



JOHN 4:14
HOUSE OF WELLS
RESTORING HOPE, RELEASING POTENTIAL

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The year 2012 has been a most interesting year on many fronts, very challenging in several ways yet experiencing the hand of God on the same challenging issues. Our conclusion is that all things worked together for our good and that the challenges were just an opportunity for God to demonstrate HIS glory and faithfulness.

We have had to actively engage our faith in His Word and the specific mandate he gave us at the beginning of the ministry in order to provoke the covenant we have with him. We have had to place ourselves where we could hear him for what to do and to the glory of God and by his mercy, every time we hear him about what to do in seemingly impossible situations we experience his hand yet again. Knowing that it was God who sent us brought some comfort & hearing the voice of God was what brought solutions in those times!





THE BREAD MIRACLE!

Following a financially tough 2011, we started 2012 on very little funds. Two of our major bills were staff salaries and food bill for the 600 plus children we feed every day we meet.

In January 2012 we had a bill for R34, 000 (£3400 at the time) from the bakery that supplies bread to all our Centres. They had told us that there would be no more supply until we clear the bill. As there was not enough money in the kitty to pay them, we turned to God for solution, after all it was Him who instructed us to feed these children physically and spiritually.

After a number of days God spoke by HIS Spirit to my heart that I should go to see the owner of the bakery, whom I had not met before then, and tell him that God said I should tell him that the bill of 34000 Rand belongs to Him and HE would pay it!

So I went to the bakery and introduced myself to the owner who then told me he had been checking our website to see the work that House of Well does in the Townships. He asked why we are feeding hundreds of children. I told him God told us to leave our Country and come to SA to take care of the

orphans and vulnerable children by feeding them and teaching them HIS word. He replied that he is not a believer in Jesus Christ, but that he found my story interesting.

It was at this point that I told him that God said the R34, 000 bill was HIS and He (God) would pay it. He asked me how do I know that God would pay the bill, and I answered, "God never fails to pay for what HE orders". Then he said "Richard are you asking me to continue supplying you bread without paying me or telling me when you will pay me"? I answered "No, my reason for coming to see you is

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to tell you what God said. We know you are trying to run a business here, so whatever your decision is, whether or not you continue to supply the bread is fine, God will do what HE promised"

He pondered for some minutes and called his secretary and said in a sceptical manner "Richard said God will pay the bill so from Monday start supplying again". I was totally

amazed how this man who does not believe in my God oblige to HIS bidding. I left rejoicing that the children whom God has sent us to would continue to be fed!

Four months later, I got a call from the Bakery owner telling me that a gentleman came into his bakery asking about the work House of Wells does with children in the Townships and they want to pay 34,000 Rand

but he shouldn't tell us who he is!

I asked him if he remembers what I told him when I came to his office 4 months before, he said "it was not God who came to pay, it was a man that walked in from the street".

Kemi & I were, and still very encouraged by this miracle!



SALARIES PAID MIRACULOUSLY!!

Few weeks after the bread bill testimony, we needed to pay the H.O.W staff members that month's wages, but the amount in the HOW account was nothing near what we needed.

Sometime that week, I was in a store, and with little on me, I had to decide what was most urgent or essential of our personal need.

While I stood on the queue to pay, I heard in my spirit that I should pay for the person in front of me. My head was full of so many reasons why I have to keep this little money for my own need. Few moments later, I heard it again, this time very sternly "pay for that woman's grocery" so I did. It was just over half what I had left in my purse which was not enough anyway. For a moment I was upset with God for making such demand on me, but I quickly told myself that it's because God wanted to bless me that He'd given me the opportunity to sow. I also knew that I could not afford to be disobedient as that would result in a hardened heart.

The following day we received a call from someone's secretary that she has been asked to pay R10,000 into the H.O.W's bank account!! God is incredible...while I was being obedient and felt compelled to pay for someone's shopping, God was compelling someone else to pay for our staff's salaries! HE just keeps on amazing us!! Wonderful is our God!

