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Day 1

My flight on SA Airlink was comfortable and direct which made my arrival in Lilongwe a lot more comfortable and I was fresh when I arrived.

George met me at the airport and we travelled to the Golden Peacock hotel where I would spend the first night doing special training for my work.

I need a place with stable power and internet which can be very challenging in Malawi.

Day 2

After doing training till past 12pm I managed to get a few hours' sleep before George and I drove to Dowa to start the ministry at Kanyenje.

While ministering I looked down and saw the whole ground around me was shining with silver reflections all over the ground, I stopped and picked up a small rock and it was silver leaf in the rocks.

I continued and preached a message about the confessions of our faith, I explained that Jesus has already paid for our sin, our healing and we needed to understand these facts by confessing these truths based on scripture every day.

What I did not realise was the through out this trip the Holy Spirit would open up more and more revelation of these confessions.

When I prepared my message in South Africa I only had five confessions which I wanted to teach them.

By the Blood of Jesus Christ and am Saved, By the Blood of Jesus my sins are forgiven, By the Blood of Jesus I have received access to heaven, By the Blood of Jesus I have been healed.

Kanyenje



Ministry in Kanyenje

This photo is the people getting ready to praise the Lord at Kanyenje.

I had prepared a message on each of these confessions and preached the first two on the Saturday.

At lunch we were invited by the head mistress of the school to relax and enjoy lunch at her home.

It was a short walk to her home from the school grounds where we were ministering and many teachers from the school were attending the sessions.

He prepared a lunch of porridge and chicken with some relish. Although I sat with them and enjoy the fellowship and the coolness of the home I did not eat as you might recall I have a very sensitive tummy and so I like of coke, cup of soup, coffee and bread with fresh veggies and on the rare occasion chips and maybe when in a large city like Lilongwe and Blantyre I might have a basic pizza

After lunch we continued ministering till 5pm when we left for Salima where we stayed at the Jericho Lodge.

Her I was treated with a huge plate of chips like I like them chirpy and I enjoyed my supper and did some preparation for the next day's ministry in Kanyenje.

Soon I was sound asleep.

Day 3

The Sunday it was back to Kanyenje to take the Sunday morning service there.

When we arrive at the primary school at Kanyenje the congregation were already praising and worshipping God

Then we officially started, all the church from the surrounding villages were in attendance and there were a lot of people attending.

We started off with praise and worship and the people sang so beautifully and I enjoyed this time very much.

After the praise and worship, it was the time for choirs.

This time is special because these choir have been preparing for this event since hearing that I would minister in Kanyenje.

These choirs have practice day after day, practicing their dance steps and moves and they have had cloths made specially for this occasion.

I really enjoy the choir because most of them are really good with the harmonies and singing, it is a natural thing in Africa for people to have rhythm and beautiful voice.

After this there were introductions and the welcoming of special guests like the local chiefs and leaders, the school board and local principles and teachers and other dignitaries including myself and George.

Then we sang a song and I started to minister on "Building your family on the Rock", this message was well received and many people gave their lives to Jesus Christ and many others committed to bring up their children in the love of God.

After the service one of the pastors gave me a piece of galena he had picked up near his house. Galena is a lead-based rock which is found within silver deposits, so this confirmed my find.

At around 3pm, George and I drove to Salima to get some rest. Tomorrow we would a full day of travelling to Mzimba.

It was nice meal of chips and coke and then off to bed as we wanted to start off early to get to Mzimba.

Day 4

I was up bright and early, you cannot sleep late in Malawi because firstly it is light at 5am and the people start to work and they are

unaware you are trying to sleep, if you were 😊.



Youth doing a play

This photo is a play the youth did about coming to Christ, it was very funny and the people were laughing all the time.

After a quick shower, and I mean quick, the water is cold so it is really fast, I had a cup of coffee and some rusks.

We were packing the car and getting ready to leave when my tummy started working, looks like the chips were not that fresh.

I immediately took some Imodium and charcoal tablets and after an hour my tummy has settled enough for us to leave to Mzimba in faith.

The drive was very beautiful but very hot, we stopped at Mponela to buy some onions, tomatoes and a loaf bread for my lunch later in the week.

We also stopped at Kasungu to refuel the car and also get some cold coke.

On our way to Mzimba just outside Jenda, after stopping at a road block, the car makes a loud noise like a chain being dragged.

We stop to have a look and George thought it was the chain he used to tighten the bonnet so he secured it and the rest of the

trip was uneventful; little did we know what lay ahead and what this issue really was.

We arrived at the Mzimba turn off just as the sun was setting, and arrived at our accommodation in total darkness, it has been a full day of travel and we were tired and soon I was in bed and asleep.

