

Ruach Dream Files

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Challenging year:

The past year was particularly challenging in virtually every area of our lives. Yet, even having to deal with all these issues, I am extremely grateful and thankful for my God. He truly makes all things work out well for those that love Him.

Increase in end-time dreams:

We have found an increase in end-time type of dreams. These varied from Jesus or an angel appearing in the dream with a message that the time of Jesus' coming is drawing near, to more symbolic revelations of fire and brimstone.

Ministry:

From a ministry perspective it was an interesting year. Where Letitia and I normally minister together, Letitia is increasingly released to minister to womens' groups on her own. I am still in working full-time, is doing a 2 year university programme as well as Bible School part-time, I found very little time for ministry work.

New books:

2013 saw the launch of the Afrikaans version of the Dream Dictionary (Hoor God-Droom Woordeboek) that was well received by the Christian Community. We also dedicated a new book "the 7 Gifts for Success in the Workplace" which is a new branch of our ministry. The book was also translated in Afrikaans and will be available (DV) from January 2014 as "Die 7 Gawes vir Sukses op die Markplein".

Interesting dreams:

This year we received some of the most interesting dreams ever. For example:

Grapevine: *Someone dreamt of a grapevine. The vine got thicker and its branches stretched into an apple tree. Then the apple tree and the grapevine became one. Jesus said that He is the Vine and we are the branches. As He becomes stronger in our lives we can grow stronger and stretch our reach to others, to bring His message to them so that His Kingdom can grow and expand.*

Fishing: *Another dreamt that he and his dad went for a walk next to a dam. There were catfish and crocodiles in the shallow water and*

crocodiles on the river bank. They cast their fishing lines into the water, wary of the crocodiles near them. They then caught a very big catfish (Baber). The crocodiles represent water (satanic) spirits that surround them. Fishing represents evangelic work (fishing for souls). Catching a big fish represents an important person giving his life to the Lord. It was quite an event when only a month later the dad (a prominent person) gave his life to the Lord.

Missionary trip:

We would like to thank all who have already contributed to our daughter, Andri van der Merwe's missionary expenses. She accepted a call for a one year outreach with Global Challenge. She will (DV) leave in January 2014 to various countries in Africa with a group of young people to minister to the poorest of the poor with the Word of God and to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ. They will also build orphanages and work in hospitals. She is still well short of her funding target and we will appreciate it if you would consider to support her in this venture. I attach her letter of support again.

In Africa for Africa



My name is Andri van der Merwe, I have been challenged to go on a missionary outreach with Global Challenge in 2014.

God has placed this on my heart and flamed a passion to go out and help. I will be swopping my ten pairs of shoes for one pair of takkies and a back pack to work and travel through 8-11 African countries. Depending on the political situation we will visit: Tunisia, Egypt, Morocco, Sub Sahara, Mauritania, Senegal, Niger, Ghana, Ethiopia, Burkina Faso, Kenya, Tanzania, Zanzibar and Mozambique. Throughout the year we will be supporting missionaries and serve wherever we can. We will be building houses, feeding the poor, and cleaning toilets and hospitals. We will just love the people we meet, share our stories and listen to theirs. We will bring the light of the Gospel in a continent filled with poverty,

injustices, child soldiers and diseases and to fulfil the call of Isaiah 61.

I am truly excited for 2014, to explore Africa and to contribute and where we can love the poor and lost. I am asking you to help me through my journey as it's a very expensive one. Your support in prayer and encouragement will also be appreciated. I am trusting God for His provision and will appreciate it if you will consider to contribute to this outreach or to forward this request to others who may be willing to contribute. Ways to support :

1. **Prayer support:** I will be in very difficult, challenging and potentially dangerous countries and in places and circumstances that are unknown and challenging. I will really appreciate prayer support during the year.

2. **Financial donation/ support:** the costs involved are approximately R95,000. The direct cost including food, transport and accommodation is R75,400. The visas, equipment, pocket money and personal expenses also need to be covered. Any financial donation/ support will truly be appreciated.

The costs are: R 75,400 for the challenge and +/-R10,000 for visas and equipment such as: tent/ sleeping bag/ backpack/ shoes/ mattress/ pocket knife/ sleeping bag inner/ food utensils-etc. +/- R10, 000 for pocket money and personal needs such as toiletries, medical aid etc.

Financial donations can be done in the following ways:

2.1. Tax deductible donations: Global Challenge can issue an Article 18A tax receipt for contributions made directly to their account and where Andri van der Merwe is listed as beneficiary:

Account name : Global Challenge

Bank: ABSA **Account number:** 9206958383

Branch code: 334515

SWIFT Code: ABSAZAJJ (For International Payments)

Branch details: 31 Da Gamma Road, Jeffrey's Bay, 6330, South Africa

Reference: ANDRI VD MERWE (Please make sure you use my name as reference)

Proof of payment can be sent to: finance@gcex.org

GCEX is a registered South African NPO with registration number: 066-651-NPO.

2.2 Any payments can also be paid directly into my account:

Account name: Andri van der Merwe

Bank: ABSA **Account number:** 407 302 9433

Branch code: 63200500

Reference: Global Challenge

Proof of payment can be emailed to: andrivdm3@gmail.com

3. **You can communicate with me via:** Facebook as well as blog. We will be posting on the Global challenge website. I will appreciate any messages, scriptures and words of encouragement throughout the year and will respond when I can.

I do appreciate your consideration, prayer and support. Be blessed



Andri.

Postal Order Products

This is the last month that we can offer the following prices. Due to increased printing and postage costs, we will have to increase the cost of books and postage as from January 2014.

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