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## **Video Training for Churches in North India**

On August 12-13 and 15th of 2017, there were 3-day gathering for the Video Training in FTTND Training Center in Gurgaon where 120 saints from the 4 localities in Northern part of India were gathered together. We entered into the 12 messages from the Crystallization-Study of Ezekiel (2) in both English and Hindi languages. The atmosphere of this Video Training was uplifted by the saints staying together for 3 days to study and pursue these messages corporately. Overview of the crucial verses on Ezekiel chapters 37-48, PSRP of the message outlines and testing were incorporated as part of the training along with the video messages.



Many saints testified that this up-to-date speaking of the Lord not only strengthened them but uplifted their desire in pursuing of the truth and following of the ministry of the word so that the Lord can gain His holy building on the earth in reality. We all desire to be today's Ezekiel as the man of

God with the breath of God, whose speaking was fully according what Jehovah has commanded so that the Lord can gain an exceedingly great army and His built up dwelling place on the earth. There is an eminent need that we can all see the vision of the holy building of God and pass through the necessary experiences for the building up and completion of the house of God. There must be the factor of the living of the people according to the pattern, laws, and statues of the house as revealed in Ezk. 43; there is the need for the service of the priests based on the revelation in Ezk. 44. The more these factors are present in the church, the more the flow of God will issue forth as revealed in Ezk. 47 for the magnificent house of God. Eventually, there must be the recovery of the riches of Christ as typified by the recovery of the land in the holy temple and holy city. Once there is the building up of the house of God, there will be the returning of God's glory!

May the Lord continue to speak to all the saints in India in the coming months through the pursuing of these message by the way of Video Trainings into different local languages in various places of India and in the pursuing of the Holy Word for Morning Revival (HWMR) that the Lord may have a way to gain many to enter into the burden of these messages.

## **Responsible Brothers' Training, Tuticurin**

On August 26-28<sup>th</sup>, 2017, there were about 101 leading brothers from the 33 churches in Tamil Nadu, India, to attend a Responsible Brothers' Training in Tuticurin, Tamil Nadu. The general subject of this training was on "Strengthening of the Corporate Vessel for the Building up of the church" with 5 outline messages: 1.) Serving with a Vision and according to Revelation"; 2.) Knowing the Body and Keeping the Principles of the Body; 3.) Honoring

Christ as the Head and Being Limited by the Body; 4.) Practicing the One Accord by Much and Thorough Prayer; 5.) Ministering Life for the Building Up of the Church. There were also 2 other sessions on the matter of dealing with the conscience and dealing with the natural constitution. In addition, there were various fellowship sessions on the present burden of the work in India, Recovery Version Bible translation project, importance of statistics, practice of the God-ordained way, and the burden of financial offerings.



In *Elders' Management of the Church*, Chapter 8, brother Lee says, "The church is the Body of Christ. A local church is the expression of the Body of Christ in a locality, whereas the elders in a local church are the miniature of that expressed body. When the elders are together in coordination, they constitute the smallest form of this body, and as such they are the miniature of the Body of Christ". Brother Lee continues to say that "In order for a church to be built up, there is first the need for the elders to be built up. How can a church be built up if its elders are not built up? ... Hence, we see that God's will depends on the church, and the church is fully a matter of coordination and building, while the coordination and building of the church hinges fully on the elders."



We look to the Lord for His continual speaking and perfecting of the responsible brothers in the churches in Tamil Nadu. May He gain all the brothers to be built up as a corporate vessel in each locality for His eternal purpose - the building of the local churches, ushering in the building up of His Body to consummate the New Jerusalem.

### **Brief Update from the Church(es) on the Practice of the God-Ordained Way**

#### **Church in Mumbai**

Presently there are 42 saints meeting weekly on the Lord's day. The saints in Mumbai are very much in the pursuit of truth. In addition to HWMR (Holy Word for Morning Revival), saints enjoy two messages of the Life-Study of Philippians and one message of the Life-Study of Leviticus weekly. 20 saints gather together weekly for pursuing the Life-Study messages; 15 saints pursue the book "The Experience of Life" on every Saturday morning.

In the matter of the practice of the God-ordained way, 11 saints (26%) go out weekly to contact people or shepherd the new ones every Lord's day afternoon. The saints would also gather for prayer and then to have the home meetings with the new ones on Wednesday mornings. There is the monthly fellowship for the serving ones. Whenever we come together we begin the meeting by praying and then we would fellowship about the new ones situation. There are few testimonies from the saints as follows:



*There is one sister who works at night and yet she still spends more than two mornings per week to meet the new ones in the home meetings.*

*There is a brother who is burdened for the spreading of the gospel and would preach the gospel in the South Mumbai almost every day.*

*Another brother who has a strong burden to open his home and have gospel meeting in his house every week. He said one time that "I have a lot of friends who need the gospel. As long as there is one brother who may be fluent in Hindi to coordinate together with me, we can have the gospel meeting in my flat every week."*



During the 2-week propagation in August, the saints in Mumbai had some breakthrough both in the campus and the community. There were 9 college students and a young working one who got saved. There are another 5 solid families that we have gained from the community side. The saints are actively visiting them in the home meetings. May the Lord continue to bless our labor to gain the useful materials for His building.

## **Prayer Burden**

1. Pray that the Lord can strengthen and build up the local churches in the major cities in India by the constitution of the ministry of the age, the rich experiences of life and establishment of the practice of the God-ordained way for the sake of His testimony.
  2. Pray that the Lord can continue to spread into many more cities in India, especially in the North India (~ 800 millions of population) that many sons of peace and seekers of the truths can be gained for His move in His economy.
  3. Pray for the propagation among the college campuses in the major cities in India, that the Lord can gain many good materials for the sake of His testimony and His move in this country.
  4. Pray for the 47 trainees in the FTTND currently that the Lord can preserve their tripartite being so that all of them can be perfected to be the useful vessels unto the Master's use.
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