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Dear Friends

From my initial meeting with Golda three years ago and her words to me, "I'm Jewish and I will not change" to seeing how Yeshua has won her heart is wonderful. She has requested to be baptised at our church on 29 November. It has been like preparing someone to be married, and at 88 years of age too! Julia Pascoe the Director of Jews for Jesus will be there to deliver a blessing in Hebrew, in song and prayer. Golda has invited her sister Trudy and husband Stan along with other family members and friends and we will all be there. My dearest desire is that her baptism will make a deep impression on all there, that it will be a beautiful service. Her daughter Rita has also become a believer she is aged 70 years, although is not yet ready to commit to baptism yet.

Our church has moved its location from the cafe to a new school called Canary Wharf College. Everything is new, even Golda has moved from her old flat to a brand new one which is really beautiful. I'm reminded how

James McIlroy used to quote 2 Cor 5 v17 to introduce us as prison fellowship to the various churches when we shared our testimony of what God had done in our lives. Therefore if anyone is in Christ He is a new creation, old things have passed away ... look everything is new.

Ofer is an Israeli neighbour who is a 'stone setter' in the jewellery trade. I was impressed by Job 28 and decided to print out the text and give it to him. Last week at our local prayer meeting for ministers, I discovered that the Vicar of Christchurch, Isle of Dogs was a minister to the Guild of Traders and that Job 28 was emblazoned on their building and that a group of believers within the Guild made this text their own. This encourages me to continue to pray and look for opportunities to connect Ofer to others, particularly to His Heavenly Father through the word of God. Wisdom is more valuable than gold or precious stones. It cannot be purchased with jewels mounted in fine gold. Job 28 v17

There are a number of people that are trapped in addiction and religion, like I was - and this is what he says to all humanity: The fear of the Lord is true wisdom to forsake evil is real understanding Job 28 v28.

With love in Him
Carol

Prayer points

Golda's baptism on 29 November - for a great impression on friends and family and the church.

Ofer - my Israeli neighbour to be impressed by the text of Job 29. For possible connection with the minister of Christchurch, Isle of Dogs, who previously worked with the Guilds of diamond merchants and stone cutters

Thanks for an encouraging recent deputation to Cornwall with Marlene. For meeting many from churches in Falmouth and St Ives. For relations to be strengthened with London and Cornwall.