

# REALITY

NEWS - Winter 2023

HEAVEN'S GATES  
&  
HELL'S FLAMES

  
REALITY OUTREACH  
MINISTRIES

**Isaiah 43v19 ESV** *See, I am doing a new thing! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.*

This prophecy is a wonderful reminder of the real message of Christmas as we celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ. This is a declaration of God's plan to bring salvation to a lost and broken world through the birth, life and death of His precious Son Jesus. A new covenant that offers forgiveness of sin, new life, and eternal life through the blood of Jesus Christ shed on the cross for every one of us.

This is the good news of the Gospel that we continue to share to a lost and broken world through the powerful drama Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames wherever we find an open door.

## POWERFUL MINISTRY IN KENYA

For some years now, we have had a team operating in Kenya in partnership with CITAM church. Such is the open door in this region that this team has experienced wonderful opportunities to bring the Gospel message to hundreds of thousands of people in schools, universities, shopping malls and many other places.

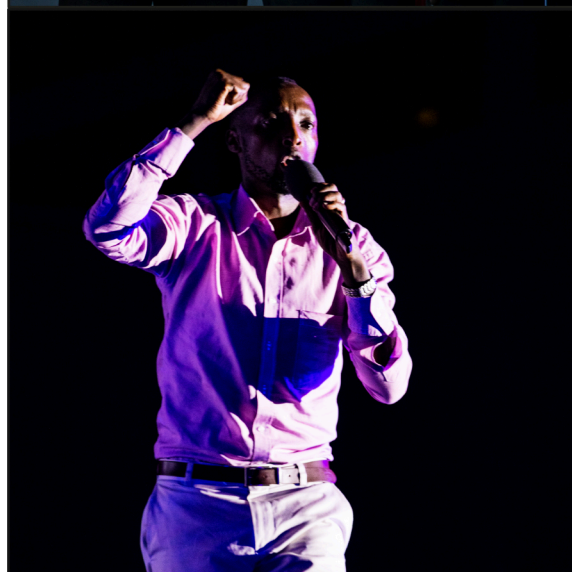
We give glory to God for the tens of thousands who have made the decision to follow Christ during these missions and look to Him for the harvest in the coming years.

## GOD IS DOING A 'NEW THING' IN EAST AFRICA

Over the past 2-3 years a vision has been developing for an expansion of our ministry with Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames in the wider East Africa region. Rev John Gatheca worked with the team based out of CITAM for many years and we have seen his passion for reaching the lost and how he captures the vision and values of Reality Outreach Ministries.

In this time John and his wife Kezia have been increasingly sensing the call of God to reach out beyond the borders of Kenya and into the wider East Africa region. Invitations are already coming in from Rwanda, Tanzania and DRC.

A new foundation has been established for HGHF East Africa and we have appointed Rev John as our director for that region. We have also been busy getting sound, lighting and multi media equipment together to enable them to minister effectively.



In November our head of missions, Carl Bath and myself were able to go to Nairobi to officially launch this new team. Read the exciting story overleaf...

Top: Our Jesus at Ruaraka Baptist Church, Nairobi  
Middle: Cast praying for souls  
Bottom: Rev John Gatheca giving an altar call





Our main goal during this recent visit to Kenya was to launch our new team for East Africa. During the past two years Reality Outreach Ministries has put a lot of work into planning this launch. Rev John has been setting up the new foundation in Kenya, funds have been raised through the amazing generosity of many of God's people and a full set of sound, lighting and multimedia equipment shipped from UK.

Our goal was to establish Rev John and Kezia as a team that is easily able to travel long distances so the priority was a small but good quality system that will serve them well for many years. We were thrilled that everything arrived and is now working well for the team. Even the small generator we purchased ran the system well allowing our first presentation of HGHF to continue without interruption whilst the whole region experienced a power outage.

We had a launch party which was well attended by a good number of people who are standing with Rev John and Kezia in prayer and support for this new season of ministry. We also conducted a two night mission at Rauraka Baptist Church where we saw thousands attending and hundreds making a commitment to follow Jesus Christ.



The open door for the Gospel in this region is very clear to see, with open invitations to schools, universities and other public institutions. Many people were saying how significant this moment in time felt and there is great expectation for God to move powerfully in East Africa in this next season for Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames.

**NEXT STEPS:** We now have all the equipment, costumes and set up required plus a trailer to carry it all. What we need next is a strong, reliable car to tow the trailer to these various destinations. Our biggest challenge in all of this has been the local Kenyan tax system. Having already been hit with around 60% import duty on the equipment we see vehicles, even used local vehicles, carry a very high price because of these taxes. So we are looking to raise a minimum of \$45,000 USD for a suitable vehicle. If you would like to be part of the solution then please do get in touch so we can discuss the best way to proceed. Please pray for this need as we move to the next stages of this exciting project for the kingdom of God.

**Check out our video report for the East Africa Launch mission at [realityoutreach.org.uk/video-gallery](http://realityoutreach.org.uk/video-gallery)**

## COMING UP:

We will be seeing the new year in with Potters House Church in Waltham Forest, London. What better way to see the new year in than to preach the good news of the Gospel and bring souls to faith in Christ. Please pray for a great harvest.

Carl (our head of missions) and I plan to go to Kenya again in late February, early March to give further training to our CITAM Kenya team and further consolidate the new season for East Africa missions.



### CROYDON ETERNITY CHURCH

We had a great mission with an enthusiastic cast and give God the glory for a great response. We are looking forward to going back again in Easter 2024.



### RHEMA CHURCH ELTHAM

Our first time with this wonderful church in Eltham, London. We thank God for a lot of young people making a public decision to follow Christ.



### POTTERS HOUSE DUBLIN

It was such a joy to partner with this church to reach the many lost souls in Dublin. A wonderful response each night for the glory of God.

**A BIG THANK YOU!** To those of you who partner with us through prayer and financial support. It is your faithfulness that enables us to go. Jesus taught us to pray "Thy Kingdom come thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven". Thank you for standing with us to make that a reality.

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