

Brocks Upper Room & Family Update

Winter 2022

Dear Friends,

We're just coming off the road after a wonderful 3 week tour through South Carolina & Florida. It was a huge blessing to have Samuel & his wife Suzanne—who is an incredible addition to our family team, helping with music, video recording & meals. (See Ministry Tour Highlights below)

The big family news/update: John & Lydia's little girl is due early April! (Brocks can have girls!!) Also, Stephen has his senior drum-set recital on Apr 24, 5pm & graduates May 7th from UMKC!

Brocks Upper Room Suzuki & Worship School continues, entering its 5th year, with 22 families!

What's New & Prayer Request

Stephen is now writing original (hymn) arrangements for the family which were featured on tour. Our goal is to record regular worship sets, creating a family YouTube "soaking" channel. Our current need: prayer & finances for recording, editing, mixing & mastering. *Thank you!!*

Ministry Tour Highlights (Dec 25—Jan 17, 2022)

After a sweet time celebrating Family Christmas in KC and then with sister Betsy & her husband Guy in NC, we began our Family Tour with Samuel & Suzanne, Stephen, Joseph, Melody & Tim. We led worship in homes, churches, HOPs and even on a small farm! *Thank you for your help!!*



Brock Family Playing at Christian Retreat (New Years Eve), Embassy HOP (Vero Beach) & Recording in Orlando

McCains (Dec 28, 2021 Fort Mill, SC)

A beautiful evening of food & fellowship. A time of intimate worship with friends who are like family. This helped to begin a new season of home gatherings for Alan & Sandra.

Kurt & Terri Ulrich & Feather Sound Community Church (Dec 30, St Pete, FL)

A powerful night of multi-church expressions and a blended worship celebration of the generations. Truly a break-through and demonstration of unity among diverse leaders.

Christian Retreat Family Church (Dec 31, Bradenton, FL)

A sweet time of fellowship over a special meal with our "sending church & dear friends." We were part of a co-concert with a gifted Israeli singer (Elihanah Elia), ushering in the new year! (So thankful for the covering of our pastors & long-term friends, Phil & Jannette Derstine)

Spirit & Truth Ministries (Jan 2, 2022, Tavernier, Keys)

Pastors Marlin & Marian Simon have a long history of faithfulness in the Keys and lead a worship-hungry core of forerunners. This 1st Sun of 2022, the Holy Spirit took us “up” into heavenly places, working in our hearts to heal & restore. (This opened the gate for Blue Water)

Blue Water Community Church (Jan 2-3, Islamorada, Keys)

Pastor Phil Underwood, who hosts the FL Key House of Prayer (Christi & Jeff Dupre), asked us to help with worship & teaching to lay a foundation for revival. It was a marked time: God’s call to fervent prayer, consecration & to reset watchmen on the “watery wall” of the Florida Keys.

Embassy House of Hope (The Gate) & Eden Homestead (Jan 5-6, Vero Beach, FL)

One of the highlights, for me (Tim) personally, as we joined with David & Tracey Ruleman in a glory manifestation of God’s presence. We all together sensed Angelic singing & divine healing!

Don & Nancy Conwell, Shiloh Farms (Jan 7-12, Odessa, FL)

Nancy was an encourager to our family to give us time & space to record and do what we do. While recording, we also led a community soaking set & a Family Worship Workshop for locals as part of University Life, a live FaceBook presentation to leaders worldwide.

Leonard Jones & Eddie James, Nations Church (Jan 13-16 Orlando, FL)

Leonard asked our family to record (as a string quartet) for several of his new pieces. What we didn’t know was that Leonard would open an opportunity for us to play with Eddie James and his team at Nations Church and to meet Pastor Daniel Kolenda. Leonard hosted, wrote custom string arrangements (for Sun worship) and encouraged us through his family & great cooking!

Praise Report!

A huge praise & thank you for the generous donations for the Red River Flute Project! All 7 flutes are beautifully finished & covered!! *Thank you for helping us to share the sound of revival!*

Thoughts from the Prayer Room

Divine Order & Restoring the Tabernacle of David—what does that mean in our modern (New Testament) lives? It represents God’s people in transition. When God initiated the Tabernacle or Tent of David, it was a time of movement and transition into “something new” during a time of instability. Jeremiah 7:1-16 instructs the people of God to “go back to Shiloh (which means Messiah or “Peaceful One”, He who is to be Sent & Place of Rest). Why? Because the story of Shiloh is a story of transition into a Samuel Generation: *Eli, the priest of Shiloh, failed to discipline his sons*—ultimately causing the established place of worship to be abandoned. David was also doing the right thing in the wrong way (God permitted the oxen to stumble—revealing Uzzah’s irreverence).

Summary: God is raising a set (consecrated) generation that is Blood cleansed, Water (Word) Washed and Holy Spirit Anointed! These transitional “set” ones will 1. Prepare a Place, 2. Gather His sheep and 3. Put Things into Divine Order. (Establishing a place and time of Encounter vs Doing what is Right in Our Own Eyes). Fear of the Lord, come!

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