

Fire Ministries

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Life Gathering
in Ireland





Thoughts From Kelly:

Hallelujah that Jesus is alive and living in us! I just want to thank Him, and you for making this time of gathering unto Jesus such a precious time. I believe the Lord moved in the hearts of the young adults who gathered in ways that will affect many of them for years to come, if not the rest of their lives. I know the Lord was able to move so freely and minister so deeply because of the hunger of those who came, and the prayers of the saints who covered us during this trip. Not only did the Lord pour His Life into the team, but the team poured out His Life to the children of the community where we met. We supported a local children's ministry by putting on a bible club based on the book "Hinds Feet on High Places". The woman who oversees the children's activities in that area said, "I have seen miracles these days... the children have never acted so peacefully and responded to the Lord so openly." The Lord's presence and dealing was with us both as we sought His face in our gatherings and as we poured out His love to the children. Rather than sharing more of my own thoughts, I thought it would be more of a blessing to share the thoughts of the team that went to Ireland and participated in the Life Gathering. The following pages share their thoughts and sentiments concerning the trip.

His Together Forever, *Kelly*



"Wow! What a special time of life gathering! Was it not just wonderful to see the love shown through everybody from the break of day until bedtime? In everything that happened, in every meeting, in every mealtime, in every small group and in every quiet time the Lord was to be seen. To Him be the glory and the increase. Thank you Father.

Yes, there also were tears. Not tears of sorrow, but tears of joy. For what an experience it was! One which I was honored and blessed to have been a part of. Thank you Jesus. Thank you, my Lord." Alastair.

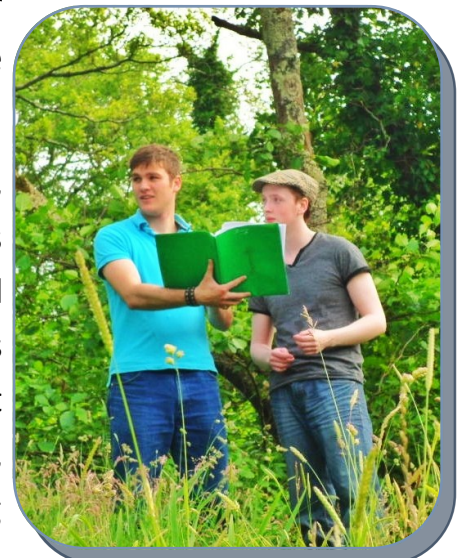


"We who gathered, did so to fill up on the risen Christ. The risen Christ that is seen in His body. The body which He purchased with His blood. The one Paul calls the first born among many brethren (Romans 8:29). To experience God's heart with those of a kindred spirit is a real blessing from our father. To do it with those my own age, truly is a gift from above!

To those who gave, those who prayed and those who covered us all, in order for the

Lamb's life to be loosed, may the grace of our Lord Jesus wash over you with our thanks. Your pouring out really paved the way for the Holy Spirit to move and shake!

For the entire gathering, our time was spent seeking Jesus' face, surrendering to the conforming work of the Spirit and applying His word in practical ways. There was nothing 'far out' or philosophical about anything....thank the Lord!! In fact the entire theme was based upon a children's book called 'Hinds feet on high places.' Yet it seemed to be that the simple steps we all began to take in faith, were the ones laying that deep foundation of the word being actually formed in us." Ed



Ed and Alexander



"During this special time of gathering unto the Lord, his Spirit has been so present with us in every session in a really precious way. The Lord has really shown me that I have a choice, daily to try and live for God, or to deny myself and let Jesus live in me. His kingdom is in our hearts, the best thing I can do is to surrender my all to Him, to allow Him to fill me with His very life

and to live in union with Him, for without Him it amounts to nothing. It has been so precious to gather unto Him to just be with Him. Not to come to Him for what I can get from Him, but to gather unto Him to know Him. Not just to know about Him. The Lord is truly wonderful." Nicola.



Brianna.

"This life gathering has been phenomenal. The Lord has once again exceeded my rather limited expectations for what has shown me. One thing that really struck home with me, that the Lord continually showed me during the ten marvelous days we had together, was that we are so convinced of our right to kingship. Yet, as C.S. Lewis said, *'the cross comes before the crown and tomorrow is a Monday morning.'* Praise the Lord, He is the rightful and just king."





