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Intel Update: PRAY Against Arming Biological Weapons w/Dead Man's Switch March 4, 2019



Lord, we know that You control all things and we Trust in You. Please help us to pray faithfully, fast as You lead us, and give offerings willingly to cooperate in disabling this latest threat to our country. Our whole world. Amen.

Well, Heartdwellers, our Intel source has sent an alert to us, and we are issuing a call to prayer, offering, and fasting. This is a potentially most serious situation.

When I read the title, speaking of a Dead Man's Switch, I didn't know what that was - so I did just a little research on it.

One source stated that: "A dead man's switch is a switch that is designed to be activated if the human operator becomes incapacitated, such as through death, loss of consciousness, or being bodily removed from control."

On a simple level, for instance, if you passed out or had a heart attack while you were running your riding lawn mower, it would stop—instead of plowing on in spite of you.

The article added that: "Though originally applied to switches on a vehicle or machine, it has since come to be used to describe other intangible uses, like in computer software."

Our Source explained in their letter to us: "In the world of computers and the devices they are programmed to operate, the concept of a dead man's switch is that it is activated by inaction.

"For example, if a password is entered daily, the switch remains off. But if no one enters the password, the switch is then activated—and whatever the device or weapon the the program is holding back—is then released.

They continued, "There are three such Dead Man's switches here in the US that are monitoring bio-weapons. These weapons have been placed near the Washington, D.C.-Baltimore, MD area, Sacramento, CA, and Seattle, WA.

"These bio-weapons, once released, would cause China to launch nukes on these areas and then blame Russia (who has nothing to do with this) so the clay feet can begin WWIII and avoid their arrest. "All of this will plan out in the next 6-7 weeks."

Interestingly, I looked it up. Easter is at the end of 7 weeks from now.

Our Source finished the letter, "We should pray against this every single day and ask God to reveal the locations of these devices, along with the ability and the wisdom to disarm them. And of course, that they will not go off.

"If one of these switches goes off, millions of people will die. President Trump is trying to take out the clay feet without these bio-weapons going off. And our prayers will help make a great difference."

So, let us all rise up for the Kingdom again, dear Heartdwellers, and join our petitions to the Father's will. As Jesus has asked us to ask Him: More Time. More Grace. More Mercy, Father - until the very last moment You are able to give us to help gather in Your Children. Amen.

Meditating on the Lord's Wounds

March 6, 2019



Lord, You call us to come and join You, as You go through Your Passion, by using the Stations of the Cross. You have told us that it is one of the most intimate journeys we can make with You, sharing Your very suffering for our souls. Thank You for the testimony to this dear soul of how precious this journey can be to our hearts. May we all find our own, unique walk with You down the Via Dolorosa by Your side. Amen.

One of our dear Prayer Warriors had recently been desiring to draw even closer to the Lord than she was. Clare's advice to her was: pray the Stations of the Cross. A former physician and the victim of serious physical trauma herself, she is well-versed in the needs and sights that come daily to a busy ER. The Lord used her knowledge to greatly enlarge her journey down the Stations of the Cross not too long ago. We'd like to share her journey with you.

Her letter began, "Dear Clare, I am writing to fulfill my promise to you to record what occurred when I followed your directions to meditate on the Lord's wounds.

"To begin, I had asked you: How I can get closer to the Lord? I had attempted this exercise--or something similar to it, in my mind--when I pray the Stations of the Cross.

"These were wonderful spiritual experiences for me, but they were not the ones that I engaged in often; I suspect that there were a great deal of feelings of unworthiness, as well as fear of not encountering Him at all, that put hesitation to me. "I had tried for months just to sit with the Lord and wait patiently upon Him, for His time to communicate with me. Needless to say, after months of very frequent-to-daily efforts, I saw little to no fruit. I asked for your recommendation, and then you told me to meditate upon the Lord's wounds. So, I decided to take your advice.

"I cannot say that I knew exactly what this meant; but I knew what it meant to me. I am not certain what happened next. I think I began by imagining Him before me. I recall that I saw feet—bloody feet—immediately before me, at ground level.

"For some reason, I decided to begin tending His wounds by addressing the issue of His Crown of Thorns. I realized, then, that I was bending down towards Him. He had been removed from the Cross and was sort of crouched before me, leaning against a tree, looking more like blood and gore than a human being—or Our Lord.

"I must admit, as a former ER physician well used to severe trauma, I would have routinely addressed this matter rapidly and professionally. And in the past, I certainly would have separated some part of my emotions from my thinking. In this instance, I did not do any of this. In fact, this all then became quite scary for me. I felt like I was without my protective shell, open and naked before Him. I did not move rapidly; rather, I moved slowly, gently, and tenderly—always aware of His pain and suffering.

"My spiritual sight had been gone for about six years at this point, (and is only now returning) but I found that I could see much more than I expected to—including details that I was heretofore unaware of.

"I began by slowly attempting to ease off the Crown of Thorns, which was covered in dried blood and adherent, in many places, to skin, muscle, & hair. Thorns had pierced the skin in many places and were held fast. And it had pierced His right eye—His eye was damaged, hooked by one of the thorns.

"Bowls appeared at my side, filled with what look like water, clean linens, and some type of unguent. I would not have thought to create these myself. They simply appeared, to my right; I had the feeling the Blessed Mother had prepared them for us, in order to facilitate this time with her Son and to treat His wounds.

"Teasing off this Crown of Thorns gently took time and patience. I did not want to hurt Him. Please know that I've always tried to be gentle with my patients, when I practiced medicine, but at no time in the past had I been treating my Spouse and my Savior! This required a very different level of love, gentleness, and care than I was used to giving, in such circumstances (I am sorry to admit). Although I have been through countless decades of trauma treatment, as both a patient and physician, I found myself moving slowly and somewhat shyly.

"The Crown of Thorns could finally be removed, even from His eye, which was very damaged as a result of the thorn. I had the feeling that there was something special about the water that was given to me. Was it blessed? Was it Water of Lourdes? I don't know. It was simply there for my use, and I prayed that it would help with His pain and healing.

"I am not used to moving this slowly and lovingly. I felt very unworthy to the task. I gently used the linen cloths and the water to wash the blood from His hair, scalp, and face. I recall this taking quite some time; and I am always used to rushing. I am well aware of a demon within me, who refers to itself as "Rush, Rush!"

"I noticed that, as the linen cloths and water became used and bloody, they were simply and immediately replaced with fresh materials.

"When the wounds were sufficiently cleansed, I covered them with the unguent and bound them in fresh linens, as best I could. I felt in my heart that this was Mary's, and that it would help with pain and healing and it would retard infection.

"We moved on to treating each hand—or, rather, I should say "wrist." When I looked closely, I saw wounds through each wrist, beginning from the palmar side (the inner side) and extending through externally (to the side we see knuckles). I used the linen cloths and water as before, slowly, gently, and—most of all—lovingly, to cleanse the wounds (both sides), one at a time. And then bind them with unguent on both sides of each wrist, followed by fresh cloths.

"In truth, I feel as if I am even now reliving this experience now. I feel the presence of the Holy Spirit strongly, and I am crying as I relate this. I am grateful to feel this now. Only now can I acknowledge how very small my heart was; and how very much He is enlarging it!

"I felt the Lord's presence strongly during these ministrations. I had never before addressed such matters with this degree of love, gentleness, tenderness—without the need for the rapidity of action I was used to in the emergency room. (Which, I now believe, was not only ER efficiency, but also part of a protective outer shell).

"I admit that working so slowly and with such great love was very difficult for me. It is growing significantly easier, but I still have a ways to go. Part of me wanted to hide, because I was not worthy to minister to Him. I have no doubt He was aware of this, as He is aware of my feelings now, even as I write this—for He knows all.

"As I continued, slowly and intently, on my tasks, I could feel His presence very strongly, and I prayed mine would give Him comfort during this difficult time. I knew that this was my Spouse and my Savior. I feel compelled to say that. And... I could be wrong here, but this was and is on my heart. Love and gentleness is what connected us, heart to heart, and deepened this experience to something I had never felt before.

"I continued further down, to His feet. I will try now to recall the details for you. I should have written this down earlier, but I did not have sufficient means to do so. I suspect this is just an excuse created by demons, which I (unfortunately) listened to at the time.

"I believe I attempted to soak His feet in the water first, in an effort to remove some of the blood and dirt, without causing more pain.

"Then I began the process of slowly and lovingly washing His feet, using the linen cloths and the water given to me. I felt the urge to rush. I must always fight against this urge, thanks to the "rush, rush" demon. I suspect that the Lord helped me with this, because it was not nearly as difficult as usual.

"When His feet and wounds were cleansed, both top and bottom, I placed the unguent on both sides of each wound, with something akin to a tongue depressor, which had been provided for me, for unguent placement. Then I wrapped the wounds and His feet with clean linens.

"In retrospect, I cannot say that I meditated so much as I cleansed—with patience, gentleness, and love for my Spouse and Savior. This was the newest aspect introduced into my prayer & meditation at the time, I believe. It was during this time that I drew more closely to Him and felt His presence so much more profoundly than I had in the past.

"I must be honest here and admit that this degree of closeness was both wonderful and disconcerting, because I felt naked—truly bare before Him... without any protective shell that I was aware of.

"I hesitated then, before approaching Him again. Because, as wondrous as it was, I also felt so unworthy. Please know that such thoughts of condemnation would never come from Him! I asked the Lord to help me with these negative feelings so that I could feel more love, more faith, more compassion, and more trust. And over time, He accomplished all of this and more.

"I am still a work in progress, and He has more work to do in these areas, but I have no doubt that He will finish the work He has begun. I can feel the fruit of His labors in my heart, mind, body, soul, and spirit.

"When I returned to Him, in order to sit with Him and spend time with Him, I found this particular exercise went a great way toward, I suppose, the melding of our hearts and minds. And it facilitated closer, more loving communication that I could feel in every way.

"For the first time, I began to run to Him for help, for comfort, for wisdom, and simply for loving company—to receive and, when possible, to give."

That's the end of her letter.

And again - for those of you who have not yet been introduced to, or made time, to pray your way through the Stations of the Cross, I would strongly encourage you to do so!

We don't have a published version specific to the Channel here, but there are many, many fine interpretations out there to help you. Just type in Stations of the Cross in your browser and see

what comes up and let the Holy Spirit lead you to the version that He has found suited for you. He'll do that.

For those of you who enjoy illustrations, or music to accompany those words, YouTube also has several versions. You can follow along praying with them; this is my favorite way to do it. I'll share with you one of my favorite versions. It is done by Fr. Kevin Scallon and his sister-in-law, Dana. This can be found on YouTube easily. Just type in Fr. Scallon Stations of the Cross and it'll take you right to it. And if you go to his site there on YouTube you can purchase this as a CD and do it that way, too, as well.

I would also like to remind you before we leave, that our newest book, When God Heals and When He Doesn't is available from Amazon. Or if you would like it for free, send Clare a postcard or letter, with your address, and she will be glad to send you a free copy. We have priced it as low as we possibly can through Amazon, but they do demand a basic price. We are NOT looking for profit from these books. We are simply wanting to get the teachings the Lord's given us on various topics compiled together into these books, and so they can be out to our people.

We are close to finishing the next book, too: A Hope in Winter Comes. The first part of this book will be from Clare's journal back from the 1990's. She was part of a group of people in Florida, and Mary and Jesus made many visitations to this group, and she scribed them all in her journal. And then, to the end of that book, we are also adding in all of the teachings that Jesus has recently given us about Mary and her role in the Church.

Thank you, Dear Heartdwellers. Thank you for all that you do for us and for all your prayers. They are so greatly appreciated. May the Lord bless you now.

May the Lord bless you, dear Heartdwellers. You are dearly loved!

Lent is a Time for Purifying

March 6, 2019



Thank You, Lord, for touching me, an untouchable because of my sins, my leprosy. Thank You, Lord, for not tossing me out into the wilderness to go about crying, "Unclean! Unclean!" Rather, You take me to Your bosom and I'm cleansed from head to toe. Yet knowing there lurks inside of me, still, the seeds of uncleanness. Yet each day You take me to Yourself, and again I am cleansed and revived, given back hope for a life well lived. Thank You, precious Jesus. Thank You. Well, that introduction kinda gives you an idea of what I've been going through. I've been on a journey into the areas of my life that need reformation, and they are indeed large and deep-seated. Just in time for Lent, a season set apart and sanctioned for purification and giving — which is the antidote for Avarice.

The Lord has told me before that this is His Church, even though it has been attacked and seemingly conquered by evil in the guise of piety. Still, Holy Spirit has moved on the hearts of men who have guided that Church, to set aside seasons for special spiritual objectives.

And Lent, is a time of introspection and a cleaning out the old to make room for the new.

Dear ones. Let's not strain over gnats and swallow camels and discredit these seasons because they correlate with evil seasons (and much of that has to do with lunar cycles).

God has given us so many gifts! It is man that perverts, twists, and uses these good things for evil motives. We use the Internet to spread the Good News; Satan uses it to lure men into sin. We use cars to get from point A to point B; Satan makes them a status symbol, so men will give themselves over to excessive work and neglect their families to make money to afford them. We use a taxi to get to the doctor; a prostitute uses it to get to the bar where she will seduce men.

Everything God has given us can be used for both good and evil. It is not the object or the season; it is the will and agreement of men that determines whether it is used for good or for bad intentions.

The Lord has taught us to discern by looking at the fruits, and truly Lent is a very productive season as we cast out the old leaven in preparation for a new infilling. A lot of what has been going on with me has been seeing the stain of sin and selfishness.

It began when I kept getting readings about repentance. I was puzzled, because I thought I was doing everything pleasing to Him. Especially that day. I became very frustrated and depressed, because He was saying there is sin to repent of—and I couldn't put my finger on it. And I still can't isolate one thing—yet I was begging Holy Spirit to reveal sin in my life to me.

But then, in the course of three days—three painful days of feeling separation from the Lord little things I never paid attention to popped up... Like wanting to buy vitamins I didn't need yet. Being resentful for interruptions. Getting upset that I spilled a bottle of aloe vera green juice, rather than thanking God that I had it to drink.

And having to repeat myself over and over again to certain individuals that were hammering me to yield to their preferences—when I had sought God and given them His best for the situation. Yet they still wanted more, and the next day—more after that.

I felt a root of bitterness rising up from my gut that I must now deal with, and it is so extremely exhausting.

Now I have a little taste of how Jesus feels when I ask Him for something, and He says 'no.' And the next day I come back afterward, having modified the request, and ask again. And again, and again—with all sorts of compromises and modifications. And the answer is still "No". Thank you, Lord. I see what I put You through, now! I am so sorry. If it had been good for the purpose intended, He would have said "Yes" the first time. But I was dealing with my personal insecurities, self-will and needing to take control—to make it better with my ideas.

So, I noticed temptations of Avarice, signs of Ungratefulness and Rancor. I was beginning to build a list in my mind. But none of these felt worthy (in my human perspective) of such severe readings on Sinfulness and Repentance that the Lord kept giving me in most of my Bible readings.

So, Ezekiel said, "Well, could this be about repenting for the world?" And boy, would I love to brush it off to that! I said, "No, Honey. I don't think so. I really sense this is about me and something I'm blind to."

These readings and 'words' were something you would hear if you were having an adulterous relationship—not minor things that I was already resisting. He talked about the man with leprosy being cleansed and "sickness" in the form of obsessive-compulsive behavior. And worldly desires.

So, in the course of three days, I did see tendencies. I think I would call them wrinkles in my wedding gown. Deep-seated habits and attitudes that were not pleasing to God. Even though I didn't out-right exercise them, they were there.

But what hurt and confused me so much was that I hadn't done anything. But I did feel the impulse to do it and suppressed it. Yet the Lord was insisting that I needed to repent. For three days I grieved over this and begged Him to reveal to me what I had done. That's why I couldn't put out a message, guys. That's when I need the most prayers, when I'm quiet...

Then today, His Mercy broke through and I realized: there is a bedrock tendency in me to allow myself many vices that easily turn into sin. Like wasting time at the end of a hard day and watching a couple of YouTubes. So, I added that to my list. I began to see that beneath this veneer of being a "good Christian" were some serious faults that still exerted influence in my day-to-day life. Even though I was resisting them, they were still there. And they had an influence. I am sure there is much more, and I thank Him for not showing me everything! Although, I wouldn't be surprised if some big things came up towards the end of Lent.

But Lent is a time to get rid of the old yeast, even as Paul wrote:

Get rid of the old yeast, that you may be a new unleavened batch, as you really are. For Christ, our Passover lamb, has been sacrificed. Therefore, let us keep the feast, not with the old bread, leavened with malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and of truth. *I Corinthians 5:7-8*

And I can see, by examining my own life right now, that He takes Lent very seriously. So, I pass that onto you to encourage you to deny yourself during this season and do works of charity for others. And abstain from desserts and pleasing foods as well as meat and poultry on Fridays (and Wednesdays, if you want to add that to it.) Fish and dairy are good substitutes.

In the old days, you abstained from meat for the entire season of Lent, but then the Church changed the rules. So, it's up to our conscience. I think it is best to give the Lord as much as you can with an attitude of thanksgiving. You know you can never out-give the Lord... ever.

To make a point, Ezekiel—before he was saved—was in sin. He knew he was going to hell, so he just figured he'll deal with that when it happens. But for some reason, a spark inside of him decided to abstain from sodas for Lent. At the end of Lent he had a marvelous conversion experience that was the beginning of his life in God.

That said, here is a little more information on Lent.

It starts on Ash Wednesday and its observance (although not its liturgical period, as Sundays are not fast days and are therefore not counted) lasts for 40 days, mirroring the 40 days that Jesus spent fasting in the wilderness before starting his ministry. Lent starts on Ash Wednesday in western Christian Churches. and climaxes during Easter Week.

The last week of Lent is called Holy Week. During the 40 days of Lent, Christians remember the time when Jesus went into the desert to fast and pray. But also, the focus is on giving, sacrificing for the poor while denying yourself.

"If anyone would come after Me, let him deny himself, pick up his cross and follow Me."

So, I know I'm going to get asked. What to give up for Lent? This was an interesting little list, believe it or not, from Wikipedia.

What to give up for Lent?

- Is this something I like?
- Is this something I enjoy doing/eating?
- Is this something that's important to me?
- Do I think this will be a challenge throughout Lent?
- Will I appreciate this when I can have/do it again on Easter?
- Am I giving this up because I have to (someone is making me), or because I want

• Is this a true sacrifice?

• If you answered yes to all of these questions, you've chosen an excellent Lenten sacrifice.

Thus, the rules for fasting and abstinence in the United States are: Every person 18 years or older abstain from meat (and items made with meat) on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent. Every person between the age of 18 and 59 (beginning of 60th year) must fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.

The idea was that these foods increased sex drive and therefore Lust, which is one of the temptations to be avoided. In the Roman Catholic Church, people would abstain from just meat and poultry on Ash Wednesday and every Friday during Lent. Dairy, eggs, and fish would still be eaten.

