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2011 Retreat Schedule

Call 2 Freedom- 1 day retreat

Auckland 12 March
Wellington 19 March

Cleansing Stream 2 day retreats

Taumarunui 20-21 May
Auckland 17-18 June
Wellington 1- 2 July
Tauranga 8- 9 July
Whangarei 29-30 July
New Plymouth 19-20 August
Hamilton 2 - 3 September
Palmerston Nth 16-17 September
Nelson 23-24 September
Wellington 4- 5 November
Auckland 11-12 November

Feedback Statistics 2010

62% of participants responded. Of those:

98% would absolutely recommend the seminar and retreat to a friend
95% said seminar and retreat met their expectations
79% found the group sessions very valuable
80% found the homework very valuable
98% found the retreat very valuable
97% said their experience with Cleansing Stream was fantastic!

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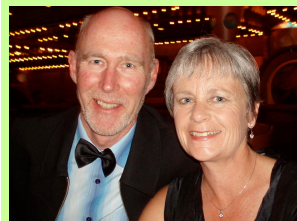
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Hi and Season's greetings

2010 is nearly over. All our retreats for the year are completed. This year we ministered to about 800 people in ten different retreats in eight different cities and towns. Over 160 people were involved in helping run our retreats. You can see the feedback of our participants in the left hand column. God has again been good in the way He has brought breakthrough into the lives of many participants and it has been our privilege to work as a team with Him.

As I journeyed to the different retreats I was blessed and encouraged by the passion for freedom I saw at each retreat and by the commitment and love of the ministry team members.

In mid November Marie and I flew to Los Angeles to be a part of their last retreat for the year. With over 400 participants it was a bit bigger than we are used to, but the same God was ministering in the same way to people with similar needs. It was easy to minister there and I think Cleansing Stream New Zealand has kept to the truth we were taught back in 1999.

We met some of the pioneers who first brought Cleansing Stream to New Zealand including Tim and Dabney Beck, Chris Hayward and Hank and Myrene Morris. They send their greetings, they are still very interested in what we are doing, and they would love to visit us again.

While at that retreat we were able to observe some of the new ministry topics they have introduced in the last year. Orphan Heart which contrasts the lifestyle of a son of God with that of an orphan; Victim Spirit which looks at the attitude we have to adverse circumstances; Resurrection Life which looks at the way the enemy tries to bring death to God's plans for our lives; Emotional Soul Ties which focuses on issues of co-dependency.

We will be introducing some of these topics into our retreats in the next year and at new one day retreats we are holding in Auckland and Wellington in March 2011. You can find some more details on this on our website by going to [Call 2 Freedom](#)

2011 holds some challenges for us. As well as introducing the new one day retreats (for those who have previously attended a Cleansing Stream seminar and retreat) we are looking to increase the number of participants attending retreats. Any increase will also mean we need more intercessors and anointers, and we also need to provide training for the new topics, so it will be a busy year. But we believe God wants us to continue to do what we are doing and that we add value to the churches who partner with us as we return to them participants who have been set free from bondages that have negatively impacted on their lives.

I believe Cleansing Stream is a vital ministry to the Kingdom of God in New Zealand. God is calling us all into closer relationship with Him and the freedom we find through entering the Cleansing Stream is a key part of this.

Please continue to support us in your prayers. Thank you to those who have also given of their time and finances to our ministry this year.

As the end of year approaches most of us will get an opportunity to change our routine and to get some refreshment in the lazy days of summer. Maybe you will get some time to reflect on 2010. The gospels record how Mary "kept all these things and pondered them in her heart". The upshot of Mary's pondering came out some thirty years later, when at a wedding she instructed servants "whatever He says to you, do it." That is wisdom for all of us. My prayer is that in 2011 I will respond more instinctively to the words of Jesus without trying to rationalise them.

May God richly bless you all, may you know His love and peace, and as always, may you have freedom for your journey.

With love, your fellow traveller on the road

Warren Hokke
Director