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Dear Canadian Jewish Missions Partner,
Shalom in Messiah Jesus! Sharing the Good News of Yeshua with our Jewish friends is the foundation of Chosen People Ministries.

Through the years, we have added new and effective ways of fulfilling our Lord's command to go, teach and baptize (Matthew 28:19-20) without compromising the original message of salvation. The more recent development of **social media** has helped us reach multiple generations, interest groups and different segments of the Jewish population.

Person to Person

However, history has shown that the Gospel is best shared **person to person** and **heart to heart**.

Our Canadian staff members are doing exactly this across the country. Here is just one of their stories:

I had a very auspicious meeting with Yaakob (all names changed), discussing with him Jesus' sacrificial death, resurrection and His continuous redeeming work through the Holy Spirit.

When we met last week, we began reading together the Gospel of John. We reached chapter 4 where Jesus asks the Samaritan woman for a drink of water. She didn't refuse, but wondered aloud why He would go against the social norms to ask her for a drink and spend time talking to her.

Yaakob commented, "This man is really interested in people and goes out of his way to accommodate. That's a very Jewish trait."



As he paused, I said, "Yes, and He is excellent at it. He is calling you. He is talking to you. He is offering you living water. Will you drink it?" I deliberately and provocatively paused to provoke a response, a yes or no answer.

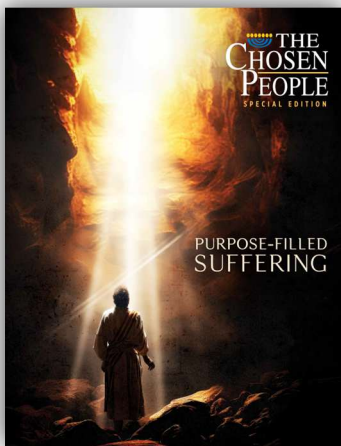
Yaakob's wife ventured into the living room. Esther looked at Yaakob. She looked at me. A bit alarmed, she asked me, "What did you do to him? What happened?"

Yaakob calmly responded, "I think we are in trouble. I think we are going to take a break, perhaps a couple of weeks. We need to..." He was silent.

"It is Him, isn't it?" Esther asked. "Well, I've been trying hard to find a way out. The more I read and search, the closer I get to Him. Remember, we are in this together all the way."

Yaakob asked me to leave and he asked to stop the studies for now. As I was leaving, Esther asked me to pray for them, which I did, right on the spot. Please pray for Yaakob and Esther.

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Thank you for your prayers and faithful financial support as we share the Good News of Jesus the Messiah with Jewish people across Canada and around the globe!

Please remember Chosen People Ministries in your will.



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Heart to Heart

Sometimes, Jewish individuals and families show up at our Messianic congregations seeking answers to life's many questions.

One young woman who has gone through a difficult divorce visited our Toronto congregation in September during the High Holy Days.

Unresolved legal issues concerning the custody of her children had been keeping Emma (name changed) awake at night. Some of the more experienced women in our assembly comforted her, shared reassuring Scriptures with her, and prayed for her and her family.

One of our missionaries had the chance to talk to Emma about Yeshua's love for her and interest in her life. She shared with Emma the hope in this life and beyond that only Jesus can provide. Emma was very touched by the message, but made no apparent commitment at the time. **Please pray for Emma, her family and their salvation.**

10 Days of Prayer

One of our newest resources is a prayer booklet entitled *10 Days of Prayer for Israel*. This is a wonderful tool to use in your devotions, with your prayer group and at church prayer meetings. Although it was originally intended for the High Holy Days



season, it is also designed to be used at any time of the year.

We would like as many believers as possible to

engage in intentional prayer for the salvation of Jewish people in Canada and worldwide. We strongly believe in the power of prayer!

Please visit:

www.chosenpeople.ca/10daysofprayer

to order as many free copies of this booklet as you need.

Thank you for your prayers and financial support of Chosen People Ministries (Canada). You enable us to introduce the Jewish Messiah to boys and girls, young people and adults in many communities in Canada and around the world.

Your partner in the Mission,

Jorge Sedaca
Executive Director



Israel at War

Just as we were going to print with this issue of our *Canadian News*, the terrible reports of horrific events in Israel began to emerge.

Our November newsletter will be devoted to covering Israel's war against Hamas and helping provide a Biblical perspective for our readers.

In the meantime, we have set up an Emergency Fund for Israel and will be forwarding contributions made to that fund directly to Israel in order meet the extraordinary needs that will arise in the coming days.

If the Lord leads you to give to our Israel Emergency Fund, please donate online at www.chosenpeople.ca/israel-emergency-fund or call our Canadian office directly.

Please join us in praying for the peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6).

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