



Dhan & Dolly Lalsee

Zimbabwe



February 2013

25th February, 2013

The Principal Director
Immigration
Department of Immigration
Liquenda House
Nelson Mandela Avenue
Harare

Dear Sir,

Reference: 11278/07 -

APPLICATION FOR RESIDENCE: DHANNYRAM HENRY LALSEE AND SPOUSE: AGATHA LALSEE

We are pleased to confirm that the above-named applicant, Dhannyram Henry Lalsee and his wife, Agatha Lalsee, residing at 3 Duiker Lane, Mandara, Harare, are Christian missionaries in Zimbabwe with Harvest International Inc., a missionary organisation based in Ocala, Florida in the USA.

They arrived in Zimbabwe on 26th June, 2008, pursuant to a Residence and Temporary Employment Permit granted to them in March 2008. This was last renewed for the period 20th April 2012 to 20th April 2013.

Since their arrival, they have been engaged in Christian ministry activities with Christ the Rock Ministries International (CTRMI) and also other churches, Pastors and Leaders in Harare and elsewhere in this Country. Their work is highly beneficial and greatly appreciated by all concerned. We, as well as other beneficiaries, have asked them to continue their work in Zimbabwe by serving the Christian community as they have been doing since 2008. This they have agreed to do. We therefore look forward, with great anticipation, to their being allowed to do so.

In order to enable them to continue this work, Mr and Mrs Lalsee are applying for the grant of Residence and we are pleased to commend their application to you. We shall therefore be most grateful if you will accede to their request and look forward to your kind assistance in this regard.

Sincerely in Christ,

Dhan & Dolly



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Today, we are writing from Dominica where we are visiting our daughter and her family and friends and waiting for Dolly's new passport. We return to Grenada on the 24th for a month where we have two speaking engagements at Missions Conferences, then back to Florida (Ocala), Pennsylvania and New York in the Fall for another three Conferences (Dhan will speak at two) before returning to Grenada at the end of October, and back to Zimbabwe in January.

Over the last few weeks, we have had the extreme pleasure of seeing several of you, and getting "welcome back" hugs. We also had the privilege of sharing with many, in church buildings and homes, individually and in group settings, sometimes over a meal and often late into the evening hours. Our first stop was London, then Florida (Miami, Ft Lauderdale, Ocala, Gainesville), Texas, Nebraska and Kansas (Elbing, Burrton, Newton). In some cases, we met with past missionary colleagues, former pastors, their children and grands. What a joy that was. We had not seen many of them since 1986 but we share many precious memories, including Dhan's conversion and early spiritual growth. Thanks for making all of this possible, for your warm welcome and for the implicit yet powerful reminders that you are indeed a vital part of our ministry.

As you can imagine, we have already slept in many beds and packed and unpacked dozens of times during the past two months. Throughout, we have been the beneficiaries of the kindness and gracious hospitality of many who, with love and goodwill, bravely put up with our many movements, entrances and exits, and coped with the resulting uncertainties in their schedules. Words are inadequate to express our deep appreciation to you all. Thanks for allowing the Lord to use you to provide our accommodation and transportation needs.

You would have seen on the news that the Zimbabwe elections were held on July 31 and, from all accounts, it was relatively peaceful. However, we ask that you continue to pray for the Country - particularly, that out of this, the Church would grow and be strengthened, and that the Lord's people would display great maturity as they honor Him in their lives.

Several of you have also joined us in praying for our sister-in-law, Valda, who had surgery in June to remove a mass on her brain. The surgery was a great success but unfortunately the pituitary could not be saved. We are happy to report that the doctors are pleased that she continues to make very good progress. She has one final doctor's visit before returning to Grenada on the 18th. We appreciate your standing with us; thank God for His mercies and pray that she would enjoy good health as she learns to live on hormone replacements.

Above all, we praise our heavenly Father for His favor and faithfulness as we recall our Lord's words to Peter and the other disciples in Mark 10:29-30. Indeed, He is no man's debtor; He is worthy!



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March 2013

Dear Friends,

The past four weeks have certainly been different for us. After meeting with only one group, we postponed all other classes. Being at home gave us the opportunity to catch up on some work, including stuff we had not been able to schedule for years. So we made good use of the time, for which we thank the Lord. We are arranging to resume meeting with each of the five groups starting in another couple weeks.

This month marks the fifth anniversary of the grant of our first permit to carry on the work which the Lord assigned us. We were advised that at the end of five years, no further work permits are granted; that one would either leave the Country or apply for a residence permit. We opted for the latter, not being persuaded that the Lord had indicated that we should leave; but we did wonder what the outcome would be. However, we could hardly believe it when, within two weeks, we were granted a two-year permit! So, we praise God for this and can now approach the next two years with a good measure of clarity and confidence. Join us in praising His holy Name!

As you would recall from our letters of several months now, we have been considering a furlough this year, and had been asking that you pray with us in this regard. We have three reasons for desiring a furlough – first, to report to you our partnering friends and to encourage you to continue your involvement in world missions; also, to see and spend some time with our children (two girls) and our grands (two girls and three boys); and thirdly, to visit our siblings. Our two grand-daughters will be sixteen and fourteen this year and we really feel the need to have an input, albeit limited, in their lives. In order to accomplish all of this without being exhausted at the end, we feel we ought to use the rest of the year from May.

