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What shall we say unto the Lord for his faithfulness to his words over the years. God has been a faithful father who calls and backs up those whom he calls. To God be the glory Overcomers Ministries clocks 19th years on 3rd of May 2015. The little and insignificant work of drama evangelism which started on that Saturday 3rd of May 1996 in the president's little room in Ibadan, Nigeria has since witnessed a tremendous growth and expansion to Netherlands in 2011.

It's been 4years since the ministry headquarters moved to Europe with the assignment of spreading the gospel of Jesus through drama/film. Drama armies are being raised across Europe and United Kingdom through this ministry with some taking back the challenge they have received back to their country of residence raising drama armies as well even in other languages. We give God the glory for the great work he has been doing in anticipation of greater works he will do in years to come.

This newsletter edition is a special one featuring a background story of how the ministry started, International film outreaches, reports from drama ministers who have been trained by us in other European countries, past workshops, upcoming workshops, most recent drama ministration and testimonies.

The Lord helped us to produce a new movie in March 2015 in various location in Netherlands. The whole movie shooting was completed in Netherlands to the glory of God. We are also able to shoot two more episodes from the ongoing Internet /Television serial "THE MESSAGE" It will be available on YouTube in May 2015.

Our movies are now being screened as part of a Christian program in Guyana and plans

are on the way to launch the same in Netherlands and other European countries.

The devil is not happy as the work of the ministry is progressing in Europe; he is fighting tooth and nail but for the mercies of the Lord we are still standing. We covet your sincere prayers and support.



Evangelist Dr. Olumide & **Tovin Fatunsin**

DRAMA/FILM TRAINING WORKSHOP IN CHURCHES ACROSS EUROPE

You can invite us to hold a Drama/Film Workshop and training (min. 5 participants) in your church. Send an email: overcomers96@gmail.com to invite us for a day, 2 days or weekend training. We can also help to produce your own gospel movie in Europe. We also honour invitation for





COMING SOON ON T.V/YOUTUBE

stage drama ministration and film outreaches.

Gospel Drama Show Reel YOUTUBE CHANNEL: TOYIN ESO-FATUNSIN

A Concept of Overcomers Film Productions International





Watch Overcomers

Movies on

Redemption Hour (RCCG Guyana)

Every Wednesday of the week.

Time: 8pm -9pm

Station: SkarChannel: 102 or 46.



Hurray ! Overcomers Evangelical Ministries is 19 (03-05-2015)

The Overcomers Evangelical Ministries International is a drama/film ministry; the ministry was established in Ibadan, South-West Nigeria on the 3rd of May 1996 by Evangelist Toyin Eso-Fatunsin during a personal retreat after she has attended 2 weeks drama training at the Mount Zion Institute of Christian Drama. Though she has been involved in a drama group formed for close to 2years earlier; she never knew the Lord has a greater assignment ahead. The ministry began her ministerial activities after several months of prayers by the president who was then an SS1 student of Queen School, Ibadan, Oyo State (South West) Nigeria.

With no single members initially as some of her friends who joined earlier pulled out when they realized the extent of the assignment committed into the young



evangelist's hand; reaching out to Nigerian secondary schools through drama. At the start of the ministry the Lord clearly told the

presi-

dent

Oluwatoyin Eso-Fatunsin President

that the ministry is an international ministry with specific assignments which were spelt out for the present and future. Armed with God's word and prayer; the president led some teenagers in her church then who were also sold out to Christ to the first drama ministration to Federal Government College, Ogbomoso, Oyo State Nigeria in October 25th, 1997. It was the beginning of the walk of faith as the president only has 100 naira for the transportation against 14000 naira which was to be paid .

She said she believed God who has sent her to go will provide; the other young evangelists numbering five apart from her were skeptical on how the fee will be paid but the president said 'God will provide' And it was so that the Lord provided and saved over 300 souls in that single drama ministration. The journey back home to Ibadan was full of thanksgiving to the Lord and respects for the God who calls and back up. That was the beginning of what was known as Mission to Nigerian Secondary Schools with priority on Federal Government Colleges round Nigeria.

