

FANNING THE FLAMES IN EUROPE

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COFFEE HOUSE WORSHIP & STREET PREACHING

We arrived in Blackpool on Good Friday. That afternoon our friends Keith & Jenny Raby of Revelation Daze played rock and gospel music in a coffee shop two doors from the church square in the center of town. As they played the presence of God filled that coffee shop. The management and staff of the coffee shop were enjoying it too; they were all smiles. The area was being prepared to receive the gospel by welcoming God with our worship. It was awesome!

Saturday the town square was crowded with people enjoying the holiday weekend as we gathered in front of an Anglican church to pray before we preached the gospel. The Vicar and members of this church and at least three other churches came together to make Jesus known in Blackpool. As people stopped to listen to Revelation Daze or to see the other outreach activities, we were there to pass out gospel tracts, Gideon Bibles, share with them about Jesus, and pray for them. My mom and I had the pleasure of sharing with a young man from Glasgow who decided to follow Jesus that day. What a joy and honor to be able to lead him in that prayer and introduce him to the Vicar and other church members.



GOD CHOOSES A FORGOTTEN PLACE TO START HIS REVIVAL IN FRANCE

The evangelism conference in Calais was the trip highlight for us. Bishop Soni invited church leaders from all over the world to come and pray that France would come to know Jesus. Calais County has about 120,000 people and, in this whole region, there are only two small churches with about 100 members between them. We walked the streets and spoke to people about Jesus we found that many had never even heard His name before. During the conference I was invited to share a panel with another dynamic young evangelist; we each shared from our perspective the role that young people will have in the revival of the church, each of us feeding off of the other's passion. It was an honor to be able to speak there! My mom and I may have struggled with the language barrier, but praise God we were still able to make many connections for future ministry. We saw many believe in Jesus, and as we prayed both my mom and I saw in the spirit that Calais is ground claimed for Jesus name and not the enemy's territory anymore! My mom had a vision of the Holy Spirit raising up a standard (or a flag) and stabbing it into the ground of Calais. Out of the center of the standard staff radiated lightning bolts in 360 degrees going throughout France.



STANDING FIRM IN FAITH IN THE FACE OF RELENTLESS OPPOSITION

We took a day to meet with Brian & Cara Salley who are missionaries in a small village about 40 minutes south of Geneva. In that region of 26,000 people, there are less than 20 Christians and no churches at all. Because they have faced so much opposition from Christians in Geneva, and from the people of this region, they have taken up the saying "Difficile mais pas impossible," which means it is difficult but not impossible because with God all things are possible. They've said it so many times that the other Christians are now repeating it back to them.



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God is doing amazing things in Europe, returning the fire to the church there that has long been asleep. Pray the Lord continues to send more laborers like the awesome people we ministered with on this trip who will carry on the work so that all of Europe would know Jesus!

MINISTRY ITINERARY:

Healing Springs Bible Study

Have you been looking for a more in depth study of the Bible? Healing Springs meets each Sunday to study the scripture from a faith based perspective. We have time for discussion, we pray for each other, and are building a

community of mature Christians through the study of God's word. All are welcome to join us regardless of background or church affiliation.

This month we are studying the book of Ephesians.

Sunday

6:00—8:00 PM

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