Beginning on Ash Wednesday, Lent is a season of reflection and preparation before the celebrations of Easter. By observing the 40 days of Lent, Christians replicate Jesus' sacrifice and withdrawal into the desert for 40 days. And we fast from both from food and festivities.

The thing to remember, dear ones, is that this is a time of emptying so that we can be refilled by the Spirit of God, with holy things. The more we draw away from feeding the fancies of the flesh, the deader it becomes, the less influence it exerts over us, and the more we grow in sensitivity to spiritual things.

So, we can expect that at the end of a well-observed Lent, there will be spiritual breakthroughs, and maybe even the grace to live a far more spiritual life than what we were living.

Lord, have you something to add?

Jesus began, "Oh, the influence and power a pure soul has before My Father in Heaven. Blessed are the pure of heart, for they shall see shall Me.

"Dear Children, this season is most necessary for you, because you accumulate the toxins of the world. They cling to you like barnacles on a ship. The longer you've been in the world, the greater the build-up of attractions and distractions of the world. And the more impurity you build up.

"As you can see from the Gospels, even I felt the necessity of cleansing Myself from 30 years of living in the world, yet not being of the world. And My mother is not of this world. Rather, she is a most heavenly woman, completely caught up in the agenda of Heaven and leading others to holiness.

"She had quite a reputation for being very innocent and pure. As a young one, she practiced the abstinences of the Temple as she was growing. Because of her tender age, she was not required to do what the priests did. However, zeal for Heaven was so great in her young soul that she

hungered to dwell in the Heavenlies and was given many Heavenly visions that only served to make her more dedicated as she grew up.

"Her home had not a hint of the world—not in speech, nor in dress, nor in necessary things. All was very plain and did not attract you to itself. Whereas in a palace, everything from the floor to the curtains and the furniture, lamp stands, etc. is lavish and decorated in such a way that you could not walk through the palace without stopping to admire the workmanship of so many beautiful objects.

"You see, this beauty on Earth begets a hunger for more beauty on Earth—and one begins to long after fine carvings, gemstones, marble floors, silk curtains and elaborate clothing. The most elaborate thing she ever did was My one-piece tunic.

"But herein lies the entire secret of her holy life. She surrounded herself with nothing other than the plainest pots and bowls, mattes and utensils. She had no longing for these things, because she starved it out of her soul. Anne and Joachim, her parents, also lived an austere life, because their hearts were very much turned Heavenward. They had lived and seen so much of the world, it had no appeal to them at all.

"And this is why I came to Earth in poverty. There was nothing in My appearing that would appeal to the carnal man. It would be the shepherds, fishermen, and carpenters that were attracted to Me, because their hearts were empty of the desires and glories of man on Earth.

"Substance is everything. The outer appearance means nothing if the inside is not Godly.

"And so I began My ministry by depriving My flesh, so it would let go of the accumulated sights and sounds of the past, wanting only to be free of all Earthly entanglements. This cleansing subdued My flesh, so I could be more deeply united with My Father.

"Truly the flesh is a briar patch, and you cannot walk through this world without attracting thorns and thistles to yourself. And this time, completely apart from human and worldly consolations, broadened the space of My flesh to receive more and more of the Spirit."

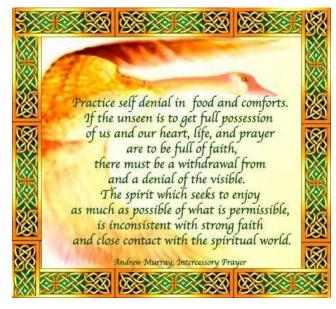
In other words, I think He's meaning here that His flesh was under the control of His Spirit more and more.

"That is why this spring cleansing has so much spiritual significance. My dear ones. I wish to fill you more and more. I wish to direct your lives out of this world and into the world soon to come, just as I led the Israelites out of the abundance of exotic foods into the desert with only Manna to eat. It was to be a cleansing from the accumulated toxins of the Egyptian culture with all its idols.

"There I tested and tried the people to see if they were worthy to enter the Promised Land. Your Promised Land is the Realm of Heaven and I am preparing you for the journey Homeward. "Yet, there is work to be done on Earth, and each of you need a new vision in understanding, equipping, and opportunities to leave the very best of yourselves behind to nourish those yet to enter the Kingdom. So, I am coming to you to entreat you to observe the Lenten fasts to the best of your ability, while steadily looking forward to the new infillings and equippings I will infuse into your souls as you make more and more room for Me.

"For some of you, this will be very difficult. Clare, My darling, I know you fear these challenges. Yet I will help you, all of you. Call out to Me when you struggle and I will gently lead you out of your trial.

"For all of you, Heartdwellers, I exhort you to do your best, knowing that for each pleasing morsel you give up, I have spiritual gifts and mantles accumulating for you, which I have longed to lavish on you, My Beautiful Bride."



Clare pulled this rhema just after recording the message and wanted to include it here.

Testimonies of the Lord's Presence in

Communion March 8, 2019



Lord, You have taught us for years now the beauty and need for us to come to You and join with You in celebrating the Lord's Supper together. Please help us to be faithful to come every day, as You have instructed us. Especially during this Lenten Season that we are now in.

Well, today is the first Friday in our Lenten season this year, and Clare and I thought it would be appropriate to share some experiences with you all

that some of our Prayer Warriors have had lately. Some are ordained, some are not. But the

Lord has been teaching all of us clearly, from July of 2015, that it is His express desire that we ALL celebrate Communion with Him, every day.

I'm going to go back to that original message and quote some of the highlights of it. The message was very simply called Communion. Jesus Teaches on Communion.

Jesus began, "You, My Bride, must be nourished on My Body and My Blood as well. This is our point of physical union: the bread becomes a part of you physically, and because of that, you and I become One. You are fruitful and bear spiritual children, as well as being strengthened for the journey.

"I want each of you to design your own communion service using, the Last Supper as your guide. To the degree that you believe, to that degree I will be present to you.

"As things become darker and darker, I want to strengthen you completely in every possible way. The reception of My Body and Blood is one of many ways, but profoundly important to Me."

And then He quoted from John 6:47 up to 51. <u>"Very truly I tell you, the one who believes has</u> <u>eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness, yet they</u> <u>died. But here is the bread that comes down from heaven, which anyone may eat and not die. I</u> <u>am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live forever.</u> <u>This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world."</u>

Jesus continued, "I long to be received into the heart of My Bride. I long to share this communion with you. I long that we should be One in every possible way. Do not deny Me access to your bodies through communion. Do not abstain from receiving Me because you have fallen. It is the sick that need communion the most. First, confess to Me what you have done, sincerely from the heart repenting, and then you may receive."

And that was what I wanted to quote to you from that particular message.

Just after that, Clare wrote a message called, <u>Communion Service, Very Simple</u>. In this, she laid out a very easy-to-follow pattern for people to use, for those who would like to celebrate with the Lord in an honoring way. This teaching can be found, along with all the other teachings we have about Communion, in an Album called <u>Communion</u>. I'll leave the link to that album in the written copy of this message so it's easier to find. https://vimeo.com/albums/5529468

So, just the other day, Clare shared an email with the Prayer Warriors. One of our men had written to her, to share his experience with the Lord during communion. He IS one of the ordained priests, and therefore using instructions for the Lord's Supper that are a little more extensive than the ones I just mentioned. But the Lord will meet each and every one according to their faithfulness and desire for Him in Communion.

This was his account:

My Suppers

"I have to say, the instructions you sent for the Lord's Suppers is a great blessing! I have made a new devotion to the Lord with it. I have, with His TREMENDOUS grace, devoted my mornings to Him. Because I am working much closer at home (a 30-minute drive now, instead of 1 and 1/2 hours) I can spend a good hour in the morning with Him using your Supper form. It has been SUCH a blessing to me, you will only know in Heaven. I have met many of the great Saints during the 'hug' section. It is truly true that the Saints in Heaven attend our Celebrations. But the most precious thing of all has been the closeness I now feel with Jesus.

"Did I say thank you already? THANK you for obeying our Lord Jesus in helping us see Him as He truly is, the tender Bridegroom, the purest Lover ever, the most amazing, kind, gentle, strong, loving Husband and God and Lover ever and ever."

He went on to talk about a visit to Heaven then:

Children in Heaven

"Clare, I had a beautiful experience today. Jesus took me to Heaven, and I was flooded with little children. I would say they were as tall as my leg, barely over my knees. They all thanked me for praying for them. One was called James, another Joseph, another Max, and another Rainbow. I soon got to see a LOT more, each running to other persons as I was there. I saw you, there, Clare - and others of the Family, (I believe he means other Heartdwellers here) also having these little ones around you. Thank you for praying for them. I think they liked us so much that they took our names for themselves. I had been praying for aborted children to be baptized in the water and blood of Jesus that gushed from His side. Could there be a correlation there?"

Well, I certainly think so!

Clare replied to his letter:

"Heartdwellers, the Lord's Suppers are not meant to rival mass on the Internet or in a churches. They are given primarily as a powerful tool to get closer to the Lord and make your prayers more powerful. Sam has truly connected and I'm thrilled. So much wonderful fruit will come from this. It has become SO simple, simple enough for all.

"Oh, Sam, that is precious about the children! I'm so glad you saw me there, too! I wonder if I get around sometimes. I really enjoyed your letter and testimonial. I need to recirculate that to everyone."

Well, as I said, Clare did circulate the email. And soon there were even more replies with more precious experiences with the Lord. One of the women wrote:

Dear Sam,

"I could HUG you... I really could! Thanks to your awesome testimonial, I've moved on a bit.

"Yesterday, although I didn't see anything during my Lord's Supper, I was aware of Saint Padre Pio walking up to me and saying that he is praying for me...

"But today, I was really THERE! I saw Jesus sitting down and there were lots and lots of very young children rushing around, excited to be with Jesus. Some came up to me, but I didn't hear any of them speak. Standing near Jesus was Saint Padre Pio holding a little child in his arms and smiling. It was very clear, as though I was really THERE — not at all hazy, like visions can be for me.

"I pondered on what made it different today. One thing that may have helped is that I was soo relaxed — chatting to the Saints during my Lord's Supper and telling them how I appreciate their prayers for those I'm praying for and adding how much I would love to see them.

"I'm sharing this because your beautiful testimony made such a difference to me, and hopefully mine will help someone, too. I was RELAXED... EXPECTING something to happen... and EXCITED. Anyway, it worked for me."

And then one of the other men wrote:

"This morning while I was in Dwelling prayer, I saw the Lord hanging on His Cross. I was at His feet, kissing and washing them. The song "Let Your Pain Touch My Pain" that Father Ezekiel wrote was playing in the background.

"I floated up to Him and embraced all His bloody torso, warmly. His Blood flowing copiously over me. Soon, I was up next to Him, nailed on my own cross to His left. Holy Spirit was upon me very strongly during all of this. I have been carrying a cross of sadness for lost souls the Lord is grieving over, that we have been interceding for.

"Later on, while celebrating the Lord's Supper, many Saints were present. St's Francis, Faustina, and Lawrence of the Resurrection (He is a French Carmelite Lay brother from the 7th century) They were all among them. Our Lady was with us, as well. Jesus and I were in the center. He was still a bloody pulp in my arms.

"As we (Mary, the Saints, and I) prayed for the lost, and for His Church, and for the Heartdwellers, I saw myself taking a balm with two fingers of my right hand and applying it to each of His wounds—which stopped bleeding and closed it up. And then I would wash them with water. When I got to the Crown of Thorns, I was given a bottle of fragrant ointment, which I poured over His head, and the thorny Crown dissolved. "After washing His head, hair, and face, I received Him (in Communion) and we all joined our hands in worship and thanksgiving. And He was raised up, Glorious and Shining, with a great smile on His face. (Which is I usually how see Him.) And we held each other, turning slowly in Heaven, among the clouds.

"He takes such comfort from us, Family. Our love for Him and for others through prayer and charity is a balm, and the washing of His wounds."

Next, one of the women wrote. This one goes a little off the subject of the Lord's Supper, but it's a powerful testimony to how we can re-enter ANY time in His life here on Earth and be with Him. Especially the hours of His Passion.

She began, "It was a while ago, but I told Him I would keep Him company in the prison before His crucifixion. And I could see Him clearly. He was sitting on a kind of cold slab. The soldiers didn't see me, and they were taunting Him. I sat so close to Him and put my arms around Him, and His head was bent some. I could sense He was suffering so much, in a lot of pain; they must have beaten Him all the more.

"He just had me stay there with Him with my arms around Him holding Him close to me, trying to comfort Him as best I could. It wasn't a long vision. Just enough that I was glad that I could afford Him some consolation. I don't even think we spoke any words, because we really didn't need to. We just had to be close to each other, and I just had to hold Him.

"He said once to Gabrielle, in the book He and I: '...visit Me in My day.' Since He sees Time in all one glance, you can be with Him in Gethsemane, which He really, really loves. I've been there, too, with Him—holding Him as I know others have. And this is for just everyone to do!

"So, don't hesitate to just go back in His time in your imagination, this gift that He gave us, (our imaginations) that we can be with Him in any way that we can imagine. And He just feels everything for real. For instance, He said (this is again from the book, He and I) 'Take My hand, Gabrielle. Come be with Me in the Garden as if it's that very night. Even though I am God, I am very distressed, and your presence is comforting to Me. Oh, how I need the presence of My loved ones around Me!'"

And now, I'll add my own testimony here, from a few days ago:

"I was in my office, working on the Channel. And I keep my earphones on, and my music playing on shuffle, most of the time. I not only want to block out the noises of the house (especially the TV when my husband has it on) but I want to be instantly available to His voice. He talks to me that way, all afternoon:0) We have established a whole list of songs now that mean different things when He brings them up on my random Shuffle. One song means: "Turn off the music, I want to show you something". Others mean: "Pray for so and so."—and there's a whole list of people we pray for, according to each of these different songs. Each song is 'assigned' to a different person or people or groups, such as the children who are being abused. There's one particular song that I stop and pray whenever that one comes up.

"But there's one song in particular that means 'I need you. Come to Me.'

"A little while back now, this 'I need you' song came on. And I knew He was suffering. As He came to me, I held Him against my left shoulder, weeping over His pain, and the condition of His face. His entire face was lacerated, open bleeding wounds like a huge wild cat had fought with Him. I knew that I was to wash these wounds and tend them, somehow.

"I looked up, and Mary was right beside me, holding a bowl of water. She had a small hand towel draped over her shoulder for me to use.

"As I dipped the towel in the water and started washing His face, but I knew that it was to only be the one side. A long ago, He told me that Suffering part Joy and part Pain—always. And He underlines this point to me all the time.

"Joy follows Sorrow. Half of His Cross was incomparable Suffering. The other half was the Joy of what He was accomplishing—and what lay ahead. Not just for Him, but for all of us. Even when I am 'in suffering' (I go through periods something like Ezekiel, though not nearly as severe) it usually happens all in the right side of my body, but rarely both.

"I hate that He is still taking these wounds, that He is still suffering for us and the world! And I wanted so badly this time to see them healed up again - not just washed.

"Holy Spirit is always present to my right side in times like this. And He reminded me of the healing teachings that Jesus gave us, and that we can ask for Him to come through our hands, literally reach through our hands and heal the people we are praying for.

"So, I reached out to Holy Spirit and asked if we could do that for Jesus—together? I began to trace an open line of each of the wounds with my forefinger. I could see that Holy Spirit's finger had indwelled mine. And my finger seemed to seal up the sides of each slice in His skin. And as I watched, they completely closed up and turned into new, whole flesh again.

"How wonderful it is that He allows us to touch Him this way! It is so sweet to let us know that WE are a balm and comfort to Him—just as He is to us. How precious is this Love He gives us—to cherish and hold in return! There are just are no words..."

I'm going to close today with the song that one of the Prayer Warriors spoke of, Ezekiel's "Let Your Pain Touch My Pain."

May the Lord bless you, dear Heartdwellers.

(Let My Pain Touch Your Pain)

Echoes in my mind, mirrors back in Time. Spirits yet entwined, softly speaking. Embers in my soul, layers yet unfold, Hearts are open wide calling Your name.

Let your pain touch My pain. Let your wounds touch My wounded heart. Let your dying touch My dying. Let your pain touch My pain. Let your wounds touch My wounded heart. Let your dying touch My dying.

And be healed.

Passions fall away, living for today. Garden filled with grace quietly waiting. Banquet of your love, flowing from your side. Marriage bed of suffering for Your Bride.

Let your pain touch My pain. Let your wounds touch My wounded heart. Let your dying touch My dying. Let your pain touch My pain. Let your wounds touch My wounded heart. Let your dying touch My dying.

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Jesus Pleading With Us to Adopt Trafficked Children

March 9, 2019



Jesus, I receive your invitation once again to share in the sufferings of these little ones. Lord, give us strength. Amen.

My dearest family, the Lord is under unbelievable sufferings for the little children being brutally abused until they die. He has chosen certain souls to stand in the gap for these children, and even to experience some of their suffering in order that they may be set

free from it. For that reason, I have given you a refresher of what goes on and I am inviting you, at the request of Jesus, to spiritually adopt these children.

So, the refresher will be quotes from previous messages about what goes on with these children.

This is a work in the spirit that also impacts the body, Heartdwellers. One of our Bishops, this morning, was given a word from the Lord, requesting your assistance, dear family.

Jesus said, in essence, that if you will stand for these children and take their sufferings to yourself, He will remove the suffering. They will not feel anything, and He will also see to it that the adrenaline these pitifully wicked and misguided souls are trying to extract from these children's organs, will no longer come out of their bodies in the blood. And they will get nothing out of all their torturing.

Without the adrenaline, the blood will have little benefit, and they will stop this practice. YES!!! This is our chance to totally short-circuit the torturing of children to extract hormonal fluids.

Jesus began, "My Bride. My dearly beloved Bride. How happy I am with the comfort you have offered to Me in My sufferings. For indeed My suffering is very great as I behold the heinous acts committed against innocent and tender children, whom I brought into this world with many wonderful gifts to impart to your civilization.

"You see, this generation is VERY special and unique and gifted, very gifted. I gave them to you to bring you up higher in My Kingdom, and to open your eyes. Satan, in a blind rage, has declared war on these specially endowed children and fanned the flames of blood lust in expanding covens to cause them to throw all caution to the wind and do that which is unspeakable to these kidnapped children.

"These are the children that will lay hands on the cornerstones of hospitals and everyone will be healed. These are the children that will look the demons in the eye and tell them to flee in My Mighty Name, which they will be more aware of than any generation before them. And this precisely is the reason this butchery is going on at an unprecedented rate. It is not only for the harvesting of the adrenaline.

"I will release their giftings on the Earth at the time of their death, and though they be in Heaven with Me, they have left a mantle of anointings with those on Earth who are prepared to receive them. I ask you to pray for these children, who are so desperately suffering beyond anything you've ever witnessed. I am asking you to receive their sufferings, whatever they may be, for the sake of these little ones. You cannot at this time understand what relief this will bring to My Divine Being.

