The Philippines 2018 Report - Joseph Dumond

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The 2nd Year of the 4th Sabbatical Cycle

The 23rd year of the 120th Jubilee Cycle

The 18th day of the 2nd month 5854 years after the creation of Adam

The 2nd Month in the Second year of the Fourth Sabbatical Cycle

The Third Sabbath of Seven Sabbaths

The 4th Sabbatical Cycle after the 119th Jubilee Cycle

The Sabbatical Cycle of Sword, Famines, and Pestilence

April 28, 2018



Brethren we have our donation <u>page set up so you can help us</u> by using PayPal in many different denominations. We have also set up a GOFUNDME account to help us raise the funds we need to organize this work, so that a group of people can do this full time in the Philippines and anywhere else this work is needed to go. The fields are already ripe for the harvest but the laborers are few. I can no longer afford to fund this work and as many of you know I work a full-time job digging ditches to do pay my bills and to help this work. This work is growing and I need help. If I continue to take time off of work to go and spend the weeks and or months in these places I will lose my job.

We also have a person who would like me to go to Surinam in South America.

We have people who have now volunteered to help in various jobs in this ministry and they are a great help. We have many of you who pray for me and this work daily and the miracles and the doors that are opened to us are unbelievable.

Now this work is requiring me to go for more than just a week or two at one of the Feasts. Now it is requiring me or James and Aike to go and spend weeks and even months there teaching full time, working with the Bishops and Pastors and brethren so they can understand the Holy Days and the Sabbath and the Sabbatical years. They do not always have access to the internet. Some do not have any access. So they require people on the ground in those places.

Many of you have already contributed. I am not asking for any more from you. I am asking for you all to pray for a miracle. We do need a large financial or corporate backing that is reliable and dependable to pay for our airfare and lodging and travel as well as to pay our bills that are ongoing at home while we are away. We are looking for long-term support to do this work in full strength.

For me to go to the Philippines during those two weeks, I lost three weeks' pay. The bills at home did not stop.

We are not asking you to go into debt for this work. We are not asking you to risk your savings for this work. But we are asking all of you to do your part and support this work if you are not already doing so. It does not matter what country you are in, there is a way for you to help. Find that way and help us share this work. Please.

The Follow-up Results In the Philippines

April 23, 2018

Shalom brethren from www.sightemoon.com

Peace in the name of YEHOVAH thru His son Yeshua Jesus the Messiah.

I'm brother Aike Mesias (FB name) overseer of Messiah the Living Torah Ministries located in Mandaluyong city, Philippines. I'm reporting from Mindanao , the third largest Islands compose

of Davao City, Digos City, General Santos City and Cagayan De Oro city and many other more cities and provinces. If you have seen the news last 2016, Marawi city in Mindanao was literally destroyed after ISIS militants who wanted to establish their own Sharia law (caliphate), fought against government troops for several months. Marawi city was totally destroyed, which is a result of extreme Islamists and their religious fanaticism.

http://cnnphilippines.com/news/2017/10/26/AFP-Chief-of-Staff-confirms-ISIS-funded-Marawisiege.html

http://www.straitstimes.com/asia/se-asia/army-says-battle-for-philippine-city-to-end-soon-1000dead

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/asia/marawi-city-photos-philippines-isissiegeislamic-state-muslim-army-a8019266.html

Joseph Dumond in his first visit in the Philippines in October 2015 had warned us about this when he had an opportunity to meet the Christian military general's personnel, thru their organization headed by General Esel Soriano.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TirpG0QYwbI

This time Joseph and our ministry have partnered to bring blessings of YEHOVAH'S holy Torah to Mindanao Islands thru the avenue of biblical end time prophecies which is the expertise and God given gifting given to brother Joseph Dumond. Shofar so good ! The evidence of any ministries is the fruits that it produces.

Last April 5 and 7 in Digos city and Davao city, Joseph and I have work together to make an event called " Mindanao Prophetic Conference," with the theme of "what is the role of the Filipino believers in the End Times?". Hundreds had responded and have attended the said event. Joseph delivered Yehovah's fresh revelation based on the books of prophet Isaiah regarding the role of the Filipinos in these end times. And even after had already left for Canada, at least 3rd number of the participants are returning to our follow up torah teachings regularly held in Davao City twice a week (Wednesday night and during the sabbath day), as well as in Digos city. I can see that these Filipino Christian believers and pastors are hungry to learn more. This is unlike what I've have seen in the greater Luzon Islands in the southern and northern part of Manila. People here in Mindanao are humbler people. Barely has any pastors I met here for the first time have fought against me about doctrine at all, they would sit down and listen for teachings, 3 to 4 straight long hours and not complain. You won't see this anywhere else. Mindanao Islands is the food basket of the Philippines, perhaps it's not land only that is fertile but the hearts of the people here are fertile as well (see in the bible parable of the seed and sower, it's the heart that matter).

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One of our main goal here in Mindanao is to help the people understand and learn YEHOVAH's Feasts days in Leviticus 23, as well as to pursue torah learning and observance in the regular basis. Mind you beloved brethren and friends, this ain't an easy work! I have been in this torah restoration movement since 2006 and I have led a few hundreds to torah observance, but it took me literally 11 solid years to be able to maintain constant relationship, fellowship and regular teachings sessions with the people I have worked with. Of course, it's worth the long wait, but what I'm saying is that here in Mindanao its different, just after a few teachings sessions, people are now ready to wanting to celebrate the feast days. We won't be waiting for long time anymore, Yehovah's Holy Spirit is moving fast, he wants the people here to celebrate the feasts days now, immediately. HALLELYAH !

New group in general Santos city

In fact, last Shabbat of April 21, our core group in Davao City compose of several pastors have unanimously agreed to celebrate the upcoming feast of Shavuot/Pentecost on May 27 in the heart of the city. We have a venue already, different committees have been agreed upon (food, music team, teachers, and promotional duties).



Core groups in Davao city came back to study torah

We will be reaching and inviting many others to join. This is all awesome and great. I won't be working all alone anymore, Yehovah's has given us humble precious souls that will be helping organize this upcoming Feast of Shavuot event.

Yesterday, I talked to Pastor Mark of Digos, he said to me that his entire congregation will celebrate the Feast of Pentecost in Digos city and will be inviting all the pastors who have attended Joseph Dumond teachings last April 5. Wow, talking about strong conviction by the Holy Spirit, this is it, it's happening right before our eyes.

To my surprise which Yehovah's always do to us anyway. A couple by the name of Pastor Jonathan and Pastora Imelda of General Santos, who had attended Joseph Dumond teaching's in Davao and Digos city alike, have contacted me last Monday and invited me to go to General Santos city to teach them about the feasts. I gave in to the invitation and the following day, Tuesday, I went to visit them in General Santos city and taught them about the Festivals of YEHOVAH. Now these couple are so excited of organizing Feast of Shavuot in General Santos. We are scheduled to meet elders and leaders of the churches in the regions of Sarangani province to propose a simultaneous celebration of the Feast of Shavuot on May 26 to 27. Wow. One Spirit One Torah for all.

This is unity of the spirit, my brothers and sisters and friends of Sightemoon.com. Thank you for being one with us in spirit and in truth.

More surprises, Joseph Dumond knows this, Pastor Lee of Davao whose wife is Indonesian, who has strong connections to Christian Indonesian ministries are sharing this message to the Indonesian Christian communities here in Davao city. They are proposing for Joseph and I to go to Indonesia to teach on November this year. Exciting times are coming folks, this YEHOVAH's spirit at work here, we need just to be in line with His perfect will and constantly obey his instructions for living a blessed life, His torah for all Israel and the nations grafted in. This is the good news of the Kingdom.

More exciting times ahead of us! Thank you, beloved prophet Joseph Dumond, for being YEHOVAH's servant and for being selfless in teaching us about the end times and about the things that are to happen in the very next few years. You are sent by YEHOVAH to our beloved nation the Philippines. It is confirmed by the fruits of the souls that are returning to torah in the places that you have visited.

Thank you to all sightemoon.com volunteers and staff like sis Pauline and James. Thank you YEHOVAH bless you and your family. Thank you dear sightemoon.com subscribers' brothers and friends for your willful donation. YEHOVAH knows your heart and will bless you for blessing the ministry of <u>www.sightedmoon.com</u> as Joseph Dumond is helping also the work in end time torah revival in the Philippines and some parts of the world.

YEHOVAH IS GREAT !

Brother Aike Mesias

MLTC

Joe's Personal Diary from the Philippines

Shalom Brethren I wanted to give you another perspective on the recent speaking tour of the Philippines. I want you to see all that goes on and to understand just how hard this work is. Many people only see us on stage or afterwards for a few minutes and do not realize all the work that goes into this before and during our time there.

On the second half of our tour of the Philippines, we headed down to Mindanao. Brother Earl Yavin tagged along with us in order to hear those things I was teaching and to get to know me better, after having heard so much about me beforehand from the brethren at MLTC. Towards the end of the southern tour, Earl would write the following.

Brother Joseph, I am very thankful for the opportunity from you and Brother Aike to come and see what you do behind the scenes for your ministry when you travel around the world. You are a very hard worker and people look at you as a Star, but they don't see your hard work. I am very impressed to see how humble you are you don't sleep in fancy hotels like people think with limousine service. I noticed at the end of the day you are very tired, after a hard day's work. I was very glad to be a part of your trip here in Davao and Digos Philippines. Brother Earl

So let me share with you the rest of the story. You have heard from Brother Aike's assessment of the events that took place and I agree with them. But there was so much more that happened and I want to share them so that we have a record of them.

Tuesday, March 27, 2018

I went to work today and worked the full day wanting to be tired before I got on the plane so that I would sleep and wake up in the morning when I arrived in Hong Kong and be on the proper sleep schedule. After work, I came home and prepared to pack my bags. My plane left at 1:50 AM and I had to be at the airport at airport 3 hours ahead of that time. I was there, parked the car at the airport parking and took the train shuttle to the terminal, for about 10 PM. Cleared customs and the x-ray machines and was waiting for my flight. I really wanted to go to sleep by now.

I was going to fly Cathay Pacific to Hong Kong.

Wednesday, March 28, 2018

I fell asleep on the plane very quickly and missed the evening meal. I woke up to see it dawning and I thought we must be getting close to Hong Kong as we were to arrive at 5 AM local time and it was beginning to dawn. Then I checked the plane map to see where we were.

