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Deliverance From Crack Rock!

Dear Sir,

Let me start by saying thanks. Through your inspirational words and literature you have saved my life and helped me recognize my true calling in life; to serve the Lord and spread the Lord's Word through your literature.

During the Christmas season, 1996, I was a homeless man struggling to survive the mean streets of Newark, New Jersey. I was an alcoholic and strung out on the crack rock. My life had spiraled down to nothing. I came upon literature from the Holy Alamo Christian Church that I was going to use to start a fire that fateful December evening. Something made me read the words so eloquently written, and it changed my life. From that day forward I stopped smoking the crack rock and only 10 months later weaned myself off of Wild Turkey. Today I am a proud and changed man thanks to the Holy Alamo Christian Church.

I now embark on my own crusade of spreading the good Word to third world South American nations. I will soon be leaving on a trip to Suriname where I plan to educate the natives with the teachings you have provided me. If it is possible, I would like to request some literature to take with me on my trip. I would also like to get some posters of Tony Alamo to post throughout the villages I visit. My final request would be for some VHS tapes of any Tony Alamo sermons you may have. I again would like to thank you for the changes you have made in my life, and I look forward to spreading your good word to the native people of Suriname. Any help you can provide will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
M.S.

Dallas, Georgia

Getting Rid of Demons

Tony Alamo

The Bible never calls casting the unclean spirits out of people "exorcism." The word "exorcism" never appears in the Bible. Therefore, the word exorcism is not of the Lord but of the devil.¹ Even Webster's and Oxford Dictionary's definition of exorcism do not say exorcism is the work of God. They say the word "exorcism" and the act of exorcism itself is quite the contrary. They say that exorcism is of the devil, according to the Bible's definition. Both dictionaries state exorcism is the act or process of exorcising; conjuration; unscriptural rites performed for this purpose by men using a formula attributed to nothing more than mere black magic, which again is of the devil according to God's Word.² Jesus tells us, "If Satan cast out Satan, he is divided against himself; how shall then his kingdom stand? And if I by Beelzebub cast out devils, by whom do your children cast



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1 Prov. 25:14, Matt. 12:25-28, 30, John 8:43-44, 10:1, 10, 15:4-5, Rom. 8:7-9, Gal. 1:8-9, 5:17-21, II Thes. 2:8-12, II Tim. 3:1-5, 13 2 Deut. 18:10-12, II Chron. 33:6, Gal. 5:19-21, Mic. 5:12, Exod. 22:18, Nah. 3:3-4, Mal. 3:5, Acts 13:6-12, Gal. 1:8-9

Montana

Dear Pastor Alamo,

I am in receipt of your literature entitled, *Dry Bones*. I am a Christian and the way in which this literature reached me was not at all by accident I am sure. I was standing outside my office in Billings, Montana, and the wind blew this sheet right up to me. My first thought before reading it was to toss it in the trash, but I saw the title, *Dry Bones*, and the first sentence referring to the Old

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Ghana, West Africa

Dear Pastor Tony Alamo,

I'm writing this letter to let the whole world know the kind of people you and your church really are. I received your tapes, the Bible and the literature a week ago, and read through all, which has given me more power to do God's work.

My testimony to glorify God is I was having a severe neck and waist pain for almost four years, but after reading through some of Pastor Alamo's literature, I woke up one morning and

the Holy Spirit directed me to go out and pray. Frankly speaking, I prayed earnestly to God, and the neck and the waist pain left (I was healed). Hallelujah! So I thank God for healing me through Pastor Alamo's literature. Please kindly put me on your prayer list so that it will never come again. I have the faith. Amen.

