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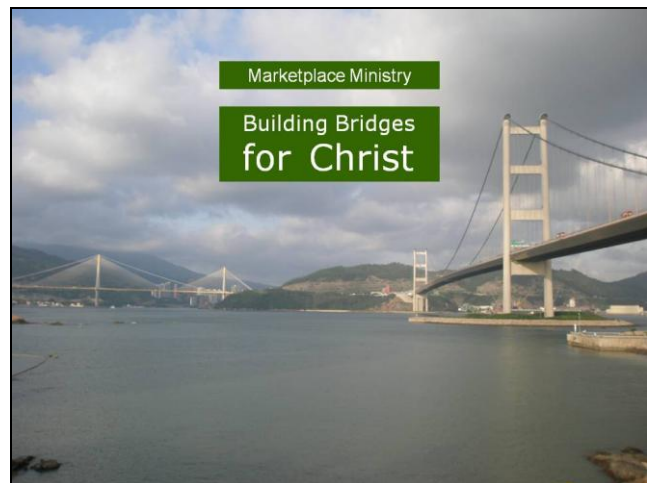
Dear Friends in HIM,

Choice greetings from Hong Kong in the wonderful name of our Lord & Saviour Jesus Christ!

In my last newsletter, I shared about the launch of the BBC School [BBC = Building Biblical Churches (church ministry) and Building Bridges for Christ (marketplace ministry)]. By God's grace, both ministries are off to a good start.



Building Biblical Churches



Building Bridges 4 Christ

Church Ministry

The church ministry is every Saturday. In the beginning we did not have P&W due to a lack of musicians and worship leaders. We only pray and share the Word of God.

But God amazingly brought in musicians since the New Year. They are students from Hope Brisbane, who were having their summer break. It was great to see them getting more involved in serving God with their God-given talents in music and design.



P&W @ BBC



Birthday Celebration @ BBC

Since their departure at the end of February, God, through a friend, provided us with a software that enabled us to have P&W without musicians. The songs are played from the computer and projected onto a screen like Karaoke. ☺

Now I prepare the P&W songs each week. I praise and thank God for modern technology!

So far, besides blessing the students from Hope Brisbane and others who joined, I use the ministry to train a leader from a Shenzhen church.

Marketplace Ministry

Since the completion of my 6-month contract working on the iconic Main Terminus for the High Speed Rail project in Hong Kong at the end of August last year, I started looking for another job. I had to wait 4 months before God finally opened a door at the start of the New Year. Looking back, I can see that God used the waiting period to allow me to set up the BBC School. His plan and timing are perfect. ☺



633 King's Road



Inside The Office

I am now working as a Director in an old friend's medium size Consulting Engineering Company of 150 people. I knew the job was from God when I went for the job interview because the address was 633 King's Road. [Matt. 6:33] is my signature scripture and King's Road mean's the Way of our King Jesus. ☺

The new job opened up a huge opportunity for me to minister in the marketplace. We have a prayer meeting every Friday lunchtime and I am praying for a Bible Study for not-yet believers to start in the not too distant future.

For now, I am using God's principles to help my colleagues to become better and more efficient workers. I started a monthly staff meeting to build team spirit among the colleagues under my direct control (about 15 in number). I also provide training for all the engineers in the company (about 30 in number) once a month to help them in their job and prepare them for their Chartered Engineer examination.

By God's grace, the big boss also encouraged me to audit the whole company in the areas of management and operation. Huge opportunity to be salt & light for God!

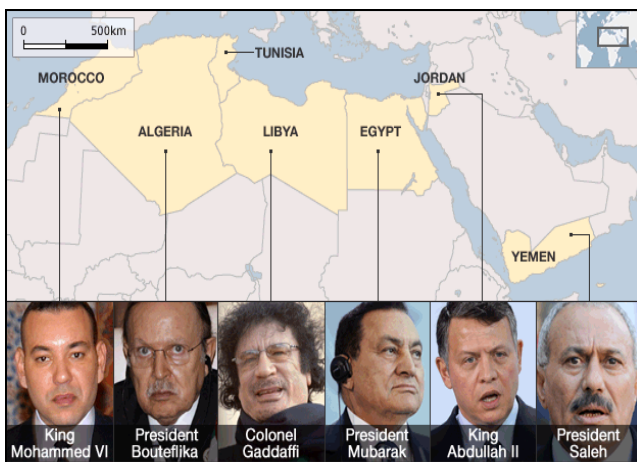
In this connection I sense that we should encourage our church members who are working in senior positions in the marketplace to advance God's Kingdom in a greater measure.

Such A Time As This

Since the start of 2011, God is showing us a lot of the signs of the time we are in. The Signs of the End of the Age described in Matthew 24 are becoming our daily news!

[Matt 24:7 NIV]

Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be famines and earthquakes in various places.



Nation Against Nation



Famines and Earthquakes

I often wonder how the Antichrist goes about uniting the world and bring about a One World Government and a One World Religion. Recent day events gave us a lot of insights:

1) In the name of Democracy

The Kingdom of God is an Autocracy, with God leading His people in divine order.

The Antichrist goes against God's way by establishing Democracy in the Free World nations. Now, nations in the world currently under "undemocratic" governments are being forced to adopt Democracy through the uprising of their people, encouraged by the USA in particular. Even a powerful nation like China is under huge pressure to become more democratic.

2) In the name of Human Rights

The Kingdom of God is a Holy Nation, worshipping no other gods but the God of Creation, with faith in Jesus as the only way of reconciliation back to our Heavenly Father.

The Antichrist goes against God's way by establishing cults and false religions and offer people choices in the name of human rights. In the name of human rights, even some Christian churches are corrupted by allowing same sex relationships and gay marriages.

Sadly, not all Christians will become the Bride of Christ, if they do not remain faithful to the Word of God until the end.

God's Power and Anointing

In the face of a formidable enemy, we will need to tap into more of God's power and anointing in order to have victory over the enemy and the devil's schemes. I will share more in the next newsletter.

In the meantime, let me encourage you with my favorite scripture:

[Matt 6:33 NIV] But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

With love & prayers in Christ,



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