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Intercessor shares on “My Wilderness Time”: Prayer Warrior Opens Broadcaster’s 10th TV Series

For over 18 years when Evangelist Reinhard Bonnke stepped onto the evangelistic platform across Africa and other far flung countries he was confident in God’s power and in the knowledge that his head of intercession, Suzette Hattingh, was leading a team to pray for the evangelist and for the people that he desired to reach. They say that behind every successful person standing there is a person on their knees praying. That is truly the case in the German born evangelist’s life and ministry. Recently Harvest Fields Commissioning International, a U. K. Based leadership training and broadcasting charity and its media production arm, OLI Productions, interviewed Suzette, co-founder of Voice in the City, an interdenominational, international missions organisation. The programme being filmed is the first in a new television series called “Principles of Prayer”. Guests in the series will be the men and women of God who are most known for their life and teaching of prayer and intercession. The interviews delve into the both the principles and practicalities of prayer and intercession, often ridiculed by an unbelieving world. Suzette, herself, has seen God’s miracle working power through prayer and was healed of cancer. Yet, years later, she found herself in a wheelchair as the result of an operation gone wrong. She says that through that 1 ½ year battle she felt as though she was in a wilderness. “I knew that God did not do it to me but that God had allowed it.”

Earlier on the departure of Suzette and her ministry from CfaN surprised many leaders around the world, but came naturally. “With the move of CfaN’s offices to the US and my heart for Europe as well as my increasing vision and burden to work more with local churches the impetus came from Reinhard himself.” “Suzette,” Reinhard said one day. “I believe that God is saying that it is time to soar like an eagle.” “I’m flying just fine” was her reply. Yet she did sense God’s leading that, as she puts it “out of one powerful ministry two have been formed.” Today she travels the world with a special emphasis on Indonesia. Future guests for the unique series “Principles of Prayer” include Rick Ridings, a leader at the Succat Hallel 24/7 prayer centre on Mt. Zion, Jerusalem and Anita Cleverly, UK/European Director of the ASK Prayer Network.

Previous TV series produced by the organisation include Principles of Leadership (featuring 52 of the world’s most loved and respected Christian leaders such as Anne Graham Lotz, Luis Palau, George Verwer, Brother Andrew and Brother Yun), Precepts of Leadership (with guests including Dr. Young Hoon Lee - Senior Pastor of the world’s largest church, Mozambique’s “Mama” Heidi Baker, and TV minister and Pastor Jentezen Franklin), Principles of Praise (guests including Graham Kendrick, Noel Richards, Tim Hughes and Israel Houghton) and Stars in His Crown (Christian actors, actresses, producers, directors from the world of TV, film and the stage). Airing on over 40 Christian and independent TV networks worldwide they have also been producing a number of programmes aimed at the secular market that include both Christian and non-Christian guests with inspirational backgrounds and stories of their life and work.

HFC International has a mission to assist in raising up and encouraging leaders in over 47 countries and on all 5 continents for work in churches, charities, NGOs and other humanitarian assistance groups. Its website is at: www.principles.tv.