Zubayumo

Day 5

After a breakfast of cereal and coffee, we left of two days of ministry at Zubayumo in Mphongo district.

It was a long trip the road were reasonable and we arrived at Zubayumo to the welcoming songs of "Daku Landi Landi", Welcome, welcome.

After two songs, I was welcomed and then invited to preaching as the church



Zubayumo church

People praising God since 8am at Zubayumo

had already been praising and worshipping since 8am the morning.



And they were excited to hear the message I was about to bring.

I started preaching by reading Psalm 23 and went on to explain what it meant to have the Lord as your Shepherd in your life.

This message really challenged the congregation and they responded to the call to a greater commitment and submission to God as their Shepherd.

We then broke for lunch and walked a short distance to one of the local houses and ate the prepared meal.



Breakfast in Mzimba

George and I enjoying breakfast in Mzimba

I had made myself a sandwich which I had prepared in Mzimba but cutting the onion and tomato for the sandwich and kept that separate, which I not ate.

We chatted about the message Zabayumo and the ministry in the region and heard that Deborah, the wife of Pastor Daniel of Mphongo was leading the church here in Zubayumo.

After lunch we return to the church and we have a few praise songs and then some local choirs performed.

Soon it was time to preach again, and this time I preached God is Truth. I explained that everything we read in the newspaper and see on television might not always be the truth but that there was One source of and the was God alone, God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit and I took them through many scriptures that explained this fact.

I also explained the devil was not able to tell the truth, all he could do was steal, kill and destroy and that Jesus Christ, Himself said there is no truth found in Satan and that his natural response was always lying and that he was the father of all lies.

I gave them a choice of whom they would believe, Satan how could never tell the truth even if he tried of God the Father that said- He was not a man that could lie, Jesus Christ who said I am the Way and the Truth and the

Life and also the Holy Spirit would guide us in all truth.

This evoked a response from the congregants and a repentant heart fell on the people as they confessed their sins and the lies that they had believe was true about them but that Satan has planted in them which was a lie.

After this we took a shirt break while the equipment was set up for the Jesus Film to be shown at Zubayumo.

The evenings showing of the Jesus film attracted a huge crowd as the church was right next to the school and the children had heard and seen our presence and once the music started the people came to see what was happening.

We had a large response to the Gospel when I preached half way through the film and many people came to Salvation.

After this George and I drove back to the lodge in Mzimba, which more than two hours drive in total darkness.

Once we arrived at the lodge it was a short good night and soon, we were all sleeping.

Day 6

After getting ready for the day, I quickly cut some onion and tomato slices and buttered my bread for lunch.

After a quick breakfast, George and I were off once more for the two-hour drive to Zubayumo where we would minister.

The program for the day was similar to the previous day and I ministered on Jesus being the Rock of our lives.

In the morning session I introduced the Rock of our Salvation and that we were secure in Him because He paid the full price for everyone.

In the afternoon I continued with this topic and preached on Jesus being the rock of our lives, when things go wrong, or when things are good, we have a rock, a fortress to run to in times of trouble.

After the end of this message we once again set up for the Jesus Film although I was not feeling well and my tummy was not well but God is good and we managed to get through everything and get home safely.

Day 7

Jenda

After breakfast we packed the car and were off to Jenda to preach at the Jenda Boma church. Boma means meeting place like town or city.

The drive to Jenda was uneventful, we got a little lost as we came in another way but eventually asked for directions and we were about 400 meters away.

We were welcomed by a large group of people and soon we were praising God and it was time to minister about the Supernatural life.

I explained that we had a choice to live the normal life without faith but that we could in faith trust God and walk in the supernatural life.

I explained some differences between the Supernatural life and the natural life, and that the Supernatural life required faith in God and that it was above the natural life.

I explained that in the natural life there are limits. Limits in time, limits in finances, limits in resources but in the Supernatural life all these things were available with faith in God.

Many people received Jesus when I closed by saying but the Supernatural life will help nothing is you do not have Jesus Christ and invited them to turn their lives around to submit their lives to Jesus Christ.

Then we enjoyed a late lunch together, took a few photographs and then drove on to Kasungu where we spent the night.



Jenda church

Some of the pastors and leaders who attend the service at Jenda Boma church.

It was decided for me to have a day's rest the next day to recover from all the ministry and the intense ministry program we had because George had to attend a funeral of one of the congregants just outside town.

Up to this point the car had been performing as normal and we never even thought about that chain cluck we heard just before Jenda on our way up.

Kasungu

I spent the whole day just resting, catching up with Suzette and preparing for my final ministry in Sante.

It was good just to relax and little did we know that the car would breakdown at the funeral.

The car's engine had completely disintegrated; there was just metal in the sump and we were going nowhere.

That night we arranged for Apostle Elton's son to drive up from Lilongwe and bring us a replacement car.

