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Having grown up not knowing or caring whether there is a God, the greatest day of my life was when, at 24, following a close family bereavement, God reached down and made himself known to me. He rescued me not only from grief and despair, but also began to change my self-centred heart. He brought me into a life of love, joy and peace in knowing Him as my loving Father and His Son Jesus as my Saviour from sin and my best Friend.

Many times, and in many ways, He has proved to me His great unconditional love and faithfulness and one of His greatest gifts to me in these uncertain days we are now living in, is HOPE for the future, knowing that He is in control and that this life on earth is not the end. I hope you will also come to know how much our wonderful God loves you and what good plans he has for your life (Jeremiah 29v11 – Bible Old Testament).

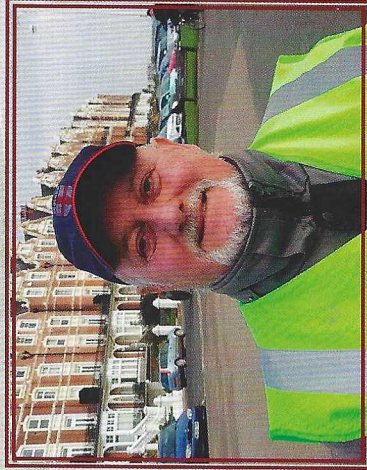
Returning to Bexhill from my travels, my elder brother gave me a book about Bible prophecies: those that had been fulfilled, and those yet to come - scary! I was shocked, and realised that I was on the wrong side of the fence and needed to do something about it.

I read the prayer at the end of the book, confessing that I was a sinner, and accepting the sacrifice of Jesus for all my wrongdoings. I said to God "if you are there God please help me, I want to be with you". Straight away I was aware of his presence, and it felt like a heavy weight lifted off my shoulders.

Soon after, I was given a Bible and it all made sense: I was having revelations about all sorts of things, the most amazing one being that he had forgiven me and met me where I was at, and didn't expect me to clean my act up first. He accepted me as I was and gave me amazing peace.

During my 42-year relationship with God I have experienced many answers to prayer and healing, and through character-forming trials, his Agape (unconditional) love always sustains me and fills me with his love for others.

Tony Purfield



We are a group of local Christians, from a number of different churches in the area, who meet regularly to help keep our promenade, park, and main streets free of litter. We meet so many kind people who thank us, and encourage us in what we are doing,

It is not just about litter picking though; we have organised men's breakfasts, gospel breakfasts, and dinners, and also gospel concerts to be held at the Bexhill Bandstand near the war memorial.

We delight in being able to share our faith in Jesus with all those we meet, and are happy to pray for those in need, and to share time with those who need companionship and encouragement.

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"And so I tell you, keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who seeks, receives. Everyone who seeks, finds. And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened."

Luke 11:9-10

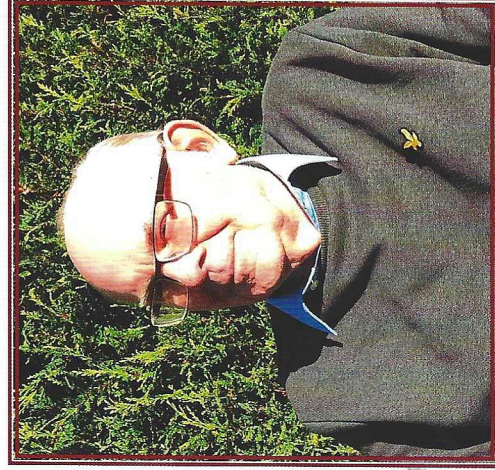
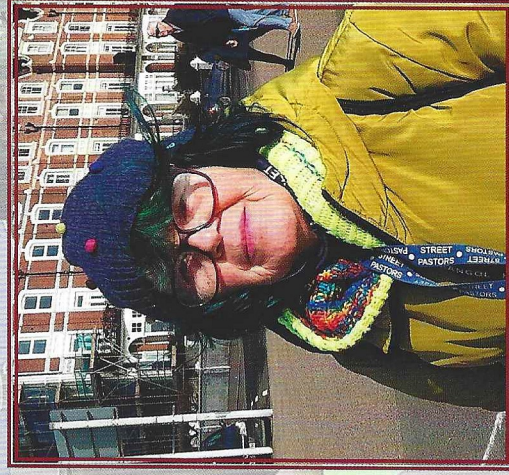


I have lived in Bexhill for 14 years and I love the town and the seafront. I love walking along the seafront with the dog and chatting to people, telling them about the love of Jesus and what he has done for me, but also helping to keep Bexhill free of litter. When I first moved to Bexhill from Eastbourne, I had no faith, but it was when I went to Rivercamp, a Christian camp held in Worcestershire, in 2011, that I first knew how much God loves me.

The Father's heart is in me and I want to share his love with others.

Last year I lost my dad through cancer, which was a difficult time, but God's love and peace got me through. I am a street pastor and a response pastor, our motto being 'caring listening and helping', and that's what we do when we go out litter-picking, being there to help others and to pray for them.

Deborah Brown



Brian Betts

Sixty years ago, I had a life-changing experience in an attic bedroom in Sheffield when I invited Jesus into my life to be my Lord and Saviour. He changed me for ever! I viewed life through a totally different lens. I knew where I had come from, I knew why I was here and I knew my ultimate destination! Throughout our marriage God has guided my wife and I along life's journey. He has shown us how to live, where to live and what to do in all sorts of challenging and sometimes very painful circumstances. We have known his loving presence in the valleys as well as on the mountain tops. On him occasion we have experienced his miraculous intervention.

He is always there, always faithful, always loving, always caring and for this we are truly grateful. When we walk along Bexhill sea front (it's always different isn't it?) we marvel at the wonder of creation and are truly thankful for all we have received at the hand of the Creator. You too can know him as Saviour and friend.

For God loved the world so much that he gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.
John 3:16

God loves the world, including people such as you and me. He wanted to save the world so much that He became part of the world in the form of a man -- Jesus Christ.

Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to mankind by which we must be saved."

Acts 4:12

Jesus is the only way to salvation. There is no other way, no other condition, no other route, no other name. Jesus is the only way.

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Pam Piercy

I have lived in Bexhill for over thirty years. I really like living in such a lovely place.

I came to know Jesus when I was young, thanks to the example of my parents. I realised I needed to put my trust in Jesus for myself.

I have proved Jesus so faithful in the ups and downs of life, through ill health and bereavement. I have suffered for many years from anxiety, but He has now set me free from my fears and is teaching me to trust in Him in all situations. Knowing that He is there at all times is a great help and comfort. Having supportive Christian friends has been really great too.

I think sharing our experiences of how we are made stronger by His help is important and can really help others. It always helps me to hear these things.

It's great to be involved with the litter picking group, supporting them by prayer when they go out into the town and along the seafront.