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"The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; Those who dwelt in the land of the shadow of death, upon them a light has shined."
(Isaiah 9:2, NKJV)

Dear Friends,

We want to thank God for all of you, for your amazing love and faithfulness to the Ministry of Chaim Beshefa.

Red Carpet

The Old Central Bus Station area in Tel Aviv is changing radically. The municipality has built a kinder-garden for refugee children there. The police are closing shops and brothels on a daily basis, and they now have a station located near us. Yet, with all of that, the girls continue to come to our center to eat, and to receive ministry. The building nearby, which we had hoped to rent, was twice rented by a pimp, whom the police eventually caught. He is now in jail. In the meantime, the homeless drug addicts broke into it and used it for sleeping, selling drugs and for prostitution. When the police discovered this, they sealed the doors. Still, the same invaders

found a way in through the back door. This past Monday, when we arrived to the Red Carpet Nail Center, we found out that the building caught fire inside and burned completely. One woman had to be rescued by the Fire Department from the second floor of the building.

Because of this fire next door, we now have no electricity in our outreach center (we share that building's electric wires). So, we took a table and chairs out to the street, with all the food, drinks and cakes, and we served the women there. We had an amazing ministry there which included a visit by a policeman, who thanked us for what we do. *As we are writing this newsletter, we still don't have electricity. So, please pray for the land-lord to fix the electricity and for us to be able to continue the Red Carpet ministry.*



Natasha's Testimony

Natasha was born in Ukraine. She spent much of her childhood on her own. As a teenager, she was working as a nanny for a woman who owned a brothel. After a while, this woman tried to recruit Natasha for work as a prostitute. Natasha and her boyfriend were drug-addicts and eventually Natasha agreed to it, so they would have more money for drugs. They got married and later divorced. She decided



to immigrate to Israel, and by the time she arrived there, she was already clean from drugs for 9 years. She was able to live a normal life, remarry and give birth to her daughter. But, Natasha's husband was a dangerous man. He abused her and their daughter, and eventually ended up going to prison. Natasha came to Tel-Aviv and found her way back into prostitution and drug use. She had to give her daughter to her mother, so someone would take care of her.

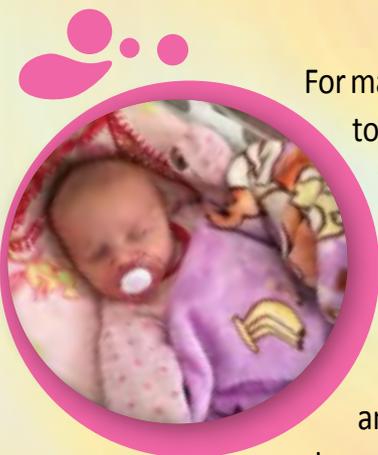
In 2012, Natasha started to visit the Red Carpet Nail Center and connected to the staff very quickly. She was open to talk about herself, to hear about the love of God and to receive prayer. She had a real desire to get out of the drugs and prostitution cycle, but as hard as she tried, she wasn't successful.

One evening, she went to a party where some of the drug addicts injected her with a drug that had a terrible affect on her body. She was taken to the hospital where she was hanging between life and death. After a long time of recovery in hospital, she realized that she would be blind, as a result of the drugs. Natasha was eventually released from the hospital and transferred to a rehabilitation center, to attend a 1-year program. We were able to visit her there, support her and stand alongside her. Today, Natasha has given her life to the Lord and lives in a special Messianic home for women. Even though Natasha is blind, she is full of joy and peace in her heart. She is diligently praying for the women she knows that are still in the drug and prostitution cycle, and we continue to keep in touch with her. We can see how she is growing in the Lord, getting stronger and even glowing.

Please pray for Natasha, for her future and for God's will for her life. And please pray for all the women we've sent to rehabilitation centers, that they will continue to heal and be restored from the impact of their shattered lives.



Pro Life



For many years **Dalit** was living in the area of the Old Central Bus Station in Tel-Aviv, addicted to drugs and lost. Two years ago, Dalit got pregnant, struggled with the pregnancy and wanted to have an abortion. Yet, this baby was an amazing instrument to cause her to leave the drugs and to change her life. Dalit's child was two years old when she became pregnant, again. She reached out to us through her friend (whom we helped, counselled, visited and supported) and we went to visit her at her home up in the northern district of Galilee. Through this visit, she was so encouraged and realized that she was not alone, that she could receive the help she needs for her child. This gave her the strength to continue with the pregnancy. She said to me: „now that I have support and I know that you will help me - I will not have abortion“. Today she is a mother of two, so happy and full of love, enjoying her new baby girl **Adel**.

Yet, Dalit is still in a process dealing with her past. Please pray for a complete restoration for her.

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Abundant Life



Ultrasound of a new baby saved from abortion



Born recently and more to come...

Grieving

Due to the loss of a baby by miscarriage, the parents of the baby wanted to perpetuate the life of their lost baby through investing in a living baby, who was saved from abortion. As Anat met with them, she shared the different stories of the women with whom we are currently working. They chose one woman they want to help, and provided the money for her to go choose and get all of what the baby needs. She was so blessed and happy. Later on, this couple went to visit that woman with Anat, and could listen to her story and get connected.

Seminars

We want to thank Karin Tulsma and Tjalliena for coming to Israel from Holland especially to give us a manicure/pedicure course. Tjalliena, who is a professional in this field, trained our volunteers and we had great time of learning and fellowship. Marisa, who was trained, now leads the manicure/pedicure station at the Red Carpet Nail Center and she is doing a great job! Please pray that as women receive the treatments, they will experience the hands of God touching them.

Counselling

« Training new counselors will start in the fall »

« Our post-abortion seminar will start after June »

Please pray that we will have an Arabic-speaking counselor to join the counselors' seminar and for the up-coming seminars.





Poland

Due to the documentary film that was done by the Polish TV about Ishai in 2008, the Holocaust background of His family and the ministry, a contact was made with a Polish minister who invited Ishai to speak in Poland. This is the third year that Ishai travelled there.

For 1,000 years, Jews lived in Poland and during the Holocaust 3,000,000 Jews were executed. 3,000,000 Polish people died in the second world war. In the meetings, Ishai felt a deep desire from Polish believers to stay in touch, and to connect with us in Israel. In the last meeting, he spoke in a junior high and high school of 140 children, in the village where his father lived before the war. This was before his family was taken to Sobibor concentration camp. Who would have believed that one day Ishai would speak and bring the message of life and hope into the place which has been the source of so much pain for him and his family?



We would like to thank you all for standing with us and helping us in the fight for life and dignity for the outcast. Thank you for your prayers, and for your support and love.

Shalom and blessings to you all, Anat and Ishai

"I came that they may have life, and may have it abundantly". John 10:10

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