This life gathering taught us a new way to relate to our Lord Jesus. It revealed a new place, that is at His side, where we allow His blood and water pour out on those who spear us.

Raphaëlle.

"I consider everything a loss compared to the surpassing greatness of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. I desire to not know anything else but KNOWING Him. Oh, to KNOW Him. And He has answered my heart's cry, He showed me who He is... the David who walks off the throne and outside the camp, esteeming others above Himself, dying and broken for others.

To really know Him where He is, is outside the camp because it is His nature to walk off a throne (Philippians 2:6-8). Also, if we love Him, where else would we go? We want to be with Him where He is. HE is our life, in Him we abide and live. Hebrew 13 v 13-14. *'Let us, then go to Him outside the the camp, bearing the disgrace He bore. For here we do not have an enduring city, but are looking for the city that is to come'.*" Alana.



Luke 2:18-19 *"And all who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds said unto them. Mary treasured up all these things and pondered them in her heart".*

If we replace the word "shepherds" with the names of those who gathered, then right there is the reason why we are with God at this Life Gathering.

Naomi.



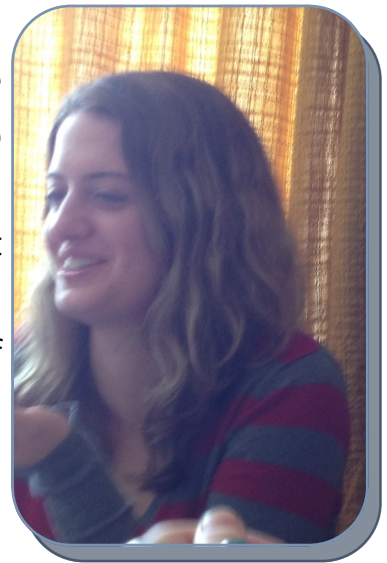


"The Lord has so moved on this trip. I could constantly feel the Holy Spirit among our group. For me this trip was a wedding, a re-stating of my vows with Christ Jesus. It was such a wonderful, fresh start, for I was starting to get lazy in my relationship with the Lord. This trip however, has re-awakened my love. For the winter is over. The winter for now is done! I want to say thank

you to everyone who has supported this trip with prayer. I know it has touched many, very deeply." Love in Christ, Ezra Jane.



Through His body on this trip, the Lord spoke to me. He spoke to tell me that HE is beginning a deep and slow work in me that will erase, forever, old identities. The most beautiful moment of the entire trip for me, was when God, my Father, whispered in His voice so rich in love, these words: *'Tell Lindsey that everything is ok'.*" Lindsey.



The Life gathering was like a warm shower after a hard days work, which left me refreshed and cleansed. I was able to come to God as I was, and allow Him to wash over me by His Spirit and lather me with love from the others that were there. I left ready to spend time with Him as His bride. Jill.



Sinead



Keilah



Reuben

A SPECIAL "THANK YOU" FROM THE TEAM TO FIRE MINISTRY'S SUPPORTERS:

SO much Jesus gets poured out on these trips, through Kelly and through the people that she brings. Seeds of Christ are being planted all over Ireland and elsewhere, and a great harvest is coming. That is not to mention the harvest we already see when we come with Kelly, in ourselves and others. Thank you so very much for giving to a ministry that has changed so many lives, including my own. Love in Christ, Lindsey

From the bottom of my heart, it is my wish to thank you. Christ forming in the next generation is occurring and has occurred here. The tender and compassionate faithfulness of your gifts to Kelly's ministry have reaped a true reward for our Father's kingdom. May you both be blessed and comforted by the Almighty.

With love, from a humbled brother in Jesus, Ed.

Hi! He has shown me more of who He is, how His heart is and He has shown me more of His love. ... through Kelly and this life gathering. So, without your support, this could not have happened. AND... we have just ministered to many disadvantaged children, who accepted Christ! Again, thank you for making it possible for us to do that. Alana

This young team of people have been a great blessing to our local church and to the children in our community. Thank you for your faithfulness. Alastair and Raphaelle

Thank you so much for supporting Kelly, and therefore me. This trip is amazing and I have been so blessed by the Lord. So thank you- None of us would have been so blessed if it were not for you! Ezzie Jensen

Thank you ! Thank you very much for your support and for allowing us all to gather unto the Lord. It has been an amazing time, so filled by life and love. Thank you from my heart. Nicola Waring

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