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Dear Friends,

Danny and I are so excited about what God is doing on the farm! There is a phrase that is being said over and over on the farm—God is on the move! Something has shifted in a BIG way and God is moving like we've never seen Him move—and we've seen some amazing, unbelievable movements of God in our 23 years of being in full-time ministry. One of the many ways God is moving is by sending us some absolutely amazing staff. This month we are highlighting Ed and Suzanne who serve on our Board. Sit back, relax and enjoy a glimpse into their journey to Our Father's Farm.

FROM ED & SUZANNE

God has clearly called Ed and I to move to the Father's Farm in Holden, Missouri. 1,750 miles from our little farm in Loomis, California. The call and timing is calm and clear – the process has been very painful, a true dying to our flesh.

I have been praying on my prayer walk for some time now – I want to follow you Yeshua, 100%. I want to fulfill your calling on my life for your sake and to be able to live in the place you have chosen for me with You for eternity. That has been my heart's cry. Now that He has asked me to sell all and follow Him, I say yes!! But it comes with a price. Today the calling was secured and the hold on this life we now live was released more clearly than ever.

I was drawn to my morning walk at the park with my Savior. I love and cherish this time. This is where I meet God! On the way, a new song came up on my music and I felt called to listen to it. The words are, "I'm moving with the Lamb, I'm surrounded. I'm strolling with the Lamb I'm strolling with the King of Kings." Wow, that is what I do daily on my walks. I just started weeping. Again, I didn't know why exactly. There is a mourning going on and I ask Yeshua to show me what it is.

On my walk, as I weep, He is showing me that all my life I have been trying to build a beautiful family here on earth. He showed me that my true family was the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and this is where my heart belongs. For eternity. My true home!! I wept and wept as I gave up anything left in me that clung to my earthly family for my fulfillment. I understood that they are my responsibility still to love them and pray for them, but they are not my true family that my heart keeps waiting for. I have been more and more released in the last few years to allow my children to exercise their free will and chose not to take their choices personal. I have been called each time recently when they would not include me in their plans or respond to my request- to let them live their lives and I will live my life. And this always felt good. I see now how God has been working that in my heart.

This excerpt from the book "Embraced by the Light", says it all. I came home and reread it: When Betty had a NDE, before she met Yeshua, she saw her husband and her children in their home at that moment. She was raised an orphan and vowed to build a beautiful, loving family, which she did – 6 children, and that she would devote her life to her children and building family, much like I did. This is what she wrote:

"I saw my children at home. I had no desire to communicate with them, but I was concerned about their lives without me. As I watched them individually, enabling me to see ahead into each of their lives, I came to know that each of my children was on earth for their own experiences, that although I had thought of them as "mine", I had been mistaken. They were individual spirits, like myself, with an intelligence that was developed before their lives on earth. They all had their own free will to live their life as they chose. I knew that this free will should not be denied them. They had only been placed in my care. Although I don't recall them now, I knew that my children had their own life agendas and that when they had completed them, they would end their stay on earth. I foresaw some of their challenges and difficulties but knew that these would be necessary for their growth. There was no need for sorrow or fear. In the end each of my children would be all right, and I knew that it would be only a brief moment before we were all together again. I felt bathed in serenity.

My husband and my precious children, this family I had waited so long for, would be all right. I knew that they could go on – and so, then, could I.”

Wow, this writing did not speak to me with as much impact the first time I read it as it did today when I experienced this release of family on my walk with Yeshua. This confirmed what God had been doing for years and up to this very point in releasing me.

God showed me many things. That I was walking and talking with Him in my walks just like Adam in the Garden of Eden, only this garden was the broken Eden and He was restoring His children’s relationship with Him in these times. We are walking and talking and Encountering God anytime we want to. He invites us daily. His and our heart’s desires being fulfilled until the fullness of time.

He showed me that I am leaving behind my whole life to follow Him and die to myself and live my life out in deeper relationship with my true family – The Father, Son and Holy Spirit. That is where my heart truly soars and that is where my spirit wants to be more than anything.

He reminded me about the phrase that I had written in my journal and that Ed had recently read and attuned to. It came from “Joy Starts Here” – “Without tenderness for the weak, the strong will waste their protectiveness on their possessions. This is not the path to joy.” I wrote that in 2015 because it spoke to me even though I did not completely understand what possessions I may be doing that with, because I felt Yeshua always came first. Today, I was sobbing as God showed me our lives and how we were letting go of our beautiful, home and property and our easy blessed life that served basically Ed and I only. It was deep and profound and I was thankful that God was releasing us from this life. We’ve always wanted more but we were waiting on God to show us what that would be.

I was truly strolling and walking with Yeshua and He was setting me freer than ever to follow Him. I am reminded the Encounter I had with Him right after calling us to move. Yeshua and I were running along a narrow dirt path, the land around us was dim like at dusk, we were running hand in hand towards His Eternal City. I could see it far in the distance and I knew we were heading there. Of course, the first thing I asked and I felt He wanted to tell me too, was “What about my kids?” He said, they will be coming in a minute, and they will come to the Eternal City.” I asked Him how long it would take to get there. He said, not yet, but soon. I knew that is what it meant because we could see it but it was far up the path.

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2018 TRAINING DATES

ENCOUNTERING GOD TRAINING: Sept. 7-8

ADVANCED TRAINING: Sept. 10-14

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