



MEET

The Woodleys

THEIR STORY

Sami Vogeler began attending The Bible Chapel at the age of 10 and was actively involved in many areas in Student and College Ministries. **She was greatly impacted on her first mission trip to Panama in 2014, where she first developed a love for missions.** Her second trip to Panama in 2016 had a lifelong impact on her. After high school, Sami attended Cosmetology school and began working in the hair industry. She felt something was missing and wanted to develop her faith and learn how to share Christ through her vocation. So, in 2018, she signed up for a three-month Creatives Internship with YWAM (*Youth With A Mission*) Radiant in London, followed by a five-month DTS (*Discipleship Training School*). This began her missionary journey. Sami met Jetson in 2018 where they did their DTS together. **Jetson loves God and the arts and has been passionate about missions since joining the London team.** Sami and Jetson got married in May of 2024 and are continuing their ministries and missions together.

In 2023, they joined as full time volunteer staff with Hope and Anchor Community Church (*a church they have been a part of since coming to London*). This church also partners with their arts charity, One UK. Through these two charities they have continued their ministries in London and have grown in responsibilities and leadership. Sami joined initially as a hair stylist for the church's salon, Think+ coffee and ink, a non-profit initiative that serves as a hub for outreach to the community of Camden. She still helps to manage the salon, but has also grown in responsibilities with the base administration and helping to lead the church's young adults ministry alongside Jetson and some others. Jetson's other roles include the media ministry, graphic design ministry, worship team, and leading the evangelism outreach ministry.

The Bible Chapel has partnered with Sami since the Summer of 2023.

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PRAYER

- PRAISE! We have officially moved! We can't thank everyone enough for all of the prayers and all of our friends that helped make it possible. We have started settling in and can't believe how incredible our new neighborhood is and how God has placed us so well. We have painted and cleaned the old house fully and officially ave the keys back this week! It was very full on for a few weeks, but we are thankful to close that chapter well and move forward. As we have moved now to an area where we not only live but also work, we are thankful for the chance to interact more and more with our neighbours. We are realising that this is the first time we have felt like 'locals' or like we are part of our neighbourhood community. We see regulars from the cafe walking down the street and get to smile or pick up a conversation. We see coworkers headed home and get to walk together and chat more. It is a place filled with life and community and to be a part of it is a huge blessing. We also see the massive responsibility that lies ahead of us, as we now get to speak into their lives and be examples of God. We want our actions and movements to reflect the God we serve and love.

- As the yellow tent ministry continues (where we hand out free teas and coffees to the community), we ask for prayers to continue deepening the connections of those around. That we not only get to hand a bible to someone but can pray for them and get to know them more. We have also been challenged to invite them to our church to connect groups so that they can be in a community and be lifted up and have someone walking alongside them.

- World Team has been with us for the past few weeks. We are so thankful they came all the way here to meet us and talk to us about what they are doing. They have given us a lot to think about and have challenged us (in the best way) to see multiplication in our ministries and church. How can we grow and disciple more and move in that.