Needs assesment, from Kallie Skaife.

Last Sunday afternoon, after the hour we spend together with the Iranian and Afghan women at the ark, one lady, came and told us that she wanted Jesus!

This dear woman revealed her tragic story to us some weeks ago in secret, on the street pavement as she said she did not anyone of the Afghan women to see her speaking with us! We stood there and listened to her for an hour, her shaking like a leaf and not only from the cold. We held her and cried and prayed on the pavement at 10 o'clock in the evening!

On Sunday night, we brought her to the office, as the ARC was crowded by at least 100 if not more Afghans and Iranians having a meal and chatting. While we tried to speak to her, show her relevant parts of scripture and pray, the office door was opened may be 20 times, the telephones rung a number of times, people popped their head to ask questions, use the photocopier, sent an email, you name it!

We talked and held her hand and prayed and she gave her heart to Jesus, right in that office with the hundred interruptions, like a fish in glass bowl!!!!!!!!!!!

There is a God in the heavens and there is a Holy Spirit!

On Tuesday only three women came to ask if we could pray with them and again the only place where one can bring anyone who needs ministry or confidential talk is our glass bowl office!

So my biggest longing- burden- dream is for at least two, comfortable, beautiful sunny rooms where we can bring anyone who needs privacy, or needs prayer, or a friendly chat, or ministry, away from the hubbub of the ARC crowd, or even escape ourselves for five minutes to be alone with God uninterrupted.

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