"Just come to Me in your hour of trial and whisper, 'For our children, Lord.' Bear up under circumstances cheerfully, knowing that you are doing a great work. I am not saying that you cannot pray for relief or for healing—that will always be your prerogative. Rather, I am asking you to shoulder this cross for these souls, so that I may stop this heinous practice.

"My Loved ones, there are so many mysteries tied up in the blood covenant that man has yet to understand. One of these is the exchange of pain and suffering for grace. The Scripture that supports this is Colossians 1:24 Now I rejoice in my sufferings for you, and I fill up in my flesh what is lacking in regard to Christ's afflictions for the sake of His body, which is the church.

"My afflictions released powerful graces to you and opened the gates of Heaven. When I entreated you to imitate Me, be like Me, deny yourself, pick up your cross and follow Me... When I said those words, I was giving you the invitation that I have made once again today. Suffer with Me for others, that I might release greater graces into their hearts, in order that they receive Me and keep Me as a permanent resident, sitting on the thrones of their hearts.

"Yes, I paid the price to redeem you from death and the grave, tearing asunder the veil that separated Us. But someone must continue laboring with Me for the sanctification of souls, yourselves included. And this work requires self-denial and suffering.

"This, too, is what Lent is all about. Denying your flesh, even your intellect to make room for ever-deepening revelations of the Divine Life. Forever climbing into the heights of My Kingdom, revealing the truths so long hidden from you, but now at hand as you cast out the old leaven.

"The more you deny the impulses of your flesh and embrace My invitation to offer yourselves as a living sacrifice for the love of mankind, just as I did for you, the more you will resemble Me, My Precious Bride.

"Will you do this for Me? And in doing this, I promise you deeper and deeper communion in the depths of your heart with Mine, for your humility and charity draw Me irresistibly closer to you."

And this Scripture came to mind: <u>"Therefore I urge you, brothers, on account of God's mercy, to</u> offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God, which is your spiritual service of worship." Romans 12:1 Now, I promised to you that I would refresh your memory on some of the things that were going on in the past with child trafficking and even ISIS.

June 17, 2015

We got a notice today that came across our desk about more terrorism with ISIS, that they're killing little babies and children in Iraq again. They've increased, I guess they took over a new city. And it's just terrible what they're doing to these little infants and these children. It's just heartbreaking.

Jesus broke in here and said, "Tell them that I need their sufferings and oppressions for innocent little ones being murdered in cold blood, that I might remove from them the pain and terror they are at this moment suffering.

"In this furnace of affliction," He continues "you are removing the sufferings of so many little innocents. What is being done is beyond human, it is pure demonic.

"You are all united by My Spirit and the Spirit is strong on little children. You are intercepting some of their cries and pleas. Many of them are too little to understand what is going on. I cannot tell you how much comfort you bring by your intercession and the cross you are carrying right now.

"You know that this was arranged before they came to Earth, do you not?"

Oh, Lord, I hadn't even thought of it.

"Well, it was. What is different is the suffering I am sparing them through the intercession of saints all over the world and they're shouldering this cross with great love and devotion."

And that was the end of that quote. And then:

Spiritually Adopt a Trafficked Child December 16, 2017

Then the Lord began to speak to me, "I want you to spiritually adopt trafficked children. You are well aware of the horrible kidnapping, selling, and trafficking of poor innocent children throughout the world in many places. Not only are they taken from their parents and siblings, which in itself is terrorizing enough. But after being sold, they are beaten severely to make them submit, from the very first moment, to the unspeakable sexual abuse and painful violation of their tender little bodies.

"Some of you, yourselves, were subjected to terrible abuse and neglect when you were young, as well--and you know how devastating it was to you, even up into your adult years.

"I appeal to you now. Please work with Me to rescue, comfort, and heal these precious children and young adults who are daily victims of unbelievable terror and extreme pain; crying, begging, and pleading day and night for someone to PLEASE help them.

"They are constantly in a state of tremendous fear, as some are kept in chicken-wire cages, others in basements, cold, malnourished, and dehydrated. The only time they see the light of day is when they are dragged out, roughly washed, put in nice dresses with no under covering, and driven to clandestine motel rooms, where one or more drunken 'customers' are just waiting to use and abuse them repeatedly.

"Sometimes as many as six different men, or even more, keep them for hours on end, burning, beating, and raping them. Some of them do not survive these long periods of torture and abuse. To keep down the screaming, these men will stuff socks and handkerchiefs into their mouths. Because many of the the children are already very weak and sick, they have difficulty breathing, and they can end up dying by suffocation.

"If by chance they do survive, many soon succumb within days to complications from punctured spleens and internal bleeding.

"Although all of this has been very hard for you to hear, and very hard for Me to describe to you, by the profound compassion and tenderness of My Father, We have seen their tears, and heard their desperate pleas. Therefore, We have made a provision to distract them away from being tortured, by allowing souls who are praying for them to experience the tenderness of being loved and held securely. Contrary to what is happening to them, they do find some comfort in this.

"Those with hearts to comfort these children have experienced it, and now I am asking you to work with Me, and 'spiritually adopt' as many of these as you possibly can. If you will give me your permission, and your own free will, to take these and intentionally hold them, cover them, and carry them close within your heart--I will expand both your heart and soul to accommodate ALL that I bring to You, along with All the love and attention of an alert and devoted mother.

"Am I not your Faithful God? Do I say, and not carry out? I will be with them as the 'dew-laden breeze' in the fiery furnace. And many shall live, going out to proclaim My wonderful love and deliverance to the ends of the Earth!

"I have decreed all of this," says the Lord, "that the souls of many shall be saved!"

And then:

Jesus specifically asked me to carry the aborted children:

"Will you continue to carry My little children, the abortions? The abused, for Me? Are you willing? Even if I draw more heavily on you?"

How could I refuse You, King of my soul?

And that was Carol speaking. And here she shares an experience that she had just today.

EZ just called – and we suffered together through the first 5 stations of the cross playing in the background. He said he's already seen 3 people being tortured and executed this morning... Lord, strengthen him. I was getting 'hit' harder than before. I give it to You, Lord... I don't know how he does it—but You do.

I saw masses and masses of children surrounding Mary, like a great flock of sheep. Then Jesus came to join them, and then Papa. Mary was holding a little baby—but there were dozens upon dozens of children around their legs. And my heart kept going to NY. I don't know what that all means—what it could mean—besides abortions.

So much happens in my body. (And this is Carol speaking) Pains. Burnings. Contraction-like feelings. All focused on my female organs. I have so much pain, emotional pain, surrounding these things. I can only believe that You are allowing it. I thought I had confirmed with You that it is for the sake of the children. IS this true, Lord?

And Jesus answered her, "Yes, Love. Be at peace with this. I allow you just the mildest of the pain they have. You don't need to question this anymore—I have watched you stumble over it for weeks now, worrying that you are somehow at fault for something."

The burn for the children has been coming and going all morning—since 6:30. I have wondered if each time it starts—and then stops—if it is yet another child...sigh. If this is so, I've long lost count, even this morning.

"This is Truth, Little One," Jesus replied.

I looked for You, Jesus—and You were coming across our meadow:0) I knew You had been there playing with the children. You told me that it gave You Peace and Joy to do this. And the last thing You said was, *"Do you know how many you have given Me this morning, My Love?"* Because I've felt it, all morning... But no, Lord. I have no idea. (Carol answered.)

"Twenty-four. And one more is coming just now—you feel it. Abortions now, My Love. Abortions. Almost continually—it's the reason you 'burn' continually. You feel it—the pain in your uterus. This work is important to Me, Love of My Heart. Are you still willing?"

And that was the end of Carol's dialogue with the Lord.

So, He's calling us to share in the sufferings of these children. Dear ones, I certainly for one can't say no to Him. Lord, we are willing. Please make us strong.

Abortion Blood Pouring Forth from His Crown of Thorns

March 13, 2019



Thank you, Lord Jesus, for this word of hope and encouragement. Please, Lord, infuse us with perseverance and faith that we may accomplish all that has been set forth for us to do before You come for us. Amen.

Well, all during prayer, I kept seeing the Lord wearing His Crown that was dripping human baby blood, copiously, into a puddle on the floor. It seems that

there've been non-stop abortions since that law was passed. We've all been interceding for them, and some of us have felt their effects in our bodies.

Carol had told me that she saw Him this way, as well, with the Crown of Thorns. I hadn't and I wondered and still wonder. Am I hard-hearted? Or is the contemplation of such evil too devastating to look upon... I fear that my heart has taken to distractions to avoid viewing this heinous crime no decent person would commit. To kill an infant baby that just survived an abortion. I can't fathom this; I just can't.

And then I contemplated what the evil ones are threatening the President, which could begin World War 3: several weapons of mass destruction, planted in certain cities, filled with a deadly virus. They are timed to go off unless there is human intervention. So, the people who have the code, and punch it in before the time is set for detonation, cannot be arrested or put to death. They have to be alive and free to enter the code. If they don't, this deadly virus is spread throughout the city, killing every individual who breathes.

And I thought to myself: we cannot do this alone. God, you must be with us. If we can stop these weapons from being used, then we are free to arrest and prosecute, even execute the criminals. But how to find and stop them??

Then I thought about the missile that was fired from the Gaza strip, headed straight for a large Jewish apartment complex in Jerusalem. Multi-story building. The Lord turned that missile around and sent it straight out to sea.

LORD, YOU CAN DO THIS!!! But will this make it possible to arrest these other traitors?

Tell me, Lord, isn't this where the rubber meets the road?

Jesus began, "Very much so. Yet I am able to do the impossible and disarm whatever weapons the President is threatened with. What is lacking and needed here is FAITH. The Faith of all involved. This is not something that can be done on their own; it must be done through faith. "There are many systems that have been set up to deploy if so-and-so is arrested. There are several possible scenarios. Prayer is the only way to stop this, Clare. Deep, gut-wrenching prayer for all who truly want to stop this. More prayer is needed. And I am glad you are broadcasting this.

"My People, in this hour things are so critical there is very little room for slack concerning the arrest of the guilty. It is only an act of God that can prevent every one of these deadly consequences from being set off. And God answers prayer. This is your weapon of choice. It is so very simple. If the evil persons are not stopped, they will in one way or another incite a war, and continue to taunt My Father with their butcheries.

"Oh, how He grieves! Yes, you have avoided going there, and I understand. Still, He needs many to comfort Him. The grief is so profound.

"You see, He is looking at the endowments of these little children and how very badly their parents need them. Each bundle of joy is constructed especially for each person, so that their lives will grow and improve in marvelous ways. And also, these children are sent into the world to defeat the forces of darkness in the coming years. As I told you before, the Devil may kill the children, but their mantles will be passed on to the living, those who are prepared to receive them.

"Oh, comfort My Father, dear ones. Comfort Him. Comfort Him with your prayers, your songs, your time spent at His feet. Comfort Him with your obedience and work to spread the Kingdom of God while the day still shines. He does not want to call it quits for Earth; He wants revival and re dedication to His agendas.

"And to date, this is the most vicious thing Satan has done to injure His most pure heart. These little ones were a shining part of Him, cherished and sent as gifts to the world. In them, with their gifts, was the power to turn the Earth around. But now that they have been rejected by the millions, hope grows dim and Judgement hangs in the air.

"Do all that you can, My Love, to get this word out, to stir up the conscience of Christians everywhere to combat this pernicious evil. Do all you can to declare the Truth and protect life. Do all you can to keep this President in office until the work is done.

"I know how tired some of you are, but there is new life for you when the tide finally turns. Either new life in Heaven with Me, or new life on Earth to bring forth revival. But rejuvenation will be given to those who desire to serve Me with all their hearts. Their lives are not over yet, not by a long shot. Do you believe this, Clare?"

Oh, Lord—as tired as I am in this moment, I still have to say, "YES!!" Yes, I believe it and am waiting with great expectation.

"Very well, then. Persevere and trust in Me, totally. Yes, blessed is she who believed all that the Lord foretold to her, for it shall be accomplished. Amen."

Books That Have Formed My Spirituality, 1 of 3

March 14, 2019



The Lord bless you, dear family. The Lord has been on me to share with you some of the books that I use for formation. And it's very important to have a holy book, once in a while, especially when you're dry in prayer. A holy book to look at and open at random and allow the Holy Spirit to show you some things that you need to hear at that moment. Because when you're dry, it's very difficult to pray. When you just don't feel like you can connect with the Lord.

So. The first book I want to bring up, of course, is the Scriptures and this happens to be a Catholic Bible, New American Bible, I believe. But I like it because it has all the books in it and it's nice to have all the books. The stories of Ruth, and different people. Several stories; Tobit, a wonderful story about angels in Tobit's life.

So, I like that. I'm not saying the translation is perfect. I'd probably go back to something like the Douay Rheims if I wanted a perfect translation; but what translation is perfect or without error? That's got to be pretty impossible to find.

So, that's one reason why I like to use this Bible.

Okay. The next thing I'd like to share with you, if you're really interested in digging deep into Scripture, and you kind of have to get used to his style, is Word Studies by Weist. And of the Greek New Testament. And this is a really interesting, interesting book.

He does a great exegesis on everything in this book and it brings out a lot of depth, which is what I like. But I won't use it very often; it's almost like using the Amplified Bible which I also love. But I don't use it as much as I should.

Speaking of Bibles, I have the Passion translation here. And I love this, because it's like reading Scripture for the first time. His viewpoint and the way in which He expresses the language, it's just different. And has a personal quality to it that's very contemporary—and I like that. Once in a while, it's a real blessing to me.

As you know, I'm not a serious Bible scholar; far from it. As far from it as anyone could be, I think.

Well, one of the books that's really had an impact on my formation from the early, early, early days is <u>The Imitation of Christ</u>. And I really like this version; I think it's The Precious Blood Fathers, and it's My Imitation of Christ.

And this is scalpel level; this is a scalpel, okay? So, don't get this book if you're not serious, because it's going to pinpoint a lot of your faults. Here, I open up to grace and humility. And just to give you a taste of what it says, "My son it is more profitable and more safe for thee to hide the grace of devotion and not to exalt yourself. Not to speak much of it, not to consider it much, but rather to despise yourself the more and to be afraid of it as given to one unworthy."

You can see the language is a pretty rough, and pretty to the point.

"And you must not depend too much on the affection which may be quickly changed into the contrary. When you have had grace, think with yourself how miserable and poor you are wont to be when thou are without it. Nor does the progress of a spiritual life consist so much of having the grace of consolation."

This is so true.

"As in bearing the wont of it with humility."

You know those dark nights of the soul and those times we when just cannot connect. And when the Lord is taking that grace of feeling connected and being able to pray so that you really feel the Lord is listening. He takes those away, sometimes, to give them to other people. And it's a beautiful gift to Him.

So, you know people think, 'Oh! They're so spiritual. That person's so spiritual because they have all those visions. Well, no, that's not what it's about; it's about love and humility. And unless you love, none of those things matter. In fact, a lot of time these consolations are given to weaker souls to build them up and get them ready for the real deep plowing that the Lord is going to do when He removes those consolations, and they're just as in love with Him as they were before.

So, it's not so much about us hating ourselves. I think this is King James English; it's not so much about us hating ourselves as much as not wanting to vaunt ourselves and putting ourselves out there; not wanting to draw attention to ourselves.

And that's kind of hard when you're teaching, because you've got to speak to people. But there's a certain humility that the Lord works into our hearts so that we do feel unworthy when the Lord visits us with a consolation. And that's a beautiful thing; He loves to visit contrite hearts.

So, don't too contemporary with contemporary Christianity, You know, love yourself. And in a sense, you have to learn to love yourself and accept yourself the way Christ accepts you and

loves you. That's very, very important. But then there's another side to that, and the other side is humility. And understanding who you are and who you are not before God. And this book is a pretty rough scalpel to get to your issues on that.

Okay, this book is more gentle. This was used by. Yeah, I can't quote that, I'm not sure. This is <u>The Imitation of Mary</u>. And for all you people who are so wondering what Mary's role really is? This man, I think, was a mystic and a seer; and it was Alexander De Rouville. And I'm trying to think when did he (you who speak French, I'm sorry if I offended you at that!) Let's see...when this was first printed? It doesn't say here, but it goes way, way, way back.

It's four books in one; Catholic Book Publishing Company, and this is a wonderful book for formation. And sometimes we need to look at where we are at with the Lord. I use this book every day; Carol uses this book. A lot of people are using this book because it helps you to get a perspective on holiness in the Lord's eyes.

And, for instance, I open to Obedience, and I'll read some of this: "Mary and Joseph, both, of the Davidic line, went to Bethlehem to be enrolled in accordance with the edict of the emperor, Augustus. The latter wanted to know the extent of his power and therefore ordered a census be taken throughout the empire.

"The holy pair did not reflect that in issuing his order the emperor was motivated by ambition and self-interest. No, they learned of the command and immediately obeyed. If Augustus had known Mary, perhaps he would have said, as Ahasuerus said to Esther, 'This is decree is not meant for you.'

"But he did not know her under the edict just like everyone else. She obeyed like everyone else, and better than everyone else, because she obeyed humbly, patiently, and without murmuring." Even though she was close to 9 months pregnant at the time.

"She saw in the Emperor's order the will of God. The order was in her eyes an act of divine providence and she submitted without questioning."

Divine Providence is beautiful. There is a famous writer that I am going to introduce you to in a minute who wrote about Divine Providence and affected a lot of the life of Therese, the Little Flower.

And I wanted to mention to too, that having a holy book with you during a time of prayer, especially in times of dryness, that dates all the way back to Teresa of Ávila. She did that. She recommended that for her nuns so they would never be without some understanding of what was going on in their lives at that time or in the Lord's heart.

So. "Obedience does not argue; simplicity is its hallmark. There is nothing more opposed to the spirit of submissiveness than the worldly prudence that wants to see and examine everything."

Boy this is for us right now!

"What would become of the subordination, if the orders of those who had the right to command were subjected to review by those whose duty it is to obey. If an earthly superior gives you a command, he does not merit your obedience because of any quality in himself. It is the supreme authority whom he represents that merits your obedience.

"He who commands you can admittedly make mistakes, but as long as he commands nothing contrary to the divine law, the obedience you give him, and to God through him, cannot be in error and is always greatly meritorious before God."

That's a super important point, because a lot of the churches come down heavy-handed with obedience. And you need to know that obedience to man comes after obedience to God. So, if in your conscience you feel that God is telling you to do something, and your pastor tells you to do something else. And you have a real check in your conscience and your spirit, you are not bound to obey your pastor. Or your parents, even. If it goes against God's law or against your conscience for some reason, or in other words, you feel that's wrong.

There have been so many times in ministry when someone will unburden themselves to me and they'll share their problems, and I'll make suggestions—and they won't follow them. Most of the time they do. But sometimes, some of the things are very hard and they won't follow. And I used to be so self-righteous about that. I'd say, "Well, that one's disobedient. You deal with her, Lord." or "You deal with that one, Lord." That's terrible.

And that's the kind of climate that I was brought into, in the Evangelical climate. If you didn't agree or obey, then you were disobedient and in rebellion.