We were over the North pole and what I was seeing was the sun dawning on the north pole. The North pole is just now coming out of the months of darkness for 24 hours each day.

I arrived in Hong Kong at 5 AM and could see the sun rising over the city as we waited in the terminal. Would have liked to have time to go visit this city. We then left Hong Kong at 7:20 AM flying to Manila Philippines by 9 40 AM local time. This aircraft was made for Filipinos as I could hardly get my legs in the seat without jamming them through the seat in front of me. We are not in Kansas anymore Todo.

By the time I cleared customs and collected my bags to get out front Aike was just pulling up. It was perfect timing. Aike was excited to see me and we began our conversation as though we had never been apart. After all, we have been talking on FB for the past two years.

We stopped at MLTC where I dropped off one of my bags full of books and DVD's that they were going to sell and give away. Then Aike brought me to the Apartment I was given by one of the brethren and to this day I do not know who this person is to thank them for it. He told me to get rested and He would be back for me later.

I got a call later that I should go out and get something to eat on my own as Aike was tied up moving things up to the camp we were going to meet in that weekend.

So out the door I go, on foot and I began to look for a place to eat. I had walked a good distance and then horror set in. I had no internet or calling card to contact Aike. I had no idea of the name of the place I was staying in and I had made so many lefts and rights I was not sure I would be able to get back. But I did find a place to eat and I was able to find my way back in the dark.

Here is the view from my apartment on the 28th floor overlooking Manila.



I would later find out that the two blue lines in the picture below was the place where MLTC met and was just a 30-minute walk for me if had known.

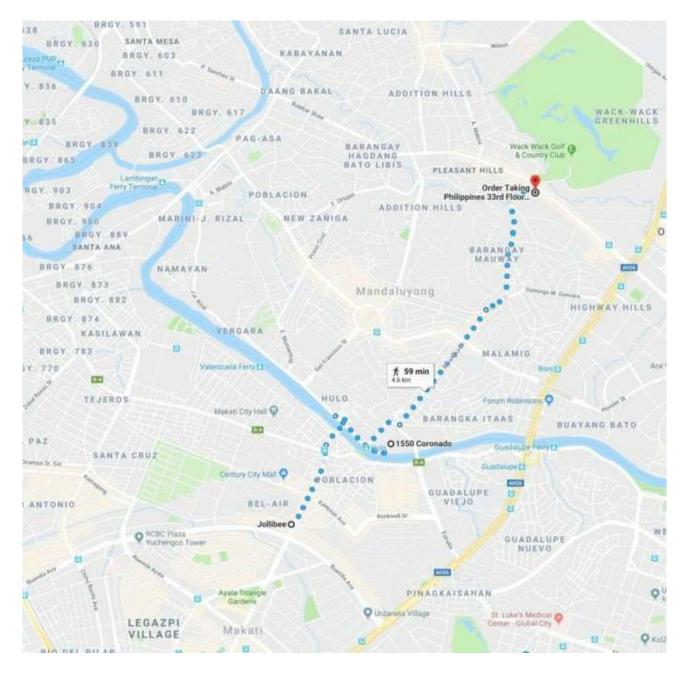


Thursday, March 29, 2018

The Next morning Aike called me and was tied up and told me to go for breakfast and he would come for me about Noon.

This time I got the address of the place I was staying in and the phone number and then they sent me to Makati Street to find a restaurant. So off I went looking for a place to eat and I found a Jolibee. Now the Jolibee is like our Mac Donalds and whenever Aike is introducing me he always gets the audience to say after him the Jubilee which is what I teach. And they say it and Aike says, say it again and they do then he says someone is saying Jolibee. And the whole room laughs. Whenever I say the same joke no one gets it. It is a running joke between Aike and me. How I can't tell a good joke.

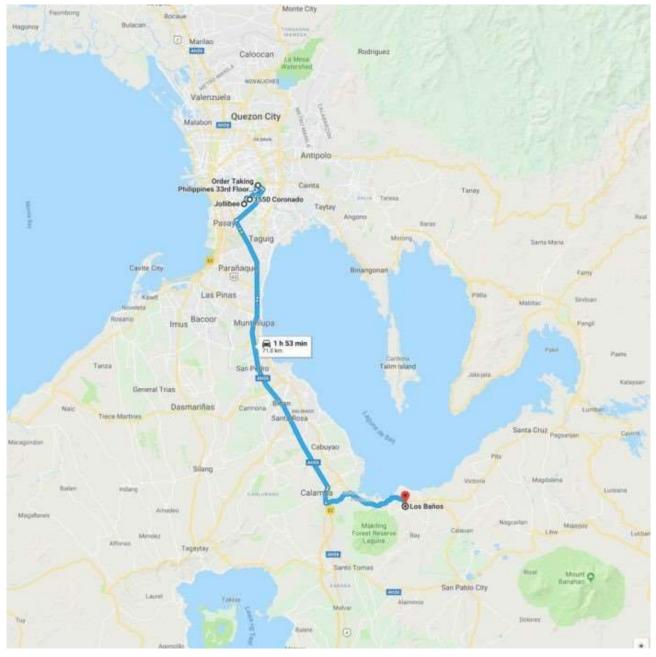
So now I have had breakfast at a Jolibee. And I walk back to the room. See the map below as to where I was in relation to each other.



Aike picked me and we went to MLTC to pick up a few things and we were going to take them up to the camp which is the Boy Scout Camp or Los Banos in Laguna. This is about a 2-hour drive and Aike has already made at least one trip to this campground bringing up the supplies that are needed to make this weekend a success.

Mount Makiling, or Mount Maquiling, is a dormant volcano located on the border of Laguna province and Batangas on the island of Luzon, Philippines. The mountain rises to an elevation of 1,090 m (3,580 ft) above mean sea level and is the highest feature of the Laguna Volcanic Field. The volcano has no recorded historic eruption but volcanism is still evident through geothermal features like mud spring and hot springs. South of the mountain is the Makiling Banahaw Geothermal Plant. The Philippine Institute of Volcanology and Seismology (PHIVOLCS) classifies the volcano as potentially active.

As we drive up here there are hundreds of thermal heated springs that many tourist and locals visit along the way. We did not have time to do this on this trip. Maybe next time. But I have not lost the fact that Aike has brought to the top of a live volcano to talk.



Once we got to the camp I could see that a lot of preparation had already been done in making this a great site to speak at. The decorations that were made and then brought up here and then set up by many of the brethren of whom I do not know many of their names. Many of the pictures are taken by Joey Fernandez. At MLTC there is a core of women and men who are the backbone of MLTC. This allows Pastor Aike to do what he does best and that is to teach and teach other groups. It frees him up so much. And the one who leads this group without admitting to it is Aike Wife Florence.

She brings to my mind what is said in Proverbs 31. Indeed this can be said of many of the women here at MLTC. Each time I have been here for one of the Feast Days they have knocked it out of the park. They did for Sukkot in 2015 and they have done it again for

Passover in 2018. It is again testimony to the heart of the Philippines in wanting to worship Yehovah with their whole heart. I am once again humbled to be here and greatly honoured to be a speaker for them.

Proverbs 31:10-31 An excellent wife who can find? She is far more precious than jewels. The heart of her husband trusts in her, and he will have no lack of gain. She does him good, and not harm, all the days of her life. She seeks wool and flax, and works with willing hands. She is like the ships of the merchant; she brings her food from afar. She rises while it is yet night and provides food for her household and portions for her maidens. She considers a field and buys it; with the fruit of her hands she plants a vineyard. She dresses herself with strength and makes her arms strong.

She perceives that her merchandise is profitable. Her lamp does not go out at night. She puts her hands to the distaff, and her hands hold the spindle. She opens her hand to the poor and reaches out her hands to the needy. She is not afraid of snow for her household, for all her household are clothed in scarlet. She makes bed coverings for herself; her clothing is fine linen and purple. Her husband is known in the gates when he sits among the elders of the land. She makes linen garments and sells them; she delivers sashes to the merchant. Strength and dignity are her clothing, and she laughs at the time to come. She opens her mouth with wisdom, and the teaching of kindness is on her tongue. She looks well to the ways of her household and does not eat the bread of idleness. Her children rise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praises her: "Many women have done excellently,

but you surpass them all." Charm is deceitful, and beauty is vain, but a woman who fears the Lord is to be praised. Give her of the fruit of her hands,



After walking around here for a bit and visiting many people we had supper in the outbuilding that again the women of MLTC had taken over and turned into a large kitchen. There is a custom here that the host of an event provides the food for the guest. And as many of the guests will be coming on Shabbat, all the food is being prepared ahead of time.



This is the outbuilding that they did all the preparations in and you can also see where many of them slept for this weekend.



I found it odd to see just how close they all camped to one another. But this is a community and brethren and from what I saw they all love one another. I had a lot of fun with these ladies and kept asking them why they believed in this or that and when they answered I asked again they would say this or that as their answer. I was forcing them to go deep to find the source of why they do this way of life. It was fun and they could not get over how many times I would ask why.





Also in the campground was a TV Evangelist who had a crusade going on right beside us in the open field. We would be singing out loud later trying to drown out the 2000 or so people who were also camping for his event. And some of the ladies took advantage of this and began to pass out flyers to them all about the guest speaker they had which was me.





After we had eaten and Aike was comfortable with the way things were coming along we headed back for the two-hour trip back to Manila. Along the way, we got a phone call from Bishop Butch Belgica and the next thing I know we are on our way there to see him. but I think Aike had to drop off the ladies with us and then go back over to the Bishops house. We got there about midnight and he was waiting for us with a meal and to talk. I could hardly keep my eyes open and one of his pastors fell asleep during the conversation. LOL, but it was very good to see him again and to share what we had learned and were about to present to the brethren.

I think we got home about 1:30 AM

Friday, March 30, 2018

It is now Friday and you can see all that we have done and all the travelling and preparations for this Passover weekend. Some of the people kept it on Friday and Saturday. I and some others were keeping it, Sunday night and Monday. So I was getting confused as to who was doing what when. And then on top of this are the Good Friday and Easter Sunday, people. So there are lots of people doing some sort of worship this weekend. But I was confused as to who was doing what. So I had to stay focused on my schedule for each of the Holy Days.

Aike picked me up early Friday and I was told I had to do a teaching at MLTC. But I thought they were all up at the camp. Some were and others were here who could not go up. So I taught them for the first time the message I had on where do we flee to. It could have just as easily been called the End Time role for the Philippines.

