



Come Follow Me Course

Stories of Impact

FEEDBACK FROM BELIEVERS OF MUSLIM BACKGROUND (BMBs)

A Bengali believer:

“It’s amazing how this book brings up the kind of questions I am dealing with”

A BMB leader in Bangladesh:

Momotaz Ali said, “We should have started this TEE course of SKT long before. It’s a very effective course to help our participants grow spiritually. The ‘Come and Follow Me’ is really a good course for every believer in our country. [It] has created an opportunity among us to sit together once a week to know God and how to follow His words. It can be done anywhere and anytime. It’s a God- given privilege to us!... To me many things of Christianity were not clear before, but now this course has made those things clear. The book *Come Follow Me* is a great help to understand Christianity. I am happy for doing this course.”



An Egyptian believer:

“This book is so helpful as it speaks to my issues and worries about following Jesus”

An Iranian group in Malaysia:

A church in Malaysia has a group of Iranians. Most are believers, one or two are pre-believers. An Iranian pastor was leading the group. He very much likes the Farsi course because it so relevant to the culture and he thinks the translation is excellent. He has to leave Malaysia soon but I am continuing it. The course is proving a good way to bridge the language barrier because I don’t have to deliver the teaching in English; it is already there in Farsi so the group members can discuss it right away. They have finished lesson 6 so far and are very enthusiastic about it.

An Afghan group in India:

“All the lessons have been prepared in a very simple and easy to understand format... The strength of this book is that every brother and sister, young or old, has the opportunity to freely share their thoughts, questions, problems and pains – as they’ve experienced in their lives. It is this that makes the student interested and they open up, can pray, not for themselves but for others... Their minds open up and see what Christianity is all about. As one student said, ‘Oh that we had these spiritual courses 10 years ago! How much we’ve been in darkness and ignorance.’ ”

A believer in Yorkshire:

“Before I do this course, my knowledge about Christian faith was little but this course helped to learn more about Christ and his teachings, I am understanding Christian faith better now, thank you for writing this book!”

FEEDBACK FROM CHRISTIAN MENTORS OF BMBs

A pastor in Manchester:

"I'm doing a *Come Follow Me* course with a small group of Iranians - using the Farsi edition. It is working fabulously - I don't think I've ever worked with a more enthusiastic group - they are really enjoying it and growing very fast. I think there are a couple of leaders developing among the group. And they are encouraging me... I'm giving out *Come Follow Me* all over the place and people are loving it. Three Iranians in a church where I'm working have just finished it - absolutely loved it. Be encouraged!!" (Phil Rawlings)

A pastor in Bradford:

"I found this course really helpful and have recommended it to clergy colleagues in Bradford to use with others from a Muslim background. I found the whole course helpful in different ways but thinking through calling God Father with those from a Muslim background was instructive and enriching personally."

A mission worker in London:

"This is a really helpful guide for directing conversations down routes I wouldn't always have thought of when it comes to discipling people from a Muslim background. Working through 1 Peter alongside the ideas and questions brought up by *Come Follow Me* seems to have been of great benefit to the 3-4 believers from a Muslim background I have met with." (Rob Scott)

Christian mentors in Germany

- 1) "I know a lot about the culture of the Afghans. This course goes into the inner attitude of these people and really addresses the issues that make it difficult for them to approach Jesus".
- 2) "I would like to thank you for the material of the course "Come, follow me". It is great and helps me a lot to do discipleship with my Muslim group."
- 3) "I, myself, at even a bit surprised how these become believers! They all attend my *Come Follow Me* course, and they have grown amazingly! I do think the course has helped these men to become real believers. Some of them say that they had told lies in their interviews in Sweden or Norway, and now they want to have a "new start" and tell the truth, even though it means that they will not get a asylum place here in Germany. They say it is better to have a clean conscience with God than stay in Germany because of lies! And that is much for an Afghan!!"
- 4) "Greetings from our Afghan leaders seminar. It's very encouraging to hear from some of them using CFM in their country (Austria) and even into Afghanistan via telephone (from UK)."

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