



The Spotlight - October 2023



It's hard to believe that another quarter is now upon us and that this will be our last newsletter of the year, but before saying we'll be back in touch in January, let us update you as to what's been happening with us and in TLC World.

First of all, it's possible that we could now be classed as super travellers for this summer we travelled 35,000 miles on planes to be with family and friends in different parts of the world and to celebrate some very special events with them! A big thank you to those of you who were aware of this and prayed for us throughout - your prayers blessed us enormously.

So, what next? Well, we're very excited about a development which we're hoping God will bless to come to fruition in the New Year. We had an idea of how we might be able to help Christians, who work full time, either inside or outside the home, to fulfill their Great Commission call because the Bible makes it clear that this is a call to all and not just to full-time missionaries. After the idea came, we checked and could find no visible international training for those who would like to become bi-vocational missionaries, which is how we would describe ourselves, and so the TLC World Tentmakers Programme came into being. However, our first promotion has not resulted in much interest, so we're now back at the drawing board to pray and discern whether this is just a good idea or a God idea and if the latter to look again at our promotion. Maybe we're making it seem too onerous a programme when in fact, it's definitely not. The fact that it's spread over three ten week periods is because all is delivered in bite sized pieces! We would love you to pray on this with us because what is really important is what God wants and not what we want. If this is not His idea, then of course, we'd be happy to put it behind us.

Well, it's almost time to say farewell for another quarter if this is the only contact you have with us, but of course, not before we leave you with the messages featured in the TLC World Family Room since our last Spotlight, so here they are ready and waiting for you to check them out. Just click on the link of any that interest you to be taken directly to them.

- [1. Change Your Habits, Change Your Life - Craig Groeschel](#)
- [2. Unconditional Election: What is Reformed Theology? - R.C. Sproul](#)
- [3. The Saints Subtle Sins - John Miller](#)
- [4. God's Unique Way of Answering Prayer - John Lindell](#)
- [5. Armed and Ready - William Branch](#)
- [6. How does God Speak to Us? - Allen Nolan](#)
- [7. Jesus and Your Job - Ben Stuart](#)
- [8. The Intercession of Jesus - Tony Evans](#)
- [9. Learning To Forgive - John Miller](#)
- [10. Integrity In The Life of the Believer - Charles Stanley](#)
- [11. It's Either Real or Fake - Francis Chan](#)
- [12. How to Get Wisdom: Become a Fool - John Piper](#)
- [13. Better Than You Can Imagine - Craig Groeschel](#)

Thank you for being interested in what we do, and for every prayer you have ever said and will say for us. If in prayer, you ever sense God speaking to you regarding the Tentmakers programme or anything else that you think may be relevant, please don't hesitate to share with us. Like everyone else, we're still growing too!

Well, it really is time to say farewell although it seems far too early to say we wish you a blessed Christmas, we can say, we wish you all the very best in the coming months which include Christmas and look forward to being in touch in the new year if not before!

*Every blessing,
Jim & Elaine*

*The Great Commission: Therefore go and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,
and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.*

(Matthew 28:19-20)

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