PHILIPPINES UPDATE FROM JOE – March 30, 2018First teaching session at MLTC.

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Afterwards, my friend from both Thailand and Japan Melynda Ito got right to work at passing out booklets and books and DVS to those who wanted them. Melynda was on tour with me and Avi in 2010 or 2011. I forget now which year. But it was on one of those years that she and Joey Fernandez and Corette Buri and other were there that I gave my first teaching on the wedding invitation of Matthew 22 and telling the people at that time that this invitation to Israel was now taken away and given to the Gentiles to fill those seats. And sure enough, the reactions to the message I am giving is being well received by the Gentiles and hardly at all by those who the DNA descendants of the 12 tribes of Israel. And I learned on this trip that even Aike was there at Avi's house the same time we were there in 2010 for Sukkot. Aike did not tour with us that year. But even then, our paths were crossing.

Now Melynda was the one who did not want to dance with the Torah Scroll on Shemini Atzeret. She did not think it was right and she prayed about it while the rest of us did Dance with the Scrolls which represent our Groom. AS she prayed the people brought the scrolls up to the wallflower area. That those too shy to dance with the scrolls and that is where Melynda was sitting. Her prayer was for Yehovah to show her Himself if this was something she should do. I could see her eyes filled with tears as the scroll came to her and I knew her prayers were answered even though I did not know her prayer. That was a very special memory for me and I am glad to share it now after not seeing her for 8 years.



After the presentation, Aike took me out for something to eat at the Elijah house and coffee shop to have a Filalphel. It was a quiet time before the storm of the weekend and for us to strategize and plan the events that we had coming up this week. Aike had rated my presentation, as he always does, with about a 94% out of 100% on the scale of how good it was. Aike is good at marketing and I am good at researching and presenting it.

While we were there sitting Aikes phone never seems to stop as he checks messages and makes calls to make sure all is OK for the next event.

It was while we were sitting here that Aike got this call from one Bishop Hernando Bruce PhD, ED.D, D.D., The president of Bruce Harvard Christian College General Santos City on the island of Mindanao. He had been fasting and praying for a guest speaker for his graduating class and once he had finished praying he saw an ad on Facebook about my coming speaking tour in Mindanao. He asked Aike if I would be able to come and speak.

The time he had wanted me was the same time I was to be flying back to Manila and then to Toronto. The Bishop agreed to pay for our ticket on a later flight if I could come. And I would be the first speaker and Manny Pacquaio was going to be the second speaker. This just so happened to be the very person Aike and I have been reaching out to since our last trip here. So if I am the presenter, not only would I meet Manny but he would also hear our presentation. This was indeed a Godsend. So we agreed once we saw that the Bishop was serious and bought our return ticket.



Both Aike and I were very excited as this sort of thing happened the last time we were here and now once again we could see Yehovah's hand involved in the events that were now beginning to unfold. We were very excited, to say the least. Jumping up and down and thanking Yehovah for what He was going to do this next week and a half.

We then went back to MLTC and picked up the last of the things and jammed them into the little van of Aikes. And then we had to take three other people with their luggage in the van. It was to say the least packed.



When we got there I had thought I was to have a room to myself. But that is not the Filipino way.

In my room were Aike and Joey and another person and this married couple and me. Six of us and they just kept bringing more mattresses to lay on the floor. We once again had supper with the group as the sunset and the Sabbath began. It was great to be with everyone here. Even in our room, as crowded as it was, it was great not to be alone. And only one toilet so we really had to judge our timing in there and showers and all.

I think I made a presentation this evening. Looking back now 3 weeks later it is all a blur. Looking at the pictures. I am just not sure. But I do think I did present something this Sabbath evening.

Saturday, March 31, 2018

This is now the big day. The large crowd of about 300 had come. Mostly pastors and those who had recently begun to keep the Sabbath and Holy Days. For some this was their first Passover weekend. Bishop Belgica was also going to be one of the speakers today. And He was following the Hebrew Calendar.

Here we have singers and Flag bearers and Dancers. There are more pictures but I just want to give you a sample of this day.









Here we have Pastor Aike introducing me to speak in the morning session. Aike has some long introductions and the more he learns from me the longer his introductions get. I have to tell him to stop stealing my lines or I will have nothing left to say. But I am thrilled to know he is getting it. And able to explain it after hearing it one time from me. You can see me at the far corner waiting and waiting to begin the teaching LOL.





The picture below is from all the Pastors who had declared to teach the Torah from now on. They had a diploma and I was one of the witnesses to this graduating class. It was a very good thing they did here in front of everyone publicly declaring their service to Yehovah.



After this, we broke for lunch.

Then again, we have Pastor Aike introducing <u>Bishop Butch Belgica</u> for the afternoon teaching. Then When Bishop Belgica was talking I know he was getting the whole crowd to laugh but he kept referring to me when he got them to laugh and they roared at times. But he did it all in Pinoy so I could not understand. All was done in good fun. This weekend event was done in co-operation of the Group that Bishop Belgica leads. They are called The Lord's Vineyard Covenant Communities. The theme has been to promote unity and not those things that divide us. This has been a very good fit. Do look up the links as they are shared here so you can see just who this family is that Yehovah has brought into my life now.



After the Bishop had finished I was then beginning to explain how everyone there could understand the charts and learn about the 70 Jubilee cycles from Moses until our time now. We walked through the crowd and went from table to table to try and make sure everyone knew how to read the charts and to understand. I also had Rob Navarro get up and go around and help explain as did Aike. This session was also recorded but we have not yet got the videos. I will upload them to YouTube once I get them. Rob is going to try and make the charts into an app so everyone will have them.











Then in the late afternoon, as the sun was setting on this Sabbath day, I began to teach them about Baal Peor and it was at this time that <u>Atty Jeremiah Belgica</u> who had run for Manila Councilor in 2016, came in and I asked him to come up and explain this to the crowd. Jeremiah was the first person I met in 2015 and we had the same message. Mine was from the bible and his was from the nation's point of view all about SOGI and Baal Peor.

After he had spoken, I then showed them how these day today are the same as the time just before Israel was to go into the promised land because they were messed up in Baal Peor which is just another name for LGBT rights which is what we have today just before we enter the 7th Millennium and they had the charts to see just how close we are to the end.

And that was the end of this teaching session. We then took hundreds of pictures with many people who wanted a picture with me. This is Jeremiah and Butch Belgica Aike Mesais and Myself.



Sunday, April 1, 2018

We again slept with 6 people in our room last night and went around and met with the many there. But today everyone was leaving to go back to their homes. I thought I was going to be talking but no, not today. We had a nice breakfast with this gentleman Ramon Barretto and his son lan and fiancé Yafe Shalom and asked Yehovah to bless them and guide them as they go forward in their lives. Very nice family.





Aike was busy packing up the van and driving it back to Manila. Again that is a two-hour drive one way and he was coming back for another load and me. I was oblivious to this as I was busy talking to so many people this morning. Melynda and I sat down to catch up and for me to hear from her that she understood and believed the things I was teaching about the Philippines. There are always some people who are able to hold a lot of weight with you. I do not know how it happens and why some and not others. But Melynda is one of those and her words mean a lot to me for some reason. So I thank her for this special talk.



Now that I had some time to walk around, we found what is called in the Philippines, a Nara tree, These are the trees that Hiram brought back from the land of Ophir along with the gold and the Queen of Sheba to help build the Temple in Solomon's time. These trees are only found this part of Asia. Look at how huge it is. The tree is resistant to termites and has a nice smell to the wood and last a very long time.





We did not know Aike had to go back and forth to Manila. That was a four-hour return trip. Others had brought some things but Aike had the lions share. We still had all these ladies and all our luggage to get into the two small vans to get back. But somehow, they were able to do it. The ladies in one van as Aike and I had to go and do one more thing and the ladies had something of a surprise for me to prepare.



After Arriving back in Manila we had to unload the van of all the gear at MLTC. Again Aike had already made one trip this morning to do this very same thing. Now we are doing it again. He then told me we were going to stop by Atty Jerimiah's dedication for his Daughter. So there I was in the underground parking lot changing my blue jeans for my dress clothes and getting ready to be presentable.

They do not baptize the children but they do have a dedication. It is at these things that the god-parents are chosen and acknowledge publicly that should anything happen to the parents all of these godparents will step in and help to ensure the child is raised properly after that.

I come from a family where we have just one set of godparents for each child. But here they have about 30 to guarantee the child will not suffer a loss should they lose their parents. I was quite amazed and pleased to see this.



When I arrived, we met Eunice and Atty Jeremiah who greeted me and sat me at the head table alongside <u>Senator Win Gatchalian</u>, a born-again Christian. We did not have much time to meet and talk because I was then asked to do the opening prayer for this dedication in which was about 150 people. On my right was a lady who was the head of large Christian group and across from me a couple who served on the supreme court, Sarah Sarmiento and Marlon Tronqued. I do not recall their names. Besides the Senator was the head of large electric corporation installing the solar panels for a mega project here in the Philippines. Basically, a who's who here and they all came out for this dedication.



A short while later Senator Grego Belgica would come and join me for a few moments during the evening. He was just returning this very moment from Mindanao where he attended the birthday party of President Duterte. It just so happened that Senator Grego and the President shared the same birthday together. And as we said last week <u>Senator Belgica</u> was just appointed to the anti-corruption body of the Philippines Government.



We were supposed to have a radio show interview but it did not take place due to his being away and my schedule not working with his. Senator Belgica asked me which Biblical character was represented in him. I right away said, King David. I see in this young Senator a fighting spirit that seeks justice and wants to obey Yehovah. And that is what I told him. He was hoping I would say the Prophet Daniel who was also in politics. But I see a King David spirit in this man. I also warned him about the dangers in front of him as he continues with the job just assigned to him.

I had hoped to have more time to talk with him but maybe next time we can have a deeper heart to heart on his radio show. Pray for this man. Yehovah has placed him in this position for a reason. He and his family respect the things I have said on both this trip and the last one.



After this short meeting with these people we departed. I was tired and for me, it was now the start of the Passover Meal and the 1st day of Unleavened Bread. The Belgica's had kept the

Passover Friday night and this was a regular day for them. I thought Aike was taking me home.

Instead, we went back to MLTC. And to my surprise, the ladies who had earlier been up at the camp had come back to MLTC and prepared the Passover meal. I was deeply moved and so humbled.