And, wow, the Lord sure turned my head around with that one.

The bottom line is that you owe obedience to God and none other, or authorities—unless it comes against the command of God.

Yes, smuggle Bibles into China, that's awesome! You don't have to follow the Chinese rules on that one. When it's a matter of morals, a matter of your own personal conviction. And so, what I've had to do basically, and I'm glad I have. I'm glad the Lord has given me this grace. Is that even when I feel almost positive that that person is wrong, I say to myself, "You know what? They might be right. Lord, I give it to you. They might be right, and if I need to be corrected, and You need to show me that they are right and I am wrong, then I receive that."

But I walk very, very tenderly over the conscience of other souls. In fact, I won't walk over their conscience at all. But when they bring something up to me like that, that they are convicted with. I let it go. Because I could very well be the one who's mistaken.

Maybe I should be counseling them sometimes to be more patient with their situation than to leave it. Only the Lord knows... Lord give us grace.

So, anyway, this goes on: "He that commands you can admittedly make mistake, but as long as he commands nothing contrary to divine law, the obedience you give to him and to God through him cannot be in error and is always greatly meritorious.

"The saints teach us that it is more profitable to do small things under obedience than to do great things of one's own will."

Boy, that leads down a bad road.

"Our modern-day wisdom scorns the simplicity of obedient hearts, because it understands nothing of the things of God. But what does the judgment of men matter to a person who takes the Gospel as the criterion of his judgments? Obedience is not meritorious if it is given because of the good qualities of the person who commands. In that case, the obedience is purely natural, and you can expect no reward except from men.

"Frequently, even in obedience rendered to God, men act so defectively and imperfectly, that the obedience loses much of its value and merit. If you do not obey promptly and joyously, except when the command accords with your own inclinations, you do your own will rather than the will of others.

"The truly obedient man does not delay in carrying out commands. Nor does he grumble against the authority of his superiors. Sacred Scripture teaches us to submit respectfully to our superiors; not only to the good ones who act with moderation, but also to those of a difficult temperament.

"You would find obedience difficult if you fastened your attention not on the man you are obeying, but on God (it looks like they printed this backwards) but on God, for whose sake you ought to obey. Victory is assured to the man who obeys, we are told by the Holy Spirit. Proverbs 21:28. Self-will is a source of corruption."

Amen to that!

"Obedience, when satisfied by a right intention, will enable us to avoid many evils and will win us God's approval."

So, that's the kind of counsel you get from this little book.

Let's see here. Usually it goes, the part goes, the soul talks about something and then Mary answers them. Like for instance it will say "Mary" at the very top, and that's kind of the Seer's interpretation. And I believe this person was actually receiving wisdom from Our Lady, because it's so right on.

But she says, "My child, the Lord sees the greatest merit in a person who in his humility believes he has no merits, great though his merits may in fact be. Upon what does God most gladly fix His gaze, whether in Heaven or on earth? The humble soul.

"He himself says, 'To whom shall the Lord turn His gaze, if not to the poor man, the man of humble heart, Psalm 11 in the Vulgate. Pride impoverishes many Christians and deprives them of the blessings of grace. If they made an effort to know themselves, the knowledge would make them humble and humility would bring healing for their needs through the graces it would obtain.

"Empty yourself of yourself, my child, and God will fill you with His gifts. Enrich yourself by admitting that of yourself you can only be wretched. If you are humble, God will use you to glorify Himself. He entrusts concern for His glory to those who have no desire to usurp it or to claim a share of it for themselves.

"When you receive a favor from God, be humble and thankful that He is good enough to bestow continual favors on the heart, to the least of His servants."

So, she goes on a little bit more here. It's a great book, really good. And I use it every day. And sometimes the Lord tells me to go look at that book, to open it.

Okay, this is Gabrielle Bossis, <u>He and I</u>; she had a very intimate relationship with the Lord and there is some beautiful dialogue in here, beautiful. Beautiful. Carol uses that book quite a bit.

And to go along with that would be <u>Divine Mercy in My Soul</u>, by Faustina Kowalska. This is a beautiful book, and as you can see, it's pretty beat up. This is my original copy. I've used this for years, probably 35, to be exact. This is a wonderful book.

Faustina is just the sweetest thing; she is just a beautiful soul. She and the Lord were constantly talking back and forth, and her superiors told her, "I want you to write down everything you hear from God." And she's responsible for the devotion to the Divine Mercy, the image of Jesus with the rays, the pale ray and the red ray coming from His heart.

And she died the night the first shot was fired in World War II. She was holding it back with her prayers, and the Lord took her before a shot could be fired. That's the kind of impact she had on Him with her prayers. Amazing; absolutely amazing.

Okay, speaking of Saints. This is <u>The Life of Padre Pio</u>. Just about everything he writes is really, really good. This is wonderful. I picked this up this morning, because the Lord drew my attention to it. And Padre Pio had multiple illnesses which they could never understand what was causing these things. And it's interesting, because Ezekiel, when he goes to the doctor, all the symptoms that they're looking for to verify that there's a problem there, were gone. The blood work was clear, the stool samples were clear; everything was clear.

And when he was in severe pain in the doctor's office, his blood pressure didn't shoot up like it normally would for most people. So, the doctors thought he was putting on an act. As a result, he didn't get any pain medication, and the neighbors came over to find out why he was screaming so loud. And there were times it was just terrible; it was really hard.

So, that's typical of the workings of the Lord. I's so typical. Because this soul... he was a Franciscan monk and priest and he gave himself totally the Lord. He loved the Lord deeply, and from a young age. And this is the kind of content that it has.

"The prognosis and prediction of the doctors came to nothing." Because he would sudden fevers and sudden pains and they'd wonder what it was, so they'd take him to the doctors. But nothing checked out.

"What had appeared to the medical staff as pathological was simply the effect of God's action preparing his chosen servant for the reception of extraordinary gifts. Back at San Giovanni Rotondo, Padre Pio resumed his reading of spiritual books, the study and meditation on sacred Scripture, the spiritual direction of numerous souls by mail and the formation of young aspirants for the priesthood."

When I read this, this morning, it gave me great encouragement to continue to respond to people who write to me asking me for advice. Because that's what he did.

And Jesus had told Padre Pio in 1913, "Fear not; I shall make you suffer, but I shall also give you strength. I want your soul to be purified and tested by daily and hidden martyrdoms." And now the state of purification was to reach an apex. In addition to the physical suffering, the Capuchin friar is to experience atrocious moral suffering intensified by his own personal sensitivity."

Now a lot of you are going to be able to relate to this, absolutely. This is about the dark night of the soul. We get some indication about all of this by quoting a few statements from his letters.

"I am always suspended on the hard wood of the cross without consolation, without respite. How can I describe the agonizing pain which is causing my soul a martyrdom? My God, my God, do not make me suffer any longer. I can stand it no more. I am suffering so intensely in my soul that I can say with the psalmist that I have reached the watery depths; the flood overwhelms me.

"I am wearied with calling; my throat is parched, my eyes have failed with looking for my God."

Padre Pio was tormented with thoughts and suggestions, with feelings of despair, with doubts as to whether he had corresponded with God's love and with fear that he may have offended God, even in light matters.

He no longer knew which path to follow in order to be united with God. He was afraid of falling into the abyss, or of stumbling at every step. He doubted whether his sufferings were either willed by God or even permitted by Him. He was afraid that he had not sufficiently resisted the attacks of the devil or walked carefully enough to avoid his snares.

As a result, his mind was filled with doubts and anxieties that kept him in constant anguish. He was experiencing the mystical purgation of the dark night of the soul. God was infusing his soul with a light so intense that it is purging it completely before raising it to the height of mystical contemplation.

But instead of illuminating his spirit, the bright light causes darkness and torment, so that he cries out in one of his letters, 'My God, have I lost the way? Have I lost you? But will I find you again? Have you condemned me to all of eternity far from your face?"

So, you can get an idea; these are things we all suffer in the spiritual life. We all have these questions. And understanding that you're not the only one and that these things are a part of being purified spiritually, really does help us to get through them.

So, that's a good book and he's a wonderful author. He has another book here. Let's see if... Oh, I good. I want to show you this book. Let's see if I have it down here... Well, what the book is, is Spiritual Direction for Every Day; it's got a title kind of like that.

Okay. I mentioned before Theresa Little Flower, <u>Abandonment to Divine Providence</u> by Jean-Pierre de Caussade. This is a wonderful, wonderful book. Very deep. And it teaches you to totally let go. There's a shorter version of this that's written by him, too, but this book is wonderful.

To give you an idea of what it says, you can see I've marked this one up pretty good.

"Do you want to think right and live like prophets, apostles and saints? Then you must surrender, as they did, to the inspirations of God. On an unknown level it would seem that all your wonders are over and done with, and there's nothing left to do but copy your old works, repeat your old utterances of the past. We do not see that your activity can ever be exhausted, and that it is an endless source of fresh thought, new sufferings, new deeds; a source of new patriarchs, prophets, apostles, and saints. Who have no need to copy anything written and done before their time. But simply spend their lives in continual abandonment of themselves to your hidden guidance."

I'm trying to find something else that really represents this.

"We must stop ourselves naked, renounce all desire for created things; retain nothing of ourselves or for ourselves so that we can be wholly submissive to God's will and to so delight Him. Only our satisfaction must be to live in the present moment, as if there were nothing to expect beyond it. If what happens to a soul abandoned to God is all that is necessary for it, it is clear that it can lack nothing and that it should never complain."

So, basically what he's saying in this book over and over again in different ways, is let go. And let God. Abandon yourself to Him; trust Him. This was part of the teachings that came to Theresa, the Little Flower. And she was great on abandonment to Divine Providence.

Especially abandoning your own perfection and not thinking about it, "What will make me more perfect?" It's not for you to make yourself perfect, it's for the Lord. And it's simple obedience every day that brings you to perfection and letting go and trusting God in all things. Easier said than done!

So, this is a wonderful, solid, solid book spiritually.

Books That Have Formed My Spirituality, 2 of 3

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This is the smaller counterpart of the trustful, well this one was "Abandonment to Divine Providence", and this one is "Trustful Surrender to Divine Providence". And this one. Everything's backwards to QuickTime; you're probably not going to be able to read these titles unless you hold a mirror in front of them.

But anyway, this is the short copy. And I have some of these books here, and once in a while I'll send them to

people who write to me. And please, if you don't have the money for a book and you need one, please write to me and I'll send it to you, if I have it.

Okay. Here's a couple of Bible Promises. This one is very, very simple and I'm trying to see the version is the New Life version. So. And it's divided up into topics. And so you pray and allow Holy Spirit to open for you. We get obedience again. Obedience.

And this is very informative, and this is very much like drawing lots, which is what the priests did, and these books are oracles of God because they speak to your heart and they're written by holy men and women who have gone before. And they do speak to your heart, and so they can be used as an oracle to give you guidance and to what direction you should go.

So, that's the New Life version. And I also have the Bible Promise book, the Catholic version, which is more substantial in Scripture. I like it very much. I open to "marriage" and it's a very nice book.

"Be subject to one another out of reverence for Christ; wives should be subject to their husbands as to the Lord since as Christ is head of the Church and saves the whole body, so is a husband the head of his wife and as the church is subject to Christ, so should wives be subject to their husbands in everything." Ephesians 5:12

The NJ Bible; I'm not sure what that is; I'm not sure what version that is. But this is a little meatier; more meat than the standard Bible Promises.

Let's see, I already told you about Faustina. Okay, so there's a saint, okay. This is St. Thérèse of Lisieux this is not the cover, it's a cover I put on it. So, the title is <u>The Complete Doctrine of St.</u> <u>Thérèse of Lisieux, the Little Flower</u>. She was a Carmelite nun.

This is a great book. She had a very intimate love for the Lord; very fine love for the Lord and, as you can see, I've used this one a lot. The simplicity in Thérèse's method of mantel prayer, "Although she was repeatedly favored with high mystical graces, she never became attached to them, nor did she aspire to such things. She even considered it contrary to humility to entertain the desire for such graces."

Well, the bottom line is the Lord gives us those graces to strengthen us. And I don't think we should ever have; I don't think we should ever push them away, because He knows our frame, and He knows we need it. I think we should always receive those things with joy.

But not hunger after them, because if you develop that kind of an attitude, it's like you're a mercenary. "Well, I'll pray as long as I get consolations." Or it leaves you open to a familiar spirit, because your motives aren't pure. Do you want to be entertained, or have spiritual life and gifts?

"To all ecstasies, she preferred the monotony of an obscure sacrifice; hence, she did not like it when others expressed their belief that she was favored with extraordinary graces. Or when they hoped she would receive some. Having been asked, whether she had an intuition regarding her approaching death; she replied, 'Oh Mother, do you say intuition? If you only knew my poverty. I see only what you yourself know. I guess I know only what I actually happen to actually see and feel."

So, she also talks a lot about Holy Communion and how beautiful it was. And she talks about her Little Way, which is the Way of Love. And we're very much committed to that teaching and that way. I see a page that talks about that.

"On the eve of the Feast of Her Lady of Mt. Carmel, a novice remarked that if Thérèse were to die on that day after receiving Holy Communion, it would mean so much less suffering for her. 'Oh, replied Thérèse. 'That would not be like my little way at all. It would mean that I am abandoning that way in my own death; to die of love after my Communion. Little souls would then be unable to imitate me in this. In my Little Way, all things are common and ordinary. It is necessary that all that I do, little souls should be able to do, also." Oh, that is so important, and God Bless the Catholic Church. They exalted her to a doctor of the church because of this teaching. And if that isn't the essence of love and humility, I don't know what it is.

So, she is not only a Saint, but a Doctor of the Church putting forth a doctrine for the salvation of our souls. That was her heart. Very powerful. She is one of our intercessors and oversees us; she and St. Francis.

And as a matter of fact, someone asked us once did we have a name for our order when I was wearing my gray habit, which I almost put on today. And the answer was Franciscan Oblates of St. Carmel, because our spirituality has come from those two sources.

So, that's St. Thérèse. Okay, so now we'll go to St. Francis.

This book is wonderful, but really. <u>The Little Flowers of Saint Frances</u> is what I would start with. If you're serious, really serious, and would love to read the events in Francis's life and understand why he is such a great Saint, this is definitely the book to get.

Yeah, it's a big one, alright. And I don't know if you can... Well, it's going to be backwards anyway, but that's the <u>St. Francis of Assisi Omnibus of Sources</u>.

This book has formed my heart, probably more than any other book next to the Scriptures and <u>The Imitation of Mary</u>. And I'm heading back in that direction more and more every day.

Okay, so, let's see here; "How St. Francis wanted the brothers to learn and how he appeared to a companion who was devoting himself to preaching."

This is the Life written by Chillano, <u>The Second Life</u>, by Chillano, <u>of St. Francis</u>.

"Francis was sad if learning was sought to the neglect of virtue, especially if each did not remain in the calling in which he was called from the beginning. 'My brothers,' he said, 'who are being led by curious craving after learning will find their hand empty on the day of retribution.'

Oh dear, how many people are seeking after knowledge and are still so weak in virtue, weak in obedience, weak in humility, weak in virtue. It's very, very sad. There's an appearance of holiness there. But obedience, prompt obedience, and humility. And a craving. Yeah, obedience and humility are missing, because that craving for knowledge is spurred on by pride. To know, to know, to know is spurred on many times by pride. Unless the Lord actually sets you to it and He wants you to learn more about something.

But to neglect the virtues, which was Francis's whole thing. To neglect those virtues to be able to study and to accumulate knowledge is a terrible, terrible blindness. And this is part of the thing that has happened with Church.

Volumes and volumes and volumes on liturgy, on holiness, and on so many things. But the actual practice of humility and love. You can't really be humble and loving if you're a great orator or a great scholar, unless you're an extraordinary soul. And you've realized, 'Okay. So, I have these gifts for speaking to people. I have these gifts for writing.

But that's not what's important. What's really important is "Do I love my brother as myself and am I obedient? Am I humble when I am asked to do something by someone above me or do I question and go through it?"

So, he goes on to say, 'My brothers', he said, 'who are being led away, led by curious craving after learning.'

Flat Earth? Or round Earth?

'...will find their hand empty on the day of retribution. I want them to be made strong, rather, in virtues. So that when the times of tribulation come, they will have the Lord with them in their distress. For tribulation will come,' he said. 'Such that books will be useful for nothing; will be thrown out of the windows and into cubby holes.'

"He did not say this because Scripture study displeased him, but in order that he might withdraw all the brothers from a vain desire for learning and because he wanted them to be good in charity rather than superficially learned through curiosity."

This is huge, guys; this is huge for the Church right now. Alphabet soup at the end of a name means absolutely zilch as far as holiness is concerned. And yet people are still impressed by that and still invited to speak at conferences. And you know, love may be there. And humility may be there, and praise God if it is. But if we're always seeking after knowledge, then we've missed it.

The heart of the law is love. And knowledge only puffs us up. It really does. You know when I start getting like I, you know, study Scripture reading. And I get a light about it, I get an understanding about it. I can feel myself already trying to say, wow, good job. Ha! You know, as if I was the one who it came from, that's the joke.

It came from the Lord. But that tends to happen when you have degrees and a lot of learning, and so many people go to seminary and come out unbelievers. What's wrong with that picture? There's something wrong there. This just doesn't fit; going to seminary and coming out an unbeliever.

Okay, so. "He also sensed that times would not be long in coming when he knew that knowledge would be an occasion of ruin. But the striving after spiritual things would be a bulwark, a safety to the spirit. To a lay brother who wanted to have a psalter and asked him permission for it, he offered ashes in its place.

"Appearing in a vision after death to one of his companions who was once giving much time to preaching, Francis forbade him to do this and commanded him to walk in the way of simplicity.

"God is my witness that after this vision he felt sweetness to the extent that for several days the dew-laden words of his father seemed still to ring in his ears."

And he was accredited with so many, so many miracles. It's just incredible, the miracles.

And he has one of these wonderful little stories that they tell, you know. Where you really want to imitate them. I'm trying to find one.

Well, I can tell you one. St. Francis was on the road with a brother and they were on the way somewhere and there was this purse, this bulging purse in the middle of the road. And the lay brother right away thought, or the brother, new brother. He was a postulant, I think. He was questioning. He wanted to run and pick it up and take the money and give it to the poor. And St. Francis says, no, don't do that. That purse does not belong to you; somebody else lost it ,so it's not your money.

And I taught my kids when they were really young, if you see something that belongs to someone else, you know, pick it up off the dirt and put it on the side where someone can see it. But don't take it; it doesn't belong to you. They may come back looking for it. And how many times have you gone out looking for something you lost, and it's gone, because someone picked it up. That's painful.

Anyway, they were walking down the road and St Francis knew by the Spirit of the Lord that this novice was still rolling over in his mind how much good he could do for the poor if he picked that purse up and took the money. So, they got to a certain point, and St. Francis sent him back and said, 'Okay, brother, go, go get the purse.' So, he turned around and went to get the purse and when he picked it up a huge snake jumped out. Hahaha! Oh boy! And that was a little lesson; the Lord allowed that.