Mission to Nigerian Secondary Schools

The Overcomers Ministries is committed to reaching secondary school students for Christ through stage drama/film outreaches since 1997. The ministry goes beyond acting to minister specifically during altar call as instructed by the Lord prior to each mission outreach for total liberation; the president in most cases spent several days in fasting and prayers to know the mind of God for each trip, the people to go with her and the needs of the students as revealed by the Lord.

Many have received Christ, healing and deliverances from power of darkness with outstanding testimonies backing it up. From 1997 while the president was in secondary school and through her stay in



Mission to Federal Government Girls' College Ikot Obio Itong, Akwa-Ibom State Nigeria.

the university she continued to go for drama outreaches in schools with boarding house facilities. Most outreaches are to federal schools on weekends travelling several kilometers across the various geographical zones of Ni-

geria reaching out to souls through evangelical drama and films.

In a few places, the president has ministered alone in a one woman drama when there were no one to follow her to the out-reaches. In all the Lord preserved our going out and coming in. He suffered no one to afflict; He rebukes

"Many trips were made in the midst of dangers but the Lord has been a cloud of glory in day time & pillar of fire by night"

kings for our sake saying touch not my anointed and do my prophet no harm.

Many trips were made in the midst of dangers but the Lord has been a cloud of glory in day time & pillar of fire by night.

> In 2006 after the president graduated from university with only one persistent member of the ministry; they began outreaches to day secondary schools as well. The ministry is still

committed to secondary schools outreaches till date.



Mission to Federal Government Girls' College Gwandu, Kebbi State Nigeria.

July 2004



SPED Int'l Sec. School Oyo, Film Outreach January 2015

Drama Workshop held at R.C.C.G Tabernacle of David, Den Haag, The Netherlands (17-01-2015)

The ministry held a n awareness drama workshop on "The Fundamentals of Christian Drama". The workshop was well attended by the members of the drama group in the TOD family and from other churches. It was an evening of power as many de-

cided to be part of the move of God through drama/film evangelism in Europe.

The evening was rounded up with a film show "I PROMISE YOU LORD" which part of it were shot n the church earlier 2014 involving the entire congregation. The drama teachings are available on MP3 and CD. Topics treated are:



1. Fundamentals of Christian drama and its relevance to European Churches by Evangelist Toyin Fatunsin.

2. Drama Ministers: Vessels unto Honour by Evangelist Dr. Olumide Fatunsin.

Participants listening attentively at the Drama Workshop held in RCCG Tabernacle of David, January 17th, 2015







International Film Outreaches: December, 2014

The Lord worked in us and through us in December 2014 to hold special film premiere in Netherlands, Belgium, Guyana, United States of America, Scotland (United Kingdom) and Spain.

The Lord told us to send movies to willing churches for film show to their members and we obeyed the Lord; so we sent the movies on errand to places where we could not go physically. The power of God backed up the movies and testimonies abound to the glory of God.



"I PROMISE YOU LORD" was translated in Spanish at the film outreach in Spain to the Spanish audience that turned out to watch the movie. unexpectedly



Film Outreach in Guyana, 31st December 2014



RCCG Rotterdam Netherlands Film Outreach



Christmas Day 2015 Film Outreach in Molenhoek, Netherlands

New Movie Shooting in The Netherlands March 2015

BY FAITH!

Early in the month of March 2015, in the midst of so many challenges the Lord gave my wife an inspiration to write our next movie. We prayed and started preparing despite not knowing where the

funds will come from. We launched out in faith with prayer and fasting by inviting the casts and the crew. Up until few days to the start of our film shooting, we did not have enough for the production. Anyway, we trusted God who has given us this mandate.



In a miraculous way, God's-sent people we have not met or seen before started sending mails to request our bank details to support our ministry. We travelled out of

The Fatunsins on the set of "SEARCH IT OUT" in Netherlands

our city of residence to shoot the movie in Den Haag and Leidschendam in South Holland Province of The Netherlands. The movie shooting was concluded in our city, Molenhoek a few days after. In fact, God used a wonderful couple in Leidschendam to accommodate us and fed the whole casts. The film shooting went very well with God backing us up and taking care of all our needs. We return all the glory to him! .



