## St James News: Thought for the day – Monday 17th August 2020

## Clifford Edwards - Revd John Marshall

On Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2012 Maggie and I met Brother Clifford Edwards while waiting for a ferry over a Fjord or river between Tromso and Bodo in the Arctic Circle region of Norway. I was attracted by a beautiful truck; it had lovely pictures of peaceful lakes and mountains and said "Be still and know that I am God."

Brother Clifford told us part of his story (and we were able to read more). He has had a chequered life, a difficult childhood, he became an entertainer, an alcoholic, and homeless, with a variety of experiences of Christians and church. He had serious health issues and nearly died.

Eventually he had a deep experience of Christ having met Christians from the Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship International. He prayed and knew peace.

He was called and sent and set out in faith to evangelise, initially throughout the United Kingdom.

When we met him he was sharing the gospel in the north of Norway.

His ministry Highways for Jesus continues. He has travelled throughout the UK and Northern Europe sharing the gospel in a number of remarkable vehicles. He goes to communities and talks and answers questions and prays with people who come. He goes to churches and schools to share his story.

He is currently frustrated by lockdown.

In his book "From the streets of London to the streets of gold."

He acknowledges that the Holy Spirit brings people to Christ.

He knows that "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

He finishes his book "Jesus is the same, Yesterday, Today and Forever. I will serve Jesus until he returns or I die, and I shall never die, but one day I may stop breathing. God bless.

You might like to find out more about Brother Clifford from

www.highwaysforJesus.com