In all the commotion I thought I was going to be the only one to keep it alone. I was so blessed to have such great company with me.



I was asked to conduct the Seder and we all took turns reading the event of the Exodus until about 11 PM. Aike had fallen asleep and I could not keep my eyes open. It had been a great day and a great surprise and I was truly blessed by those who had thought of me and this special time.







Monday, April 2, 2018

This was the first day of Unleavened Bread. And it was to be a very busy teaching day. One of the people that had heard me this past Sabbath had asked if I could come to their Assembly and the only day was going to be tonight and they were very excited about this and this was a breakthrough to another major group. But first thing in the morning I had to go to The 700 Club and present these truths to them.

But as I prayed in my room I began to realize just how real this message is. Everyone that was hearing it was joyful and happy for the Philippines, but it was the White Anglo Saxons who were going to be wiped off the face of the earth. My people. My relatives, my family members, my cities, my province and my countrymen. They are about to be wiped out and I can see the blessings being taken away from us and given to the Filipinos because of our acceptance of the LGBT lifestyle and accepting of Gay Marriage and all the mess that comes from that and their rejection of SOGI.

The Filipino people are so humble and respectful and polite and they are seeking Yehovah so much and singing praises to His name just as Isaiah says. The many still in the churches are misdirected but they are changing as they see the truth pointed out to them.

I have been warning of the coming war for the 12 tribes of Israel since 2005 and now, this morning, the reality was setting in. And I began to cry and sob like I have never cried before. I was heaving and gasping for breath as I cried for my people. The white Anglo Saxons who

have had all the blessings and never appreciated Yehovah and now are doing away with him in all our institutions. I cried for so long this morning.

The message I have been giving for years was now coming to pass as I could clearly see the prophecies of Isaiah being given to the Philippines. They are good people and I cried more for my people who do not want to hear these things I have to say. Here, in the Philippines, Aike can easily get 100 or 500 to come out with very little effort, but back home we have to scratch to get 50 to come out and we are happy when 20 show up. I cried for some time and begged Yehovah to be merciful on us and my family.

Mathew 221:15 The Parable of the Wedding Feast

And again Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, and sent his servants to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. Again he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those who are invited, "See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast." But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. *The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city.* Then he said to his servants, 'The wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.' And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with guests.

"But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. And he said to him, Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?' And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants, 'Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' For many are called, but few are chosen."

I began to teach this parable back in 2010 when Avi ben Mordechai and I joined up to do tours in Israel together. Over half the group on this tour were from Asia. Joey Fernadez of MLTC was one as was Melynda Ito from Japan, and formerly from the Philippines, who has come to the Philippines this year to hear this message. Corette Buri was another one who was there from Thailand and formerly from the Philippines who was able to understand our message early, and then has gone on to find a way to get me to come to the Philippines in 2015, which was then through Aike and MLTC. And I have recently found out from Aike, that he too was at Avi's house that same year in 2010, during Sukkot at the same time we were doing this tour.

Even back then Yehovah was drawing us together.

I want you to remember this parable as I will come back to it. So although I had begun to teach this parable back in 2010 with half the group being from Asia at that time, I had not fully accepted it. Today, I recalled all the times I have been rejected by groups who keep the Sabbath and Holy Days not to mention those who keep Sunday. All the meetings we have conducted coast to coast in the USA and in Canada and how few there are that come out and even fewer that come back. How few there are from these same Anglo Saxon nations that are willing to sponsor our teachings all around the country and the world. How hard it has been to get them to read our Newsletters and join us on Facebook. This week alone we have had almost 800 from the Philippines follow and like us on Facebook.

I see just how enthusiastic the Filipinos are to learn and to understand and how many come out at each meeting and many of them are pastors and people who were keeping Sunday the week or month before. And now they are hungry to learn the truths. I see how many of them go to the donation box and fill it with eagerness, whenever they are asked to donate. And many of them are young.

I am thinking on all of this as I bawl for Israel, my people who have clearly rejected Yehovah and His Sabbatical and Jubilee years, His Holy Days and Weekly Sabbaths. I just could not stop crying. It is real and I can plainly see it taking place before us. I can plainly see the army of Assyria being raised up again in Germany who have taken in all these Muslim immigrants from Syria. Assyria, by the way, used to occupy the lands now called Syria. So I have no doubts that they might even be kindred people.

And I think of the atrocities that the Germans did to the 6 million Jews slaughtered in WW II and I think about how ruthless they were to the Russian and also on the western fronts to all the territory that the Germans occupied. Then today how ISIS has tortured and raped and executed so many Christians in Syria and I can't stop crying as I see it coming to my people in North America, Britain and Australia.

And I think of Aikes words how Manila was good and Mindanao was even hungrier for these teaching because of the recent war and the recent typhoons. And Aike saying over and over this is really happening. the people are really excited and coming out and his phone never stops ringing. And I cry all the more for my people who have no idea what is coming to them and how hard it is going to be for them in these disasters and wars that being sent by Yehovah. They have zero interest to learn about Him.

Aike came for me about 7 AM. The van was packed with the things Aike was going to pass out at the 700 Club. Melynda, Corette and Florence were packed into the back with young Moshe and I was in the front with Aike and we were off to the 700 Club. The van was electric with anticipation of me going to speak on National TV and to all of Asia. The ladies were all talking and laughing. Aike was telling me the key things to say about the Senate Bill and SOGI.

I was kind of oblivious to them all. I was still somber from the thoughts of my prayers this morning and collecting my thoughts and pondering my notes. It was this prayer this day that would direct the things I was to now say from this point on.

We arrived and were met by Peter Kuirus and his wife Christine.



Last Sukkot I was giving a tour of Joshua's Altar and a group had asked if they could join us on this tour. I had no idea who they were except that they were from Asia.

In that group was one Katherine Inocencio (Katah) the Executive Producer from the 700 Club Asia who had hosted me in 2015. I sort of recognized her but it was Corette who was also on this same tour with us who told me who she was.

Kata would tell Peter this morning about this tour that she had with me and just how moving it was.

We were doing the tour and I was rushing everyone to hurry at each bathroom break. We were looking at each of the Giant Footprints where Israel had put up the Altar after they crossed the Joran river. I was very keen on this tour to see it all.



By the time we were to be at the marshalling area, we were too late. We had lost to much time at each stop. Our tour guide told us the military convoy had left without us and we would not be allowed to go in. I begged him to just keep going and see what would happen when we got there. Kata was sitting right there and was able to hear all the goings on.

The Tour guide was convinced we could not get in so he turned the bus around and we headed to something he thought would placate us after missing the highlight of the tour. I went back to my seat very disappointed. I then returned the money that Kata's group had paid me as we were not able to deliver the goods.

A few minutes later we got a call that said we might have a 2% chance of getting in. I asked everyone to keep praying. Then we got another call that we might have 54% chance of getting

in. So we turned the bus around with great cheers from all onboard. When we arrived at the gate we were told that there was a 98% chance we could go to the Altar. That 2% chance worried me. We drove in and the bus then turned around and drove back out. I asked what's was wrong. They then turned the bus around again and we were then brought in by the captain of the IDF at this checkpoint.

Then at the Altar, it began to rain. It was cold and I was not dressed for a cold rain. The guide wanted to read the section in the bible about the altar and asked Yehovah for it to stop raining while he read this section. Immediately it stopped raining. And the moment he had finished it started to rain again. This is when we took this picture below. A very special memory. And a little bit later as we walked around the site. Kata gave me a high five signaling that she was getting just how great this day and this place was.

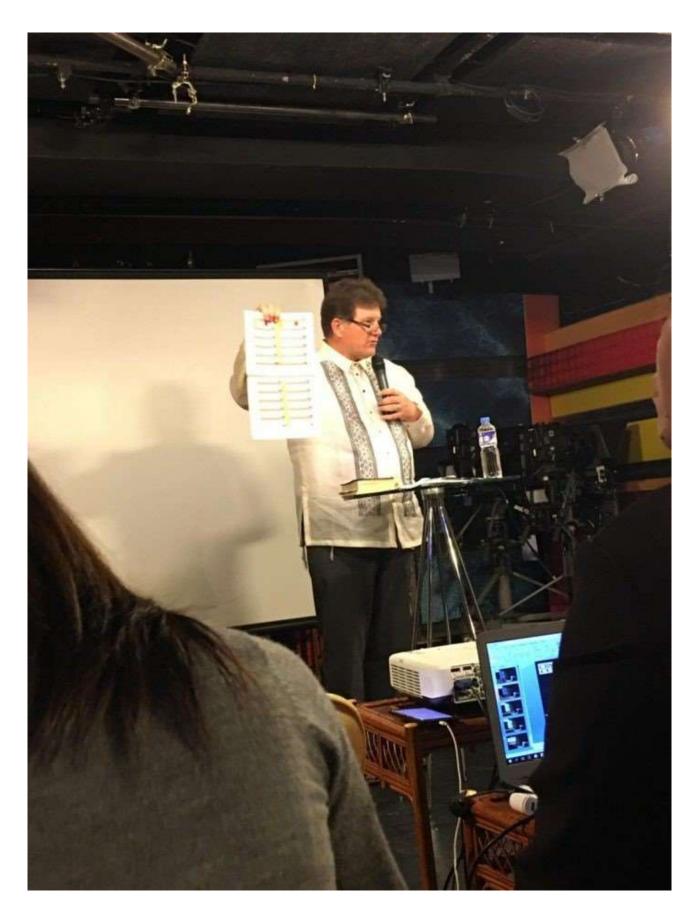
After we got on the bus to leave the cloud came down and was so thick we could not see ten feet in front of the bus. And we all thought of the cloud that came down on Mount Sinai. Again a very special time and Kata was telling Peter all of this as we met.





After we had talked in the office Peter led us up the stairs to the studio. By this time he had heard many titles given to me and wanted to introduce me properly on the show and asked me what title I preferred. I told him I have been called Doctor, evangelist, Pastor Reverend and Prophet. I told Peter the title I prefer is to be called a Servant of Yehovah and he really liked that one and said it showed my humbled heart in doing what we had to do. And that is how he introduced me for the one-hour teaching I was to do for the people who worked at The 700 Club Asia.





