



LIFE-CENTER

„I am the way,
the truth, the life“
says Jesus Christ



“It was the best spiritual time that I ever had” (Ruby, 16)

“Such a thing I have never seen; I have never done such experiences”

(Flavy, 15)

“I have met God and He blessed me! (Moni, 17)

“I have spoken with an atheist on the street and he has changed his opinion about God” (Alex, 16)

“It was incredible how many people on the street were open for the gospel (Costy, 23)

“Many have mentioned their personal problems and illnesses and we could simply pray for them”

(Sabina, 16)

Completely exhausted and thankful, I (Stefan) am now on the return journey from the mission-trip with our teens of the x-treme-missions-group from Suceava. Nati is driving and I find some time for these lines. I personally am also totally excited about God's work in our teens and in the people from Timisoara.

Nearly two weeks ago we met Johannes Baumann and the German x-treme-missions-team. Together (we were 9 from Suceava and 10 from Germany) we had as our purpose to have many face-to-face-conversations about our God. Equipped with the Holy Spirit and 1400 „faith-love-hope“ booklets we were on the way many hours in this nicest city of Romania.

Surprised by the friendliness and openness of the population we could personally tell about our faith and joy in God to a lot of people. God Himself organised our program. Thus we found out one evening that almost all of us had conversations with Christians from the city, and they spoke very openly about their needs. With many of them we could pray. It was as if God's purpose for this day had been that we encourage the Christians.

Often we experienced God's direct leading and preparation with the „choice“ of the interlocutors. It was a great joy when a group of five teenagers was so interested, that they prayed together to give their life to Jesus and still hold furthermore contact with us by SMS and email.

We as leaders have not yet experienced such an openness for the gospel. Our host church in Timisoara asked Johannes and me, to come again and to train their young people and to sow enthusiasm for an evangelistic life style.

As a leader I am excited about the gain which our teenagers had personally. A main focus of the team was „a holy life“. Bible study, discussions, testimonies, personal prayers and counselling conversations have marked these days. At the end of our time we sat last night on the beach in Bulgaria and it was a joy for me to hear the teenagers telling each other very excited about all the good things they received in the last years. It would be a pleasure for me to tell you personally about it. Just call us and be encouraged by the testimonies.



What lies before us?

Next week the first one of the two children camps starts in Dersca. Our new youth groups from Siret and Negostina are supposed to be the coworker there and grow together to a team. We notice how hard and tough this beginning with them is. We are still strange to them and they themselves were not challenged up to now as a team. The preparation time is very scarce and for now discouraging. Please pray with us, that we have good experiences together which are motivating for them.

We also wish very much that they will go to the leaders training in September. Please pray also for the kids and the camp. Above all, that everyone will get to know God and becomes a friend of Jesus (this is the subject of the camps). We hope that we can give impulses for a future work with children.

We greet you warmly, *Stefan und Esther Armer*



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