Pastor Alamo, my problem is I have been going to villages for evangelism,

but those places are very far when you go by foot. Vehicles are also scarce in those rural areas, so by the time I will walk from the town to those far, far villages, I may be tired and the work will become difficult for me. I will appreciate if you can at least get me a bicycle, which I will sincerely use for the evangelism purpose. In fact, those in the villages are dying for God's Words. I know you have

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them out?” (Matt. 12:26-27). If Satan were casting out Satan, the world would be void of sin. But the world is not void of sin. It’s more sinful than it has ever been, just as Jesus said it would before the end of time.³

Exorcism is conjuration. Both dictionaries say “conjuration,” “exorcism,” is “magical spells, spells to practice magical arts.” Spells and magic cannot cast out devils. Demonic sacred rites, witchcraft, sorcery, diabolism, evil, and black magic cannot cast out devils.⁴ Only the power of God, which is the Word, the Spirit of God, can do this miracle.⁵

Using these fruitless, demonic tactics and pretending to cast out devils is a tactic used by a particular large, political, and unscriptural religion for the purpose of convincing people that God’s power is within their religious order.⁶ Their doctrine forbids their congregations’ reading of the Bible because if they do, they will know the untruths their false religion has taught them.⁷ This religion teaching the satanic word and act of exorcism, both dictionaries state, is connected with other satanic practices such as “divination, astrology, clairvoyance, augury, sortilege, necromancy, thaumaturgy or wonder working, alchemy, jugglery, legerdemain, and the trickery ascribed to demons.” All the aforementioned are ascribed to demonic powers. Incantation is “the recital of magical formulas, the pronouncement of a word or words (as the name of a deity) of magical power [demonic powers], or the performance of a magical ritual

³ Matt. 24:3-15, II Thes. 2:3-12, I Tim. 4:1-3, II Tim. 3:1-5, 13, 4:3-4 ⁴ Prov. 25:14, John 8:44, 15:5, Acts 19:14-16, Rom. 8:9, II Thes. 2:8-12, Rev. 2:2, 9 ⁵ Psa. 33:8-9, Matt. 4:8-11, 8:16, 28:18, John 15:7, 16, 16:13-15, 33, Acts 16:16-18, 19:10-12, Rom. 8:11, 14-16, 31, 37 ⁶ II Cor. 11:13-15, II Thes. 2:6-10, Jude 15-16 ⁷ Psa. 119:105, 130, John 3:19-21, 12:46-48, II Cor. 4:3-6, II Pet. 1:19

procedure.” This is occult power also called “charming or enchantment.” I hope you will agree with the Bible and both the Webster and Oxford dictionaries that such practices are not of God but of the devil.⁸

But the disciples of Christ “brought unto Him many that were possessed with devils: and He cast out the spirits with His Word, and healed all that were sick [by the same Word]” (Matt. 8:16). Jesus told the hypocritical Pharisees, “If I cast out devils by the Spirit of God, then the Kingdom of God is come unto you” (Matt. 12:28). We see in these two scriptures that devils, unclean spirits, are only cast out by the Word of God and the Spirit of God located in the Word of God.⁹ Jesus said, “The Words that I speak unto you, they are Spirit, and they are Life” (John 6:63).

Jesus said, “The prince of this world [the devil] cometh, and hath nothing in Me” (John 14:30). Jesus also states, “I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by Me” (John 14:6). He says Satan “is a liar, and the father of it” (John 8:44), and adds, “The thief [Satan] cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly” (John 10:10). Jesus also said, “I am the Good Shepherd: the Good Shepherd giveth His life for the sheep” (John 10:11). But Jesus warned in the Spirit through the Apostle Peter, “Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour [looking for someone’s soul to destroy]” (I Pet. 5:8, Orig. Gk.). Exorcism is one of the devil’s lying tricks. In the book of Revelation Jesus tells us, “The devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time” (Rev. 12:12).

