Jill's Testimony:

I have known the presence of Jesus in my life for as long as I can remember. I was born into a very loving family and yet as is often the case there were difficulties which were to cause much heartache over the coming years. I remember that from a very early age my father took me to church on Sunday mornings and Sunday school in the afternoons. I was baptised as a believer when I was a teenager.

I live in Devon and love walking along the coastal paths and listening to the waves break on the shore. Colin and I have been married for 47 years and have 2 wonderful sons and daughters in law, and 2 young grandsons.

Looking back over the years I can see how God has guided and protected me when life has taken unexpected turns and I have felt totally at sea. He has brought me through storms that I feared would engulf me and he has held me fast until the waters have calmed once more. At every stage of my life I have known God's blessings, comfort and strength.

Having recently retired I have been able to be more involved in KYB. I presently lead a Bible study group in Brixham and am on our local Torquay KYB team. I felt a prodding from God to go deeper so when I was invited to join the NLT I realised that this was the next step for me.

I love the KYB studies, they are so well researched and help me to both understand scripture and apply it to everyday situations. The background information is a great aid and the questions are clear and thought provoking.

Being involved in KYB is a very important part of my life. The friendships I have made are very precious to me and being able to share and support one another is a joy. But what of the future? Well that is not for me to know, but what I do know is that God is my constant companion. I thank him for the blessings of the past and trust him for all that is to come.