SPIRITUAL GROWTH IN CHILDREN

Another testimony is the amazing growth we have seen in the past year, not just in numbers but the spiritual growth in the children. When we sit with them and discuss spiritual matters the kind of things they utter is just astounding. Also there are a number of reports of House of Wells children in various townships teaching other kids in the neighbourhood the bible, praying for other kids and for others who live around them. The incorruptible seed is surely starting to bear fruit. Halleluyah!!!

More Staff on board...!

For some time now we have been praying that God will send workers into House of Wells so that we can effectively handle the harvest and to the glory of God we have had very capable and anointed workers come on board. It is indeed an answer to prayer.

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In December 2012 the couple who were going to start House of Wells Zimbabwe moved into the Midlands of Zimbabwe in Kwekwe. We are trusting God that the same dimension of results that we have seen in South Africa would emerge there, in Jesus' name.

New Partners!

In the last quarter of 2012 we had a number of individuals set up Standing Orders into the Trust's bank account. Also, through the grace of God we have had a handful of Churches beginning to partner with House of Wells, thereby enabling us to remain on the Mission field. Indeed we feel really blessed and grateful to God for the turnaround we have experienced since the last quarter of 2012.

Our Trustees!!

At this point I must mention specifically the valiant support and encouragement we had consistently received from our **Trustees both in England and South Africa** especially when the situations on the ground seemed contrary to the promise we have had from God. Thankfully they stood by us through thick and thin, until there was a manifestation of what GOD had promised.

It is indeed a great blessing to be surrounded by people who are able to see through the eyes of faith by looking not to the things that are seen but to the unseen realities in God. We honour and bless these precious people of God with whom we have had the special privilege of taking this adventure in faith. We know for certain that the Lord will never forget their labour of love.

2012 CHRISTMAS PARTY

The 2012 Christmas party was held on 1st December, for the children attending House of Wells Centres. The bulk of the funds needed was raised through an appeal on Facebook and quite a number of companies donated their products, merchandise and the venue for the day, while some gave us products at discounted rates.

This year we had an unprecedented number of volunteers who helped us to pack 650 party bags, prepare meal packs and served the children at the party. It was the biggest and the best, since our first party in 2008. We truly give GOD ALL THE GLORY!!! Here is the link to the video on YouTube: [CLICK HERE](#)

A big THANKS to everyone who sponsored party bags towards this party, those who donated & sponsored in different ways, those who gave their time to pack party bags and those who joined us to prepare food for 650 children...! THANKS TO ALL OF YOU! Thank you so much for extending your soul to the hungry, for sharing your bread with them, for supporting us to plead their cause. The smiles on the children's faces said it all. We pray Isa 58: 8-9 over you all!

THANKS to Boardwalk for the venue, ROOFTOP productions (video), Coca Cola, Marina Sea Salt (for Bibles & salts), Kingfisher FM, SPAR & other sponsors for making the day so SPECIAL!!

Lastly, please pray for us that we will continue to know **what** God's will is for the ministry, plus **when** and **how** to accomplish it to the glory of His name. As you do, may you too know and experience the joy of being in the centre of God's will for your life, in Jesus' mighty name.

WE APPRECIATE YOU!!

On this note, we want to thank all our partners through whom God has enabled us to further His will and Kingdom. It is our prayer that HE who never forgets our labour of love will continually reward you tremendously in Jesus' mighty name AMEN!

Our eternal gratitude goes to every individual, organisation, business or church that has ever been of help to House of Wells as a ministry or personally to Kemi and me in the course of this journey of Faith. Not only financially, but contribution through their contacts, time, skills, prayer etc.

We pray that God will richly bless you and pleasantly surprise you in multiple ways. May the Lord continue to multiply the seed you are sowing and increase the fruits of your righteousness. May God grant you according to your heart's desire, and fulfil all of your purpose.

Shalom

Richard and Kemi Oyin-Adeniji
House of Wells South Africa



CHILDREN FROM NEW BRIGHTON DOING A PRESENTATION



'T WAS SUCH AN AWESOME DAY!



SMILES ALL ROUND!

THE PARTY PACK CONTENT