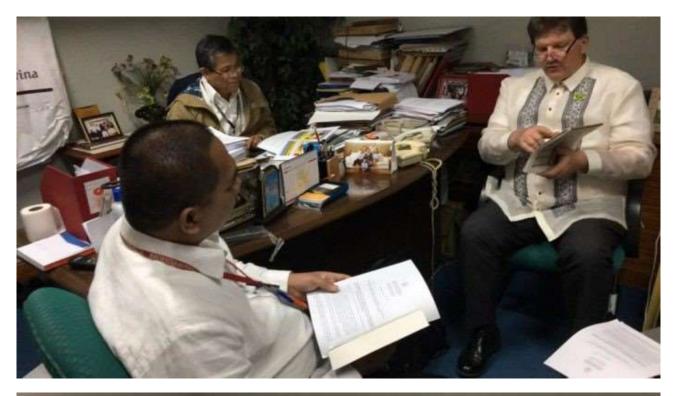
After this presentation, Peter was taken aback and moved by the emotion I had shown and the conviction I had spoken with. He was very moved. And it showed in the interview we then had and after the interview with the prayers, he made for me and the many things he said to me. Peter even gave us a donation to help us further this message which I was not expecting.



We did not have much time to stay and visit after our airing. We had to get over to the Senate as we were to have a study with this group in the Senate.

Upon arrival, Aike dropped us off at the door and the guards told Aike to park his car outside on the street in a certain spot. So he did.

We then were brought inside and went through the security check and then met by Lawrence and I do not recall his last name. We had another lunch and then were escorted down to the office of Eduardo Garvida, the director IV Committee Affairs Bureau. Basically, they prepare all the bills and laws that are approved. At least that is how I understood it. Along with these two gentlemen were three other ladies from the same office. Lawrence apologized that many of the others who would normally be there were away on the Easter Week Recess. I assured him that if there was just one person there and they were interested I would teach the same message.





Both Eduardo and Lawrence told me they were skeptical of the things they heard I was saying. I thought this was perfect. Eduardo was also a Pastor.

So I did not tell them what the scriptures said. I asked Eduardo to read the scriptures and then I asked him what they meant. With each set of scriptures, he deduced which set of Isles was eliminated from what we were being told. First, the Caribbean and the British Isles and the Greek Islands were not eligible because they were not east of Jerusalem. Then they concluded that Sri Lanka was not at the corner of the earth nor at the ends of the earth. This left them with the Japanese, Indonesian, Malaysian and Philippine Islands as the only candidates for these prophecies. Then they learned that Joktan was the father of Sheba and Ophir and that his name meant to be short and not highly thought of and one of the cities was called Kedar which means ashy colored skin.

Both Lawrence and Eduardo were now scratching their heads and rubbing their eyes as they pondered these things. They knew they were being told from the scriptures that it was the Philippines. And they said it not me.

Then I asked them which nation of those remaining nations was Christian? And only one nation was.



As we left Lawrence took us to the Chamber where the Senate meets and we prayed for the Senators and the Bill 6312 which is about them passing the law making the Holy Days of Lev 23 legal statutory Holy Days so everyone could take them off. And for the Senate to turn down the SOGI bills. Then we left.



When we left the building, we walked out front to get the car and head to our next speaking engagement. But the car was missing. It was not there. Aike was checking to see what had happened. He had parked where he was told and there were no signs saying we could not park there.

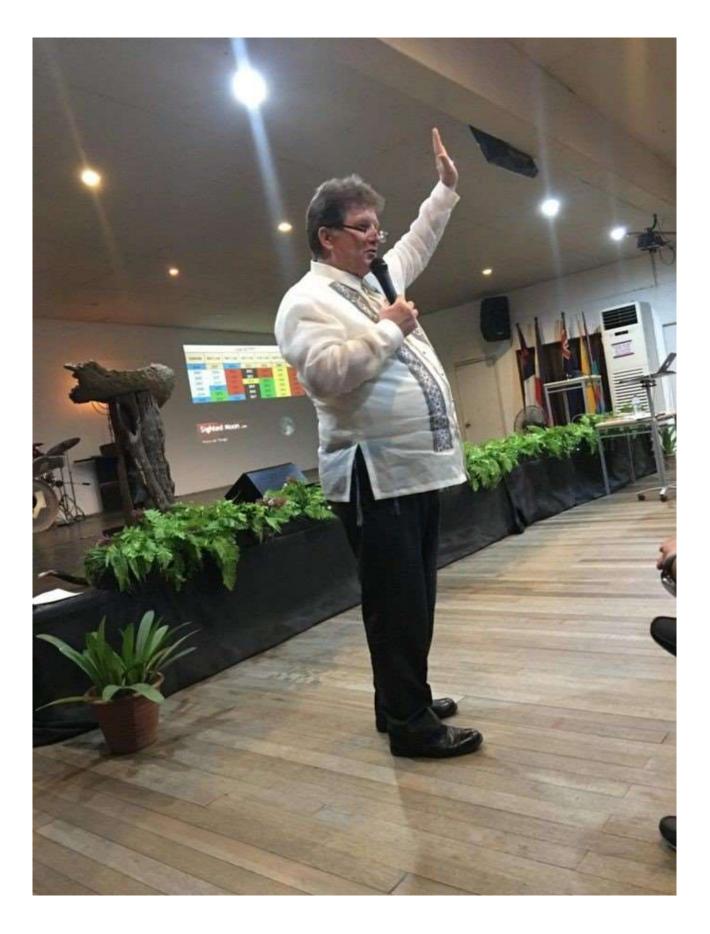
He checked the local towing company and they had not taken it and he checked the police and they had not ticketed it and had it removed. But they did tell him about this rouge towing company that will just take a car and impound it and you have little recourse than to pay them. Aike called and sure enough, they had taken it. This company had towed his car to the far side of Manila, so they could charge the travel fees and then the storage fees. This company is also connected to one of the City councilors who gets a kickback.

Aike was furious. This was a legalized crime. And after about an hour of phone calls, we had to admit we were defeated and we flagged a taxi to take us to the next venue. Aike and the three ladies in the back as Aike steamed and me with young Moshe on my lap. Moshe fell asleep right away and became a dead weight. The taxi was about an hour drive. And this was still the first day of Unleavened Bread and the Sabbath.

We arrived late to the venue as the sunset. And the host was Pastor Roy Carandang. This was a number of groups coming together to learn what I had to teach. They were collectively known as the lover of Israel and they were very lively. But I was feeling exhausted and keep drinking orange juice to keep my energy up. We wrapped up at 10:30 PM after which Pastor Roy drove us all back to our places over an hour away. I got home close to midnight.



In this next picture, I was asking the audience if they thought they were Israelites. And then I showed them why they did not want to be Israel in these last days. Israel is about to be punished. This was a Messianic crowd and I was busting a few bubbles. But they got the reason why later when I showed them who the Philippines were and what their role in the end times is. Then they got excited.





After I had finished they prayed for me and my wife and family and over Israel who were about to be destroyed. These were very sincere and caring people and they truly moved me.

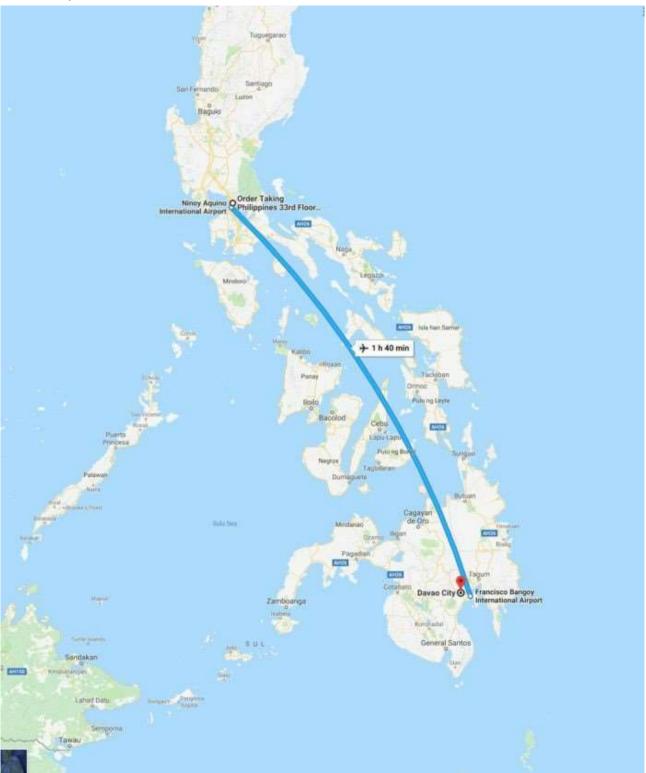


This is Alberto and Gina who I spoke about last week who are trying to get me with The International Prayer team to share this message. My Message is exactly what they have been praying for. I think it was this couple who have had dreams about ships and there were many of them and they did not know what it was about. I also met many others who have had the same dream about many ships. They got excited when I told them about the Ships of Tarshish.



Tuesday, April 3, 2018

This day was spent resting mostly. Aike had to spend the morning part finding his car and retrieving it. He sent Eliyahu dela Peña to come get me and take me back to MLTC about noon. We hung out around there for the afternoon and then had to catch a flight at 6:25 PM to Davao City in Mindanao.



It was during this time at the airport while we were waiting that I asked Aike if he knew why the Car was towed and why Yehovah had not protected it while we were doing His work? He said he too was thinking about that. I had asked if they were selling the books during the Sabbath at the camp? He said no and Florence had also said they were not to have been selling on the Sabbath. I then showed him how he had the hotel staff serve some of our meals on the Sabbath when they brought out the food. He had not thought of that.

Many of us think that as long as we do not work on the Sabbath that we have met the duty of the Sabbath.

Exodus 20:8-11 "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates. For in six days the Lord made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

You are not to have your animals work for you on the Sabbath nor your children nor any servants or even those who do not know the Sabbath, the strangers within your gates. Those within your power of authority.

So you do not hire people to do work for you on the Sabbath. You do not hire people to make your beds on the Sabbath or make your food or hire people to drive you or fly you where you want to go. You do not hire people to serve you food or cook your food on the Sabbath.

Aike then told me a story that Joey had told him about me and Avi in Israel fighting over the keeping of the Sabbath. About going out to a restaurant on the Sabbath. Joey came back and told Aike they really had to up their keeping Holy of the Sabbath. I was honoured to know something I did had influenced Joey and the MLTC group even before I knew them.