I don't know, maybe he even prayed, 'Lord, would you put a snake in that purse so this brother will get the point?' But he has wonderful stories like that in the omnibus. This is a book that is so worthwhile having.

Okay. Let's see what else we've got. Oh, I like this book. <u>Letters to a Beginner</u>. This is an orthodox nun; Abbess Thaisia of Leushino I think. Abbess Thaisia. And for all the bad mouth that people give nuns, they have no idea what these women go through for the love of God. And how much wisdom they have, maturity. And they just don't get it.

And I saw this and I thought, 'Well, I'm not a beginner.' And then I thought, 'No, I'm a beginner; I need to hear the basic things again and again.' So, I got this book, and I'm so glad I did. Because she really, she really goes through the questions that a new, brother or sister might have. And for those of us who want to live a monastic life style, want to have a monastic heart, totally devoted to the Lord and free from clutter of the world—this is a good book. It's really good.

And let's see. I'll tell you what some of these chapters are, if I can find it. Okay guys, here we go. By the way, our holy orders are Western Right Orthodox.

"So, upon entering the monastery
~The origin of monasticism,
~on obedience,
~on the duties of a singer,
~on excess in attire,
~on superfluous cares,
~on idle talking, gossip,
~on the inevitability of sorrows;
~on illness and their cures,
~on prayer,
~on mental prayer and on the tonsure in monasticism; (that's when they cut your hair. For women they cut it short and for men they shave the top of their heads.)

And it's a lovely little book. And she's very, very skilled with Scriptures, by the way. I love that. I opened up to "A Mutual Love," it's on the last page. She says here, "The Lord did not require ten talents from him who had received only two. And as He distributed them according to the strength of each, so He also collected them according to the strength of their offering.

"And we, as merciless torturers of each other, often ask from our fellow creatures that which we cannot even fulfill ourselves. And certainly, would not have fulfilled if we had been in their place.

"And so, seek any correction, first of all in yourself. And when, with the help of God's blessing, you attain this, in proportion to your strength, then surely you will be able to see your fellow creatures, all your sisters as favorable, good and kind.

"First cast out the beam of thine own eye, and then thou shall see clearly to cast out the mote of their brothers."

So, that's Matthew 7. She's very Scriptural oriented and it's a beautiful spirituality; really beautiful.

Okay, <u>Chronicles of the Bride</u>. These are our experiences in Heaven. I think most of you probably are familiar with these already. Half of it is Ezekiel's experiences, and the other half is mine. And this is a wonderful book for understanding how grateful the Lord is for everything we do for Him; every little thing.

When I had these experiences that I wrote down in <u>Chronicles of the Bride</u>, I was absolutely flabbergasted; I came out of these heavenly experiences with my head spinning. I just could make no sense of it. I didn't understand; I had done nothing to merit the kind of gifts that the Lord had shown me were waiting for me in Heaven. Nothing! I could not reconcile what He had prepared for me in life, of how I lived my life.

And so, I think this book gives a lot of hope. And it's also very passionate about loving Him and about our feelings of love. Ezekiel is very straightforward about his deep love for the Lord, and his conversations with the Lord as His Bride. Not as a man, but as a woman as His bride; the conversations they had back and forth, and it's very enlightening. I love this book. I'd like to pull out more chronicles to share with you, and we're thinking about doing that.

Okay, another book, <u>The Call</u> by Rick Joyner. And all of Rick Joyner's things are just about solid gold. Although we don't agree on the early church that I know of. Because we draw from things that have happened in the Lord's Church since the very beginning but are not really in agreement with Rome.

You know, we might not be agreeable, Rick Joyner and I, but it doesn't matter. He is a wonderful prophet of God; he's got some wonderful analogies and allegories for the condition of the Church. I highly recommend you read him.

One of the things that stuck in my mind the most was in the vision when. A vision when the Lord put him in a prison yard, on a prison wall. And he saw this woman wearing, you know, like guard duty kind of clothes carrying a gun. And this was prison walls, you know. With barbed wires all around. And he said to this lady, he said, "Why is this a prison? What's going on here; why are you here?" She looked at him and she said, "Prison? This isn't a prison, this is a school. We are forming young minds."

Oh my gosh.

What I've experienced in the evangelical church, and I've seen it in the Catholic church, too. But what I've experienced is that it just made me laugh because, wow. It's exactly what was going on. It's like, 'You can't come in here with your new doctrine and spoil my parade! You know, 'You can't come in here with your ideas and whatever!' You know. So many churches hold people back.

It's tragic; it's so tragic because we need every gift in the Body. The Church should be building up charisms and training people up, not closing the door on them and telling them to sit down and shut up. "Just don't forget to bring your tithe, okay?" Anyway, I'm sorry. I'd better behave.

<u>The Call</u> is wonderful, because this lady was convinced that she was guarding these children down in the courtyard. And there were groups of people; there were adults actually, and different groups of adults that had formed little cells down there, you know; a little clique. And she was making sure that nothing got in there that would spoil it in the way of teachings and

what-have-you. She was making sure, "Okay, we'll check out your credentials to see where you come from. What do you mean, a prison guard?? What do you mean, a gun; this is my Bible."

You know; it's funny. But I've seen it so much and that's what I try to avoid; I've been a victim of it I can't tell you how many times. But I think you can probably figure that out.

Okay, so, that is that book.

Now here's a really nice book called <u>The Spiritual Diary</u>. It's a spiritual diary; and I'm trying to think. It's published by St. Paul Books. I changed the cover, but I don't have the exact title; it's called <u>Spiritual Diary</u>, that's it. And this is really a neat book for rhemas; I mean really neat for rhemas.

Here's January's: Perfection; February: Humility. March: Mortifications. Oh yeah, Lent. April: Patience; May: Meekness.

So, I'll just take this book—and you can see it's pretty worn down, that's why I had to put it into something; I had this on the mountain, and I got it out on the bus for years.

Now, so, you know just make the sign of the cross and ask Holy Spirit please lead and guide me, please speak to my heart, what's on the Lord's mind. And I opened to confidence. Confidence and 'Let us place our confidence in God and set ourselves in complete dependence upon His providence."

Wow, that's a lot like the book on Providence that I shared with you.

"Then we need not worry what others say of us or do to us, for it will all turn out to our advantage." St. Vincent De Paul.

"One night;" and then they give an example. Okay, they give this idea in this teaching and then they give an example.

"One night, St. Gregory, Bishop of Agrigento, went to the Chapel to recite Matins;

That's from the book of <u>The Office</u>; you have prayers that you pray several times a day and it's called <u>The Office</u> and it has Scripture and psalms in it and readings.

So "he went to pray matins, which is the evening prayer and while he was praying, some enemies had a woman go to his room. Then after Matins they insisted on accompanying him to his room. When the woman saw them, she began to scream as they had arranged beforehand, and accused the holy bishop of sacrilege. As a result, his reputation was ruined, and he was condemned by the Pope. But God took care of him. Saints Peter and Paul appeared to him and consoled him. "At the same time, the woman became possessed by the devil and was greatly tormented by him until she appeared at a bishop's council and revealed the entire plot. Then she was healed by the Saint. The evil men were condemned to severe punishment, and the Saint was absolved by the Pope and the fame of his holiness spread far and wide."

Isn't that beautiful? There's a lot of stories in here like that. Just a lot of them.

Another one on this page; I'm kind of hungry for this.

"When one places all his confidence in God, God protects him in a special way at all times, and thus he can rest assured that nothing evil will befall him." St. Vincent De Paul.

Here's the little story that's with it.

"Overhearing someone talking about current troubles Emperor Ferdinand II, said, "Let us do our part and then leave everything, ourselves and our affairs, up to God. He will take good care of everything. When speaking of a possible calamity, he would say, 'God will provide.'

That's beautiful, isn't it? That's beautiful. What a good example. So, this draws on many Saints. It seems to have St. John of the Cross, St.Francis of de Sales. And let's see, who else; I love St. Francis. St. Mary Magdalene de' Pazzi, St. Vincent, St. John of the Cross. It has a lot of different parts in it; a lot of different quotes and incidents.

St. Thomas Aquinas. And I wish they had a story here on him; I had been thinking about St. Thomas Aquinas. And that's St. Vincent Du Paul. St. Bernard, he's beautiful. Anyway, I love St. Thomas Aquinas; I think he's the right one.

The Mother Serafina of God, another one; St. Bonaventure is wonderful. He's in the Omnibus, actually, he was a Franciscan.

So, <u>Spiritual Diary</u>. And like I said, I've covered it over so you can't really see what it looks like. That is a good book; a really good book; I need to use it more.

Okay. Now I want to get into just a couple of secular things. And this probably isn't covering everything, but these are the books that have been the most important to me.

Here are the authors; John Maxwell, and he writes for executives and business people and that kind of thing. <u>Beyond Talent</u>. And this is good for some of us who have talent and we haven't cultivated it to the point where we should. And this really spurs us on to do that.

He says here, "Make your friends your teachers and mingle the pleasures of conversation with the advantages of instruction." Huh, that's from a Spanish philosopher. And then he quotes: "Look for unplanned teaching moments." So, he's talking to people about... let's see. "Always make your learning greater than your experience." I don't know if I agree with that.

Let me see. Well, the five pillars of practice. An excellent teacher/coach; your best effort; a clear purpose; the greatest potential and the right resources.

So, he's...really, the reason why I picked up this book. Is he's outlining as a musician, you know, to encourage me; he's outlining some of the things that are very important? When you have some kind of ability, in order to get it out to other people. So, this is very; it's very enlightening as far as leadership goes. And leadership and honing your skills.

Now, this is one of my favorite authors, and in fact, we have her on our LadyLightoftheWoods.org. She is one of the people I quote from and her name is; she's in the world. Her name is Laurie Beth Jones, and she has really helped me, really, really helped me get back up after a fall to go beyond discouragement. Go beyond discouragement to believe in the Lord, to believe in the gift and to work hard at it.

She's really, really good for that and she gives little stories. This is <u>Jesus, Inc., the Visionary</u> <u>Path</u>, which I think is the same as <u>Jesus, CEO</u>. And that book is totally worn out. That book is just, I don't know if I have it here on the shelf; it doesn't have a cover anymore. I've gone to it for rhemas so many times.

She is a really excellent author; she draws on the life example of Jesus and applying it to the business world. And I just really, really enjoy her.

And I'll see if I can find a reading here.

Okay, "He knew He could cry if He wanted to," right?

Okay. "I grew up hearing Leslie Gore's song coming over the radio. (I remember that.)"It's My Party and I'll cry if I want to." Ha, so there. And, let's see.

"It's My Party and I'll cry if I want to." If you're a baby boomer, you could probably recite most of the words with me. The situation described in the song is of a young girl who throws a birthday party, only to have the boy she loves reject her and walk out with someone else. She also says, through her tears, that she can cry if she wants to, if for no other reason than she paid for the balloons."

Hahaha. Okay.

"For some reason that song reminds me of Jesus on one of His really down days; He, too, had come to Earth in the celebration, and to have His lover, Israel, reject Him so continuously and literally, brought Him to tears.

"Oh, Jerusalem, Jerusalem; how oft I would have gathered you under my wings, but you would have none, and so Jesus wept." That's Matthew 23.

And she uses the Jerusalem Bible. I think she might be Catholic, although it's not obvious.

"As a spirit(?) I can relate to somewhat to that feeling; the feeling of being so rejected and misunderstood that all you can do is cry. At times like these, go ahead and cry. It is, after all, your party. Recently, I was conversing with a psychologist from Berkeley who is speculating on the interest people have these days in the subject of past lives. The doctor theorized that we seem to know more about the past than we do the future, because the human soul loves drama and surprise.

"Few of us really want to know what is going to happen in our future, because that would take all the fun out of the party."

Huh, okay. You're entitled.

"Tony Robbins asked his seminar participants, 'What is the story of your life: a soap opera, a romance, a comedy, an action adventure? What do you want it to be?'

"One woman went from victim to volunteer. Constance had known physical and verbal abuse as a child. So, even when she began a career in real estate, she made time to volunteer with some of the East Los Angeles at-risk youth. As she was tutoring them, she noticed all the schools shut down at 5 pm, leaving the children no place to congregate at night or weekends. So, she gathered up \$50,000 of her own savings, rented an empty building in the heart of a gang-related area and opened up a place called At Home. Where kids could gather away from the street corners and the influence of gangs.

"The rules for membership in the At Home Club were simple. No guns, no drugs, no racist or sexist comments; no gang colors and the children began to come."

Wow, this is interesting. Let's hear what happens. I don't remember this; reading this story, but, short term memory loss goes that way. It's nice, you know, you can see a movie a second time and enjoy it just as much as you did the first time.

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Okay, so, what happens with this center where she took all her money and put it together for these people, for these children?

"Here they are mentored, as by volunteers, taught computer and job-finding skills, tutored in math and English, taught conflict resolution, and basic life skills. Last year At Home had 2,000 members, all former or potential gang-bangers. Constance could have cried about her life if she wanted to, but she decided to lay out a banquet instead."

Beautiful.

"As spiritreneur we have each been given incredible gifts and Jesus did the same."

By the way. He didn't cry, He laid it out an incredible banquet.

"As spiritreneurs we each have been given incredible gifts. If we have lived at all, we have also endured pain. Sometimes when we are about to have the greatest breakthrough, we find ourselves on the verge of breakdown.

"When I realize the enormity of the gap between where I was as an advertising agency owner and where I wanted to be as a free-form spiritreneur, I went home to be with my mother. Usually we meet; we take walks holding hands and then pull up a chair from the back porch, sip a glass of iced tea, and philosophize for hours.

"This time, however, I get off the plane, saw her face, and began to cry. I always tear up when I first see my mother. But this time I couldn't stop crying; in fact, I cried for three solid days. I cried as I went into the utility room to get out the measuring tape. I cried as I walked out to the back yard, stepping off the space between the chinaberry tree and the cottonwood tree to see if there would be room for me to park a mobile home there. I was almost certain that my newfound path in the forest was going to take me through the woods of bankruptcy, and I at least wanted to know that I would have a place to live."

Haha, oh boy.

"Mom said, 'Honey, what are you doing?'" I just shook my head and kept measuring. Finally, as the Easter weekend drew to a close, Mom said, 'Laurie, you have to go back now.'

Haha, ouch!

"You have to go back now.' I shook my head and began to cry again."

I really enjoy Laurie; she's a neat lady.

"'Honey, you have two business partners and five employees who are depending on you for leadership.' At this point, I began to wail. 'I can't face them, I can't face them! Mom, I'm going to have to tell you, them all good bye.' She shook her head and then stood up, extending her hand, 'If that's what you have to do, God will give you the strength to do it. Now come on! It's time for you to go catch your plane'."

Ah, boy.

"I wept as I walked down that long, long aisle to the airplane, because the party I had created up until now was about to be over. You, too, may find yourself crying at your own party; not because someone has rejected you, but because you now have to say, 'This party is over, and a new one is about to begin.' Life as a spiritreneur isn't easy. Jesus knew He could cry if He wanted to."

She's a neat author, and I've relied on her so many times for a little encouragement.

I want to say something about Joel Osteen. None of us are perfect. But I have to tell you that when Ezekiel and I were in the place where we just wanted to give up; we didn't know what to do with our lives. We weren't accepted in this area, and we've never really been accepted. I mean we would be accepted for a short time, and then things would get intense and turn sour and we'd have to move on. Or, the Lord would move us on. That happened more often than not.

But Joel Osteen really has a gift for gratefulness. And gratefulness is a thing that opens the door for God's blessings so many times. And so many of us grumble and are ungrateful and are discouraged and are just down and out. And Joel's real, real up-front about self-pity; he talks about self-pity and I'm not showing you one of his books because I don't have one of his books. But we've watched him on You-Tube—two or three of them, every night. Just before I launched this Channel.

So, you can see the impact Joel has had on my life. So, we don't agree necessarily; I don't agree with everything he says. You know, who do we agree with all the time? But I do agree with, his ability to pick us up out of self-pity and dust us off and say, 'All right, get busy for the Lord.' I do agree with that.

And he makes no bones about it; he's very straightforward. And yet he can be funny also. And I think if you're down and out and you don't know what to do next, and you're feeling bad about things that have happened—he's a good person to watch on You-Tube for a while. To lift your spirits and get your head turned around straight.

Because Satan wants you to go down the hole, and Joel is trying to lift you up out of the hole to get a look at God and what God can do, if you have the faith and stand up and do what's right. So, I wanted to mention Joel Osteen to you. Even though I don't have any of his books.

And I was thinking, you know I should probably show you my card file. Okay, these go back, these giant things, my trophies. These are my trophies and my scars. This goes. I have five of these; I can only carry two, one for each hand, but I have five of these. And this goes back for years and years and years and years.

Let's see what card I pull. Ah, so I pulled a card, one of the pretty ones that has a drawing on it.

Okay, "The huge unyielding rock that shelters this soul from all storms is the divine will of God. Deep within those shadows is the hand of God to support and carry us; to complete selfabandonment; to complete self-abandonment. And, I might add, self-fulfillment.

I don't know if I can hold it still enough for you to see it. There's a mountain and at the bottom is the Lord teaching a soul. And that was a reading I got, I don't know what book I took it from, but it definitely spoke to my heart at the time.

"The will of God." That's the shelter. "The huge unyielding rock that shelters the soul from all storms is the divine will."

Amen! If you know you're in the Lord's will, even if you get martyred, it's not going to make any difference. You know that it's going to turn out well. But if you do something without knowing that it's God's will, you're going to be scared and looking around you to try and defend yourself. Because God's not defending you; you stepped out of His will and going and doing your own thing. So, yeah, you'll have fears then.

But if you are in His will, you don't have to have fear. So that's a good reading. And I usually pick three cards, so let's see what this one says. Ha, thank you!

"The Spirit of the Lord is upon you." Thank you, Lord, thank you. I appreciate that, I can feel it. I knew He wanted this done, guys. I knew He wanted it done, and there were a lot of things that came up against it. Not the least of which was my vanity. I'm being honest about that.

And here, I'll pull one from the other card file. Well, two came up. When two come up, I usually read them both. Okay.

"The Lord," there it is there, "The Lord always sets His hand to a task when He removes all human means and orders us to do a thing that exceeds our strength."

Yeah, thank God. "The Lord always sets His hand to a task when He removes all human means and orders us to do something that exceeds our strength." Or, my favorite saying, "If you can't swim, He'll always throw you into hot water over your head."

So, yeah. That's very true.

Let's see what else we have here, because I pulled two. And, this one Ezekiel had colored; very colorful, he loves to color things. Holy Spirit prayer.

So, I guess I need to be praying in tongues today; Holy Spirit prayer, and that's what I'll do.

I love you, Heartdwellers. You're my favorite people in the whole world and I pray for you. I thank you for your prayers and your support, and I highly encourage you to get these books.

If they, if any one stands out to you. And as I said, if you don't have the money, don't worry about it. Just write to me and we'll get it for you.

