



Chossen Generation

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Dear friends and family,

There has been news that starting in April, we will be seeing some of the COVID restrictions lift. We will still not be able to meet in each other's houses, but they are making it so you can visit in each other's yards, go to the park, or for a walk. They are allowing a couple more people to be able to join your group. Please pray that this will be so and that they will not change their minds. Scotland needs a breakthrough! But the good news is, that if things keep moving forward – we could be out of this by the summer! Let it be so Lord!!

There has also been an update on the Government in regards to the bill that is trying to be passed to make the Bible illegal in Scotland.

This week Scotland voted to have a "hate speech" bill passed. One amendment would have been to make the Bible hate speech, so it would be illegal here. That was shut down and did not pass! Thank you Jesus! What wasn't shut down is two-fold. 1) Conversations in your home can be reported to the police, if they are deemed offensive or controversial. The one who has reported you can get you into trouble. 2) Children can be asked at school what they are being taught at home, i.e., if they are being taught the Bible – the parents can be reported. Please pray for Scotland! We need a breakthrough!

Nevertheless, amongst these things, God is moving!

I continue to call Helen and we speak together about what we are reading in the Bible and what we are getting out of it and the devotional that we are doing together. We are currently working our way through the New Testament and are reading Mark. Some of the things that we have been talking about are how much God loves us and how He is faithful. How He never leaves us and is very patient with us. How the Holy Spirit is our help and always ready to help us.



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We have even been talking about how we need to remember to ask the Holy Spirit for help and not try to do things on our own. He needs to be our first choice instead of our second when we have already tried our own way before going to Him. It is really encouraging to see how much Helen is loving reading the Bible and how much she is getting out of it! You can really see God breaking through and amazing her. She glows with excitement when we talk about His word and how He is working for her. Her prayers are being answered!

Over the past two weeks, Helen has been needing prayer for her health. The doctors do not know why she is so tired and why she is having some of the problems that she is having. She also needs prayer for her family. They need peace and we keep praying that they will come to know Jesus! Helen has been a bit discouraged about her health and about her family. Sometimes you just get fed up! She and her family need a breakthrough! Will you join us in prayer?

I will be meeting one on one with another lady in the church. We will be going through a devotional together as well as reading the Bible. We will read both during the week and then when we phone each other, we will talk about what God is saying to us in regards to what we have read. Then we will talk about how we can apply it to our lives. I am very excited to see what God is going to do in her life!

PRAYER NEEDS:

- 1). I have been asking God to help me meet my monthly needs. Because of COVID, I know that this has affected everyone financially. Unfortunately, this has also affected my monthly support. If you would like to partner with me in helping meet this need, all prayers and support are greatly cherished and appreciated!
- 2) Please continue praying that God will clear COVID up! Praying that we will soon be able to meet for Church, in- person and that things can move from online connections to in-person connections.
- 3). That the Bible will continue to be a cherished book for Scotland. That His people will start taking a stand and sharing Jesus with everyone they come in contact with!

- Jessica Tomlinson