I told Avi how after that restaurant episode in Israel, that by breaking the Sabbath we would have bus problems and driver problems and sewage problems and an accident on the bus and people began to get sick. I told Aike we had a huge opportunity here in the Philippines and if we screw this up by not obeying or not setting the example in the leadership that Yehovah would replace us with others. Or the blessings we had about meeting Manny Pacquaio might be taken away and we would not meet him or something else would happen. Aike agreed and said how much he wanted to keep on doing this work for His Kingdom. And he reflected on those things that we may have done that may have brought this on.

There are consequences for our sins. Sometimes we get hit hard for them. Other times blessings that we could have had, are taken away and we never know how close we could have come to that great blessing because it was removed by Yehovah.

As we flew into Davao City there was a huge lightning storm with lightning flashing down to the ground all around us. Once we landed our hosts commented about this flash rain and lightning

storm that had just come as we were landing and flooded parts of Davao City. They said it was highly unusual. Brother Earl Yavin was also waiting for us at the airport and was going to join us for this part of our tour. We checked into our room and went out for supper with our hosts. We got home about midnight again. A very nice hotel with a lot of teak wood carvings in the cupboards and furniture.

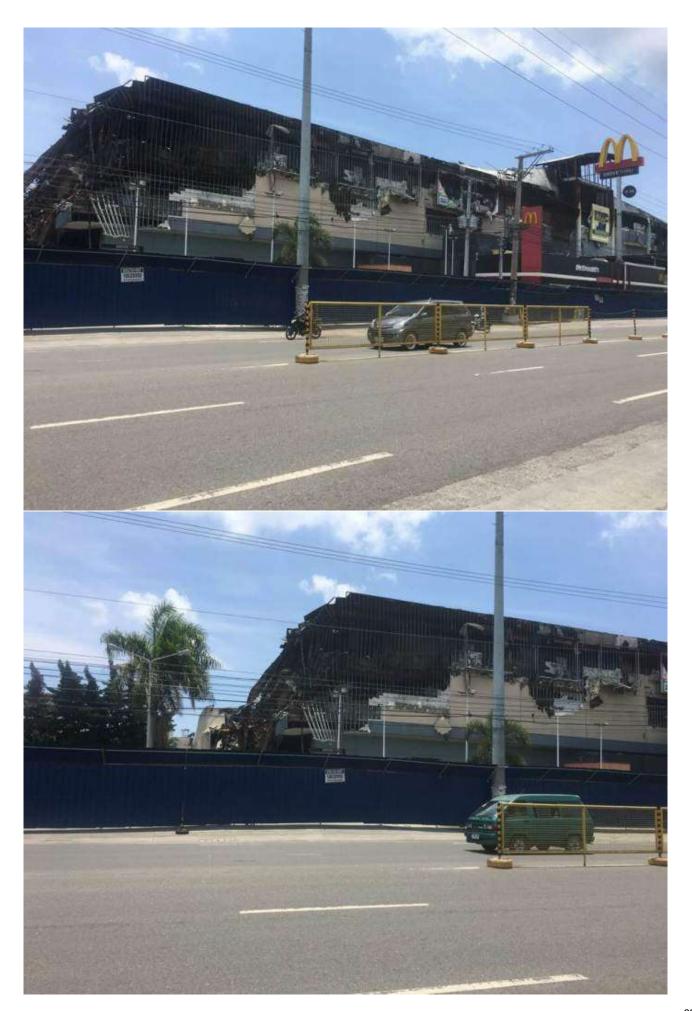
We added a cot for Earl in our room.

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

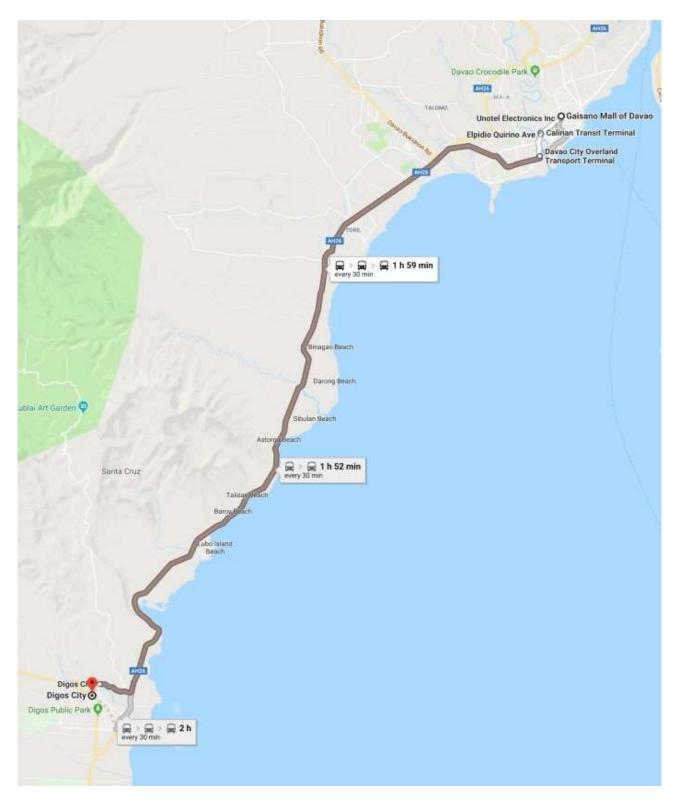
Today we had a leisurely morning and breakfast with our hosts. I had heard about this mall that burned after President Dutuerte and His Daughter the Mayor of Davao were getting closer to the LGBT community. They also had two tropical storms come and turn into a typhoon in which over 200 people died in the flooding. At this Mall, about 40 people died and they were on their cell phones calling their parents and friend asking them to send help and how to get out of the mall, because they could not see with all the smoke. The Fire department did not enter the building from what I have been told.

Pastor Lee lost one of his nieces in this fire. it was a very sad story as he relaid it to us over breakfast.

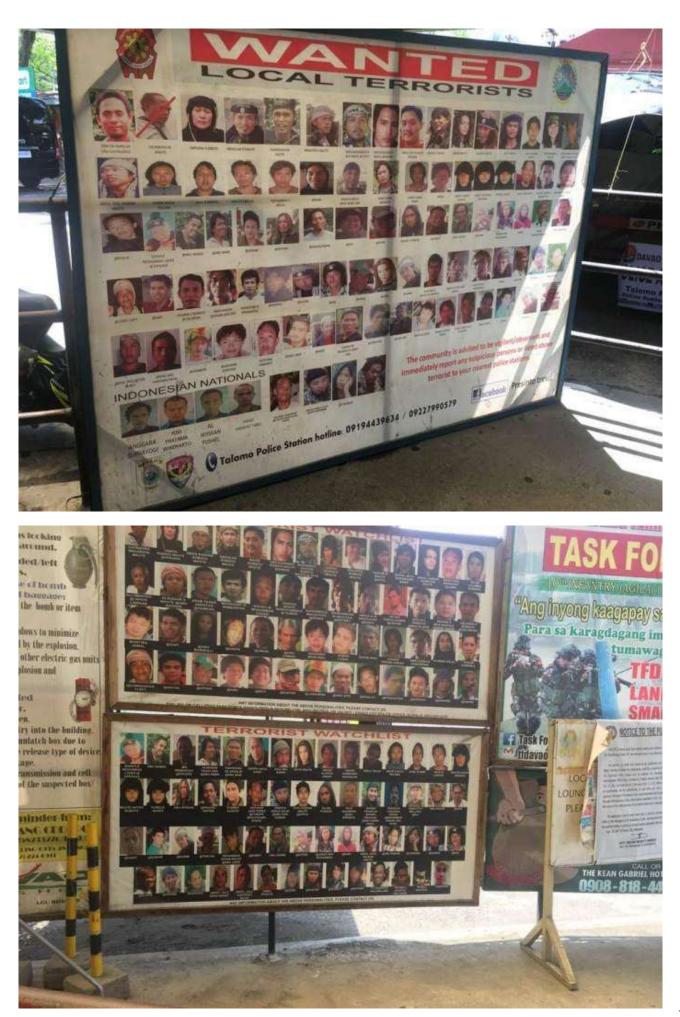
It was just across the street from where we were staying so Earl and I went for a walk to see the devastation.



We checked out of this hotel and we were off to catch a bus to Digos City. It was about a 2 hour ride.



Before we got on the bus, we had to go through a checkpoint set up by the army. They had these most wanted posters up from all the ISIS people that had escaped from the Marawi war. And I have no idea where we are and where we are going. This is why I have included the maps in this report so I and you can know. In the map to Cagayan de Oro coming up you will see where Marawi is in relation to where we are travelling.





I have taken a lot of pictures along the way and you can see them on our photo album at the <u>Facebook sightedmoon.com page</u>.

Here is one of the interviews on the bus as Aike analyzes our mission here.

We had some time after arriving for a quick lunch at the bus station.



Upon arriving in Digos City our host, Pastor Mark sent someone to come and pick us up. I am looking at Aike and wonder how in the world I am going to get into this let alone all three of us and our luggage. But they do get me in. Getting out is for later. But for now, I am in.





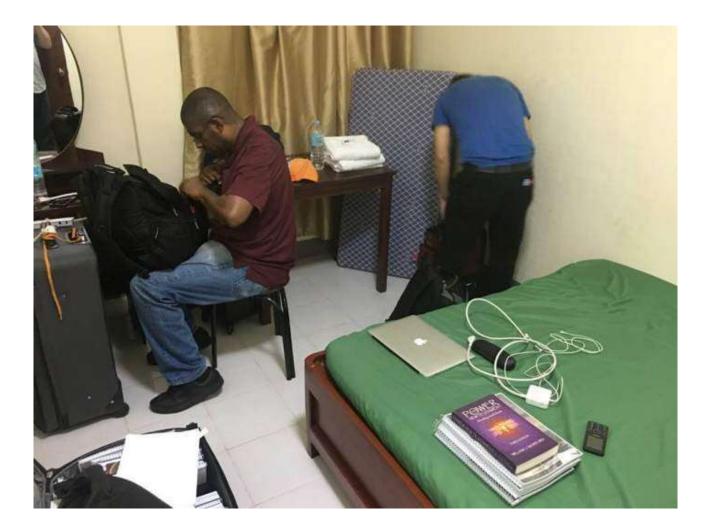


But this was not too bad some people ride what is called halal halal. I did not have to do this one. At least not yet.



