# Philippines Update – Post 2015 Sukkot Visit

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### August 20, 2016

Shabbat Shalom to The Royal Family of Yehovah,

At Sukkot last year we spoke in the Philippines and recorded many of the messages which you can see on our media tab or on YouTube. Bro. Aike suffered a split in the Manila group after I left and was very busy setting up his farm for the Sabbatical year and was allowing all the members of MLTC to come and eat whatever they could during the Sabbatical year. Bro Leo was also busy up in IL locos Norte. Our teachings on the Sabbatical years was a hard one for them to comply with as many live off the farming revenue they produce and had not enough time to get ready.

Bro Leo has stepped in and begun to place bee hives on some farms in order to generate other income so that those living there did not have to plant. And on still other property, Bro Leo has started vermiculture, or worm farming to restore the soil and again help them to generate another source of income.

Bro Leo has a real heart to obey the commandments as does Bro Aike.

This past Sunday for the first time in history there was a tornado that went right through Manila with a population of 13 million. It was all recorded on video. You can tell the people watching are not familiar with the damage that they can cause.

## February 17, 2017

The past few weeks have me spinning. The reports from those in the Philippines continue to impress me. More groups are now keeping the Sabbath and learning the truths they have never heard before. Bro Aike in Manila is reaching out to many other groups and having great success.

We also have another report that Bishop Belgica and his sons are working on a new constitution for the Philippines. It is to incorporate the Holy Days of Lev 23, which we helped to write, and which were passed in two readings in the congress but died with the election last January. Bishop Belgica

is the one who helped open the doors for me to speak on National TV with Ka Iking Live and The 700 Club. He also attended each and every one of the meetings I held in Manila. And the Bishop is now closely associated with the New President Duterte.

Brother Ramon continues to ask me to teach at a school where he has a group that used to keep Sunday and are now learning about the Sabbath. Ramon says

You are part of this bro Joe. The materials I shared with them came from you and nobody else. The fear of God grew greatly on them due to the "curses" that I explained to them, and the timing of these curses. Curses seem meaningless to Christians, but with the timing involved, they become attentive. We all are humbled. And we need to move faster than the enemy. The 2300 days of Hell, in painful detail. We covered a small portion, and this got to them real hard.

Brethren, I hope you are able to make out what is being reported above. We want you to know the cost of doing this work. We want you to know where we spend some of the funds you send to us. Before I send funds to anyone we must see the actual fruits they are producing.

The truths revealed in the 2016 book about the Sabbath, the Holy Days and the Sabbatical years are convicting many people. But when you show them the curses for not keeping these laws, the people in Africa and the Philippines sit up and take note because they have seen these curses for many, many years and did not know how to or what to repent of. Now they do. And sometimes it is like shooting at fish in a barrel with whole groups converting to keeping the Sabbath and Holy Days.

## October 7, 2017

Season's Greetings /Chag Sameach Brother Prophet Joseph,

This is the usual end of the month ministry update. The present celebration of the Biblical Holydays are always better than before.

Our hard work and dedication to spread the truth has paid off. By seeing more and more believers come the truth of the Torah and celebrating the biblical holydays, there is nothing more satisfying to the soul that seeing Christians celebrating the biblical holydays. To my estimate knowing the different Christian and messianic groups that are celebrating the feast of Yom Teruach and Yom Kippur so far, is around 20 thousand Filipinos more or less in Manila and in the provinces have celebrated and have gathered together for the feast this year.

The feast of Yom Teruah/ Feast of Trumpets in Congress last Sept. 20 was attended at least by 150 delegates from pastors and bishops and some congressmen. Thou they don't understand yet the sightedmoon, that will come later thou. This is history in the making. This hasn't happened before in the history of the Republic of the Philippines.

As to the network of churches that I personally influenced over the years, I don't think that these pastors whom I was used by YHVH to open their eyes to the truth will ever again go back to their previous ways of doing church traditions.

