

Title: “Another update re IA ministry in the Middle East”

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Greetings all,

I’ve been getting updates from our team in the Middle East, and wanted to share excerpts from a recent e-mail from one of the Israeli leadership couples. Note: in addition to security concerns related to possible terrorist attack, there is also significant persecution from the current government, so names have been changed and the people involved with this work have asked that you **not share this material on any form of social media.**

“Dearest Sandy & Rich, Larry & Lorrie, and Mark,

Our hearts remain so full— of joy, pure love, and over-the-top gratitude to God for you all!....It was truly a monumental leap in our ability/skill level so now we are truly prepared to begin even now ministering effectively to the Israelis in our midst whom we hold dear, but did not previously even know where or how to begin! Thank you for all that you are and all that you have done to pour into us at this crucial time! We have such great anticipation of how the Lord shall use the Immanuel Approach to so completely heal the brokenness, trauma, atrocities, and inconceivable losses that have been suffered here. ‘Karen’<sup>i</sup> and I will begin facilitating it with dear ‘Sarah’<sup>ii</sup> and others next week....Sarah dropped by to visit today and she already has such a sweet connection and friendship with Karen who will help me in ministry for the next 3 months and hopefully, beyond.

....So we deeply thank you for sacrificing your days of rest to come equip us. As the Good Lord uses us and those invited to the trainings, we will give all glory to God while also affirming and thanking you with all our hearts for your most essential and crucial part in preparing us for what our Lord has prepared for us— ushering in His profound, life-transforming healing, newness of life, and great salvation upon His people Israel. How might we ever find sufficient words to thank you!!

With our heartfelt and pure love for you,

Your friends in Israel”

Thanks for your prayers, and please keep praying.

Blessings,

Dr. Lehman/Karl

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<sup>i</sup> Karen is part of the Face to Face network. She is friends with believers in the land. She also has joined the Immanuel Approach work that I have been helping with.

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<sup>ii</sup> On the day of the Oct. 7th massacre, Sarah and her husband and small children were hiding in their safe room from 6:30 am until 4:30 pm with her husband holding the door handle for the entire time. All of their neighbors were either massacred or taken hostage.