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“I WAS
GIVEN THE
WIDOW’S MITE...”

What do green beans and tomatoes have to do with the widow’s mite?
They have EVERYTHING to do with that Biblical story, and the humbling experience I have to share with you this month!

After I taught for a week at the Bible school, we traveled to another city and spoke in a two different “houses” where each had about 35 to 40 people in attendance! **As crowded as it was, I noticed at the end of one service there were two young women who came in late just arriving from work in their uniforms.**

In my teaching I shared that there was nothing they could do to make God love them any more than He already does **AND that there was nothing they had ever done or ever will do that could make Him love them any less.** I was so happy to share with them the same message that set me free!

At the end of my teaching, I sensed that the Holy Spirit wanted to just minister to them so I grabbed the guitar and began to just sing quietly and told them to allow God to speak to them. **The tears began to flow from men and women alike, and most especially from the two women who came in late...**



My translator, who made me able to preach!
(Eyes hidden for safety)



They were so happy to finally hear Grace...



Meeting to worship God in a secluded place

After the ministry time was over, through my translator, **these two working women told me that they had never known that God loved them so much and they had never felt so free!** With tears running down their faces they told me that they had no money to give me, **but that they wanted to give what they had...**

So, they gave me the bag of green beans and three tomatoes they had purchased on the way to the meeting that they were planning to cook for their dinner! Needless to say, this touched my heart more than any monetary gift they could've given and I immediately thought of the widow's two mites and the widow woman's last cake of meal given to Elijah.

These people are so hungry for the truth, they will literally go hungry for it... And with your help I can return to Southeast Asia to take it to them!

If you have any questions or would like to hear more, please contact me!

Always remember that God is *good!*

love, Carol



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