Report by: Evangelist Olumide Fatunsin



EUROPE DRAMA NEWS

FEBRUARY 2015 BASIC FILM PRODUCTION WORKSHOP IN NETHERLANDS

In accordance to God's given mission to Europe we held for the first time a basic film production workshop for people interested in making Gospel Movies in Europe. The workshop which was scheduled for November 2014 was postponed till February 2015 due to an unforeseen circumstance which was beyond our control. On February 13th the workshop which was held at Hotel de Molenhoek (Close to Nijmegen) Netherlands kicked off against all odds and challenges which had threatened to stop the event from taking place.

The participants are from United Kingdom, France & Netherlands. Two short

February Edition: Basic Film Workshop Pictures



movies were shot as part of the workshop training. One of the past participants of our past conferences, Evangelist Paul Obrou from France was on hand to give a talk on how he started making movies in Europe. The participants were charged to go back home and produce godly movies that will alternate all the ungodly audiovisual all over Europe. A short written exam took place with emerging winners given a scholarship to attend any conference almost free.

Certificates were awarded to all participants and testimonies abound. One of the participants testified of healing during the workshop to the glory of God. One of the side attractions was a special dinner on Saturday 14th February to celebrate the birthday of Evangelist Toyin Fatunsin

Participants during February basic film workshop acting on various locations around Molenhoek, Netherlands.







which happens to be that day. She was prayed for by everyone present.



Upcoming Event



Registration is on! Date: Friday 12th-Sunday 14th June 2015 Venue: Hotel de Molenhoek, Rijksweg 1 6584AA, Molenhoek, Netherlands Fee: 120euros Visit: www.overcomersdramaeurope.com Enquiries: +31628445105, +31628444637 Visa support available for non-Schengen

area residents

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EUROPE DRAMA MINISTRIES REPORT



After receiving a great challenge during the basic film workshop in February 2015 One of the participants

TEMITOPE OYEWOLE (United Kingdom) of Beauty Maker World ministry set out to produce an evangelical movie which she has been inspired to do prior to the workshop. She came to the workshop with an open heart ready to learn and to be impacted.

She has started working on her first movie titled "MY PROMISE" shooting in London, United Kingdom. In her words "*My* promise is a film with a message to everyone. To the non-believers, it is a revela-



tion that God promise- which is God's word to us, is what is needed in life and they can only have it under the condition that they are redeemed by the blood of the Lamb. To the believer, we are encouraged to take God's word by faith, claim it and wait for it, shunning all alternatives. To the believer, we are admonished that not all delay in promise is intended by God, some are as a result of our sins and compromises. We are admonished to look inward and amend our ways.



Written & Directed by: Temitope Oyewole Camera: Joshua Oyewole

Language: English, Location: London, United Kingdom

A BRIEF TESTIMONY OF OUR DRAMA MINISTRY: Pastor Samuel and Deacon Ufuoma Ekpo



Words cannot express how grateful we are to God for the opportunity to meet the Fatunsin's family under the flagship Film Pro-

ministry of The Overcomers Film Production Int'l.

We attended the first drama awareness

seminar held in Nijmegen, the Netherlands in the year 2011. Since we had passion to spread the gospel of Christ through evangelical drama, we got involved in several gospel films shooting and workshops respectively.

In recent time, we sense the call of God to continue in the drama ministry as we have been trained and commissioned to be part of God's army to raise the banner of drama ministry in Europe.

We have invitations to stage drama in churches and this gives us the opportunity to put to practice the skill of script writing. We celebrate the grace and calling of God upon the lives and ministry of Dr



Olumide and Evang (Mrs) Oluwatoyin Fatunsin for the obedience to raise drama ambassadors in Europe.

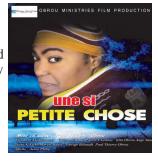
New Gospel Movie in French subtitled in English

"UNE SI PETITE CHOSE" is the latest effort of Evangelist Paul Obrou of Obrou Ministries Film Productions France. He personally testified that his knowledge on drama ministry and gospel film production has improved since he attended the Europe Drama Conference in 2013.

