



# CANADIAN NEWS

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Dear Canadian Jewish Missions Partner,  
Shalom in Messiah's name!

In the area of the Greater Toronto Area where Marta and I live, it has been a particularly dry season. We went several weeks without rain and, for someone like my wife who loves her plants and flowers, it took extra effort to keep them all healthy and thriving.



My part in keeping our yard looking nice is mowing the grass as needed, which this year did not happen as often. It was so dry that, when I did cut the grass, it was like mowing pine needles! We ended up watering both front and back yards almost every night.

### Living Water

As we now prepare to say goodbye to our short Canadian summer, I've been reflecting on the importance of water in our lives and in nature.

It's well-known that humans can survive several weeks without solid food, but only a few days without water. Due to its chemical composition, we need water for nutrition, refreshment and life sustenance. We use it for cooking, personal hygiene and to nourish the produce we eat. It is one basic element of nature that we cannot do without!

It is not surprising that the Lord Jesus used the example of water several times during His earthly ministry to teach us about the effect He can have in our lives.

In John 7:37-38 He said, "If any man is thirsty, let him come to Me and drink. He who believes in Me,

as the Scripture said, 'from his innermost being shall flow rivers of living water.'" The power of His words was such that, in the following verses, we see people referring to Him as "the Prophet" and "the Messiah." Even the guards sent by the priests and the Pharisees to apprehend Him were amazed at His words and said, "Never did a man speak the way this man speaks" (v. 46).

### Living Water - in Action!

We have seen firsthand what Yeshua's living water can do in the lives of people who are thirsty for God.



A few weeks ago, Sarah and Joseph (all names changed) with their two young children showed up one Shabbat morning at our Toronto Messianic Centre.

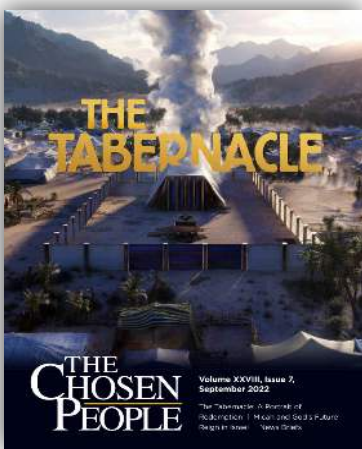
After the service, and with a smile on her face, Sarah declared that the Lord had guided them to our Messianic congregation. Joseph, however, was very quick to tell me he was an Orthodox Jew, but seeking to learn more about Messiah. Their little girl liked the service so much that she grabbed me around the knee and asked, "Can we come back next Shabbat?"

As I prepared the sermon for the following week at Kehillat Eytz Chaim / Tree of Life Congregation, the Lord placed this particular Jewish family from Israel upon my heart.

I took as my theme the John 7 passage about living water for the sermon. The Lord led me to present the Gospel as clearly and directly as I know how. I knew that Sarah and Joseph and others in attendance were seeking answers for their spiritual questions.

On Shabbat morning, I challenged everyone present to accept Jesus' invitation to follow Him. At

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the end of the service, one of our missionary couples spoke to Sarah and Joseph and, a few minutes later Joseph prayed to receive Yeshua as his Messiah! *Baruch Ha Shem! Praise the Lord!*

We later learned that Sarah was already a believer who had been praying for the Lord to soften her husband's heart. The Word and the Spirit did it that day!



Israel, where they are ministering day and night to needy families. Some of the funds have been used to relocate refugee families in Canada. But the work is not done yet.

Our partners in the affected countries tell us that, as the European winter approaches, the need for clothing, food, medicine, shelter and travel assistance will be enormous.

One urgent need is to provide heaters to help against the bitter cold. We are partnering with other ministries and sharing our resources to produce low cost but efficient heaters for families in need.

Your prayers and financial assistance are still needed and much appreciated. Please consider donating a special gift of any amount to the Ukraine Emergency Fund so we can be ready before the cold months arrive. Make sure to designate your gift to the Ukraine Emergency Fund. Thank you for your generosity!

**And don't forget to pray for our Canadian staff!**

They work behind the scenes and on the frontlines sharing the Gospel with Jewish and Gentile seekers in one-on-one encounters, through phone calls, emails, visits, as well as through preaching, teaching and praying.

Thank you for your partnership with Chosen People Ministries (Canada), your Mission to the Jews sharing the Gospel here and around the world!

Until all Israel is saved,

Jorge Sedaca  
Executive Director



PS: Don't forget to order our newest Messianic Jewish Art Calendar for 2022/23 (September through August). Use the order form below or go online at <https://store.chosenpeople.ca/>.

**This is what our Mission to the Jewish people is all about – sharing the life-changing message of Jesus with the Jewish people around us.**

During September and October, we will be celebrating the three Fall Feasts of Israel – Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur and Sukkot (Feast of Trumpets/New Year, Day of Atonement and Feast of Tabernacles). Our congregations in Toronto, Hamilton and Winnipeg will hold special services to remember God's faithfulness to Israel and to proclaim the Good News of the Jewish Messiah, Jesus our Lord.

***Please pray with us that many other Jewish seekers like Sarah and Joseph will join us for worship and experience an encounter with their Saviour.***

**Ukraine Emergency Relief**



I want to personally thank everyone who has contributed to our Ukraine Emergency Relief Fund. Through

your generosity we have been able to help Jewish families and individuals affected by the ongoing Ukraine-Russia conflict.

We have sent your donations to this Fund to our representatives in Ukraine, Poland, Germany and

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