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Dear Reporter Reader.-

Greetings from Jerusalem the chosen city of heaven from where the King of kings is soon to reign over all the earth. Rev. 11; 15, and Isaiah 24;23, etc. etc. I hope this will find you all well as it leaves all of us here. We have just passed through a terrible snow storm for Jerusalem, the worst we have ever seen here. The paper reported twenty inches of snow, and it was wet enough to freeze on the trees. Many big limbs were broken off and many trees fell over, and also many on the electric power lines, so much of the city was left in the dark. All buses and traffic stopped for the day. It was a wonderful blessing for the country, however, as a whole, for heavy rains fell all over the whole country. It was snow on the mountains. Jerusalem is 3000 feet elevation. You will see some pictures of the snow in the February Reporter.

We are often awakened in the early morning by the formations of jet planes flying over the city, which always reminds us of Isaiah's prophecy concerning this time,--"As birds flying will the Lord of Hosts defend Jerusalem, defending also He will deliver it, and passing over He will preserve it"-- Isaiah 31;5. Jerusalem was delivered in 1917 when 100 planes flew over from Egypt and the Turkish army fled in confusion and fear, without the fire of a gun, or the loss of a life. How marvelous and amazing all of these prophecies came to pass, and are coming to pass now in this work of building up Zion, and restoring these ancient chosen people back to their home land.

"When the Lord shall build up Zion He will appear in His glory",-- Psalms 102; 16; It has sure been built up to-day with hundreds of modern cities and towns all over the land, and the country is so beautiful, like the garden of Eden. "And the Lord shall inherit Judah His portion, in the Holy Land, and shall choose Jerusalem again. Be silent O all flesh before the Lord, for He is raised up out of His holy habitation". Zechariah 2;12,13. Jeremiah preannounced that at this time the Almighty would raise up Pastors here after His own heart to feed these incoming dispersed exiles from all over the world. - Jeremiah 3; 14,15 The prophet Ezekiel speaking of this time said the Creator would take away their stony hearts and give them hearts of flesh, and put His Spirit within them. - Ezekiel 36; 24 to 28. This is all amazingly coming to pass. Workers are being raised up from among the Jews and are going forth here with this gospel message, just as the same message was carried to the Gentiles. The Holy Spirit has softened the hearts of the Jews here, and made them hungry for the truth. Some of our readers are having a part with us in this grand work. Truly the Heavenly Father has opened a wide door here for the very best use of tithes and offerings that His called out people can, and desire to put to use for their soon coming King in finishing the work.

Almost a thousand Jews are pouring in here now, every week, and many from Russia. They are here from every country on earth, and it is therefore necessary to print tract, and the Bible Correspondence course in many languages, and we are held back for lack of funds.

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Our goal is to print these 44 Bible correspondence lessons in every language on earth to send to Israel, and mail out from Jerusalem to every country. They carry the third Angels Message ( Rev. 14.9 ), and the Bible truth to every land including these incoming exiles from all the world. When they return here to the "Land of The Bible", they want the Bible and the Bible lessons. We must show them that their Messiah has come, and is soon to return as King of kings, ( Rev. 11;15 ), to judge the world, and how to get ready to meet Him. We must print our tracts also in every language, as funds permit.

Through the loving sacrifice of a few of our readers, we have been able to print, and distribute over two million tracts to Israel, and by your prayers and others we have been given favor among the government officials in doing this work. The man that I told you about in my other letter who was in jail for putting out his own tracts during prayers at the wailing wall was let out of prison, and with his family sent out of the country. Many Jews in Israel are being given the Holy Spirit according to the prophecy of Ezekiel 36; 24 to 28, and are adding one point to their religion which completes their Jewishness, that of the miracle child born in Bethlehem, ( Micah 5; 2,3 ) being their Messiah, the Son of God, and soon to return.

This quite natural<sup>ly</sup> stirs up the enemy, and recently the extreme Orthodox Jews have been doing much against the missionaries here. Several Israel newspapers have come out the last few days warning the people against their work, and stating that many in Israel were believing. One leading Jewish believer said recently that at least thirty thousand believed. Two others said they believed that one third of the Jews in Israel believed their Messiah had come. We are still printing and distributing many tracts, and no one has had any serious trouble using tracts from our Publishing house.

Our workers are now going out and distributing the diplomas given to all who complete the Bible Correspondence Course, and those receiving them are authorized to teach others. Consequently many small house to house gatherings are taking place over Israel.

The Jerusalem Post magazine of Jan. 19th came out with almost two full pages with bold black headlines, - "Jews For Jesus". In this article the writer describes how this movement among young Jews starting from Berkley California had spread over the U.S., and Israel. This work we first heard of by Brother Bernstein a believing Jew from Brooklyn New York who came to Israel and spent much time with us here in 1967. Since he returned to Berkley we have been in constant touch with him and sent him papers and tracts.

The very same gospel message that went to the Gentiles during the past nineteen hundred years, must now go to Israel, and in the very same way. It has to go to every nation before the Messiah can return, for He said, - "THEN shall the end come" - Matt. 24; 14. Israel is a nation. The end will not come until this grand work is finished, for He always spoke the TRUTH.

We want to thank our readers for the good part they have had with us here during the past years, and for what the Holy Spirit leads them to have in the future. He will use his people to finish this grand work, and it is to be a short work in the earth. Romans 9; 27,28.

Dear reader, we are together, "Sowing in the morning, sowing seeds of kindness, sowing in the noon-tide, and the dew eve. Waiting for the harvest, and the time of reaping; We shall come rejoicing bringing in the sheaves. Please remember us here and the work in your prayers.

Your Brother in the service - A. N. Dugger - Editor