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Newsletter

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### Praise His Name!

God bless you and thank you for supporting our ministry. Please pray for **BOLDED** newsletter items. Please pray for **MINISTRY** in Ohio/Pennsylvania/West Virginia May 29 - June 5, New York/New Jersey June 9-13, Atlanta Fest Ministry Booth June 15-18 and Indiana June 20-24. Please pray for **PEOPLE** from our Tuesday Night Fellowship. They will try to meet with one another while I am away.

Sincerely,  
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### Eddie and Lura Beckford (Arad, Israel)

Please continue to pray for **EDDIE & LURA** who recently broke her foot.



They will be hosting several people this summer and have been distributing Gospel materials around **ISRAEL** in addition to their regular **MINISTRIES** in Arad. Please keep praying for the big outreach on October 11.

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**Steve Zober**  
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Please pray for **STEVE** as he ministers throughout Southern California and the Internet. He ministered at the Irvine Israeli Independence Day Fair and planted several seeds with **NON-BELIEVERS**.

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## **National Day of Prayer**

Your prayers are so special and very much felt! On the National Day of Prayer, I know people were praying because I had many divine appointments. I spent the day with a Jewish **MAN** who prayed with me to receive Jesus a few years ago. We met **LEE** at the Mall for our Thursday Outreach. In addition to sharing with **ISRAELIS**, a young **MAN** told me he likes my "*Jesus Loves You*" t-shirt. It turns out he has a Jewish **MOTHER** and Catholic **FATHER**, but is an atheist? I tried to share but he didn't want to hear it? At the yogurt store, a young **WOMAN** told me she has the same shirt as mine and an obviously Jewish **WOMAN** (who I don't know) said, "Is that the only wardrobe you have?" I said, "No, its not, but I like to wear it to let people know Jesus is the Jewish Messiah who died for our sins and rose from the dead!" We had dinner at my friend's **COUSINS**'s restaurant where there were many Jewish **PEOPLE** at a party who were most surprised by my t-shirt! One of the Jewish men commented about my t-shirt, joined us at our table and allowed us to share! Later that night we went to the store and

ran into one of the local **RABBIS!**

## The Costco Ministry

I ran into the Jewish **MAN** again who practically yelled at me the first time he saw my "**Jesus Loves You**" t-shirt. We often sit and talk. I asked him again why he doesn't believe in Jesus, and he said, "I'll only believe if Jesus were to sit down right next to me." I told him Jesus lives in me, and I was sitting right next to him. Two **BELIEVERS** came over to say hello to me while we were talking, and I told him Jesus was sending even more proof! I ran into Costco one afternoon just for one item. A Jewish **MAN** stopped me and wanted to know why I had "Jesus" with the Mogen David, so I shared with him and his **WIFE**. While we were talking, I noticed a **MAN** working there was someone Jewish my **FRIEND** knows, and I have been wanting to meet. I introduced myself and shared with him! **ELEANOR** wrote: "**Bill** & I wore our white Star of David JESUS LOVES YOU tee shirt to Costco and we had three people come up to us @ the gas pump and exclaim how they love ISRAEL~ WOO HOO! We also got some disfavorable looks as well, which is absolutely perfect! God is Sovereign!"

## Love Thy Neighbors: At the Movies

My friend **ARLENE PECK** asked me to help promote a movie she was involved with about Terrorists in **ISRAEL**. I sent out an e-mail to **PEOPLE** on my list and my Jewish neighbors came (he's always nice to me, but she hates my beliefs)! I went to the dollar movie and ran into the Jewish **FAMILY** from across the street who were there with their Israeli **FATHER** (he doesn't live with them) who I never met. He asked me what I do for a living, so I told him and gave him a Gospel tract!

## Taste of Alpharetta

Street fairs are great. You can stand in one place and reach most as they pass by! I've been distributing Gospel tracts at "Taste of Alpharetta" on and off since 1998. One year we had a booth, gave away t-shirts in the rain and shared with many Jewish **PEOPLE!** This year I met many Jewish **BELIEVERS** and confronted and shared with a Jewish young **MAN** after he made a derogatory comment!