Three of us in this one room. Many do not realize the things we do to get this work done. We do not live like kings and this is about when Earl realized that. Aike and I shared the bed and Earl had the mattress that went on the floor where Aike is presently standing. I am not complaining. Not at all. But I do want you all to know that we accept what is offered to us and make the best of each situation. Earl also said how hard we work to travel to these places and then do our presentations and answer questions and take pictures and Earl also saw just how draining that was on us. So I was glad to have Earl along to see these things and I thank him for his note he wrote above at the start of this diary.

We still had that suitcase we have been dragging from Toronto with books and DVD's that I have wanted to get rid of and this was the place Aike was going to get rid of them.



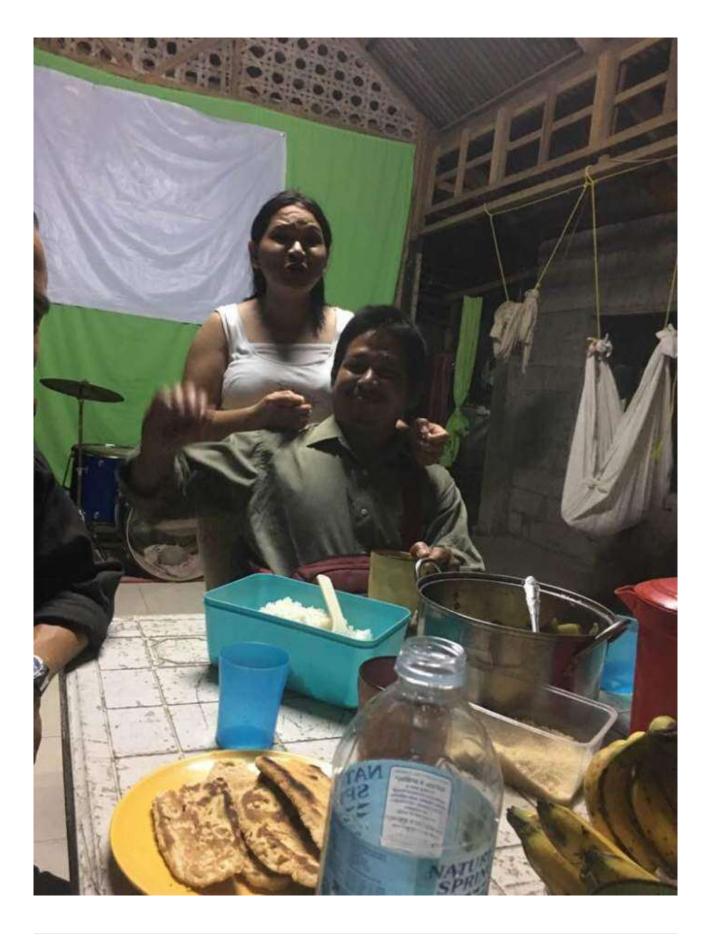
After we got settled in for a few moments then Pastor Mark our host comes and we have to go to the local radio station and do a one-hour live show that is broadcast on Facebook live. It was during this one-hour discussion that I saw Pastor Mark change. He had a light bulb moment. And he went from a so-so attitude to one where he sat up with pride because he now knew we were not talking religion but we were talking about him and the Filipino people and his very own family. This is when he began to get very excited and opened up and began to talk to me about many things.

I have come to love many in the Philippines. But Pastor Mark Yu in his humbleness and meekness is one I have come to love the most. He got it and he has no resources to go forward except his own mouth and studies. This radio show was a big changer for Pastor Mark.



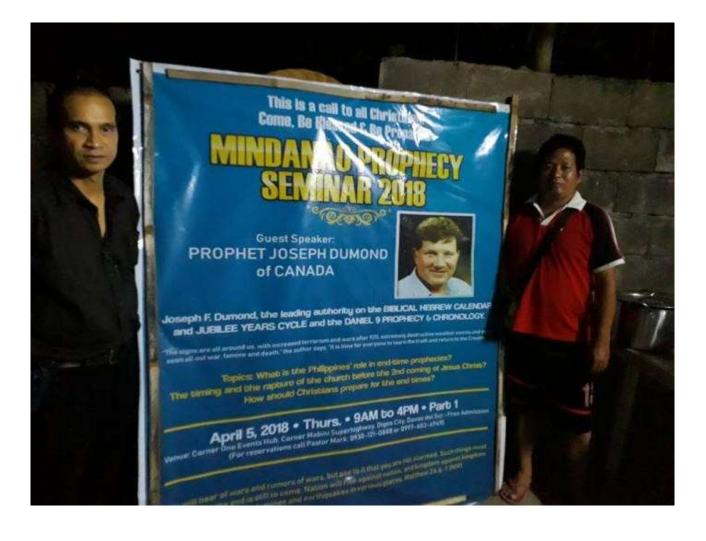
After this, we went back to check the setup of the venue and then Pastor Mark took us to his place to meet his wife Yu Novie and his family and those who left the Southern Baptist Church to now begin to follow Torah and the Sabbath and the Holy Days. This is all brand new to them having only left about a month ago. This was also their first attempt at making unleavened Bread and they were keen on my trying it. It was thick and flat but man oh man was it good. Nothing like the cardboard stuff many of us have eaten for years. I could not stop eating it and they made so much of it that it fed everyone at the conference and then the next day when we went to the beach.

The white blanket hanging to the right is where the baby is sleeping and swung when he wakes up. Again I really enjoyed being with this family and talking to them the amount of time I did. These are those Yehovah is calling to be Priests in His Kingdom. Humble servants who have no airs about them. The children come to you and greet you and take your hand and place it up to their forehead as if to be blessed by you. It is also a great sign of respect and I had many an adult do this as well. Take my hand and bring it to their forehead. Deeply respectful people.





This was the poster they used and was outside the venue to attract people to come in.



As we prepared for bed I realized I had forgotten the two Barongs which are the Official Philippines dress shirts that I have been wearing. They were left in the closet in Davao City. Aike made a call and Pastor Lee and Pastor Johanan picked them up and brought them down to us to have before the meeting began the next day. They truly went out of their way to help us not in this one instant but for the entire time, we have been here.

Thursday, April 5, 2018

We spoke all day today and shared the exciting news for the Philippines. Aike actually gave me a 96% on my presentation. But I think I had some help in that area because as I spoke and delivered the warning about the curses, the earth shook and the lights and the camera and projector were all shaking. I thought it was the air conditioner blowing on them making them sway back and forth. We have not yet got the footage of this event but will post it when we do get it. It was a 6.1 earthquake that Yehovah had sent at this time.



Here is what Aike wrote about this event.

MINDANAO PROPHETIC CONFERENCE WITH Joseph Dumond of www.sigthedmoon.com was a success. JOSEPH SPOKE THIS MORNING ABOUT THE WARNING THAT IS TO COME, LITERALLY THERE WAS A 6.0 MAGNITUDE EARTHQUAKE AT DIGOS DAVAO DEL SUR. WHERE WE ARE AT. WOW. YEHOVAH IS CONFIRMING THIS END TIME MESSAGE. HALLELUYAH !





Pastor Lee and Brother Aike and Pastor Mark and Myself.



Friday, April 6, 2018

This morning we had to be up early in order for Pastor Mark to take us to the ocean for a swim. Pastor Mark has two modes of transportation. One is the yellow Tryc and the toher is the scooter. Aike wanted to head out on the scooter. I was not sure it could take us both.



Because we are heading back this afternoon to Davao we literally were heading to the ocean at the crack of dawn.



Marks family would join us later and brought us so much food to eat on this day. Again the unleavened bread was awesome.

I also came across the vendor selling pearls. So I bought my wife and daughter and daughter in law some pearl bracelets at this time.



After lunch, we were back on the bus heading back to Davao. We checked back into the hotel across the street from where we had stayed the last time. Sabbath was coming on and I had no idea what was in store for this weekend. After all, we had a double Sabbath with the weekly Sabbath and the 7th day of Unleavened Bread on Sunday. So I wanted to get some food and have it on hand to munch on so that we would not have to go out to eat. We did that and we were in the room just before sunset. I was at ease.

I saw a sign that there was a Church of God group keeping the Feast at this same hotel this weekend. So I left a note for the Pastor to contact me when he got in. About 9:30 that night I got a knock on the door and he had come to see who I was. We had a great talk and found a great deal of common ground and history. He has been in the World Wide Church of God since about the same time as I was. Now he was in charge of this off shout group.

I will be sending him the books and the teachings that I have been sharing here this week to him once I get home.

Saturday, April 7, 2018

The Sabbath and I was ready, way before Aike and Earl, so I walked over to the school we were going to be teaching in and began to meet the people coming in. It was an awesome day and I was relishing the success of this entire week. We were near the end of our time here and

I just wanted to thank Yehovah for the blessings of meeting and seeing these people and their hearts that are for him. It was an honour for me. After we had completed they asked me to bless them so I did so Aaronic blessing for them.

Afterwards, two pastors came up to me and said I was Jewish. I said no I was not and asked them why they would say I was. They said because I always talked about Yehovah and never once spoke about Jesus. But the whole presentation was about Isaiah and who the Philippines people are. They were rejecting all I had said because I had not mentioned the name, Jesus. I am sure I did say Yehshua a couple of times, but still, they left having not heard anything.

I would relate this to Nehemia Gordon much later, who then responded with the funniest line I have ever heard. I hope he does not mind me quoting him. He then gave me one of the greatest comments. Those of you who do not know Nehemia, he is Jewish.

Are you saying I talk more about Yeshua than you do? Lol!

You are a tzadik! Keep doing what you are doing!



In the picture below Aike asked the blessing on the Bread, Unleavened Bread from Digos City and on the wine in Hebrew for the audience.



In this picture are many people who I would now call the Saints of Yehovah. Earl is in the red shirt. But there was this guy who asked a question about the Jubilee years at the start of the presentation and he kept saying Jolibee. He had the crowd laughing and I did not even try to tell that joke. So I picked on him and teased him the rest of the day. And he was a great sport about it. I got him to read the scriptures in Pinoy so they could understand. I asked him to reason out what they were saying and come to a conclusion. His name is Dennis and he is the third person from the left in the striped shirt. He is a missionary somewhere here and he got the message and believed it. Keep him in your prayers.



As I was talking in the afternoon, I see some people walking in the back and they are bringing in my suitcases. As I am talking I am wondering what is going on and did they get all my stuff as I had not packed and left things all around the room. I thought we were in the hotel until Sunday night. It is the Sabbath and the Last day of Unleavened Bread is about to begin. What is going on? We are in the Philippines and things change here all the time real fast.

