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Oasis Family Life Enrichment Centre

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A Reflection of my 40 Years of Service in the Lord:

The Scripture says: "Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain a heart of wisdom....May the favor of the Lord our God rest upon us; establish the work of our hands for us—yes establish the work of our hands." (Ps.90:12,17)

Ever since I graduated from Trinity Theological College in 1975, I was appointed as an assistant pastor, a supply pastor, a full time executive secretary to the Board of Christian Education, Pastor in charge, District Superintendent, Director to spearhead the Family Life Education Centre and finally retired from the Chinese Annual Conference of Methodist Church in Singapore in 2009.



Looking back at my 34 years of ministry in the church, I discovered that I could hold none of the appointments a bit longer even though I wished to do so. Moreover, whatever idea or ministry that I implemented in the church for the advancement of His Kingdom was replaced by something different when I left. It seems to me that the church may be able to keep her members to grow old gradually in the church but the ministry introduced by one minister after another always remains at its beginning stage. I wonder when the church or individual believers will be able to "leave the elementary teachings about Christ and go on to maturity" (Heb.6:1).

I was then challenged by the idea of "preparing God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up, until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ." (Eph.4:12-13) (see page 4)

Our sincere thanks to God's wonderful leading and enabling us to see some fruits of our ministry:

Oasisflec Training Centre in Sitiawan:

God has wonderfully transformed the inheritance from our late parents into a brand new training Centre which was launched for our ministry in January. It is located in Sitiawan (Perak), reachable by direct coaches from Singapore and KLIA. With 15 guest rooms (air-cond /water-heater), a training room for 30 persons & a children activity room, we conduct Family Life Educators Training, Education Camps & cater for small group Retreats where campers can also enjoy cheap/ delicious seafood, touring Pangkor Island, visit the Methodist Heritage/ join the Fuzhou Cultural tours.



Oasis Training Centre Sitiawan



Educator Course (1)



Marriage Preparation



Methodist Museum



Educator Course (2)

- 4 batches of 12-day Family Life Educator Course (Level 2) were conducted since its opening. 46 pastoral workers from China went through the course.
- Barker Road Methodist Church had sponsored 6 pastors from Guilin and Changsha to join the course.
- 14 Malaysian and Singaporean pastors had attended 1st batch Family Life Educator Course (Level 1) for local region.
- Our training centre is also conducive enough for conducting other family wellness series.

"I hate divorce," says the Lord.(Mal.2:15). However, the government reported that China's divorce rate climbed by 3.9% to 3.6 million cases in 2014. That was the 12th consecutive annual increase, according to a report in the Beijing Youth Daily. For every four couples that married in China last year, there was one divorce.

We are not a savior of marriages or families, but try to establish a defense mechanism with churches for today's families. We have touched many couples' lives. Many unbelieving spouses have been sanctified, broken marriages reconciled and rebuilt, extra marital affairs were renounced in order to enrich marriages. All glory be to our Lord who has blessed our ministry.

China Mission:

1. **Fujian Province:** A pool of Family Life Educators trained some years ago was integrated into the Board of Women Ministry of Fuqing Annual Conference. They were given credential to promote family wellness ministry in the conference. A first Marriage Enrichment Camp in October brought 18 unbelievers to the Lord.
2. **Liaoning Province:** Our mission was extended to Shenyang through our first Educator from Dalian. After organizing a Marriage Enrichment Camp and a Family Life Educator Course in Dalian, she accepted an invitation to train Covenant Family group leaders in Shenyang for a Marriage Enrichment Camp next February. This will lead us to working with more house churches in North Eastern China.
3. **Hunan Province:** The President of Hunan's Lianghui, Rev. Chen Zhi sent 4 of his co-workers to attend the Educator Course (level 1 & 2) at our Sitiawan Centre with the sponsorship from Barker Road Methodist Church. In June they conducted a 2-days Family Life Seminar in Yongzhou Church. They are now actively training leaders to lead Covenant Family Groups as preparation for conducting a Marriage Enrichment Camp next year.
4. **Zhejiang Province:** Our staff in Hangzhou organized 4 Educator Courses and 6 Marriage Enrichment Camps in different cities of Zhejiang (Huzhou, Keqiao, Yuhuan, Ling-an). Many trained Educators have been organizing Family Wellness programmes in their respective churches as well. Our Family Life Educator Course has been accredited as a subject to fulfill the diploma programme of Christian Education Training School in Wenzhou. This has enabled us to meet students from various provinces in China. Our course materials have been published and distributed for internal use only by our Hangzhou Eden Garden Wellness Consultancy Co.



