# We have not arrived yet

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"I have arrived where I wanted to be and I am going to remain here for the rest of my life"

<sup>1</sup> "Let not your heart be troubled; you believe in God, believe also in Me.<sup>2</sup> In My Father's house are many mansions; if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. <sup>3</sup> And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also.

John 14: 1-5 (NKJV)

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<sup>24</sup> Now Thomas, called the Twin, one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. <sup>25</sup> The other disciples therefore said to him, "We have seen the Lord." So he said to them, "Unless I see in His hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and put my hand into His side, I will not believe."

#### John 20: 24 - 29 (NKJV)

<sup>26</sup> And after eight days His disciples were again inside, and Thomas with them. Jesus came, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, "Peace to you!" <sup>27</sup> Then He said to Thomas, "Reach your finger here, and look at My hands; and reach your hand here, and put it into My side. Do not be unbelieving, but believing."

John 20: 24-29 (NKJV)

<sup>28</sup> And Thomas answered and said to Him, "My Lord and my God!" <sup>29</sup> Jesus said to him, "Thomas, because you have seen Me, you have believed. Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."

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<sup>6</sup> Jesus said to him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.

John 14: 6 (NKJV)

<sup>2</sup> and asked letters from him to the synagogues of Damascus, so that if he found any who were of the Way, whether men or women, he might bring them bound to Jerusalem.

#### Acts 9: 2 (NKJV)

<sup>9</sup> But when some were hardened and did not believe, but spoke evil of the Way before the multitude, he departed from them and withdrew the disciples, reasoning daily in the school of Tyrannus.

#### Acts 19:9 (NKJV)

<sup>14</sup> But this I confess to you, that according to the Way which they call a sect, so I worship the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the Law and in the Prophets.

Romans 24 : 14 (NKJV)

## Are we still on our way in Spiritual terms?

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Or do we think we have arrived?

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#### Shofar Utrecht:

- Encounters.
- Bible school (3 years).
- Intercession on Tuesday evening.
- Evangelising on a Thursday evening.

#### **Outside Shofar church:**

- Pray for other people, in your street, at your work, in your town, in your country, other churches in this town.

### You have not arrived yet, the relationship with Me is a process.

#### Pray with and for each other:

# Pray to God what you want to happen in your normal life.

Tell other person and pray it in what you are going to do next in your spiritual life.



#### WE WOULD LOVE TO PRAY WITH YOU FOR ANYTHING. You are welcome to meet a ministry facilitator at the front who will gladly pray for you.



# ON BE A WITNESS AND A LIGHT FOR OUR LORD

# I AM THE WAY THE TRUTH & THE LIFE NO ONE COMES TO THE FATHER =

EXCEPT THROUGH ME

JOHN 14:6