The film meaning "such a little thing" is a movie about a sister who decided to stop serving the Lord because of a gossip of a brother.

The movie was shot on location in Paris and Auxerre between November –

December 2014. A movie written and directed by Paul Thierry Obrou. Since he attended Europe



Drama Conference in 2013 he has been committed in training drama ministers



in French and many of which have featured in his films. This new movie is now

available on YouTube and have some copies printed on DVD and distributed in various location in France for evangelism.

3-New Movies Premiered 06-12-2014

The Lord poured great grace on us in accordance to his words to us in year 2014 and we shot 3 new movies alongside other short movie production for internet television outreaches.

The 3 movies were shot in various countries with God's children handling it for us in Nigeria, Spain, United States of American, United Kingdom and we handled by the grace of God the Netherland sequel of the movies.

The movies were dedicated & premiered on Saturday 6th December 2014 in Nijmegen, Netherlands to the glory of God.

Some Testimonies from the movies

"I watched your new movie, the mighty hands and I was richly blessed, and convicted deeply by the Holy spirit about the issue of unforgiveness.

I was first moved by your movie- Ile ominira which I watched last year.

I just thought I would write you to encour-

age you in the Lord and also to let you know that your good works of Faith is being sowed as seeds out there in the world and God knows how to reward you greatly and abundantly.

May God continue to be with your family and ministry, and I pray for you that as you have decided to use your life to work for God, you will be a star and never fail HIM in Jesus name.

God bless you.

Comfort Olayioye (Chicago, USA)

"We are based here in Canada. I am a pastor and the funny truth is that i watch yr dramas more than I listen to preachers: you folks are deep spiritual it's my prayer that the lord will open your ministry to millions of people around the world for healing and deliverance.



DVDs now available on our online store Visit: www.overcomersdramaeurope.com/ onlinestore

John Oche Omale (Canada)

Excerpts from the upcoming book "Godly Free Diet"

Across the world, there are 40 different time zones. During summer, when it is 2 pm in Amsterdam, it will be 1 pm in London and Lagos, 8 am in New York City, 12 pm in Accra, 5.30 pm in Mumbai, 9 pm in Tokyo, 12 midnight in Auckland. Different times, different cultures, different weathers, different opportunities but one and the same world! Like the time zones, God knows the best time for your life and season. Did he not say in Ecclesiastes 3:11a that He makes all things beautiful in His time? Never com-

pare yourself with others. You are unique and your time is in God's hands. Because He will beautify you at the right time, I see everything, turning and turning and turning around for your good!



Evangelist Dr. Olumide Fatunsin



Drama Ministration: Sunday 18th January 2015



The ministry ministered in a stage drama at RCCG Tower of David, Den Haag, Netherlands on Sunday

18th January 2015. Many were blessed by the drama ministration titled "HIS DESIRES" staged by two persons, the president and her husband.



You can invite the ministry for drama ministration, film outreach, drama seminar/workshop by contacting us. Check the back page for details.



A NEWSLETTER PUBLICATION ON OUR MINISTERIAL ACTIVITIES IN EUROPE

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Donate Today!

You can donate to support our evangelistic efforts by giving once, periodically or monthly to aid our effort in spreading the gospel of Jesus through drama/film.

We started a project as inspired by the Lord to produce short movies and post them directly on You-Tube for people to watch and be blessed since 2014 tagged **"THE MESSAGE"** alongside our production of full feature movies which God has been our sole provider and support since the inception of the ministry.

We are also constantly organizing drama workshop/ seminars to equip drama ministers in Europe among other things.

Kindly support us by donating online via PayPal/ credit/debit card:

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You can also donate via our bank account: Bank: ABN AMRO Place: Nijmegen Netherlands Account name: O.R.ESO IBAN: NL25ABNA0438702883 BIC: ABNANL2A GOD BLESS YOU AS YOU GIVE!

Special Film Premiere during June Basic Film Workshop

Saturday 13th June 2015 by 3.00 pm. **Venue:** Hotel de Molenhoek, Rijksweg 1, 6584AA Molenhoek (close to Nijmegen) Netherlands