I guess I should mention in closing, our two books. Although we've got a lot of them out. But "When God Heals, and When He Doesn't," and I'm using this book for rhemas and I love this illustration.

By the way, she's a Catholic artist that went to be with the Lord. And, Carol put a picture on the back I don't like; she put that picture on the back. I look so ugly in that. I look like a horse's face or something.

So, I'm making her change it. Isn't that terrible. But <u>When God Heals and When He Doesn't</u> is full of rhemas; I mean just so full of rhemas. I just opened to this, "Forgive me for the wicked life I have led; forgive me for what I have done to others. Help me forgive what they have done to me. Come into my heart, Lord Jesus, take over this mess I call my life. I surrender to you.

And that started with, "All you need to do to turn into My loving arms is say, 'Yes, Lord. Today I give you my life, such as it is. Today I surrender my soul to you. Come into my heart, Jesus. Take over this mess I call my life. I surrender to you.' Say this, My child, from the heart, and I will embrace you and bring you into the glorious new future. Yes, I make this promise to you. Give Me your life and I will give you My hope. The scales of blindness, the knives of bitterness still in your heart, I will remove. I will heal these wounds and set you on high above your enemies. You will conquer and overcome the devils of the past and their terror will terrify you no more. Come place your hand in Mine. Come, you are Mine now. Let us together walk out of this prison of the past and into the glorious light of a new day. Come."

And that's in <u>When God Heals</u>. That's beautiful, and I think that's a very fitting altar call for those of you who don't know the Lord. Just go back and say those prayers, and He will receive you with open and joyful arms.

And the last book that we had was Rhema. Here we go, Rhema. And this is also another wonderful book for getting a word from the Lord. And I just opened to <u>Intimacy with Jesus</u>, which is what we teach. You know, it's what we teach.

By the way, this last book <u>When God Heals and When He Doesn't</u>. That one has come out already but we're working on another one on discernment. All the things I've learned in all the years that I've done foolish things and the Lord has taught me. So, we're coming out with a book on Discernment after this.

But I opened to Intimacy with Jesus.

"So now history repeats itself and those with the controlling religious spirit have found their way into every denomination and their lust for control. The entire game plan from the enemy is to make men feel so guilty for their sins they withdraw from me or refuse even to approach me. How common is it that you have seen and heard people say 'I'm not good enough for God. When I get good enough for God, I'll turn to Him.'

"And, of course that never happens. The religious spirit is the vehicle to do that. What I have taught you goes against the grain, and so you are hated. That I would treat you as My Bride, with whom My heart is intimately entwined, and that I feel that way about all My people is abhorrent to them.

"That I can live through you is still the most frightening aspect of true faith. God can live through men and the devils cannot stop you."

That's right. That's the bottom line.

"All through the Scripture, the espousal relationship is proclaimed. <u>'I betrothed you to one husband</u>,' Paul said, <u>'to present you as a pure virgin to Christ.</u>' That's 2nd Corinthians.

"<u>And I will betroth you to Me forever. I will betroth you to Me in righteousness and in justice in</u> steadfast love and in mercy.' Hosea 2:19

"As the Bridegroom rejoices over the Bride, so shall your God rejoice over you." Isaiah 62:5

"That is another reason that the demon's toy with discernment and make a sincere believer seeking intimacy with Me frightened of falling into error. Yet if a soul's heart is set on Me, I will guide and lead them ultimately through every deception and impediment.

"If you trust totally in Me, knowing that I will accomplish My will in your life, you will not abandon the path of intimacy when your discernment fails. Rather, you will humble yourself and draw ever near."

And that is so true. And He says more about that here. This is Jesus speaking to me. That is so true. I think the number one reason why people fail in discernment, and why they give up the gifts like prophecy and word of knowledge, is the fear of failure. Fear of deception and the devil uses that against them.

But we can't be afraid of anything; we have to keep going. And you know, I'm guilty of... I mean I pray for people and sometimes they get healed and sometimes they don't. And I hear words and I don't always speak them. And it's out of fear, you know. It's something I need to change. In fact, you can pray for me that I'll do that, because when people write to me, I would like to give them an answer from God, not my own answer. But I'm a little insecure in doing that. Especially if something touches my heart in a familiar way. I'm afraid of a bias; you know, one way or the other.

So, the Lord Bless you, dear Heartdwellers and thank you for tuning in. You are so loved. You have no idea.

God Bless You.

Left Behind Warning to the Church

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My dear ones, today I received a serious warning for those of us who have slacked off and ignored the Lord's call to prayer and keeping Him company.

Today, Ezekiel had another intercessory episode, and this time, it was over the Bride and her lack of readiness. The Lord was expressing His sorrow over the state of the Church and how so many had chosen to ignore Him to follow their worldly fancies. He spoke

many times about the lack of holiness and dedication of some Brides and expressed His yearning for her comfort and abandoning the ways of the world. He warned, serious warnings, that many would not be taken in the Rapture, because they were not committed to doing His will, nor were they answering His call to serious intercession and comforting Him over the aborted babies. Carol said that Father God and Jesus were both weeping during her prayer time in the morning, over the murder of innocent souls. Ezekiel saw scores and scores of babies being caught up to Heaven.

While Ezekiel was going through it, I could not withstand the pressure of the pain he was feeling and was very concerned about what was being said—I hoped I was not part of His sorrow. I got to the point where it hit me so hard, I had to lay down and pray. Later, Jesus was quick to tell me I was not part of His sorrows.

Jesus began, "Oh, Clare, you are so full of fears and suspicions. Do you not know I am a God of gentleness? How did you handle that broken soul who came to you?"

Oh, Lord, with the utmost tenderness and concern. Never condemning, only illustrating.

"Well said, My Clare, My Darling wife. Well said. And where did you learn the art of counsel?"

From You?

"So, would I condemn you for buying two very little things that were for prayer and music? I may not want you to go in that direction. That's why I always ask you to ask Me, so the devils cannot use this against you later."

And I avoid asking on little things, Lord, 'cause I think you will say 'no'.

(See how bad I am, guys? I am bad...)

"You are right." He said. "I will, if it is not right for you. One thing concerns Me: that panther is still alive and could spring into action at any time. But I am protecting you and making you vigilant. You know how dangerous Amazon is. That's why I prefer Ben to order things for you, so you are not exposed to temptation.

"But when you miss the mark, do I ride rough-shod over you and make you feel miserable?"

No, Lord, you gently convict me.

"So, what was said was not about you. And it was about My Body. And there are Heartdwellers that will be left behind—and it is your job to warn them, now, before it is too late.

"I have told you before. If you want to be Raptured, you must live for Me and not yourself. Many are still having fun with shopping trips to the Mall, getting the latest fashions, and following right along with the World. When their hearts should have been circumcised by your teachings all these years.

"And these I do want you to address with this warning."

And the Lord gave Ezekiel these Scriptures.

When the LORD first spoke to Hosea, He told him, "Go, take a prostitute as your wife and have children of adultery, because this land is flagrantly prostituting itself by departing from the LORD."

So, Hosea went and married Gomer daughter of Diblaim, and she conceived and bore him a son.

Then the LORD said to Hosea, "Name him Jezreel, for soon I will bring the bloodshed of Jezreel upon the house of Jehu, and I will put an end to the kingdom of Israel. And on that day I will break the bow of Israel in the Valley of Jezreel."

<u>Gomer again conceived and gave birth to a daughter, and the LORD said to Hosea, "Name her</u> <u>Lo-ruhamah, for I will no longer have compassion on the house of Israel, that I should ever</u> forgive them.Yet I will have compassion on the house of Judah, and I will deliver them—not by <u>bow or sword or war, not by horses and cavalry, but by the LORD their God."</u>

After she had weaned Lo-ruhamah, Gomer conceived and gave birth to a son. And the LORD said, "Name him Lo-ammi, for you are not My people, and I am not your God.

Rebuke your mother, rebuke her, for she is not My wife, and I am not her husband. Let her remove the adultery from her face and the unfaithfulness from between her breasts. Otherwise, I will strip her naked and expose her like the day of her birth. I will make her like a desert and turn her into a parched land, and I will let her die of thirst. I will have no compassion on her children because they are the children of adultery. For their mother has played the harlot and has conceived them in disgrace. For she thought, 'I will go after my lovers, who give me bread and water, wool and linen, oil and drink.' Hosea 1:2-2:5

"My chosen People; My Brides. I have made the invitation to you to come and comfort Me, to wait on Me in prayer, to sincerely pray for others. Many have responded—and because of that, you are still alive and here. Even the most lukewarm of you have put in prayer time, heartfelt prayer time, for this nation. And because of that, My Father has withheld His hand, and you still have a chance to reform your ways and live for Me, so that you may be taken in the Rapture.

"In the world, you are expected to do many things that eat up your time. Eager to please, eager to be praised, and eager to be raised to higher status, you have complied. But you have used the time I gave you for Me on these agendas.

"The result is a certain coldness and hardness in your hearts as you avoid looking at what you know you are doing wrong. You know I have called you into prayer. You know I have been tapping, and even knocking, on your door. But in the rush to please others by fulfilling the World's agenda, your soul is slowly slipping away from Me and dying.

"And on that fateful day, you will remain here to learn the deeper lessens. That is not My choice; that is your choice. I have called and called to you. I have called with a loving voice, longing for your presence—and you have put Me off.

"Many of you have said to yourselves the very words of Satan himself, "She is crying wolf. You don't need to pray that hard; this will pass like all the other close calls."

"Or perhaps you've been lied to by the Enemy and told, 'Enough of this drama, none of this is true! It's all misinformation and her imagination."

"Whatever your excuse, it will not stand before My Father, Who has chosen the pure Brides, totally dedicated to Me and not a split agenda: 'This much for me and my world—and if I still have time, this much for God.'

"You used to be one of those people, Clare, even in your grey habit. But I gave you a solemn warning and many more heavy warnings, and you have listened.

"I am not addressing the Brides that are doing everything in their power to obey and follow the desires of My Heart. I am addressing you who have been sitting on the fence, watching to see if the next tragedy forecast will happen—or not. Thinking to yourselves, 'Oh, they're just crying wolf again. Nothing happened, after all.' And you who are cynical and unbelieving, making fun of My prophets? On that Day you will know where you stand with Me, and you will have your answer to your scornful remarks, 'She's just crying wolf again.' "For you who are sincere, please continue in your faithfulness to what I have entrusted to you. Please keep doing the right thing, for I am very pleased and approving of you. And you shall wear the Bridal Crown on that Day, and you shall partake of the delights of My banquet. You are doing all you can to carry the world along and bring them to Me. Well done. Continue on this course.

"But please add to this warnings to those who are ignoring Me to eat their full of the follies of this world. I love them, too. I will grieve over them being left behind. So, I ask you to warn them, and I will anoint your words in their hearts, and they will hear My entreaty over and over again when they are about to choose their own will.

"The atrocities of abortion and infanticide have torn My Father's heart asunder, to the point that He sees the reprobate coercing the innocent and ignorant and turning their hearts to casehardened steel—so that they will, in the future, have no scruples or qualms about this doingt this atrocity again.

"How long should He tolerate this? Truly, you who support these laws are more reprobate than the worst of Sodom and Gomorrah, and you have made your bed in Hell unless you repent.

"For some, there will be no repentance, because judgment will fall upon you so swiftly, you'll not know what to do. And in that sense, your fate is sealed.

"So, the time for repentance is at hand—before it is too late.

"Though your deeds are detestable and your hearts are dead, yet would I have you drawn to Myself and with Me in Heaven. For this reason, I am calling out to you: stop your murdering. Repent, and come to Me. I will awaken your heart and put new life in you, and no more shall you duck your head when My Name is mentioned. Rather, you will run to Me with tears in your eyes and a heart fully restored.

"Please take this opportunity, now, while you are still alive. For another day is not guaranteed you.

"My Brides, prayer will turn the tide in the abortion issue. Prayer will rescue the dying hearts who have murdered these little ones and signed their own death warrants. Prayer will release that still small voice in the midnight hours, convicting them of sin. They will feel as though a hot poker has lanced their hearts when My Father answers your prayers.

"Please pray for them."

Left Behind in Nuclear War: Sequence of Events Before and After the Rapture

September 2, 2014



As it was in the Days of Noah, so it will be at the Coming of the Son of Man. For in the days before the Flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage up to the very day Noah entered the Ark; they new nothing about what would happen until the Flood came and took them all away. Matthew 24:37

You will hear of wars and rumors of wars but see to it that you are

not alarmed. Such things must happen but the end is still to come. Nation will rise against nation and kingdom and Kingdom. There will be famines and earthquakes in various places All these are the beginning of birth pangs. Matthew 24:6

Song:

When the mountains shake the seas, then you'll come to rescue me, for Your love will not be shaken in the storm.

When we're shattered to the core, in the dreaded crypt of war, the hearts of men will fail them in the storm.

With the piercing trumpet's cry, lightening rips through crimson skies, and all who have been waiting will arise.

Vindication fills the skies, clouds of saints ascend on high, as the King in all His grandeur takes His Bride.

It is written in I Corinthians 15, "Behold, I tell you a mystery; we will not all sleep, but we will all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye. At the last trumpet, for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. For this perishable must put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality..."

"This is how it will be at the coming of the Son of Man. Two men will be in the field; one will be taken, and the other left. Two women will be grinding with a hand mill; one will be taken and the other left. Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and not let his house be broken into. So you, also, must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect Him." The words of Jesus in Matthew 24

Song resumes:

In the tattered robes of war, those left standing at the Door will weep in Outer Darkness...in the Storm.

Now this absence of the Light, it will set the lost aright as they cry aloud for answers...in the Storm.

So despite the bolted Door, be repentant and implore, for His Mercy will restore you in the Storm.

(A mother's words the moment after her one-year-old baby is taken in the Rapture) "I'm so confused, so lost, so terrified! Oh somebody, help me, please! Please! What's going on? Everywhere I turn, parents are holding empty clothes in desperation, weeping bitterly.

"Oh, this can't be happening. I'm in a nightmare. I'm going to wake up.... I'm going to wake up!! "But no...it's real. I'm not dreaming. No one knows what's happened. I can't stop trembling. I'm in shock. Only moments ago she was safe here in my arms. The sun glistened off her golden hair and she laughed at the wind.

"We were so happy, she was so innocent. Now her dress lies limp on my arm, her little sandals on the ground. Is she no more? Oh, somebody help me...what happened? What happened??

"If there is a God and He is Real, tell me what happened to my angel, my little girl, tell me...where is she?

"...No, it can't be, she's been Raptured?? Oh, that's just a myth - a fairy tale, that can't be it. No intelligent person believes that stuff. But...she's gone and everywhere...our children are gone...

"Is it aliens? Could it be...all the children...Raptured? But why? Why, God? Why??"

Song finishes:

So trim your lamp, tend to your light.

It's not too late to get it right, He's standing here beside you, take His hand.

For He's coming at an hour...you know not when.

The Armor of God—A Prayer

(as written by Carol) November 21, 2017



Jesus, dress me now in Your Armor of God.

Put on me **The Helmet of Salvation**: Place tightly the earflaps, guarding my ears from the enemy's lies and whisperings. Set the Guard of Love over my mouth, that I speak with Your words, Your inflections of voice. Lower the Filter of Mercy and Compassion over my eyes, that I may see the world through Your shed Blood. Make impenetrable the helmet's crown—the Dome of Protection—over my mind, sealing out the projections, suggestions and dredged-up memories of the evil ones. Let Your mind be within me. Let me think with, consider with and act on Your thoughts, not my own, until You make them one and the same.

I declare: I am Yours and You are mine: we are One. I pledge to strive with all my heart, mind and will to let no sin or demon ever separate me away from You, stand between us, or cause my heart or mind to wander, even a step, from Your side.

The Breastplate: Gather up all that is Yours, now cleansed—my heart, my spirit, my soul, my mind, my will, my Garden—and protect it within Your Breastplate of Righteousness. May the enemy's weapons bounce off, and may their excrement slide off, nothing staying, nothing sticking. Grant me the Grace NOT to form chinks, through my sin, in this armor that protects where You dwell within me, thereby allowing the demons access.

The Belt: Wrap the Belt of Truth firmly around me, sealing and closing up access to the enemy through finely crafted lies and deceits, into the place where You dwell, as a thief would enter a Home. Reveal to me Truth in all occasions, and help me never to bend, ignore or deny it. Let me always seek the Truth and speak the Truth.

The Sandals: shod my feet with the Gospel of Peace. Let my feet walk upon the Waters of Peace with each step, eyes firmly fixed on You—and may it flow out from each step in everwidening circles, touching the hearts, minds and attitudes of those that surround me and I interact with throughout the day. Secure within me the Peace that Passes All Understanding.

The Sword and Shield: I take now Holy Spirit's Sword in my hand. I take from Your hand the Shield of Faith. Teach me to use these with Your Wisdom, Your Power, Your Authority—and to never shy away from a battle You have sent me to engage in. It is ONLY through Your Power, Strength and Authority that I am enabled to do this. Let me never, ever allow Pride a foothold here.

The Cloak of Humility: Cover me now, and all of Your armor with the Cloak of Humility. Conceal ME beneath its folds and hood; let others see NOTHING but You shining out from within.

I had been 'seeing' Jesus dress me in this armor for months, and praying over what I felt He wanted me to understand with each piece. I ask to be clothed in His armor AFTER I have gone through worship, confession, repentance/cleansing and taking Communion with Him, and before we 'engage' in battle in the Binding Prayer.

One morning, Holy Spirit impressed on me to write it all down. Praying it blesses you as much as it does me each day.

Carol

Abortion: After Effects

March 21, 2019



Dear Heartdwellers, Clare received a message from the Lord yesterday - but she has asked me to record it for her while she continues to work on music.

Dear Lord. May Your words now strike at the deepest places of our hearts and draw us even more deeply into Yours. Amen.

Clare began: Precious family, Ezekiel and I have been

keeping Jesus and Father God comforted. The tears, groaning and expressions of grief between them is staggering. Jesus is bloody with the crown of thorns, Daddy is broken-hearted. This has been a huge attack against God; the enemy has hurt Him deeply.

During our prayers, we saw scores of babies being caught up into Heaven. These children carried with them gifts of healing, joy, and fresh life. But they were rejected and left to die, sold for body parts, and freedom these women thought they were gaining by destroying the life of their child. What they have done is tragic.

Do you not know that the child you rejected was your salvation? Do you not know that this child was fitted with just the right attributes to mature you and bring you lasting happiness? You say, "I don't have the money to raise a child." But do you not know that if God gives you a child all the resources you now need to raise that child will follow?

And you who are professionals. You think your career will bring you all the happiness you are seeking in life. Yet the true happiness God offered you was the salvation from this deception: a child from your own body, to bring you joy and build you into a truly wonderful and expansive person...not just a work-a-holic with a 6-figure bank account and lonely nights and weekends.

Clare continued: I was blinded by the same ambition and guilty of sacrificing the child God had given to me. It would have turned my life around in a much better direction than I was headed. I was a New Ager, and because I believed in reincarnation, I told the child, "I'm sorry, come back in a couple of years. I'm just not ready for you yet."

