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I am filled with excitement and joy at the thought of seeing Jesus soon. Even the anticipation of His appearing sets a fire in my soul. Soon we will stand face to face with our Saviour. Those who carry the Cross do not carry anything else in this temporal world. They let go of everything to follow Christ and bear His Cross. God has graciously allowed me to pastor people who have made that choice and have surrendered all for Him. Please pray that God would increase our church's anticipation for His coming and teach us to surrender ourselves fully as we prepare for His Kingdom while there is still time.

As your missionary in the Middle East, I am witnessing firsthand the harvest that God has prepared. I must be honest with you; the need for laborers and resources is great, and the harvest truly is plenteous. Many are leaving Islam right now. Hearts are opening, questions are rising, and people are searching for truth. We are standing in a narrow window of opportunity, and we are in danger of missing it if we do not respond.

The Middle East has too great a need for only a few missionaries. It needs churches that are willing to go beyond traditional norms to reach this uttermost part of the world. I ask you to seriously consider investing more than just financial support in the work here. You do not need to be a full-time missionary to take part. If you are retired, or if you have time in the summer or any season, there are opportunities to volunteer in English schools where no degree or certificate is required. It is enough to follow directions and speak English, even without knowing a foreign language. The younger generation is especially open, and we need volunteers who are willing to come for a season and serve alongside us for whatever time you can give. It is both easy and inexpensive to come and help.

We are also in need of volunteers who can invest time in media work. This can be done from the States without coming overseas. No foreign language is required. If you are willing to be trained and have time during the week to invest, there are many opportunities. Whether it is internet radio, teaching an online English class, or video editing for social media, the need is great, and the work is ready.

God has strategically positioned our church to organize, host, and train those who are willing to participate in this work, yet the need is far greater than what we can meet alone. Please pray about taking a short trip to see the work firsthand. One of the greatest opportunities is connecting American Christians with young people here as pen pals, opening doors for ongoing influence, discipleship, and the spread of the Gospel. A single faithful connection can become a lifeline of truth that leads a soul to Christ.

Pray for my son and me as we travel to the United States at the end of April. He is preparing to attend Bible college this fall and will need a summer job to make ready for that step. Please also keep our team leader in your prayers as he returns from furlough this month, seeking to obtain a residential visa. Above all, pray for a greater measure of revival in our home that would overflow into our church.

Time is short, and the door before us is open now. What we do in this moment will echo into eternity. There are souls ready, a harvest prepared, and a Saviour Who is worthy. I have no doubt God will do something amazing here in the Middle East. He does not need our efforts, our time, or our money; yet He invites both you and me into a work that will cost us everything, so that we might know the fullness of joy in Him.

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