



Fellow Laborers,

It has been a wonderful blessing to watch the Lord use Rick and Sarah Demastus in Aberdeen, Scotland. From their first day on the field to the first service of Open Door Baptist Church to the potential purchase of a new church property and facilities, the Lord's hand has been evident in using and leading this wonderful family. We are grateful that you and your church have financially and prayerfully supported the Demastuses in this faith-filled journey.

As you will see and hear in the video, God has opened up a unique opportunity to equip His church with a full-time building. While the building is not the church, a church building is a powerful tool to gather, equip, and assist the church in reaching the community with the Gospel. At God's direction, Brother Rick and the people of Open Door have already begun raising money for this building. I am excited about the potential this property will afford the church in ministering to Aberdeen and the surrounding areas.

Shawnee Baptist Church has shared in the joy of sending and partnering with the Demastus family in this work. We also want to share in the joy of partnering in the purchase of this property to be used for the Lord's work in Scotland. This past Sunday we communicated with Rick that we, as a church, will be sending \$10,000 to help them in this fundraising endeavor. It is our prayer that this money will not only bless them, but also encourage to you to join us in helping them raise the necessary funds.

Would you consider joining Shawnee Baptist Church in giving to the Lord to make this purchase a reality for the Demastus family and Open Door Baptist Church? I believe it would be a powerful show of support and love if each supporting church tried to do something to assist in this endeavor. Personally, I believe we will rejoice in eternity over the testimonies of salvations and changed lives through the impact this property will have in Aberdeen and throughout Scotland.

In His service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Steve Frost", with a stylized, cursive script.

Steve Frost

Senior Pastor