After the abortion, I knew I had done something terrible. My whole being was flooded with remorse. Before, I didn't have an inkling that it was wrong, although if it had been against the law, I never would have done it. To this very day, my heart is sad for my loss. And the damage I did to God.

Dear little ones, if you are considering an abortion, my advice to you, is: DON'T!! That child is packed with joy and gifts you never even considered. That child will turn you into an adult and make your life a little paradise.

Later on in life, I did have four children, but I've always been deeply remorseful, and regretted what I lost. And I will be so glad to see that child again in Heaven.

Jesus, do You have you something to add?

Jesus began, "My Beloved Bride, some of you are hurting right now, because of what you did to the gift that I sent you. Please come to Me and allow Me to hold and comfort you. I have forgiven you. Now I ask you to pray for those who are considering an abortion. If you can demonstrate or write a letter; print it up—leave it at bus stops, laundromats, the post office? Leave them everywhere and pray that a heart will be touched not to abort their baby.

"Share with them what you went through, and how you felt afterwards. Help them to make a better decision, even by sympathizing with their fears. But convincing them that life is a gift from God, and He will provide everything they need to continue to live and flourish with their little one.

"Abortions are dangerous. Clare almost went into cardiac arrest during hers. You do not know what they are injecting into your system, but suffice it to know that at every opportunity they are chipping the public. They tell you it's a shot for such and such, but it really is an electronic device that will program your mind to forget about Me, and turn you off to anything having to do with Me.

"Not only that, but vaccines that are supposed to help you are loaded with timed diseases that will take a toll on your life as you grow older. Do not allow them to vaccinate you or your child. Some die of these vaccinations. You cannot trust all doctors; they have been groomed to work with the government's agenda. One shot could render you childless for the rest of your life.

"But more importantly, your morals have been so twisted from birth that you literally do not know right from wrong. The schools have programmed you to believe that what is wrong in My sight, is good and right. And what is right before Me, is degrading and wrong. How twisted these times are, My children.

"But I speak to you in your heart and My lambs know My voice. The voice of the tempter they will not follow. All I ask of you is please, do not turn off the voice in your conscience to compromise for any reason at all. Reason after reason will be offered you to cause an exception to the rule.

"The heinous thing done by the evil one was to prolong now, the time a child could be murdered during a pregnancy. That means that the enemy can cause a deep depression and send others to talk a soul out of keeping that child during the entire nine months. How many times have you had a bad week that would convince you abortion is the best thing? "You see, the enemy has bought time to work on you and he will do all in his power to persuade you to murder this child.

"I am pleading with you now. Do not buckle under his suggestions. Do not for one moment think you are doing your life a favor by this action. No, you are not. You are destroying the very person who could have brought you the most joy, both now and in your later years.

"You are opening your body to a corrupt government working with greedy and evil pharmaceutical companies. You have no idea what is in those syringes. But many of the diseases that are now rampant were engineered in those same labs 40 years ago, full knowing the devastating effect they would have on the population in the near future. And including computing to the very dollar, how much profit they would make in treating those diseases.

"You are My children. Beautiful and precious in every way. Created in My image.

"I beg of you, do not destroy life! Rather, protect it. And pray for, and witness to the poor misguided souls who think killing their child is the only solution."

song Lamb of God December 10, 2014



Lamb of God, Holy Lamb of God, How You take away my sin. And You cover me with grace and mercy always. King of Israel. Lamb of God, Holy Lamb of God. Bright and Morning Star, shine upon the Heavens. Lord of Ages, Rose of Sharon.

My Messiah. Oh my fortress.

Have We Reached the Time of Judgment?

March 23, 2019



Lord, forgive us. And send forth Your Spirit to turn Your Bride from her evil ways before it is too late. Amen.

Dear Family, Ezekiel has been suffering some terrible torments. Ezekiel's surgical site last night began to tear apart after 18 years. A surgical site, from his body, the healthy skin. It was so painful he nearly passed out. The Lord has been saying that the unfaithful Bride is tearing apart from the Faithful Bride. The Church is

tearing apart from the Church. His Body is tearing apart from itself. And the nation is doing the same. All because of the grave, embedded, centuries-old sin of Pride.

I sensed this sick pall over even Heaven itself, so great is the stench and disease.

After receiving Jesus in the Host, I saw Him emerging from the tomb, victoriously. Three times He showed me this vision, and I wasn't sure exactly what it meant. But finally, it was like a no-brainer. The RAPTURE!?

I wondered if He meant the Rapture, because we have been getting Bible readings and Rhema cards about it daily. Even multiple times. And I can feel it, because of the murder of newborns. This was the last straw. The bloodstained earth in America has become a stench in God's nostrils, screaming for justice to the highest heavens.

I feel it in my being. A very great sickness, almost as though I was standing in the midst of a field of rotting corpses. It is not black; it is gray and unholy.

Oh, what My Jesus must feel now! I know His Heart is torn in two. Ezekiel has seen it. Because the Bride of Jesus separates from the Bride of Satan and the World.

Ezekiel has been told, "A decision has been made." The Lord continues to ask him to look upward, eyes on the heavens, and prepare for the Wedding Feast. I tremble at those words, because I don't have all my songs done.

So, after the Lord's supper, we talked about repentance. And as usual, I was concerned I had done something—so I came aside to be with Him, and He began to speak.

"My heart is sick unto death, Beloved. So great is the iniquity of My people, that I do not wish to see it for even one more day. And yet there are exceptions to this. There are those who love Me with every fiber of their being. And yes, you are one of those. Do not fear. You have loved Me with great purity of heart, despite the distractions, the condemnations hurled at you by the enemy. Even the invitations to worldly gain. Despite your failures, Clare, you have cleaved to Me with all your heart, and I see your misdemeanors as petty and unworthy of notice.

"I know you are very careful, almost scrupulous. But this is not about you. The sickness Ezekiel is feeling has nothing to do with you. It is about the decaying, rotten corpse of My Church. And yet, you are of the part that is healthy and strong in love and devotion.

"How I pine away for My apostate Bride! How I suffer with her diseased soul. This is why I must retire into your sweet devotion to Me, so that I be reminded there are many who have not gone that way. They are for Me, not against Me. They want the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth with all their hearts.

"But those poor, misguided, uncircumcised souls whose consciences are sealed shut—for them, I mourn. And the stench of their corpse reaches to Heaven, so foul is it.

"Listen, My people. You have gone the way of Death. You have leagued yourself with Hell. You have allied yourselves with those who have an empty, chalk-faced piety—but, in fact, are children of Satan. You have not sought My Heart nor My Will, but have chosen the ways of the World.

"Shall I then take you Homeward, as if Heaven were your Home? That is My heart—but you are NOT ready. Not by a long shot. You will better understand this after the Rapture, when you see what the cost of belonging to Me truly is, and you're willing to pay it.

"Those decisions you found so very hard, during this time, will not even enter into the picture anymore. Rather, it will be a life-and-death existence. Many of you will be murdered. Some tortured. Thousands executed for their faith, because they finally woke up to Who they belong to. They finally saw they belonged to Me and never, ever, want to be separated from Me—even if it means their death.

"I would like to spare you this kind of existence, but you have not been faithful to Me. The Rapture is for those who are faithful; have lived and sacrificed for Me. Have not thought of what they wanted, but have done only what was given them from Me to do. They have born the persecution and calumny of the ages for My sake and remained faithful in doctrine and duties. They have not bent the knee to any man made god. Rather, they've turned their backs on those invitations, even when it meant their sustenance. They did not pass by the beggar on the corner, but gave even out of their own need. "You, on the other hand, have compromised for the sake of convenience and gain. You did not stand for My choices to govern your country—and to this day, you approve those with evil hearts. Yet you call yourselves by My Name!

"But I tell you. I do not know you.

"Time is running out for you. If you do not repent and change course—quickly! You will be left behind with those who never knew Me. And in the midst of travail you will be given a choice to return to Me, though the cost may be your life.

"And for you, My Bride that has remained faithful. I will delay no longer. A decision has been made; preparations for the Wedding Feast are completed. All that is lacking is your presence.

"I am coming to get you.

"Continue on this course, My precious ones. I long with all My Heart to relieve you of the burdens of this world and take you to Myself. Keep your eyes Heaven-ward. I am coming very soon."

Well, after I finished this message, I just had a check in my spirit that I've left something out. I tried to reason it out and wrote it down for you. I'll share it with you.

As I try to reconcile all this with the hope He has given us within the framework of 2 years, I am struggling. I do believe the definitive judgment was made because of the slaying of newborns by the Establishment. The Clay Feet have prepared well for this generation of apostates. And now other states are following suit.

From kindergarten to university, their conscience has been formed by Satan and his establishment. From schools to music, and films and stories, and what is rewarded in society and what is punished—he has formed the vast majority rising in power to accept that evil is good and good is evil.

Even as Sodom and Gomorrah, they know not their left hand from their right. Did you know that the tenets of Secular Humanist's are precisely the same as the Church of Satan? Point for point. Of course, they hide their vileness and deny any participation in ritual sacrifice and murder. But what they believe and profess, line by line, is the same as our corrupt government and secular humanism.

But the older generation in power is so corrupted and compromised, as if there were no such thing as right and wrong, that they have opened the door for Satan to offend God in the most unbelievable way.

How can it be that a child born into this world is put to death—because its mother doesn't want it?

Why is it that these children are not given up for adoption? So many childless couples are waiting to adopt a baby!

Is it the depopulation agenda? Is it just because the Satanists need the blood of newborns that they are put to death, frozen, and shipped in boxes to some unknown location where they will be harvested for organs??

I look at the landscape, and all I can see are irrational people voting for these criminals and opposing our President at every turn. Tremendous opposition. They somehow have managed to be some kind of majority that is totally lacking in any scruples—to the point that they cry out against the man who can deliver them, and applaud those who will later euthanize them because they are no longer wanted.

Forgive me, Lord, if my opinion is contrary to Your thinking, because Your ways are so much higher than ours! But I cannot see Revival in this atmosphere. Although, I can certainly see Judgment, like fire falling on this nation.

Jesus began, "You are right in your thinking, Clare. Iniquity has overflowed and covered the Earth. There is a rising tide of those who are fighting for the Truth. But they are coming up against a generation convinced that My way is outdated, and those who follow Me are enemies of the State.

"This blow to the heart of My Father has ushered in Judgment where mercy was planned. Keep your heart intertwined with Mine and do what I set before you. Please do not fall captive to Time. I am Timeless. And as you dwell in My heart, you too will live without regard of Time. And you will have My peace."

A Mystery of Redemption

March 26, 2019



Lord, thank you sharing with us a little more of the mysteries of Your Great Redemption.

Today, Clare received a message, Dear Heartdwellers. But they've had to deal with a difficult situation in their household today, and she asked if I would record it for her. Please keep them in your prayers.

She began, "Lord, you really have us confused at this point."

She continued: Sweet Heartdwellers, it's time to share my compulsive-addictive impulses with you again. I have been working on a piece of music. So far, I am calling it Requiem for the Unborn. I hope it will touch hearts seriously enough to prevent them from aborting their child or leaving it to die on a stainless-steel table. Or some back alley.

In any case, I wanted it up on Saturday night, since I had almost finished it. The one problem I had was getting a certain solemn 'boom' sound in the background. It sounded great on my monitors, but just about totally disappeared on my little speakers and computer. I was using a Taiko drum. What wonderful depth this instrument has! But on an mp3 player, it sounds like you dropped a sack of dirty clothes on the floor.

Just nothing.

I thought, 'Surely there must be a remedy for this?' But everything I tried altered the sound to almost nothing.

So, I got up Saturday morning totally committed. "I'm gonna get this up today!" And foolishly, I launched into it without prayers. Yes, I was that foolish.

Well, I worked on it for 9 hours, initially thinking I could pray after it was done. But finally, I gave up and went to bed.

What was I thinking? 'Something is going to happen soon, I gotta get this song done! I gotta get that song done, and I gotta, gotta, gotta get so much done!!!' But one of my rhema boxes just happened to be in the kitchen, and I felt the Lord saying, "Why don't you pick one of those?"

I thought back, 'What if it's a booby trap? And it's a very convicting card... and then I'll go to bed even more discouraged?'

But since I recognized the voice, I picked a card. Or, shall I say, Holy Spirit picked the card. And what do you suppose it said?

"Get rid of the gottas: gotta do this, gotta do that... And stop saying that you're running out of time. It's a LIE!"

Well, that card got my attention. Big time. Then this morning for my Lord's Supper, the Rhema reading was:

"Now we beg you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to him, that ye be not soon shaken in mind, nor troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter, as [if it were] by us, as that the day of the Lord is present." That's 2 Thessalonians 2:1-2 from the New American Version

And my response was: "Really? Lord, what are you saying? Is this YOU?"

Dear Family, there is one thing very worthy of consideration. We know from the Lord that souls are given a choice as to how their lives will be lived. Some know they will never reach adulthood, and they do it anyway. They come to Earth. What about those who know they will be rejected and murdered even in their mother's womb? Surely they know ahead of time what the outcome will be.

I was speaking with a brother who shared with me that he has been offering the blood of the slain infants in union with the Blood of Christ, and himself, at every Lord's Supper. Because he believes this is an act of reparation for the salvation of those who commit these atrocities, and even for the sinful state of the whole world. Reparation is a term used to convey repairing the damages done by others, i.e. indifference, cold-heartedness, ignorance, laziness, and all serious sins like murder, abortion, adultery, etc.

But most of all, the callousness and the indifference of a cold heart towards God and mankind.

So, we make reparation by offering fasts and prayers along with works of charity to make up for the misdeeds. This is NOT works righteousness. We are not saved by these works. Rather, we are saved by the Blood and confession of Christ as our Lord.

These are more like wedding presents to Jesus.

My heart was deeply touched by this offering of himself, along with Jesus, in the Eucharist and the blood of the slain—and I believe he is right on. These infants suffer for a short time, but then they are returned to Heaven as innocent children, redeemed by the Blood of the Lamb.

And what a wonderful life they have in Heaven! They don't have to grow up in this sinful world and be subjected to Secular Humanism. Rather, they are in Heaven forever.

He also shared that he felt the Father was so happy to have them back. Because these are souls that, if they had lived, could have lost their salvation through the corrupting influence of the world.

Ezekiel has many times seen the children in Heaven playing with his earthly father. That was something that was totally foreign to him on Earth, where he was an alcoholic and a very hard man.

Lord Jesus, have you something to offer?

And Jesus began, "My Love, the mysteries of redemption are beyond your comprehension. But in this instance, you are beginning to see how things work. Yes, indeed, these babies become a precious offering, because of the consent of their will at the time they are sent to Earth.

"However, the worst effect of this unholy act done in honor to the Baals of this world: money, fame, talent, education—and a whole host of unholy motives—is to the mother and father of the child. The stain of murder is now upon their souls, and a door has been opened to a whole host of other sins by this act. Unless they repent with all their hearts.

"This is why the Satanists mimic the blood sacrifice in Atonement—to Satan. God does not ask us to slay our children: that is Satanic. Rather, under the Old Covenant it was the blood sacrifice from animals.

"Consider also, that the blood of the innocents slain by Herod was an offering, for the safety of My Family. God does not do these things; Satan does. Yet My Father always brings good out of evil.

"As far as you offering the blood of these little ones, with My Blood in the chalice, to My Father—this, indeed, is a pleasing sacrifice and removes some of the sting of bitterness the parents' rejection has done to His tender heart."

Lord, what am I to make of the two Rhemas You gave me today?

Jesus replied, "Business as usual. You are waiting, but not idle. Rather, you are completing songs and doing My will in other matters, as well. Make the best use of the time but refuse the invitation to get wrapped up in cords of anxiety.

"I would like to work with you on Our music, Dearest. can you make time for Me now?"

"I can, of course!!" she replied. "But please help me with the boom sound. Please?

Jesus replied, "Well, everything has been done in good order today, so the graces are there.

"I love you, Clare. You'll never know how much. And I LOVE working with you on music. Always invite Me. Always ask for My help. Always!!!"

Clare concluded, "And He did help me! I finally got that Taiko drum to work."

I Am Releasing New Anointings (March 27, 2019 repost) July 21, 2016



The Lord is lifting us up, Heartdwellers. He intends for us to advance in the Kingdom, not only in virtues, but also in talents and fruit. If we slack off now and fall into self-pity, we are depriving ourselves and the lost souls of joy and salvation. He began, "Do not concern yourself with the opinions of others who don't want to hear what I have to say. Rather, continue to be loyal to Me, Clare. In time, every last thing I have said to you will come about. In the meantime, pick up the mission entrusted to you and move forward."

And on that note, He brought up some things He wants me to do. And they're exciting and I'm looking forward to it. I know that it's going to bear fruit because it's what He wants.

He started to address all of the Heartdwellers at that point.

"My children, I cannot help it if you are disappointed that I have once again delayed My coming for My Bride. I am only answering your petitions and the cries of so many souls who are hanging over the abyss, not knowing their right hand from their left and crying out to Me.

"As persecution and trials erupt in different countries, more and more souls come to Me and are saved. It's really unsettling to the forces of evil; they are driving souls right into My arms.

"You who live in freedom at this time are given the assignment to pray for those around the world who are oppressed and deeply confused about Who I Am. This includes, especially, the Muslim nations. Seeing ISIS at work has thrown many into the worst confusion, being forced to witness atrocities, and these things being called good in the name of god.

"This is why we must work while we have the light. In this country, you have been extended Mercy. Use that mercy to minister to others who are totally lost. Do not waste any time building a lifestyle for yourselves. Use that time to build up My Kingdom in every possible way especially intercessory prayer for the world. You who pray are at the hub of the wheel, My Spirit ministers around the outside of the wheel and at the spokes. My arm is tremendously long and powerful, and you have the power to move it with your prayers.

"Even your sighs are strong intentions carried by the angels to the throne of My Father in Heaven. It is not necessary to say long and verbose prayers; your heart cry comes before us with the greatest volume. Each heart cry you have when you see injustice and suffering is caught by the angels, even as a shining gem of love, and offered in the courts of Heaven.

"Do not allow the devils to put you under condemnation because you don't pray as other people pray. Remember what I said about the Pharisees widening their robes and tassels and standing in public making numerous petitions for all to see. Unless their hearts are in their prayers, they are all but useless to Me.

"On the other hand, were you to catch a glance of someone suffering and you recoiled in pain with the intention: 'Oh My God, Mercy!' This is heard loud and clear and is very, very effective as a prayer.

"There is tremendous opportunity right now to move Heaven and Earth. There is tremendous potential to overturn the evil institutions of this Earth with prayer and solidarity with what is

righteous and good. There is tremendous power to prevent wars and natural disasters with your heart-felt prayers. And in the meantime, as you wait for the word of My return for you, I will make you a light to the nations and increase your personal prayer life until you are standing beneath waterfalls of graces.

"Do not give in to discouragement. Gird up your loins, exercise your gifts and do not slack off on your prayers.

