

Introduction

Writing this autobiography is a humbling privilege and great joy. It has taken years to get to where Aviah could tell her experiences and difficulties. The encounters, visions, dreams, ministry, and writings are all true and have taken place. Some writings are out of sequential order for no particular reason at all. I want each person who reads the book to know that you are never alone. When Aviah was living these actual life experiences, she felt deserted most of the time. Somehow, our faithful and awesome Abba Father had given her such a sense of perfect peace amid her utter loneliness and turmoil. Every one of us has endured very traumatic and complex situations. I realise that your experiences may have been either much worse or perhaps not so. However, we have been tried and tested for His purpose alone.

Aviah at Heart came to me as a story of Yeshua (Jesus) working in our lives. Would it not be remarkable, nothing short of a miracle, if we could all be rebuilt with unhewn stones and fit into one, His house? He took our hearts of broken stones and carefully smoothed and polished each stone perfectly. So not only did they look complete, but they fitted together precisely and functioned as a structure. We are all His work in progress. We are all a work in Him. Isn't it a tremendous privilege to be called His child? He received Aviah in a broken state, in a turmoil of confusion and pain, as smashed stones in a heap and she was falling apart in a pile of ashes. He took Aviah's heart apart and

carefully worked on the stones piece by piece. As He smoothed and polished them, He rebuilt them with peace, calm, patience, knowledge, understanding, wisdom, and much more. He is still at work in everything in her life, but now Aviah knows Him in a new way, and He is her Master, Teacher, her Rabboni!