too late, she was already crying. It was indeed a God moment. It's such an amazing feeling giving to someone and it made their day maybe even their

year. This little act of giving could have very well changed their life.

Vee:

Right after worship, before the men left on their journey, one of the African people shared something with us that blew me away. The night before at the crusade, a woman came that was pregnant and Harvey and I prayed for her and I rubbed her belly 😊 We were told she had the baby shortly after she left the crusade and it was a girl, so the mother named her after me. She felt that it was because of our prayers that the baby came so quickly and easily. I wanted to cry. I am so blessed to know they will always remember me. Oh and Harvey too of course 😊