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Dear Friends,

Danny and I are excited to share this month's testimony with you. Before doing so, we'd like to share a little bit about the writer, Juliana. This very beautiful young lady came to Our Father's Farm about 2 ½ years ago. She was in a world of hurt and darted from here to there like a reed blowing in the wind. It was difficult to keep up with her as she did everything she could to avoid looking at the pain in her life.

But, today, Juliana is a walking, breathing miracle. Just tonight we were talking and she said, "I want to live. I choose life." I flashed back to about a year ago when she wanted just the opposite of life and I silently thanked God for saving her life and her soul. What a testimony of the power of God-love being poured out in the life of a shattered, lost girl!

Juliana is an overcomer. She has had to fight long and hard to deal with the demons of her past, but she refused to quit. And when she got knocked down, she got back up and fought again. As I'm writing this, I can't help but think about how Christ did the same thing—He refused to quit, give up or give in to Satan's temptations and abuse at the hands of men.

Everyone on the farm loves Juliana. She loves deeply and attunes to others with great skill. She has come to deeply love and value the scriptures. We believe that one day soon she will stand and share the gospel, for God has certainly called her to preach and to see the captives set free.

Now, without further ado. Here's Juliana's testimony.

TESTIMONY OF THE LIFE-GIVING POWER OF GOD

I lived a life of addiction and self-destruction and self-focus with no hope. I lived for the next high to keep me from facing the pain and the confusion of my life. I once lived bound in self-condemnation and hopeless despair. I was too ashamed to lift my eyes to the Healer.

But now, I can look back and see that I'm not who I was and that my God has redeemed me and is transforming me into His image. Day-by-day my eyes have opened to the truth that I am my Beloved's and He is mine. I have learned that only God has the right to define me because He is my Father. I am no longer defined by my past because God has removed my sins from me as far as the east is from the west. As I stand firm and refuse to quit, while being tested by fire, I see God strengthening me with might in my inner being.

I've been on the farm for about 2 ½ years and I've seen more fruit in my life than ever before. The Lord is opening my eyes to the truth that my life is all about Him. I had a God encounter a few weeks ago and I saw a memory of myself bound in chains in a prison of addiction. In this encounter, the Lord said, "Only true worship will draw you out of the darkness and into the light."

So, I joined with heaven and said, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come." As I did that, I saw myself stepping out of the dark mindsets and lies of the enemy and into the light of His presence—God set that captive (me) free!

I am now seeing that true worship is a weapon of warfare because when we lay down ourselves and make it all about Him, everything else fades away and the demonic cannot stand in His presence. The truth is, God wants all of us, He wants us to fully surrender because He gave it all and He is our beautiful example! Amen.

2018 TRAININGS ON OUR FATHER'S FARM

- God Encounter Basic Training is all day Friday and Saturday. This is the primary method we use to facilitate inner healing and an intimate walk with God.
- Advanced Training begins on Sunday evening with orientation and dinner and goes through Friday evening at 5. Room and board are provided. We ask for a minimum donation of \$300 (if money is a problem, please contact us anyway and we will work with you). This training is designed to equip you to become a facilitator of God Encounter sessions. This time includes daily bible classes, receiving and practicing the God Encounter sessions in a small group with a trained facilitator on a daily basis. This training is by application.
- Apostolic Christian Training School (A.C.T.S.) is a 3-week healing intensive that offers daily personal God Encounter sessions plus practicing being a facilitator in a small group with a trained facilitator, plus intense bible classes meant to stretch and challenge your personal relationship with Jesus. We also incorporate other opportunities for healing and training such as art, horses and synchronized dance. We ask for a minimum donation of \$300 to help with the cost of room and board (if money is a problem, please contact us anyway and we will work with you). This training is by application.

Housing is available onsite for the Advanced and ACTS intensives. We limit the number of students for both the Advanced and ACTS intensives. Early registration is wise. To **request an application** email: bev@harvesthome.org

2018 TRAINING DATES

God Encounter (basic): March 16-17

Advanced Training: March 19-23

ACTS Intensive: Apr 16-May 4

God Encounter (basic): Sept 7-8

Advanced Training: Sept. 10-14

ACTS Intensive: Sept. 24-Oct 12

God Encounter (basic): July 6-7

Advanced Training: July 9-13

ACTS Intensive: July 23-Aug 10

Cathy Tilden: "I so highly recommend this training!! After 30 years as a Christian, this teaching has revolutionized my relationship with God like nothing I have ever learned! I am forever grateful to you and your team, Rhonda, for generously sharing this with all of us!! Continued, abundant blessings to you all

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