



Spotlight - September 2018



This month's Spotlight is coming to you from Jim in Fiji and Elaine in the UK. Yes, we're separated at the moment, but all being well, we'll be reunited before the end of this month. Of course, it's far too early to report on how TLC World will figure in Fiji, but we do believe God has more in mind than simply providing for our personal well-being and pleasure. This is because we know His love for others is just as strong as His love for us, so as soon as we discover more, we'll be sure to let you know!

Despite our joy at the path set before us, we constantly look back so as to remind ourselves that no matter who and how this ministry serves to bless, it didn't come into being as some grand idea of Jim and Elaine's, but rather, as the result of a vision given in Hong Kong in 2013 and confirmed in a far away land by people, who, despite not being given a single clue, perfectly described that vision back to us!

At the time, building a ministry with so many facets, sounded like a daunting task, and in truth, if we were to focus upon our own ability rather than God's, it would still seem so today. For sure, we know that life would be so much easier if we just spent it basking in the blessings He has poured upon us, but many years ago, He put a burden on our hearts to point others to the truth of Jesus and the wonderful plans He has for them, too. Thankfully, He has called and continues to call other Christians to walk this road with us, so at this point we want to give a heartfelt 'shout out' to all who give of their time, talents and finances to ensure TLC World continues serving and being a blessing. We know that each of you will have challenging times ahead, but we also know God sees all and that the ultimate blessings you will receive will be beyond compare!

Still on the topic of serving, this past month has seen many giving in a variety of ways behind the scenes, but in front of the camera, Jim and Chris have shared the following messages:

- [1. Jim on being obedient without fear or favour](#)
- [2 Jim on being chosen and found acceptable to God](#)
- [3. Jim on how we all do what we don't want to do](#)
- [4. Chris on the pain and pleasure of having to wait on God](#)
- [5. Jim on the reality of hell as a destination](#)

Each link is live, so if you missed and would like to catch any of them, just click and listen. Also in August, we launched a Whatsapp alert system to let the prayer team members know as soon as a new prayer request has been posted. It serves to ensure every need receives attention without delay, and has helped the prayer team members, too, by saving them time. It probably goes without saying that we are always on the look out for prayer warriors, so if you would like to join this team, please don't hesitate to let us know.

Now on a final note, we want to announce the upcoming ordination of another member of the TLC World preaching team - this time it's the turn of Simon, who is to be ordained by the Anglican church on 15th September. Of course, ordination is not an essential requirement to preaching - far more important is God's calling - but the growth in Christ it represents is always good news!

Well, whether you use TLC World for personal, family, group or church activities, we close by asking God bless and guide each one of you always.

Jim & Elaine

Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his face continually. 1 Chronicles 16:11

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