Fuqing District Marriage Enrichment Camp – Altar call



Dalian Youhao Church Marriage Enrichment



At Yongzhou church with Barker Rd Mission Team & 7 Educators from Hunan/Guilin



Christian Education Training School in Wenzhou

Program in Malaysia

1	Sitiawan	Jan 15-31	Educator Course (1 & 2) for China Pastors
2	Sitiawan	Mar 3-12	Educator Course (2) for China Pastors,
3	Pt Dickson	Apr 13-14	GC (Malaysia)-Pastor's School - Workshop speaker
4	KL	Jun 13-14	Family Life Edn Seminar @ Selayang MC
5	Malacca	Jul 8-9	CAC (Malaysia) Senior Camp speaker
6	Sitiawan	Jul 11-14	Self-awareness Camp
7	Cameron H L	Jul 17-19	Setapat MC Family camp
8	Sitiawan	Jul 20-25	Educator Course (1) for Singapore/ Malaysia Pastors
9	Sitiawan	Jul 27-Aug 7	Educator Course (2) for China Pastors
10	Sitiawan	Aug 8-10	Marriage Preparation Course
11	Sitiawan	Aug-15	Mtg with Taiwan U student group
12	Ipoh	Aug29-30	Berchem MC Family Life Edn Seminar



At Methodist Camp site
Cameron Highland



Educator Course (Level 2) Jan' 15



At Selayang Methodist Church



Educator Course (Level 2) Mar'15



Self-awareness camp



Educator Course (Level 2) Apr '15

Summary of Main Activities in 2015

1	Trip to China	5 trips (97 days)
2	Trip to Malaysia	6 trips (91 days)
3	Marriage Enrichment Camps	11 (China)
4	Educator course (1)	8 (China & Malaysia)
5	Educator course (2)	4 (Malaysia)
6	Family Life Seminar/ Camps	10 (China & Malaysia)
7	Pulpit Ministry	23 (Singapore)
8	Marriage Solemnization	6 (Singapore)



Visitors from Tiawan University



Educator Course (Level 2) Aug '15

Income/ Expenditure (Dec'14 to Nov'15)

Income :

1. Balance B/F	\$136.66
2. Donations	\$63,477.50
3. China Mission support	\$25,859.19
4. Preaching, counselling & Course	\$41,789.00
	\$131,262.35

Expenditure:

1. Singapore (staff & office)	\$69,235.94
2. Sitiawan (staff & training exp)*	\$28,550.00
3. China (staff & air tickets)	\$33,290.60
	\$131,076.54
Balance C/F	\$185.81

*Exclude renovation/set-up cost

Acknowledgement:

We sincerely thank all who have partnered us in service, prayer and donations. Your support has enabled us to enlarge our mission significantly. This mission focuses on equipping pastors to prevent marriages and families from satanic deceptions and attacks especially in China. For the time being, though we are still weak and small, by God's grace I believe it will grow like a mustard seed pnted in the soil of China.

Our prayer requests:

1. *Raising sufficient funds to organize a 3-day Family Life Educators' Conference in Hangzhou from 9 to 11 May, 2016. We hope to sponsor the expenses of 70 active educators as an encouragement to their ministry.*
2. *Wisdom and funds to write and publish teacher's guidebook for "Courting couple Course" by next March.*
3. *Good health and strength to cope with the many activities throughout 2016 especially meeting the needs of house churches in North Eastern China and Xinjiang.*
4. *Journey mercies especially for long distance driving and flights.*
5. *God's Protection over the security of the training centre from thefts.*
6. *Anointing of the Holy Spirit in delivering His messages.*
7. *God's blessing and team spirit among the staff members and voluntary workers.*

Note: - Besides our mission trips to China and Sitiawan, we work from JB home office from Monday to Wednesday and at Singapore Oasisflec office from Friday till Sunday. Should you need any attention please feel free to call Ms Mei Lo @ 62747480 or 90065338 to arrange for appointment.



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I presume that it may be possible only when men and women are individually equipped for their divine appointments of being godly husbands and godly wives as well as godly fathers and godly mothers. These positions are meant for the entire life and will not be changed and retired .

Certainly it is God's will that a man and a woman are joined to be one as God the Father and Son are one. It is so that they are able to love one another in the likeness of God the Father and the Son. This will enable all who are born again Christian couples to manifest themselves as a new creation in the image and likeness of God. For the Lord God said, "Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, let them rule . . . male and female He created them." (Gen.1:26-27)

We must also realize that when Christ died on the cross He actually fulfilled what God has spoken to the Serpent that his head would be crushed. Thus Christian couples are not subjected to the control of the evil one. They are also redeemed from the curse of law. However, they must be taught and be equipped for the mission that Adam and Eve were asked to do in Garden of Eden. Christian families may then be able to multiply godly offspring as God desires. (Mal.2:15) Consequently, the church may be formed by many godly and mature men and women as they have been nurtured in their families as Christ Jesus who was nurtured by grace and truth in a family of a righteous couple for 30 years.

I am convinced that God has been faithfully nurturing me in my past 40 years of fulltime ministry in the Lord for the ministry that I am doing. I am looking forward to building



up a youthful generation of Family Life Educators to prepare God's people for the ministry of building up the body of Christ. "May the favor of the Lord our God rest upon us; establish the work of our hands for us —yes establish the work of our hands" (Ps.90:12,17)

From: Francis & Karen Ngai