

Dear Friends in the Lord,

Greetings from a very hot south of France. Temperatures at the moment are close to 40° C so very hot indeed. However, we leave for Scotland soon so no doubt we'll be heading towards cooler, not to say colder temperatures.

We have still no news of payment from our buyer concerning the sale of the property at the Voice of the Gospel ministries. The whole affair has to go to court now as we have no choice but to go down that road. It's very hard and frustrating to understand why things have turned out this way but there it is. We just have to keep a right attitude in it all and leave it in the Lord's hands. Verses in Exodus 14 : 13-14 have been speaking to us in all of this : " Don't be afraid. Just stand where you are and watch the Lord rescue you. The Lord Himself will fight for you. You won't have to lift a finger in your defense !" (New Living Translation) We rest secure in these words.

The work on the flat for our new full-time worker is going well. Most of the painting has been done, the electrical work is nearly completed and new flooring is being laid throughout. Almost done ! Other jobs can be done later but the flat should be ready for living in by the end of August beginning of September.

The wedding we talked about last month took place last Saturday 28th. Everything went well. It was a dual language wedding as the girl is American and the fellow from Syria so everything was translated from French into English for the family who were over from the States. It's a long time since Graham has been called upon to do this but it was a good exercise and we trust that what was shared will have been a blessing to all who were present.

There's not a great deal more to share at the moment so we will sign off here wishing you God's richest blessing for a restful month of August and trust that you will feel refreshed as a result of the summer break.

Our warm greetings in the Lord to one and all,

Graham et Alison.

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