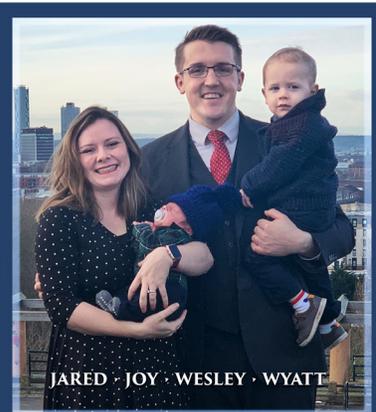


# THE Kleman Family

'REDEEMING THE TIME' IN  
*Liverpool, England*



**Dear Praying Friends and Family,**

**SUMMER 2021 UPDATE**

We trust this update finds you doing very well and enjoying God's blessing during the Summer. We have recently returned back to the United Kingdom from our trip to the States. It was our first time back to America in over 5 years. We truly enjoyed being with family— Joy's youngest sister graduated college and was married during our trip, so being a part of that was extra special.

While we were in the States, during our final week there, we were made aware of an incredible opportunity that we would like to share with you!

For 4 years we have prayed for and considered a 5,000 square-foot building that sits right beside of our church. It has presently been a struggling pub (bar), but it's facilities meet right up to our Church property. Our desire was that this building would one day be used for:

- Sunday School
- Youth Rallies
- Mums and Tots
- English Classes
- A Manse (there is a 3-bedroom flat attached), and

even more evangelistic endeavours that would be possible due to the lack of space in our current facilities.

During the final days of our trip, this pub was put on the market to sell. Naturally, because of our prior interest, we called to enquire the cost. The realtor stated that there were already 3 offers on the property, two of which were other religious groups— an Islamic group and a Hindi group. The realtor also told us that the sellers wanted a quick, 7-day sell. Which put us in a bit of a bind because we had no funds in which to purchase the building.

After praying and seeking counsel, we felt the right action was to put in an offer in faith believing that, if God was leading in this, then He would provide the means to secure the property. Thus, on Friday we put in an offer for £225,000 (\$312,147) and it was miraculously accepted on the condition that we could get a mortgage and go to contract in 7 days— which meant we had to move fast! Through a few different personal avenues and close acquaintances, God graciously provided £100,000 (\$138,732) that weekend— wow! But, that Monday we still were short of the overall cost and were told that securing a mortgage in 7 days was not going to be possible. With the other religious groups putting pressure on the sellers and more offers coming in (we were told there were over 100 in the end), it was becoming more clear that we would have to have a cash offer if we were to get the building at all!

Still determined that God had lead us and had provide thus far, We continued to step out in faith. God allowed some Christian businessmen to hear of the situation and tight timeframe. They offered to loan the funds needed, no strings attached, to secure the property. This is an opportunity that would have been missed had God not provided in this way. What a blessing! This meant that we went from enquiring about the building on a Friday with very little funds, to making a cash offer on that Monday with the full amount! Something only God could do!

Will you please pray with us that the closing of the property will be finalised this month. We have been able to put down the deposit and are under contract. God-willing we receive the keys in the next few weeks.

Naturally, there are many renovations that will need to take place to convert the building into church use, as well as pay for the loan that was generously given to secure the property. To pay off what was loaned, as well as to cover the legal costs involved, **we are trusting God to provide £150,000 (\$208,098)**. Our church has begun a building fund and are sacrificially giving. We ask that you, too, would please pray for this and consider investing in eternity in this incredible way.

**You hear all the time of churches being turned into pubs throughout the UK, but now is an incredible opportunity to turn a pub in a building used for the church! Praise God!**

We look forward to sharing more of these details and financial needs in the days ahead, as well as showing pictures and videos of this amazing building for ministry use that God has provided!

Thank you for your prayers for us and your support throughout the years.

**In Christian Service,**  
*Jared, Joy, Wesley and Wyatt*



*This is the pub/bar. The house is the brick part at the top, all of the bottom space is what can be used for church ministries. There is a massive car park, as well.*



*This photo helps to show how close the two properties are to each other. We already have a gate that opens into the car park of the pub; so it is quite ideal! The white building is the pub, the brick building is the church.*



*The pub property gives the church access to the main road.*

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