Our Hosts were and are brand new to this way of life of obeying the Torah and they wanted to bless us. They had booked us a room at the <u>Marco Polo Hotel</u> for the night. I was being told this as we ate the leftover food from yesterday this evening. So they knew not to cook on the Sabbath and they were not going out so this was all great. The Marco Polo is an extremely plush Hotel. Pastor Lee dropped us off there and once we walked in they have many people rushing to grab our bags and take them to the room. And they will not let go of the bags. Then after some confusion at the front desk, we learned that the rooms were in my name and I had to sign in for them. They were already paid for and everything included. The problem was I could not have someone serve me or cook for me on the Sabbath so we did not take part in the breakfast. I was already troubled about using the front desk and having to sign in and the men taking our bags.

But these people had gone over and above to bless us with the nicest room they could get for us. I had a big bed and Aike had a big bed and Earl had a big Cot and we had lots of room and it was very nice. We had a great night sleep. We had a bathroom that was huge. Some of the places we have been in are so small that you have to sit on the toilet sideways in order to do your business. This was a very nice hotel.

Sunday, April 8, 2018

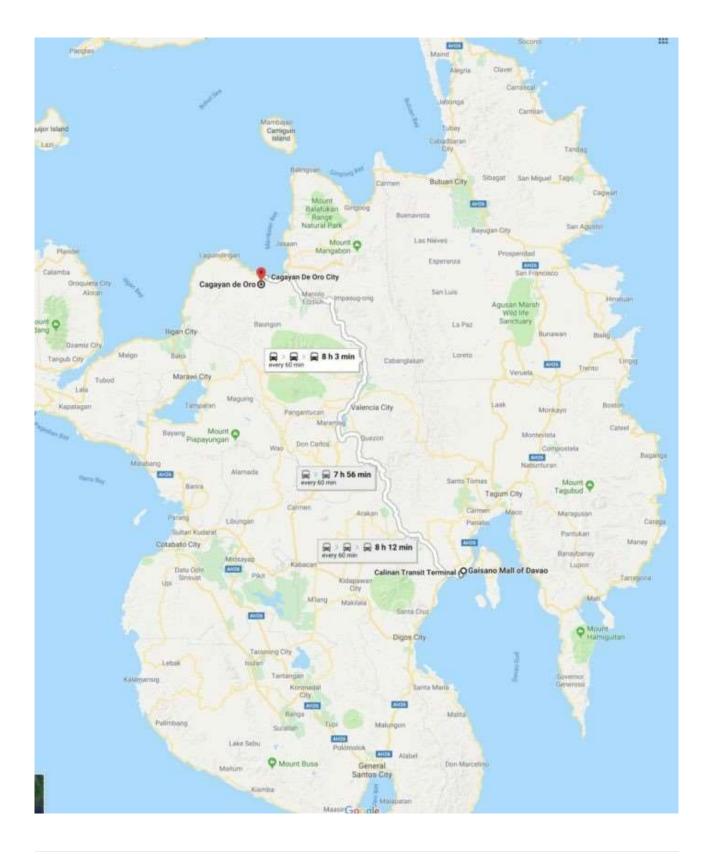
Sunday morning and we are munching on the food I had bought and the leftovers from the night before. We were all doing our emails and studies and relaxing. It was the High Holy Day. The 7th day of Unleavened Bread and Aike had nothing booked for me to speak at.

We got a phone call and they asked if we would like to go to the beach. Sounds innocent enough. So we spent the day with Pastor Lee and his family at the beach.

We left near the end of the Sabbath and they drove us to the bus depot. By the time we got there, the sun was set and darkness was upon us. Aike jumped out to see if we could find a quicker ride. We had about a 10-hour bus ride or so we were told. It was now 7 PM. He found a small van that was going and they told Aike we could be there in about 4 hours with them. So they grabbed our luggage and we began to follow them through the back alleyways and across the lots and through the dump to this van. We put our bags in and then they disappeared. Earl and I sat in the van and asked what was going on. They had left to go and get 7 more passengers to fill up the van. Earl and I could not sit straight and we were taking up two seats just to fit. If they got 7 more people it was going to be very tight. Aike left to go and check something. Earl and I were there in the dark away from the crowd and I was a bit uneasy.

Aike said they lied to him. It was going to take them the same time as the bus and these seats would not be good to sleep in so we grabbed our stuff and back through the alleyways to the bus station. Bought our tickets and had reclining seats and TV and wifi. This was a good call on Aike's part. We would arrive at our final destination of Cagayan de Oro by 2:30 AM

Emails sent and updates are done I went to sleep.





Monday, April 9, 2018

hotel. Check <u>e pictures</u>. Bishop Hernando Bruce got out of bed at that time and came down to greet us and to make sure we got our rooms with no problems. I thought that was very kind of him.

There were supposed to be about 500 Pastors graduating from this college today and I had to get up and be ready for 8 AM.

After all the Graduates had walked down the procession and then the Bishops and the Doctorates and all the other officials, then bishop Bruce took me and walked with me down the aisle to the front.







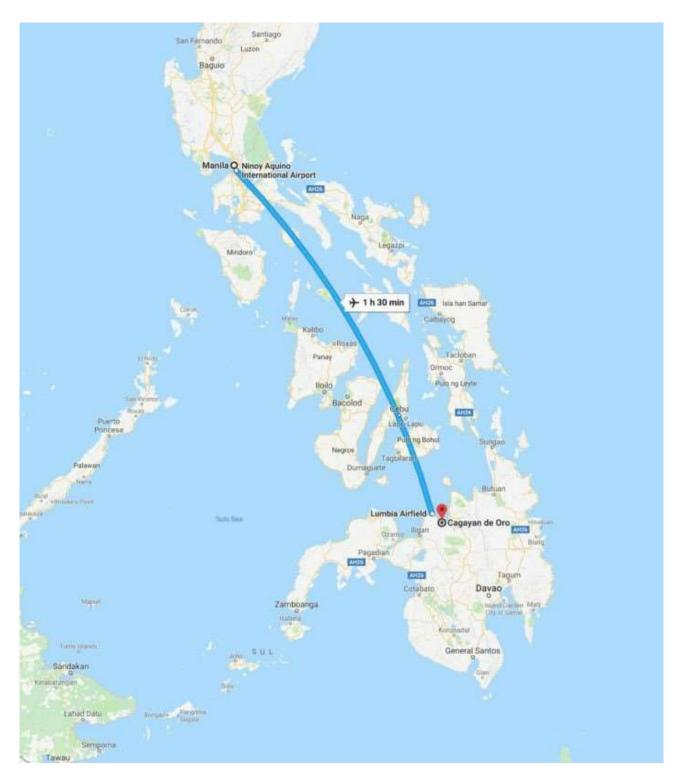


Bishop Bruce told me he wanted me to talk for 2 hours. The Vice President said he thought I should speak for between 1/2 hour and 1 hour. So I tried to shorten it down to that time and convey to them the vision Yehovah has for them.

It should become obvious that Manny Pacquiao was not the other speaker and did not meet me nor hear the message I had to share. I was seated next to the Sultan Muhammad Issa Arcega who was given the floor after I spoke and he said that Jesus and Mohammad were the same or equal and that Allah was God of both. He then encouraged them to join the Muslim faith. He spoke in Pinoy so I did not know what he had said until Aike filled me in.

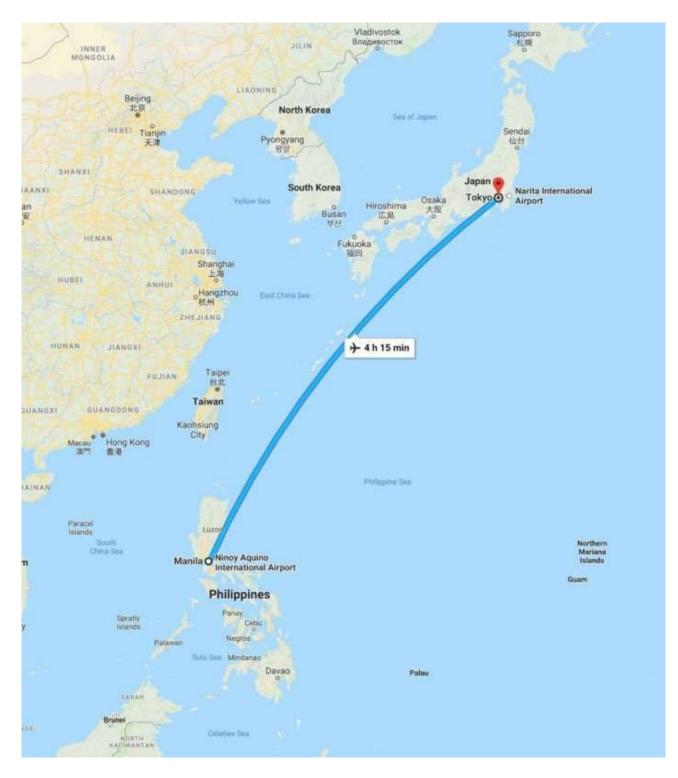
We were here all day with all the commencement ceremonies that took place this day.

Atty. James Dennis Gumpal was the other speaker and he joined me on the way back to Manila. I had the time and he wanted to learn about the Daniel 9 Prophecy which I shared with him while we waited for the plane.



By the time I got to Manila, it was midnight. And Rob Navarro had booked me a room near the hotel and picked me up and took me there. We talked until 4 AM and it was very nice to share with him all that had gone on and to answer his questions. I then went up to the room and showered and then got ready to leave for my flight back home. There was not the time to sleep on the bed. I had to stop over in Tokyo and with a 4-hour layover and then a 12-hour flight to Toronto.

Tuesday, April 10, 2018



I had a 4-hour layover in Tokyo and had to stay close to the phone charger. I did learn how to use chopsticks to eat rice. I have shared all of this with all of you so that you can understand all that goes into one of these speaking tours. I have not shown you the months of study and note preparations. But I have shown you the long hours and the situations that we find ourselves in as we go forward. Some are awesome and others not so good. But the main things is we keep going forward. Keep doing the job we have to do. And pray that others will join us and go forward with us.

Pray for the Philippines. They are brand new to much of this way of living. They are eager and excited and untested. They have few that are able to teach and need so many more. Pray for

them. And pray for others in these other countries that are asking for help. We are not perfect, but we all strive for perfection.



Yehovah bless each of you and keep you. Shalom