We have finalized most of our itinerary and want to keep you informed of our plans. We leave Zim on Monday May 20th, spend the next week in London, then fly onto Miami where we will be based for a few weeks. We are also planning, however, to visit the Ocala/Gainesville areas in June, and Texas, Nebraska and Kansas in July. A visit to Dominica is scheduled for July/August before we fly to Grenada where we plan to be during September, some of October and the rest of the year. We are attaching a copy of our itinerary for your information and prayer. Since we do not yet have a US cell # you may contact us via email, or at our Head Office (1-352-622-1818) while we are in the US.

The Lord continues to amaze us by how He has gone before us to make preparations for this trip. Earlier this year, we asked Him if He would provide us with a car and accommodation while in Miami, as well as a place to stay in London. We prayed specifically about these matters, mentioned them to no one else, and left them in His hands. A few evenings ago, we received an email from our head office saying that a friend from Pennsylvania had been trying to reach us to let us know he was leaving a car in Miami for our use. Another friend in Miami contacted us saying, “You know you’re always welcome to stay with us....” Friends from Grenada living within walking distance of one of Dhan’s sisters, informed us that we could stay with them while in London. Wow isn’t our Father just wonderful? Do we hear a chorus of praise, in unison with us, to Him?

There is much to be done between now and May 20, and we ask for your prayers for this too. Please also remember to pray that God would meet our every need during the furlough. Above all, we believe this is part of the spiritual journey on which the Lord is taking us so, we not only appreciate your prayers, Friend; we are counting on them. Thanks for your love and friendship, and for your faithfulness to the Lord. Blessings.

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FURLOUGH ITINERARY – 2013

Monday, May 20 Depart HARARE for LONDON HEATHROW (via Johannesburg)
Tuesday, May 21 Arrive HEATHROW
Tuesday, May 28 Depart HEATHROW for MIAMI

Tuesday, May 28 Arrive MIAMI
Wednesday, May 29)
thru) Available in MIAMI
Tuesday June 4)

Wednesday, June 5)
thru) Available in OCALA/GAINESVILLE
Thursday, June 13)

Friday, June 14)
thru) Available in MIAMI/FT LAUDERDALE
Monday June 17)

Tuesday, June 18)
thru) N/A - Engagements in TEXAS, NEBRASKA/KANSAS
Tuesday, July 16)

Wednesday, July 17)
thru) Available in MIAMI
Friday July 19)

Saturday, July 20)
thru) N/A - Engagements in DOMINICA
Friday, August 23)

Saturday, August 24)
thru) Available in GRENADA
Sunday, September 29)

Friday, October 4)
thru) Available in NEW YORK
Tuesday, October 15)

Wednesday, October 16)
thru) Missions Conference in NEW YORK
Sunday, October 20)

Monday, October 21)
thru) Available in GRENADA
Monday, January 6)

Tuesday, January 9, 2014 Return to ZIMBABWE



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November 2013

Dear Friends,

The Psalmist boldly declares, "It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto Thy Name, O Most High" (Ps. 92:1). Yes, He is good. Happy Thanksgiving! May the Lord richly bless you and your family as you recall and celebrate with great joy His many blessings on you as a family and as a nation.

When we began this furlough five months ago, we had these objectives - to meet with and report to as many of our partners as possible, to see our daughters and grandchildren and thirdly, as Paul puts it in Rom. 1:11, for the opportunity to impart unto churches in Grenada some spiritual gift, to the end that they may be established in the Lord. Our particular hope has been that we might be used of the Lord to call them back to an unfeigned love for Him and an unequivocal surrender to His lordship.

The Lord has graciously granted these first two in grand ways. How exciting it's been to visit with many of you again and to have had the opportunity to share the ministry in Zimbabwe. Your interest has been a great encouragement and we have been challenged by your faithfulness to the Lord especially during these very trying times. We will always remember and appreciate your efforts to accommodate, meet with us, and make us comfortable, as well as your thoughtfulness in ensuring that we had adequate rest.

We had opportunities to challenge God's people in Brooklyn and Manhattan NY, Miami, Hollywood and Ocala FL, Burrton and Newton KS, and elsewhere with many other individuals and groups. Now that we have completed our international visits, we are in Grenada where the Lord has been opening up many opportunities on Sundays as well as weekdays. So, praise the Lord, He is granting our third desire.

This will be our first Christmas in Grenada after several years and we look forward to this family time. While we have not always enjoyed the multiple instances of packing and unpacking, of hurrying to catch flights, or waiting for those that were delayed, nor the often demeaning airport security drills, this furlough has been a wonderful experience for us. We have enjoyed the many demonstrations of God's goodness, in so many ways! To all of you whom He has used to bless us, we say thanks.

We are scheduled to fly out of Miami on Saturday, January 11th to begin our trek back to Zimbabwe where we arrive on the afternoon of Monday 13th.

As we look forward to returning to and resuming the work which began five and a half years ago, we ask that you continue to pray for us - for the remainder of our time on this side; preparations for leaving; readjusting to life in Zim; for continued good health and strength for the work and, most of all, for a deepening sense of need for the Lord in this mission. It is His work and it is "He who works in us, both to will and to do of His good pleasure" (Phil. 2:13). Please pray for an abundance of grace for us to trust Him to do it through us, for His glory, and for much lasting fruit.

We thank God for you and your labor with us. May He bless you abundantly.

For the sake of our dear Lord Jesus,

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