I also arranged for Suzette to send me some emergency fund which I would give to George to fix his car.

Day 8

The morning at breakfast I gave George a gift and he was very thankful as this was a very unexpected expense but at least he could pay for the repairs and come collect the car later.

Around 10am, Elton's son arrived and we immediately drove to Sante to minister for the day.

Sante

We arrived at the ministry area at a local school in Sante as the Sante church does not have a church building.



Sante Outreach

This is the people receiving g/ Jesus Christ in the tent pitched at the local school in Sante.

Although we arrived much later than planned the Reverend Kondwani has already preach the morning session.

Then I was welcomed and preached about the confession of our faith, that we needed to confirm the facts of our Salvation, on a regular basis.

I suggested five confessions and that we make them daily and went on to explained them throughout the day.

After lunch at Kondwani's home we return to minister the afternoon session, where I continued sharing of the confessions of our faith.

Later that afternoon we return to Kasungu to give the workshop the necessary money to repair the pistons that had disintegrated and to collect the cylinder head which we would take to Lilongwe for skimming.

After a long day we arrive at Komvoti Lodge to enjoy a meal of freshly cooked hot chips and a much need rest.

Day 9

After eating our breakfast and discussing our day, we packed the car as we would sleep in Mponela that evening after preaching in Sante.

Then we drove the hour and a half to Sante and I took the Sunday service which was a communion service.

I preach about the Blood of Jesus that washed us whiter than snow and how His Blood cleanses us and removes our sin but also heals us.

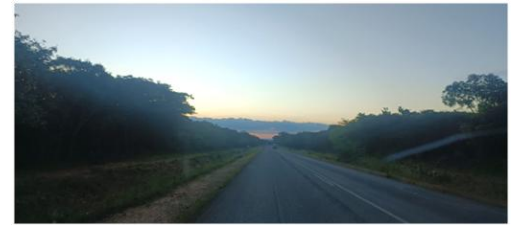
We took communion and then I gave a short evangelical message and many people responded to the Gospel.

Then they asked the people to give money toward the purchase of a piece of ground to build their church.

After an offering was taken up, I gave all the money I had with me and challenged the people to give more and a few did, when we counted the money, I explained why I had asked them to give more because God had told me to triple whatever was given and so I committed a large sum to buy the land necessary and that property was paid for the next month.

You might see we have Salvation on our web site at >120,000, the reason for this is that in 2016, God clearly showed me to stop trying to count the people being save and just do

the work, He would keep record of the souls saved.



On the road again

This is somewhere between Jenda and Mzimba on our drive up on Day 4.

So all I can say is God only knows how many people have been saved by this ministry, all I know it is a lot.

After many hugs and thanks, we got into the car and drove to Mponela where we would spend the last night of the outreach.

The outreach was finished, and we were blessing by the way God had moved once again.

George and I spent the whole trip just glorifying God for all that He had done and how H had protected us from the car breaking in Zubayumo which would have been a huge challenge as we were deep in the bush and recovery of ourselves and the car would have been extremely difficult.

Day 10

Johannesburg

After sleeping over in Mponela, we travelled to the Kamutzu International Airport where George dropped me off and we said our good byes and wished one another well.

After checking in my bags and going through customs I sat down in the witing area and just rested form another exciting and action-packed outreach.

I thanked God for all His provision and protection and favour during this outreach and all the people whose lives had been changed for al eternity, it is humbling and a privilege to work for Him and I cannot explain how refreshing it is.

While waiting for my flight I called Suzette and for the first time in 10 days we could have a nice long conversation. \

We had spoken every day on the trip but these were just short call, and often the network was bad and now I had both time and air time to talk.

Then they called us to board our flight and soon we were flying over Lilongwe and I was on my way home.

Our flight landed 15 minutes early and soon I was waiting on the curb for Suzette to fetch me.

Final Comments

I really enjoyed this trip spending a little more focused time in one place which allowed me to get to know the people but also preach more messages to bring people to life change.

In the past outreaches we would spend a day in one area to minister but here I felt the impact was greater and many people responded to the Gospel because I believe they understood it better through the ministry but also through us acting out what we preached.

We praise God for His faithfulness and provision during our trip especially that the car broke down less than 1 kilometre from Kasungu boma and not in the middle of the bush.

Also I am happy that we could assist with the Sante church, Reverend Kondwani is giving out so much to the churches in his area and

getting those churches built but neglecting Sante, at least now they have the property to build their church too.



Bishops in Sante

Bishop George and I at Sante for the Sunday service.



Kasungu

This is a picture of the fuel shortages we experience. God was so good we never ran out of fuel and even managed to fill out tanks at this garage.

In closing I just want to thank a few people who made this trip possible and without whom it would have not been possible.

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