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Dear Friends:

I am drawn to the second half of the verse above in the picture "... *Make His doing known among the peoples*" and thought this is exactly what our mission is trying to do mainly through it's sponsorship programs in this beautiful land of Canada. And as I was reading this morning in Exodus ch. 4-5, I was overcome with thankfulness in realizing that this story compares to the plan Jesus has for us, part of which He has done and the other part to be fulfilled. I am grateful for what He has done to redeem us and look forward to the fulfillment of His second coming, where we who are His children will live with Him forever and enjoy the inheritance He is presently preparing for us while we wait, serve and obey Him through this journey here on earth.

How do us who believe in Him serve and obey Him in our waiting here on earth?

Individually, we are to make His name known with our testimony of His love working in our lives. With our dependence on the Holy Spirit our helper who He left to help us stay the course - *Galatians 5:25* says, "*Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit.*" Meanwhile, He is working to complete His side of the preparation before His return.

God who is all Powerful and Almighty is not distant from us. He is always present, faithful and ready to encourage us to keep focus on the end goal and that is to live with Him forever.

1 Corinthians 2:9 says, "*Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, Nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.*"

So, I encourage you to pursue your part of building the Kingdom as He is pursuing His plan for us, to bring it to full completion one day. The closest thing to God's heart is to see others come to know Him and receive the Love He has for them. It is the best thing anyone can do to please God. It is for this very purpose He came and was crucified, to win us back and continue in His plans since creation to live with Him for all eternity.

I am extremely thankful that I came to know Jesus and I will not trade Him for anything else. I learned from Moses story that no resistance to Him will ever overcome Him. So we need not be afraid of the resistances we might face as we pursue Him through life. He will be right there to protect and help you overcome.



In Canada, we celebrate Thanksgiving in this month of October.

I consider it a privilege to live in a country that set aside a day for this. I know there will be more mentioning of thanks in this month.

I pray God's blessings on every effort made to express thankfulness in every person, family and gathering. May Jesus's love captivate and draw many to Himself this Thanksgiving through us honouring Him and His Holy Spirit's presence.

In the story of Moses, God's promise for the people to reach the promise land did not change. It was up to them to stay focus and believe. May this true story serve as a reminder that God's promises will never change. May we always acknowledge His Holy Spirit's presence with us reminding us of His heart for all people and to stay focus on the end goal. *In Exodus 5:2 when Pharaoh said, "Who is the LORD, that I should obey Him and let Israel go? I do not know the LORD and I will not let Israel go."* I think of how this can be such a difficult situation to break through in many families who do not yet know Jesus as their Lord and Saviour. However, I am reminded that no resistance to God's plan will overcome Him. For us, once we do our part in praying or saying what the Lord has placed on our hearts, God will honour our efforts and His Holy Spirit will get to do His work in them, to soften their hearts and draw them to the truth.

Thank you for taking the time to read this month's newsletter. I hope you have been encouraged.

Please remember to scroll down below and click to read the various stories which was intended to encourage you as well. If the Lord is laying on your heart to support any of our programs and you need some further clarifications please do not hesitate to call our office at: 1-877-474-2689 or email me at: devika@scainternational.org.

Thank you for your support to this mission. I pray God's abundant blessings on you and your family.

May your Thanksgiving and year bring abundance and joy. I leave you with Psalm 100 as we seek to serve Him together.

Kind Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Devika', written in a cursive style.

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