*"Again I ask: Did they stumble so as to fall beyond recovery? Not at all! Rather, because of their transgression, salvation has come to the Gentiles to make Israel envious. But if their transgression means riches for the world, and their loss means riches for the Gentiles, how much greater riches will their fullness bring!"-Romans 11:11-12*

## Las Vegas, Nevada

Wednesday, May 18-As I headed toward my gate at the Atlanta Airport, obviously Jewish **PEOPLE** arriving from Miami were challenged by my "**Jesus Loves You**" t-shirt! After picking up my rental car in Las Vegas, I immediately went to visit (and

share with) my Jewish Fraternity **BROTHER** who was working at an art gallery in one of the casinos. I visited my friends at Shari's Diner which is owned by a family of Jewish **BELIEVERS**. I spoke at a **CHURCH** and equipped the congregation with "*Jesus Loves You*" shirts and evangelistic jewelry.

Thursday, May 19-I met a Jewish **BELIEVER** for lunch at a major mall on the Las Vegas Strip. Afterwards, we walked around and shared with many **ISRAELIS** and **OTHERS** who were working at the mall. They were most excited about my "*Jesus Loves You*" t-shirt (more the Jewish star than Jesus). One Israeli asked me for a t-shirt! One Jewish **MAN** told me he was from the Midwood section of Brooklyn, New York. I told him I was too and lived on East 24<sup>th</sup> Street between Avenues J and K. He used to live on East 14<sup>th</sup> Street between Avenues J and K, and was most shocked I lived so close to him making him much more receptive to hearing what we had to say about the Gospel! I had dinner with the **FAMILY** of Jewish Believers I was staying with. Afterwards, we went to Fremont Street and shared with people. As we arrived and started setting up a sign, an **ISRAELI** came right over and was most curious about our "*Jesus Loves You*" shirts and allowed us to share with her! I met another **ISRAELI** who believes Jesus is the Messiah, but doesn't believe He is God?

Friday, May 20-A **FRIEND** asked me to drive to the Outlet Malls on the California border to try and share with several **ISRAELIS** she had shared with previously. I met the young **MAN** she had spent several hours talking to and shared with several **OTHERS** as well. I came back to Vegas and had lunch at a Kosher restaurant. **PEOPLE** were challenged by my "*Jesus Loves You*" t-shirt. Several people asked me questions, and it gave me an opportunity to give them a Gospel tract! After lunch, I went to Outlet Malls in Las Vegas and shared with several **ISRAELIS** who were excited to see my t-shirt! I left tracts on the kiosks of busy Israelis. I shared at a Messianic **CONGREGATION** and equipped them with "*Jesus Loves You*" shirts and evangelistic jewelry.

Saturday, May 21-I had brunch at Shari's Diner and visited with the rest of the **FAMILY** I didn't see on Wednesday. I went to minister at a flea market and found some Jewish **PEOPLE** I was able to give a Gospel tract to! As I walked around the flea market, someone called my name, and it turned out to be a Jewish **BELIEVER** I know who works there. I stopped off at a mall to share with **ISRAELIS** and did. While I was walking into the mall, a **MAN** asked me where I got my t-shirt from? I sold him one from the trunk of my car, suggested congregations for him to visit, and we prayed for his non-believing **WIFE**. I went to a wedding/recommitment ceremony of a Jewish **BRIDE** and Gentile **GROOM** at another Messianic **CONGREGATION**. They had been married for exactly three years and wanted to have an actual wedding for their unsaved **RELATIVES**. This wedding is actually the main reason for me coming to Las Vegas again.

Sunday, May 22-I shared at **CHURCH** services and equipped people with "*Jesus Loves You*" shirts and evangelistic jewelry. Both **PASTORS** showed video of me being harassed in **ISRAEL** for sharing the Gospel. I visited my fraternity **BROTHER** before showing my "*Jesus Loves You*" t-shirt at an Israeli Festival which happened to coincide with my visit! I was allowed in with my t-shirt and was not thrown out! Two people yelled at me, several asked questions and **MANY** were challenged by my t-shirt! A

**GIRL**, there with her **DAD**, wore a Jewish Star & Cross necklace her dad had bought from me at church and two **BELIEVERS** followed me to my car to buy a "*Jesus Loves You*" shirt and evangelistic jewelry! I shared in another church service and equipped people with "*Jesus Loves You*" shirts and evangelistic jewelry. Afterwards, I had dinner at another Kosher restaurant, and about 20 Orthodox **JEWS** were challenged by my "*Jesus Loves You*" t-shirt!

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