Back in Britain-so sad to leave Sri Lanka



Just a short message to you to let you know I am back in Britain, in a cottage in Southport until my house is ready later this week.

As the news and advice from the Foreign and Commonwealth Office strengthened and increased I felt it wise to leave before my planned date of 31 March 2020.

College had already closed and all students in the hostels had gone home leaving only Faculty Staff and those married students with families remaining on the campus.

I managed to book a ticket, pack my belongings which I had collected over two years, say goodbye to the folk who were around and leave the college, all in 12 hours.

I was going to be sad to leave on my planned date but bringing the date forward, and the great haste in which everything happened has left me somewhat disorientated. I will be fine, I am just taking things slowly as I gradually adjust to my situation.

I thank God for the wonderful opportunities I have had to spend time on this beautiful island, friendly people and to experience Christianity in a very different setting. The great enthusiasm the students have for their Christianity has had a powerful and lasting impact on me.

Thank you for your prayerful support over the last two years.

I hope to meet up with many people and share my experiences with you. Please be in touch if you would like me to come to speak.

As we enter this period of uncertainty for us all please include in your prayers the people of Sri Lanka.

God's blessing to you

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