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**Newsletter**

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## **Steve Kaplan (Atlanta, Georgia)**

Praise His Name! God bless you and thank you for supporting our ministry! Please pray for **BOLDED** items:

Please pray for our **MINISTRY SCHEDULE**. There are still a lot of gaps, and we still haven't secured housing everywhere?

October 19-21, San Antonio, Texas (Speaking/Selling)  
October 26, Dallas, Texas (Speaking/Selling)  
October 27, Arlington, Texas (Jewish Evangelism Workshop)  
November 12-14, Phoenix, Arizona (Messianic Leaders Roundtable)  
November 17, Flagstaff, Arizona (Speaking/Selling)

Sincerely,  
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## Baltimore Book Festival

We had a booth at the Baltimore, Maryland Book Festival. Thousands of **PEOPLE** walked by our booth during this three day event and many were challenged! Many Jewish people and others stopped at our booth. Some looked, some took Gospel tracts, some asked questions and some walked away angry. We sold six God Stories, 13 evangelistic t-shirts and supplied several with Gospel tracts!

## God Stories from the Jewish Mission Field

For the past several months my schedule has been in a state of flux? There was a conference I wanted to go to in Dallas, but my e-mails were returned in error and my voice mail messages were not answered? I usually work the Southern Women's Show in Birmingham. My friend **CHERYL** from Mississippi wanted to volunteer at the show in Birmingham, but I had been invited to a wedding in New York the same weekend? I was planning to go to Dallas at the end of the month, and the last thing I wanted to do was drive to New York first?

We launched God Stories on Facebook. A Jewish **FRIEND** from high school congratulated me, said they would buy a copy and looked forward to reading it? I wanted to contact this friend immediately, but decided to let them have their space. When I got to New York, I asked this friend if they wanted to meet for lunch. It turns out my friend's **MOTHER** recently became a believer and has been witnessing to my friend!

My friend told me their mother had been giving them things to read, but my friend was apprehensive about reading something their mother gave them? When my friend saw my book, they immediately bought it on Amazon, and it arrived just in time for their vacation. My friend said they read the whole thing and enjoyed it!

I asked my friend what was preventing them from receiving Jesus? My friend said there really was no down side, they pretty much believed in Jesus, but they just weren't ready. I asked why they weren't ready? My friend said they needed a sign! I told my friend they are the reason I have been so miserable lately. Nothing seemed to work out and the last thing I wanted to do was go to New York before going to Texas. My friend agreed that my being there, right after they read the book, was the sign, and my friend prayed to receive Jesus!

I told my friend they should start reading the Book of John, even if it's a little bit each day. I followed up a week later, and my friend was so excited. Not only did they finish the Book of John, but they began reading the entire Bible. My friend said they never thought they would enjoy reading the Bible!

A **JEWES FOR JESUS MISSIONARY** friend of mine instant messaged to say they were the one who led my friend's mother to the Lord! We are all praying my friend would start meeting with the missionary as well!

## The Joys of Jewish Ministry

I used to take classes at the Atlanta Jewish Center. I would ask questions the **RABBIS** couldn't or wouldn't answer. I was always respectful and gentle. I did not get thrown out, but I could tell, **RACHEL**, the woman in charge didn't want me there.

About 11 years ago I bought a house in a fairly Jewish neighborhood. My roommate told me there was a Jewish couple who always walk their dog. I finally met this couple and it turned out to be Rachel and her **HUSBAND**! After we met, I noticed they walked their dog more and more on my property?

Another neighbor is a Jewish Holocaust **SURVIVOR**. He too seems to like to walk his dog on my property? At least he is friendly and we often talk. I just came home and the holocaust survivor was walking his dog in my backyard? I told him I wrote a book and he accepted a copy! PLEASE PRAY!

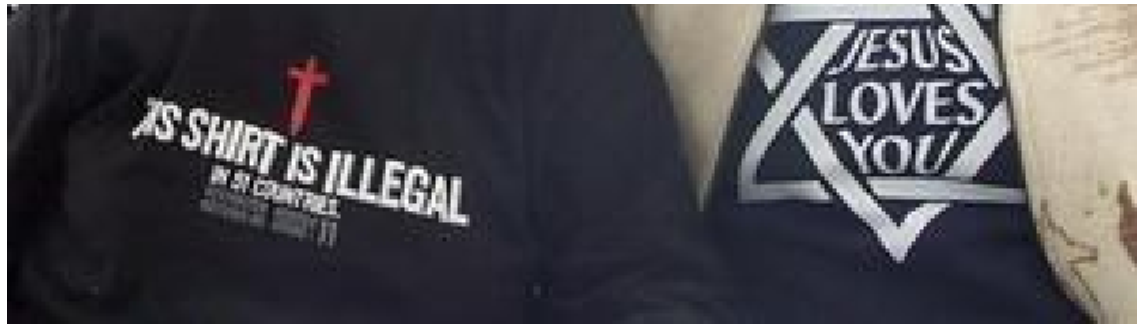
## Jewish Geography

Since I will be in Texas & Arizona for the next month, I made sure to vote today. It took two hours to vote, so I had plenty of time to talk to the people on line. The Jewish **MAN** behind me had a familiar accent and was from Cape Town, South Africa. I told him I had lived in Johannesburg for three months. I asked if he knew someone I knew from Cape Town, and it turned out to be his next door neighbor that he grew up with and was most excited! I told the man from South Africa about another family I knew from there it turns out he knows them very well, and their daughter was actually on the ballot!

As the line turned the corner, one of our ministry board **MEMBERS** was there. It was fun to catch up. When we got to the front of the line, a **WOMAN** from NY stopped to talk about my t-shirt. She was from the same place on Long Island as where I had my business. The **MEN** next to me asked if I knew everyone? I told them I know Jesus, and Jesus knows everyone!

***"Again I ask: Did they stumble so as to fall beyond recovery? Not at all! Rather, because of their transgression, salvation has come to the Gentiles to make Israel envious. But if their transgression means riches for the world, and their loss means riches for the Gentiles, how much greater riches will their fullness bring!"-Romans 11:11-12***





## **EDDIE & LURA BECKFORD (Harrisburg, Pennsylvania)**

Lura wrote:

"October 10, Eddie and I celebrated our 17<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary by going to a Sight and Sound production of JESUS! It was very inspiring and a clear picture of our Lord and Savior. We enjoyed it very much! Time is flying since we tied the knot in Cyprus, 2001. We have experienced so much and we praise the Lord for bringing us together!

Our Onegs have become a monthly occurrence and we are holding them in a different location each time. October 20 is the next one and we are looking forward to see who the Holy Spirit will bring!

Eddie is continuing to be busy about the Lord's work with the Veterans and the addicts and he has started a "Walk with Eddie" program in a local park and meeting new people wherever he goes!

I have started a Bible Study, since there seems to be a need for serious study of God's Word. So many "Bible Studies" appear to be therapy groups rather than true studies. Thank you for your prayers and blessings upon all our endeavors; we appreciate your support in every way and ask the Lord to shine His Face upon you!"

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