

Brenda Ziska in Austria

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Dear Praying Friends & Family,



Thank you so much for your prayers and financial support in December and January. Many have asked me, **“What’s next, Brenda?”**

I’m going to continue as a church planting missionary with Greater Europe Mission for four or five years in Austria. Greater Europe Mission has asked me to increase my ministries to include helping Jim Hatcher, our field director and our GEM mission team, in particular working with our newer women missionaries. I have attached Jim’s letter, so you can see his request and the reason why the mission would like me to continue working. Of course I will continue the ministries I had while Joe and I were working together. If

you are willing, I would like to ask you to continue to support me as you can both financially &/or with prayer support. I know your hearts have been with God’s work here in Austria. Some of you have been a part of our team since Joe and I began in 1979.

I will continue to be involved in these developing ministries:

-- It has been a privilege to be helping the new evangelical church in Klosterneuburg to serve Jesus and continue to grow in maturity. I will continue to work with Jonathan & Raphaela Mauerhofer as they lead this work along with the elders of the church.



-- With our team of helpers we will be setting up a Sunday school program. I will continue to attend 1 bi-weekly home study and/or be a part of an evangelistic study in Klosterneuburg.

-- I will work on the committee planning & running the evangelistic Women’s Breakfast on Apr. 9th. I will host a table of 9 women, encouraging an evangelistic discussion and being involved in the follow-up.

-- I will continue to mentor women in Klosterneuburg and in Vienna (I’ll be following up on some of the people Joe and I

ministered to while he was receiving medical treatment at home.)

-- I will continue to develop relationships with non-Christian women in my neighborhood (Vienna) and in Klosterneuburg (especially ones I have met through the Women’s Breakfasts.

-- I will help plan and participating in the Children’s Home Ministry in Klosterneuburg, ca. 8 times per year. Six of the children came to Joe’s funeral.



The picture above shows the last time the children saw Joe alive. He took a few minutes to tell them that they would not be seeing him again. He would be going to Jesus, but if they loved and followed Jesus they could go to heaven and get to see him again. It was silent.

Joe cried softly and one of the little girls came up to him and held him. They will never forget him. None of us will....



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Love in Christ,

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