



PRESIDENT'S LETTER

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Dear Friends,

Grace and peace be unto you. Jesus said, "My peace I give to you" and it will not be as the world gives from the world's system. To live in His peace continually, requires being concerned about the direction of our will. Let us learn to live detached from the world's system, embracing God's Kingdom, completely abandoned to Him, loving God more than ourselves, and His glory more than our very life. The peace and rest that comes from God can only be found in simple obedience. Sometimes this requires our obedience even when we do not understand. However, it is through this type of abandonment that we discover the **river** that brings life, who's water feeds the trees that produce monthly fruit for **food**, and leaves to be used for **medicine**. (Ezekiel 47:12)

It is with great joy that I am able to testify that our two Prayer Conferences in Örebro Sweden, shrouded with this kind of peace, were incredible. It is unfortunate that each of you could not have been with us. The three days just before the conferences were dedicated to our ICCC International Board meeting in which your International Leadership team met together from 9:00 a.m. each morning to well into the evening. There was a heavy agenda and many decisions were required. Nonetheless, the time was very rich as we worked and prayed together. Every decision was made unanimously and in total unity. At the conclusion of the Board meeting, together in prayer, we imparted this spirit of purpose and unity into our ICCC Prayer Conference, "Rule in the midst of your Enemies" Psalm 110. We had just over 150 delegates from about 40 nations registered prior to the beginning of our meetings; however by the conclusion of the Prayer Conference, we had well over 200 participating. God spoke to us very dynamically, both through the Conference speakers as well as several prophetic words. Intermingled throughout this were powerful seasons of prayer, repentance and structured intercession. On behalf of the many who are now reporting their lives have been permanently changed, I feel I can honestly recommend that you acquire the audio recordings of the Conference Messages.

At the close of this exclusively ICCC Conference, the ongoing spirit of purpose, unity and joy was then imparted into the upcoming "Transformation and Reformation" Conference. Co-hosted by ICCC and the Kristet Center Örebro (Christian Center Church Örebro), who's Senior Pastor is Per-Ake Eliasson, this truly was a groundbreaking event in a number of ways. To our knowledge, it is the first time anywhere that a Marketplace Ministry co-hosted an international event in complete cooperation with a major regional Church. The success of the Conference was the ongoing spirit of purpose, unity and joy enhanced by the incredible graciousness and



cooperation of the Church as they went 'above and beyond' in serving the delegates. God's glory was manifest at the beginning of each day from the time we entered the parking area until the last meal and coffee was served around 23:00 each evening.

The expected attendance of 800-1000 was exceeded as the conference swelled to well over 1,200, including 50 of the leading regional pastors from Sweden, Norway, Finland and Denmark. The significance of this is that many of these delegates and pastors heard the message of God's Kingdom purpose, beyond the four walls of a building, in a new dimension for the Marketplace and the Church. God's sweet presence was among us in a gentle, yet powerful way as we entered into extended sessions of worship and intercession, around the word being delivered by the Conference speakers.

To the delegates, which comprised church members, pastors, pulpit ministers, and marketplace ministers, God communicated that in this 'New Day' His Kingdom will be expanded here on earth to resemble how it is in heaven, by way of "Revelation and Relationship".

Please allow me to have just a little more space here to pass along to you just a few of the many testimonies that are now coming to us. One couple reported that they came to the conference with many difficulties. Among their problems was the fact that the wife's father is an active Freemason and they were living under the burden of that stronghold. At the Conference they "met God deeply". They were moved to give sacrificially and God released them in a new way, and now their "lives are completely changed". They are both thankful and very grateful to God. They have also "developed a love for ICCC".

Pastor Thomas Muthee, one of our Conference speakers who is also one of the featured examples on the first Transformation video, made this statement: "You have no idea how the message of this Conference has impacted my life and how it will impact our church and community when I go back home." Pastor Per-Aka Eliasson of Christian Center Church Örebro, made the following statement about the Conference: "We have been offered a rocket ride into a new orbit, and we will never be the same again."

I could give many more testimonies, but I must close for now. I think in summing up the Conference, our ICCC Chairman and founder J. Gunnar Olson said it best: "Spiritually all our goals were being met, along with all that we had carried in our spirit. Something new is now happening in the region. Pastors, who earlier were opposed to one another, are now meeting weekly for intensive prayer for our city, and God answers prayer!"

Please allow me to encourage you once again to get the audiotapes from the conference, which can be ordered through our International office in Sweden at international.office@iccc.net. God is always faithful, but this time when He showed up there was no mistaking it was Him. He had a real message for us as we entered His presence on a number of occasions through prayer and strategic intercession.

To God be all the glory,

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