

## **“The Powerful things God is doing thru TV...”**

Dear Come Home To Life (CHTL) Team,

When I first came to Life Christian Church, I was really neatly fit inside of my comfort zone. I wanted to learn the word from an authoritative standpoint and bring up my reliance on God. I really felt in my heart that this was the place to do it (Life Christian Church). I started to apply the principles that I heard Pastor Marie and the pastoral staff talking about, but there was one thing that stuck out from what I was hearing...“come out of your comfort zone and let God work thru you”, this is what Pastor Marie would always come back to in her messages. It took me a little time, but I knew that word was directly for me.

I thought to myself, I can try to come out of my comfort zone, but I’m going to need some help. I considered helping out as a prayer partner for CHTL, and this was what I decided was going to be my first step out of my comfort zone. “If couldn’t be that tough, right? I wasn’t going to be talking directly face to face with people, so it should be a good place to start”. I didn’t realize at the time, but God was taking baby-steps with me to grow me up in Him. I found myself the first night as a prayer partner praying, “God, don’t let the phones ring, I’m scared”. I wasn’t realizing the impact that I could potentially have on other people, but thank God...He had a plan.

I recall my very first conversation with a person that called for prayer. They asked if we could pray together about a job that they really needed to receive or they would lose their house. We prayed. I didn’t hear back until the following week, but this person called back and gave me the most phenomenal testimony I could imagine at the time...they received the job and their house was saved. My comfort zone started to expand without even realizing it. The scriptures started to ring in my head more than the telephone lines, “where two or more are gathered in My name, I am in their midst”. God was in our midst, even by phone. The phones continued to ring and the prayer partner team continues to grow. We have realized that it’s a step of faith, but when we take it (in any situation in our lives) God is there to help us thru. People are so blessed by this precious ministry that Pastor Marie founded on the Biblical principles of connecting with God.

To date, there have been more healings, salvations, and lives saved in distressed situations than can be counted. It all took shape by a simple step of faith that seemed so big at the time. I have noticed that my life has been shaped and molded to a higher level by just stepping out and letting God work thru me.

There are not words to describe my thankfulness to God for the wonderful things that He is doing thru this team. Thank you Pastor Marie and the CHTL team for offering me such an opportunity to step out and experience everything that God has in store for my life and family. I am so deeply gratified by this opportunity and by faith continue to look for more and more ways that we as servants of Him can make an impact in others’ lives.

Partners in serving Him,  
Debbie