In order to have the power in God

to be saved and to cast out devils, you will have to follow the Way, the Truth, and the Life. Jesus, says, “Come unto Me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest...unto your souls” (Matt. 11:28-29). Immortal life is found only in Jesus,¹⁰ and He is “the power of God, and the wisdom of God” (I Cor. 1:24). Jesus said, “All power is given unto Me in Heaven and in earth” (Matt. 28:18). The devil does not have one bit of power to gain eternal life, to cast out devils, or to do any other miracles, such as healing sicknesses, diseases, and infirmities, cleansing lepers, giving sight to the blind, raising the dead, or any other miracle recorded in God’s Word.¹¹

If you truly desire to spend eternity in Heaven, if you truly desire power over the devil, sin, your flesh, and the lusts in the world, and if you truly desire power over death, Hell, and the grave, here is the formula for this power. We, as free moral agents with our own wills, have to sanctify our flesh, making it a perfect and willing place for God’s divine life and nature to live in and to work in both in us and through us.¹² With His divine life and nature in us, He can perfect our human life and nature, just as God in the human person of Jesus had to sanctify His flesh to make it a perfect and willing receptacle for the divine, Triune God to live in and work in so that His Spirit and human nature could be perfected within Him.¹³

God will not, by a miraculous act of power, force sanctification, separation from the world, upon anyone.¹⁴ He was the second perfect man and the last Adam.¹⁵ Everyone in the first Adam dies and goes to Hell.¹⁶ Everyone in the last Adam, Christ, never dies.¹⁷ Their spirits, along with their transformed mortal bodies, will spend eternity in Heaven.¹⁸

Christ, by the power of the Triune God

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⁸ Exod. 22:18, Isa. 47:9-15, Jer. 27:9-10, Dan. ch. 2, Acts 8:9-13, Rev. 9:13-21, 18:23-24, 21:8, 22:15 ⁹ Matt. 8:16, 28:18, Mark 1:23-28, 3:9-11, 5:1-13 ¹⁰ John 3:15-16, 6:40, 53-54, 14:6, 10:27-28, 17:2, 20:31 ¹¹ Psa. 62:11, Matt. 28:18, Mark 6:7, Luke 4:1-13, John 17:1-3, Rom. 13:1, Eph. 1:19-23, Col. 1:16-17, Rev. 2:26-27, 19:19-21, 20:9-10, 21:8 ¹² John 17:18-23, I Cor. 6:10-11, Eph. 5:25-27, I Thes. 5:14-23, II Tim. 2:19, 21, Heb. 2:11, 10:10, 16-17 ¹³ Matt. 26:39, John 4:34, 17:19, I Cor. 15:54-57, Eph. 1:18-23, 2:5-22, 4:8-10, Col. 1:17-23, 2:9-10, 15, Heb. 1:2-3, 7:26-27, 10:12-13, I Pet. 3:18-19, 21-22, Rev. 5:1-10 ¹⁴ Gen. 4:7, Deut. 11:26-28, 30:11-20, Josh. 24:15, Rom. 6:16, I Thes. 4:3-5, 5:21-23, Heb. 13:12-14, I Pet. 3:15 ¹⁵ John 1:14, 5:19, 26, 30, 8:28-29, 14:9-11, 20, Acts 10:38, Rom. 5:14, I Cor. 15:22, 45-48, Heb. 2:16-18, 5:8-9 ¹⁶ Gen. 3:19, Rom. 5:12-14, I Cor. 15:21-22, 45-48 ¹⁷ Matt. 4:16, John 5:24-26, 8:51, Rom. 8:2, I Cor. 15:48-54, II Cor. 1:9-10, Heb. 2:9-10, 14-15, I John 3:14, Rev. 2:11, 20:6 ¹⁸ Matt. 7:21, John 3:15-16, 6:54, 10:28, Rom. 8:11, 12:1-2, I Cor. 15:52-54, Eph. 2:5-6, Col. 1:13-14, I Tim. 6:12, II Tim. 4:18, Titus 1:1-2, 3:7, I Pet. 1:3-4, I John 2:25, 5:11-13, Rev. 11:11-12



California

Brother and Pastor Alamo,

It now has been weeks since a youngster lent me three messages entitled, *The Incarnation*, *Convinced*, and *The Tony Alamo Story*. I've been studying these messages, and they're full of the Word of God. I love it! Furthermore, I'd like to receive more books and cassettes for further study. May God bless you all richly.