Several of these pastors have resigned from their old Christian organizations. Yes, they were persecuted for celebrating the biblical sabbath and the feast of YHVH. Yet there's much work to be done. From my personal network, so far 18 ministers with their elders and members have celebrated the Feast of Trumpets last Sept. 21, 2017 according to the sighted moon, also during the feast of Yom Kippur.

Il be passing the word that the feast of sukkot/tabernacles will begin on Oct. 5 6PM so everybody can simultaneously celebrate the feast of Sukkot according to the sightedmoon.

Wow ! This is happening before our eyes. This must be from YHVH. Praise to HIM, our calling is being confirmed. As Rabbi Shaul said " run the race, overcome any obstacles that come your way.. finish the course." This is my situation. I sacrifice my time, effort and resources for this cause of spreading the Torah revival in and around the Philippine Islands.

I have a very strong leading thou lately since it was confirmed by some of the leaders who I met over the internet social media/Facebook, that I am working on a ministry tour to several key cities in the Islands of Mindanao as well as the Visayas region of the Philippines.

I was invited to teach the biblical Hebrew language to a church in Cagayan de Oro City Mindanao. My strategy is to get Christians to be interested in learning the basic of the Hebrew language then later on get them on board the study of the Torah. This for several years have been my way of introducing to the Christian brethren the Law in a positive way. To my surprise as I was interviewing the key leaders in the Messianic Torah keepers in the city of Davao, Butuan, Zamboanga and Surigao, their torah keeping group is growing in their area. Lately, I was talking to the leader in Davao City ( where president Rudy Duterte lives) that the torah keeping group there had reach 500 believers. This is great news!

So, I'm scheduled to travel to Mindanao for two weeks in the last two weeks of November 2017. My goal is get the leaders to unite for the cause of making the 7 biblical holidays, national holy days, in the Philippines, which already was approved in the first reading in the House of Representative/Congress.

Also, to share to them the vision about the end times and how we should be preparing. So, this is a good networking trip among the torah keeping group in Mindanao that I'm planning now. The good thing is I had an assistant torah teacher in MLTC who can teach well if I'm not around in Manila.

I'm doing the best I can to the best of my ability that YHVH gave me, to be counted worthy of my calling.

Honestly, I never thought of this is going to be my destiny in life. I did not plan to be a missionary for the truth of torah, it just happen along the way as I was searching for the truth and real meaning and fulfillment in life. I now had discovered the real "purpose driven life."

It's all about YHVH and His best plans for our lives. I believed each one of us has a big role to fulfill.

There's nothing better than this. This end time revival for the torah is bigger than ourselves even bigger than life itself.

How amazing is YHVH. He truly deserved the honor and praise thru His son Yeshua the Messiah.

Bless your brother Joseph and your family and friends and your ministry www.sightedmoon.com

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## January 6, 2018

Brother Aike in the Philippines has also been going all over the Philippines, which is made up of Islands, requiring him to fly from one to the other. And his truck too is on its last legs and needs to be replaced. It needed to be replaced when I was there in 2015. Now 2 years later the need is even greater.

The work that these two men are doing in part has been supported by the donations that many of you have sent in. We pray that those who are looking for a cause to support and projects that are producing real fruit, well join us and send in monthly donations so that we can budget just how much we can do. The fields are white and the labourers are few. In both cases, both Bishop Telesphore (East Africa) and Brother Aike (Philippines) are informing me that whole groups and churches are being converted from Sunday to Sabbath. Once they do that then we need to teach them more each week to help them to grow.

We have also been in negotiations with Brother Aike about a project we will soon announce.

While we work with these two men, we continue to search for leaders across Asia and Russia, South and Central America and Europe that we can work with who want to teach the Truth, who have had enough of the lies they were taught. But thus far, Yehovah has only allowed us in East Africa and the Philippines. And in both places, we have been able to reach to the leaders of these countries.

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