"I am visiting you all with new graces and many of you with promotions for your faithfulness to pray and offer sacrifices. Step into this new anointing and use it for My Glory. Be the faithful servant who invested his five talents and brought forth another five.

"I love you dearly! I will not abandon you to boredom, inactivity, or waiting. Rather, I am stirring into flame new opportunities and gifts while we finish this last leg of the journey together, bringing in a greater and greater harvest, as well as leaving behind plentiful teachings, music and holy art to inspire the left behind and My people Israel."

And that was the end of the message.

And just as a note, Heartdwellers, Ezekiel and Carol and many others of you have been in travailing prayer today. The Lord is going through suffering that is beyond us to understand, it is so very painful. There is something going on in the world today that has broken His heart and He's allowing these souls, and I am sure many others, to share in His grief. And it's a great comfort to Him when He's going through this, just to be by His side - to sweep all the busy work aside and just be there, be company and comfort for Him.

Of course, I wanted to know what it was all about. But I was told is that the situation is far to complicated to explain right now. But it has something to do with God's 'wife,' which would be Israel, abandoning Him.

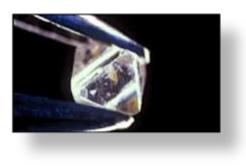
As it is written in Scripture, "For your Maker is your husband, the LORD of hosts is his name." That's in Isaiah 54:5

So, I just want to encourage you, Heartdwellers. The Lord is giving new opportunities and new anointings. Please be on the lookout for those. And don't let any lying spirits discourage you or cause you to get into self-pity. Rather, rise up and take advantage of this time. There're some wonderful opportunities to turn evil upside-down.

The Lord bless you.

Who You Are To Me

May 31, 2015



"I want to talk about Love -the way I love. The way no one understands how I love. You see, on Earth it is either eros or agape, rather cut and dried: romantic or brotherand-sister love.

"But I cherish you like the finest diamond in the purest gold setting. The other day when you made a poor choice, I came up to you as your spouse to strengthen you. I recognized your intention and honored that.

Rather than focusing on poor judgment, I came to your side to uplift you and give you hope and even understanding of yourself.

"It is one thing when a person forms a habit of sin. And quite another when they form a habit of holiness, but don't always act from the pinnacle of self-control, wisdom and maturity. I anticipate where you are going, and just as a man opens the door for a lady and even catches her as she slips, I am there by your side: kindly, solicitous for your welfare, reading in complete clarity the very direction you are struggling to go in and anticipating all the obstacles I know you will face.

"I wipe the tears of frustration from your cheeks when you fall short of the mark. I sit beside you and counsel you when you're just at a loss for how to proceed. I listen tenderly to your thoughts, emotions, and aspirations all through the day, tirelessly - taking it all in, plotting your course to the destinations I have placed in your heart.

"I miss no opportunity to be a part of your life, My Love. Your life is My life as well - we are truly One and My entire Being launches out to assist you in arriving at Our destination. I place the noble thoughts in your heart, even the golden cello you saw...ah, I had that made for you long before your heart throbbed in that direction. Then I placed that desire in you, because I knew that was the pattern of your DNA, and the fulfillment I planned before the beginning of time, as difficult as that is for your human mind to understand.

"We had Our own agreements when I gave birth to you, we had Our dreams, Our own plans and outcomes that only I could engineer to perfection. Oh yes, man plots his course. But in reality, he is but a blind man groping on, assisted by the workings of My Spirit - both open and closed doors set before him. Even the closed doors have importance in the development of all his dreams. Oh Clare, if only people would learn to trust Me and do the outlandish things I ask of them! Oh, if only they would. Their frustration, their emptiness, their lost-ness as they grope blindly along the way... So many times, it is a product of their pride because they refuse to let go of what 'they know' in order to embrace the blind path I wish to set them on...with only a little dog leading them."

Here He is speaking of a metaphor for humility, submission and obedience. I have found that He doesn't use my acquired skills in life but rather delights to throw me in over my head... into hot water, so He alone can accomplish His will in my life.

"But so many already know the answers and cannot yield to the wisdom I send them. The more intelligent the soul, the greater their risk of failure in their true life's purpose. Their intellect is based on men's ways. Even the very heights of philosophy and thought become a fatal impediment along the road I am calling them to travel. Their sense of control in their lives is but a mirage. They arrive at their destination and find nothing they thought would satisfy their inner depths. Then they are bereft of all consolation and feel rewarded with a terrible void, when it is merely the fruit of their own devices.

"How rare to find a man or woman who is willing to die totally to themselves and embrace only Me. This is why I treasure those who do. SO much. They are My comfort in a cold and uncaring world where the glamour of success leads them on blindly and sucks the very life from them.

"So, understand, all of My Loves, My Brides. I cherish and carry you tenderly to your destination. You have encountered yourself and decided against following your own wisdom, and so I am free to paint your canvas with My most unique colors and forms until you have arrived at the state of fulfillment of all I dreamt of when I made you.

"So, you see, how can I possibly be harsh with you? You are like little toddlers following along with Daddy: happy, joyful in His presence, wanting nothing more than to be with Him and bring Him joy. How I rejoice and sing over you! And truly you are the apple of My eye and the sparkle from a precious, one-of-a-kind gem being faceted into perfection. I guard you with tremendous solicitousness, for My very life is invested in you. Oh, how pleased I am with the soul who has discovered who they truly are and totally abandoned themselves into the arms of their loving Father.

"I bless you all now, My precious, precious Brides - you who have abandoned yourself to My wishes and scorned the laurels of the world. Oh, how I treasure you. There is but one thing left for you and so I give it: I bless you with the capacity to receive My Love, My thoughts, and My vision of who you truly are to Me, to cherish it in your hearts and never let it be taken from you again."

Discernment: Fingerprints of the Enemy-

December 10, 2014



Welcome, Youtube family. We've been talking a lot about discernment lately. There are so many different facets to discernment, to correctly discerning. It's really difficult to pin them all down, but I'm going to share a message I had from the Lord with you tonight.

This year - it's part of the whole process of purifying your soul to be able to see and hear the Lord. It's written in the Beatitudes, <u>"Blessed are the Pure in Heart, for they shall</u>

<u>see God.</u>" He comes to the pure in heart for consolation, so if you purify your heart more and more - cooperate with Him.

This isn't something you can do. With the cooperation and help of the Holy Spirit, your heart can be purified and that prepares you for being able to communicate clearly with Him. None of us are perfect, we're always going to make mistakes in discernment. I made one this morning, and the Voice (of the Lord) seemed to change places with a familiar spirit. I bound a Lying spirit and that was the end of it. I deleted everything that he said to me, but the beginning of the communication WAS from the Lord. I got up to do something, when I came back, something else came in.

At this point, I have to say that I think that now that I'm focusing on this teaching, the Lord is giving me ample opportunities to experience some of the different tactics the enemy uses, so that I can share them with you each day, as I share these messages with you. I think that's why He allowed the "switch-eroo" when I came back in here.

I noticed that, in looking at the conversation, the way that it took off the second time - I noticed that there was some lack of charity about other people in my attitude - or in the attitude of the one speaking to me. And the Lord is NEVER lacking in charity, even when He has to reprove, or has to draw attention to something in someone else. He is always SO charitable However, this particular voice tended towards criticism of another, scorn and contempt.

And boy, I'll tell you, when you feel that - when you feel that start to rise up in you because of what the Lord is saying to you, watch out. Because I don't think that's the Lord. He doesn't stimulate those kinds of feelings in you. He HATES that. Because when we are critical of other

people, we are wounding His body, we are actually lashing out and hurting Him. He doesn't lash out at His own body - He cherishes it, nourishes it and pours oil on the wounds.

So, whenever you hear any kind of statement - you're listening for the Lord's voice, He's speaking to you - and you begin to hear some kind of statement that is detracting from another soul, you probably have been allowed a Familiar spirit. For you, it's a test of virtue, because if you recognize that you are doing that, that you are responding in that way, that's impurity in your heart.

And I have to tell you, in my experience, there is NOTHING more vile to the Lord and the Great Cloud of Witnesses than Gossip, Slander and Detraction. It's like a filthy, dirty baby diaper - I mean a BAD one. We have an expression around here, "Dirty Diaper!!!" Which is kinda like, "Be careful! This is not God - this is a dirty diaper. We don't play with dirty diapers, we put them in the trash and leave them there!!"

Especially, if you're married, or close with someone, and you tend to go back and forth and talk about things. Especially if you're wounded. Anytime you sense any kind of resentment or contempt for another soul, because of what you think the Lord is saying - watch out. It's probably NOT Him.

In February of this year, the Lord was dealing with my pride. Poor Jesus! I tell my husband, "The Lord and I are having problems!" And my husband says, "I'll pray for the Lord!!" Because he knows how stubborn I can be...

Here's the message:

"Don't be afraid."

But, Lord, I am a sinful woman. I don't see how You can possibly use me?

"Put your hands upon My heart, and let My Love do the rest."

Let me take a moment and say, that is one test the Lord has given me. When I feel really far away from Him or feel condemned - which is the work of demons. Or if I'm under conviction, and I've kinda backed away because I feel so dirty, because of what I'm being convicted of. The Lord will appear to me in such a way that I can see Him, and tell me, "Put your hands here on My heart." The minute He does that, all that negativity goes away, and this incredible sweetness just sucks up into my soul! Such a sweet, tender spirit overtakes me with kindness.

I don't remember the occasion of the "don't be afraid" that begins this message - but I do remember the "put your hands on My heart." And every time I do that, whatever is hanging in the air is resolved immediately.

"Put your hands upon My heart, and My love will do the rest."

The readings that they were about was Repentance - and I almost sinned, by buying another copy of a song I had, because something went wrong with the sound. I was in worship and there was a song I really felt in my heart and I wanted to hear. So, I went looking for it, and all I could find was a corrupted copy that I'd messed around with and cut short, and I was really disappointed. So, I was tempted to go to I-Tunes and buy another one. I finally found a copy that wasn't corrupted in another place.

I say "almost sinned by buying a song" - when you live on 3 or 4 hundred dollars a month, you're taking care of 3 people on that, and that's without government subsidies, food stamps, or anything like that - strictly donations - you don't have discretionary money to buy a song from I-tunes. And at that point in time we were in dire, dire straits. Not that we aren't not now we've adjusted a little, but yeah. We were in dire straits. So, for me to spend discretionary money on anything but medicine at this point, would have been sinful.

So, I said, "Lord, I look at my woefully poor example and I'm so ashamed. My corruption seems to have no end!' I said this, because I shouldn't have gotten tied up figuring this problem out during prayer time, but I did. It felt like a diversion, so I stopped, but I never should have gotten started. That is, looking for the song.

"Do not be afraid," He repeated.

But I AM afraid, so afraid of failing you, because my character is so weak.

"Well, don't be. I have already planned a remedy for all your failures."

But I am afraid - I'm so deeply corrupted that you will not be able to use my work to help others.

"Be more concerned about personal sanctity, My Love. Really, be much more concerned about holiness and in pleasing Me."

Well, Lord, even in that I feel like a failure.

"No, you haven't failed, you are making slow progress. But your flesh has a way of stopping progress. And this is what I must amend to bring you to a position of readiness. May I share with you that My heart has complete compassion for you in your trials, and even in your failures? You have to abandon yourself completely, or you'll never make it through in this life. The sooner you embrace this, My love, the better."

Like making special foods, when I really shouldn't be spending time on them?

"No, that's the least of your problems. More to be feared is the secret judgments of the heart. That is why I must bring you in continual contact with your miserable side. In this way, you will cease looking at others, so shame-faced will you be with your own failures. This is why the abasement of both of you, I might add, is necessary.

"And when this is accomplished, all you'll be able to see is Me, and the goodness in others. You still have a ways to go, My Love. Your opinions, your observations, your reasonings - all are futile and get in the way of your sanctity.

"Apply the characteristics of perfection to yourself, and you'll find that you no longer have time to look at others. And when you do, you'll be ashamed to even think a bad thought.

"It's really quite simple: Pride. Pride. And Pride. It knows no bounds. It invades the very lives of every soul it comes into contact with. Pride is an endless sin that plagues all humanity and is conquered ONLY by the bravest."

I was thinking, "I'm a coward!

"Yes, I hear you - you ARE a coward! You have Me, and I know not the ways of cowards. Therefore, My Bride, My Espoused One, My Love - you will conquer this terrible sin because I live in you. Both of you, I might add, are going to triumph over your sinful, judgmental natures, MUCH to My Glory."

"Love, Charity conquers all. Rises above all. Cannot be held down by anyone. Love is your victory. Simply apply the Love I have sown in your hearts, and you will overcome Pride. Love continually abases itself. Love never thinks evil of anyone. Love overcomes all that the enemy dares to throw at you. What I allow, is for your ability to conquer through Love. Where Love ceases, virtue also dies. You cannot have Virtue without Love. It is the hinge that all sanctity swings on."

(Sigh) Well, how do I handle our guest, who is continually making filthy messes everywhere I turn?

"Consider the messes you've made with YOUR dogs in the past. That's not a long walk...I don't say tolerate it, just love her through it. That's all you can do.

"Clare, don't be discouraged, please. We are changing so much about your natures. You don't see it because you're too close. Just keep your eyes on Me and My love will do all the rest.

"Now, I want you to accept My forgiveness for the way you wasted time today and commend you for not buying that song again. You see? You are making progress.

"I love you and want to live happily ever after with you.

"So, cheer up, dust yourself off. We are for one another, and all will be well with your soul. Just trust Me. Trust that I love you, I am for you, and we are progressing. So please, don't grow impatient or disheartened. Truly."

And that's the end of the message.

I'm going to be sharing these messages with you more and more because I feel that the lessons the Lord has given me are worth passing on to you. I've thought about doing a teaching on discernment, and I may still do that, with Scriptures and so on. But I've already done so many teachings with Scriptures in my early videos that address a lot of these topics, that I'm wondering if that's really what you need. I'm thinking more in terms of sharing with you the very things the Lord has worked with me on, hoping that will help you on your journey of discernment.

So, God bless you Youtube family. We really love you and prayer for you and are so very grateful for you subscribing to our channel. And I hope and pray that you're getting something good out of it through the Lord.

Following the Love Plateaus up the Mountain of Holiness

March 30, 2019



Lord, thank You for this beautiful image of how tenderly You will lead us up the Mountain of Holiness. Your Patience with us. Your kindness to us as we continue to climb. Or not. You never leave us, either way. Thank You for this assurance that Your love endures forever. Amen.

We have a special treat for you today, Heartdwellers. One of our Prayer Warriors, who is also an ordained

priest, wrote to me this morning and he shared a very special time he had had with the Lord. We want to share his story with you.

He began: Today, as I began my Lord's Supper, I met with Padre Pio. He hugged me and said to me the coming days will be turbulent. And that the only way to get through them will be to throw myself at the feet of Jesus, and into His arms. Only through that way will I be able to get through.

Later, in my dwelling time with Jesus, I saw myself going out of my body and moving upwards, even through buildings, diagonally. Jesus came down to meet me halfway in the sky and embraced He me with His always-loving gaze. Shortly after, He took my hands and we rocket-sped upwards, through the 2nd and 3rd heavens—straight to His place for us—just He and I.

It was a huge meadow, a bit foggy at first, although it could have been my eyes. The fog started to clear, and I saw a huge mountain in the distance. Around it were trees in the distance, which

looked like a forest. We were 'encircled' by the trees, and the meadow reached to the mountain. I think the mountain was probably a good few miles away from us (according to earthly measures, that is).

Jesus said to me, "Let's go mountain climbing!"

In a fast-forward view, we were going up the steep slope of the mountain—Jesus in front and me following. I noticed that it was much easier to go up this mountain when I looked at Jesus' back. He would often turn around to look at me and smile in a 'proud-parent' kind of way like: "Oh! Good! Very good! See? You can do it. Just follow My steps."

Looking under me, I saw that I was stepping on heart-shaped stairs. No wonder it was becoming easier! I was just stepping up a staircase formed in the slope of the mountain. As I looked closer at Jesus' feet, His steps were altering the slippery slopes leading up to these heart-shaped plateaus. Stepping on each brought peace, healing (both physical and spiritual) and relief.

There were also moments that I sidestepped these heart-shaped plateaus, on the slippery slope. I found it was manageable to climb there, too, but it took a huge effort just to balance. But stepping back on those plateaus made it easier once again.

At some point, I stopped. And Jesus came back down the 2-3 steps He was ahead to hug me. He told me He was very pleased, and that if I chose to stay right there, He would stay right there with me. Even if I went back down the mountain staircase, He would follow my lead.

But there was a surprise at the mountain top. I got the impression that there was a huge plateau coming up in a few 'stair miles', so to speak. And I had the impression of hearing music, dancing, and singing there at the top, too.

I looked to the side, and I saw my wife also starting to climb these stairs with Jesus. Yes, I saw both of them, but it was not weird or anything - to see Him with me - and with her. She wasn't so familiar with the heart-shaped plateaus yet, so she was alternating between the plateaus and the slopes.

I thought, 'Gee. She still has a way to go get to the same level as I am.' And then Jesus broke in and said, *"No, you are looking from the wrong perspective."* He placed his fingers on my mind or eye-sight, as if He placed his fingers on a camera lens and turned it horizontally to adjust the perspective. Now I could see that my wife was on the same level but climbing her own mountain.

Jesus said, "You see, that is her progress, and this is yours. Don't be overly concerned. I am in control. Come, let's continue." He said that with pure delight and excitement in His eyes!

That was the end of the vision. But there is so much that I can relate in what I experienced. I'll try to sum them up:

First: The mountain represented the climb of Holiness that we are busy with for some long time now. From our perspective at least. For Him, it is just like yesterday. Time to us is different than time to God.

Second: Focusing on Jesus on this mountain will bring much more joy, comfort, ease, and hope that we are going up this mountain, with little effort. Whereas, were we to focus on the path, the journey, the slope and it's steepness—we would easily get sidetracked, discouraged, exhausted, grumpy, bumpy, and so on.

Third: He is paving new ways, easy-to-recognize ways, specifically for each and every one of us—all by His love for us. Marked by His love for us. Recognizable by His love for us. The steps we take bring peace, comfort for our feet, healing for our body and soul. It was like stopping by a Healing Station each time. The key is to follow His steps of Love; to taste the steps we take. Are they full of true Peace? Then yay! Are they filled with exhausting and hugely demanding things that make us over-grumpy? Hmm.

(I'm going to assume he was saying here, that that is the WRONG way to take these steps up the mountain!)

Fourth: He will never leave us. He will even follow us if we do it our own way by going back. But that means we are not going the way to the Party. We'll be enjoying His love for us if we stay on the same place. But the better way is to get going with Him, following behind Him, and not marching up before him. (It's slippery going THAT way!)

Lastly: Others have their own path to walk. We are not to compare. We could, at best, give them advice like: 'Step on the love plateaus, and wait until they are formed before you. Don't rush.'

I think the Lord's hand is all OVER this one, Heartdwellers. And we would be very wise to take this vision to heart.

May the Lord bless you today, dear Family. Amen.