

News from the Ark by Cynthia Shepherd,



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I want to thank all my supporters for the wonderful gifts and donations in 2011. In everything, be thankful. This venture is a new way of life for me. After having a long career as a public school teacher, God intervened with other plans. Jeremiah 29:11 Wow, this is exciting. I arrived in Israel on January 2nd. My dream is finally coming true after 30 years. Sometimes I have the urge to pinch myself. Thank you Lord.

He has been preparing the way for me. I had a fantastic visit with my east coast family. The drive from Mesa, AZ to Elkridge, MD was difficult at times. Trials and difficulties make us stronger if we learn to listen to Him and obey. My next step of obedience awaits. I wanted to let you know how I am doing. My budget has not been met, but I know that God will supply ALL my needs according to his riches in glory!

Feel free to skype, facebook or e-mail. Cell phone communication gets expensive and tricky with the time difference. Remember that Israel is 9 hrs. ahead of mountain time.



Thank you again for your continued prayer and support.

Over and out for now.

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P.S. <u>It is free for you to call my phone</u>. It is very expensive for me to call you. My number is 011972572432950.