

Testimony of Noma Fanska

After my husband's passing, the Lord made it possible for me to have a home where I could feel safe and comfortable. So, my next step was to find a church home. I prayed as I went to several Community of Christ churches in Independence, Missouri. I thought maybe it was the East 39th Street congregation or maybe the Special Ministries congregation. I searched for over a year. Each one I went to never felt like it was my church home. I continued to pray fervently for direction. As a last resort, I went with my daughter (Debbie Mitchell) to Outreach Restoration Branch, because I was yearning to feel the loving Spirit. She talked so highly about her branch. It didn't take long to realize that this was where God wanted me to go. I have let go of the priesthood calling from the Community of Christ church. I feel my calling is to uphold and pray for the priesthood and be a witness of God's mighty power in these last days. Praise to God who has opened His arms and welcomed me into His fold, again.

Noma Fanska's Testimony of Membership to the Outreach Restoration Branch

I have prayed a lot about where I should worship, and the Lord touched my heart and gave me an answer to my heart-felt prayers. As I partook of the communion on Sunday in November, I reached my hand for the sacrament. I didn't see the elder, instead I saw Christ holding out His arms for me to partake of the sacrament. My Savior offered me complete forgiveness of the sins that had burdened my soul. My soul had been hungering for the Spirit that moves among those that desire to worship our Savior. I truly have found this among the Outreach family. I realized I wasn't receiving the true blessings the Lord had for me while I attended the Community of Christ church. Their belief and doctrine are no longer what I believe to be true. I have received this confirmation through this testimony and desire to worship with the Outreach Restoration Branch and pray that I will be welcomed.