

# defelice - Hanney Italy Ministry Update

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I don't think we've ever had a situation like this. We've evangelized in many ways over the years, but I don't think we've ever had a group of people who seem so open.

We had our second English lesson last night. Or I should say, we had half of the group here last night, because the group was too large to all meet on one night. In fact, there were six new people here last night who had not come last week. We had 19 unbelievers here last night, and we should have a similar number tomorrow, Thursday night, to repeat the lesson with the other half of the group.



The lesson was action-packed and seemed to go well and was greatly appreciated by the students. At the end of the lesson, and I had done and announced the week before, I had a 15 min. Bible study. I pray for grace, and clearly felt God's hand upon me as a shared from Genesis about creation. All were extremely attentive.

Afterwards, the majority stayed for refreshment time. I had a solid hour sharing the gospel clearly with the same young couple I shared with last week, Francesco and Alessandra. Serena (Sherrie) had that time with three precious young women, all about 29 years old. Ashley and Dori had about 45 min. sharing in depth from the Bible with four young ladies, all about 20 or 21 years old. Adriano shared with one man while Diego shared with another man, and we are waiting to hear how that went. Our conversations were extremely rich, and those

listening seemed very open and convicted.

Today, we received an e-mail from one of the four young 21-year-old ladies. It said:

I was really touched by the course last night. I thank you for this opportunity to learn. And getting to know you was a true pleasure, really!



I am writing to you because I talked about you to my parents, and I told them of the wonderful words that you used to communicate and share with us the word of God. My parents would like, if possible, to take part in here Wednesday night meetings (Bible study). They were really struck by my enthusiasm in talking about you off. Please let me know if it is possible for them to come.

In fact, in an exchange of e-mails, she wrote that her parents will be coming tonight. She had another meeting, and cannot make it tonight. We realize that they may be coming to check up on us. That is fine. Pray that they would see Christ in us.

Pray for the other contacts, the conversations last night were so very rich. We're going to start inviting some of them for the evening to be able to share more.

It is good that we divided the class, we were a total of seven believers there last night, but there were far more unsaved people who were open to listening than we were. We pray for the same thing tomorrow night.



Our calendar is filling up. We are in Milan on Sunday nights and Monday nights, we have English class on Tuesday night, Bible study on Wednesday, and English class on Thursday. That doesn't leave a lot of free evenings in to be able to invite others.



We ask you to pray for us, pray for tonight, for this couple who are coming. Pray for the students who have already begun hearing much of the word of God, that their hearts would be pierced. Pray for tomorrow night's les-



son, for more open doors. Thank God with us that the believers are very encouraged, and are very diligent in

coming to help evangelize those God is bringing. Finally, pray with us that not only would the word of God run swiftly, but that it would be glorified in the salvation of many! Pray that we would have new believers from among these people. We really since God's hand upon us in this English course. This is all grace.

Thank you for standing with us in prayer!

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