

SAR SHALOM ISRAEL





Shalom,

We give thanks to God for you! Bombing has resumed in Israel, just in time for our Spring charity trip to Israel. We depart in 40 days, and so far, 15 people have committed to travel to God's land, and bless God's people, Jew and non-Jew. Prayer sustains us, Your prayers! It's all about the Love of Messiah Yeshua in our hearts! Thank you for continuing to pray for our work and connecting with whom the LORD wants us to connect to, Father knows best!

Last week, I shared that Sharon and Mike had just donated a sewing machine to Sar Shalom Israel. Gail, who is in our Friday night

congregation has already connected with her neighbor, and the lady who makes these dolls, to help her make these little dolls for us to take and share in Israel. Thank you for praying.





Come along with us as we visit two hospitals in Israel. LORD willing, we will also connect with these hospitals in about 5-6 weeks. Here is a video, hope you enjoy! Sar Shalom Israel, sharing love

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Ready for a Hebrew lesson?

Step into any synagogue, reform temple or messianic congregation, and you will most likely see a light burning. These are not the ceiling lights, but a special light – it usually has its own visible place on the bima or dais.

This is called the Ner Tamid, the eternal light, the eternal lamp. It is always burning, never is it to go out. The word - Ner - is lamp in Hebrew, and Tamid means eternal or continually. In I Kings 11:36 we read:

But to his son I will give one tribe, that My servant David may have a lamp always

before Me in Jerusalem, the city where I have chosen for Myself to put My name.

God wanted David and his ancestors to rule forever. We read in Exodus 25:30:

And you shall set the bread of the Presence on the table before Me at all times.

Numbers 4:7 says

Over the table of the bread of the Presence they shall also spread a cloth of blue and

put on it the dishes and the spoons and the sacrificial bowls and the jarsfor the libation,

and the continual bread shall be on it.

The bread of the Presence was always there. In Leviticus 6:12-13 we read:

And the fire on the altar shall be kept burning on it. It shall not go out, but the priest

shall burn wood on it every morning; and he shall lay out the burnt offering

on it, and offer up in smoke the fat portions of the peace offerings on it. Fire shall be kept burning continually on the altar;it is not to go out.

God was firm about the continual fire, because the fire originally came from Heaven:

Then fire came out from before the LORD and consumed the burnt offering and the

portions of fat on the altar; and when all the people saw it, they shouted and fell on

their faces. Lev.9:24

The Fire which originally came from Heaven was to be visible by all of Israel. Sometimes I think it would havebeen much easier to serve the LORD back then, because of all of His VISIBLE signs - the pillar of cloud by day and the pillar of fire by night.

I know that God's word says that we walk by faith and not by sight, and yet, I must confess to you, that sometimes I have "Chicken Little" faith. You remember Chicken Little? He was the chicken who when he felt one rain drop on his head, he ran back to the coop yelling 'THE SKY IS FALLING! THE SKY IS FALLING!

Wow, it is not too hard for me to emulate Chicken Little.

One battle, one challenge, and it seems as though my faith goes out the window. Why can't I have that VISIBLE pillar of fire to guide me?

And then I stop.

And wait.

And read my Bible.

And wait.

And pray.

And wait.

And try to be about the Father's business.

And wait.

And pray.

And read my Bible.

And wait.

And then, when it seems as though eternity has passed, I realize that I do have the eternal fire within it is the Holy Spirit, the Ru-ach Ha Ko-desh. The eternal fire has not gone out; it may just need the fan of faith to stir up the flames somewhat. The furnace is still on.

The Holy Spirit gives us more than the Energizer Bunny can only dream about! The Holy Spirit helps us to be better than Timex - take a lickin' but keep on tickin'.

Sometimes it seems like our light within is a 25 watt bulb, and sometimes it seems like a floodlight. But the blessed thing is, is that if you are born again, born from Above,

then you have the Ner Tamid, you have the Eternal Flame within you, what a gift!!!

Every good thing bestowed and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the

Father of lights, with whom there is no variation , or shifting shadow. James 1:17

Seek the LORD and His strength; Seek His face continually (tamid). I Chron 16:11

Yeshua Jesus says

You are the light of the world. Matt 5:16





Please continue to keep Ken Berg in your prayers, for a health issue. Thank you!

AMAZON GIFT REGISTRY FOR ISRAEL

There are 40 days before our group travels to Israel to serve. For those who like to bless Israel, here is a Love to Israel gift registry at Amazon. Love to Israel - amazon gift for Israel

A big thank you to Devar Shalom and Suzy Linett for their generous gift giving to IDF soldiers, the newborn babies, elderly, Holocaust survivors, and street people. THANK YOU!!!



If you choose to donate stuffed animals, these are perfect for the children in the Israeli hospitals (the soldiers like them, too!) They even arrived shrink-wrapped! Here is a link Stuffed animals

Father, in the midst of such uncertainty, we are so grateful that You are our Rock of Refuge, our strong tower, our defense. How we need You! amid all of the tzuris, the trouble, thank You that we can cling to You and KNOW that You have all of this covered. Help us to focus on whatever, is

true, honorable, noble, of good repute, we focus on that, we focus on You! LORD, we want peace in Israel, we want the hostages released, we don't want any more deaths, Nothing is too difficult for YOU! send help LORD, and we give You the praise IN ADVANCE, because we ask in the name above all names, Jesus, Yeshua, amen!



Pray for Israel

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