

Missionaries to the Arabs of America in

Dearborn

Michigan

"And the Lord he it is that doth go before thee fear not neither be dismayed." Deuteronomy 31.8

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What an amazing Savior! The Lord works in the heart of people and lives are changed. We praise Him for the power of the Word of God and the opportunities to speak His name. Thank you all so much for standing beside us as we serve the community here in Dearborn!

The Power of the Love of God

"Would you like to go back upstirs or do you want to stay and get saved?" I asked some young boys at VBS. The Lord worked in the hearts of the kids at VBS with Silvery Lane Baptist Church. The Lord moved through the preaching and teaching and God let us lead 5 kids to the Lord! They heard the games going on after the message and each of the kids affirmed that they didn't want to go upstairs for prizes and games. They insisted on trusting Christ as Lord and Savior.

"Thank you so much for the bookbags and school supplies!" A Muslim lady exclaimed. At the same time VBS was going on, some friends at nearby church in Ypsilanti donated 275 bookbags with school supplies and invites to future events. Inside was also Arabic and English NTs. After they picked up their bookbags, we also had a table with tracts and Bibles. Most everyone took more info, John and Romans and tracts. One Muslim lady came back just to talk more about the Messiah, and she said she is coming to visit our services. Another man that lives right down the street was touched.

"We live right across the street!" A young Muslim girl said. Since we had the sign out for VBS, a family that just moved in came by and the whole family came the last night, and they also came for the bookbags. Pray we can connect with this family for God's glory.

"How do women dress in churches?" A young college student asked. The new semester at Henry Ford College is in full swing and we met new students and saw old friends. The young man I just quoted is a strong Muslim from Egypt and we pray to connect each Thursday. Another student I mentioned in last letter keeps coming back with good questions and when he does I was able to share the Gospel with his friend. He wondered why we say the prophets sin. I always point them to the One who did no sins, Jesus the Christ. There are so many conversations. Also, the park ministry continues and Aly, a young man said he will read the Bible after I showed him several fulfilled prophecies. Another young lady recognized me from the college, and she was excited to see us at the park. God opens doors and we step through to share.

The Lord still blesses the believers in our group as they bring others while growing in the faith. We have 2 new faithful members and they are jumping in to help in the ministry.

We have some special news and a need! This past year we have a successful Christ Is Messiah Conference. This year we will have the Christ Is the Word Conference, where we will go through John1 verse by verse to show what that that title means. We also invited 2 Muslim Imams to come to clearly share what this means according to Islam. Ever since last year's conference we have had Muslim visitors and Ex-Muslims faithfully come to our services. We advertise with flyers, billboards, TV commercials and last year the whole conference was on an international Arab/English TV station. We need help and we appreciate the donations given this year already yet need more. We also will have the Fall Festival October 26 27! Please consider praying, visiting and financially giving for these events. Pastor Girgis and the church still faithfully lift up Christ in Egypt.

Family Matters

Beth faithfully leads a ladies Bible Study. Joshua has some health struggles while Sandy, Emma and Noah started school. It has also been a blessing serving at the park together although we sometimes run into conflict from the Muslims. Pray!!

For the Lord Jesus, David and Beth Joshua, Sandy, Emma, and Noah

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that in all things He might have the preeminence. Colossians 1:18

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