Awaiting the arrival of my requests,

J.M. Los Angeles, California

Beloved Brother in Jesus Christ,

Blessed be my God forever. I was overjoyed when I received your literature. I was praying two days ago at night, and I told God that if He wanted me to spread His Holy Word that He would send Pastor Alamo's literature. I thank God that two days later I received his literature. I am thankful to Brother Alamo and to God. May God keep on blessing you, and please keep sending more literature. Thanks again. I took some of your other literature that you sent me to Tijuana, Mexico.

A.H. Los Angeles, California

Indiana

Dear Pastor Alamo,

May God bless you for the work you are doing to pull people to His Kingdom. At one corner of Indianapolis, I met some men who offered me your *World Newsletter*. I went through it, and it blessed my heart. I am a Kenyan here in the U.S.A. for some time, and I would like to have some of the literature and free tapes. Back home, I am a pastor, and feel I would like to become part of your ministry to extend the Word of God, even in Kenya.

May God bless you,

F.N. Indianapolis, Indiana

Montana

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Testament, and decided to read it. I can associate with you when you say that the Lord visited you. He visited me also, in my home, and gave me the assignment to "speak His name to all the churches." I know that the Lord's commands will be fulfilled, so there is no doubt in my mind that I will be acting as His vessel in this manner. I haven't quite figured out exactly how this will happen, but I do know that He will clear my path. I am certain that your article did not come to me by accident - the Lord is in control at all times, so there is a reason why I am supposed to have this particular literature. I am certain He will instruct me at a later date. At any rate, I am certain that you are correct about the fact that many people in this country do not realize that they are expected to be obedient to the Lord. So much is preached about the love of God, but very little is said about His judgment.

It has been my feeling for some time now, and I am certain this came directly from the Lord, that the wide and narrow path that is spoken of in the Bible refers to the walk between Christians, rather than the popular belief that it refers to Christians and non-believers. The Bible was written for Christians. Non-believers find it to be foolishness. However, I was poo-pooed when I brought this up at a Bible study in my church, but I have not changed my opinion. Today's Christian church and the regular run-of-the-mill believer are an abomination to the Lord. I doubt you could even convince the great men of God to step foot in most of these churches, let alone most Christian homes.

One perfect example of the decline of the churches is the fact that Christians have no more respect for God than to come to church dressed as if they are making a pit stop on the way to a baseball game or a night club. They seem to have no respect

Arkansas

Dear Pastor Tony,

Thank you for the fresh bread from Heaven.

I'm in the process of reading your latest message, *God's Farm*. It's satisfying and nourishing to the soul!! It's very timely with what the Lord is dealing with me about lately.

Thank you for allowing the Lord to use you in such a mighty way.

I thank God you are my pastor and count it a blessing I don't deserve.

Love in Christ,

M.C.

Alma, AR

for the Lord or His house of worship. It pains me that if they continue to take God in such a light manner even during worship, they may be in for a rude awakening when the Lord does return and shows them the same amount of respect they have shown Him throughout their lifetime.

Perhaps this seems like a small thing to some, Pastor, but it is a real thorn in my side that the attitude of many Christians is that once they are saved, they are always saved. I see a society that spouts the scriptures they like, and throws out the ones they do not like. Obedience is our first duty to the Lord. I believe you are well aware of this. Many Christians do not realize that once they give their lives over to Christ, they have indeed given their lives to Christ. In other words, our life here is not our own. What will it take to pull this church together and get us all on the same page? Well, for one thing, it will take dedicated men and women of God that live out the Christian example and strive to purge the sin from their lives on a daily basis. Perhaps the ministry that the Lord has chosen for me will be a vehicle for many to wake up and smell the aroma of salvation. One can only hope.

Keep up the good work, Pastor, and may God bless you.

Sincerely,

S.H.

Pompey's Pillar, Montana

New York

Pastor Alamo,

A Korean woman who is a well-known poet got your literature entitled *Dry Bones* in her car and said to tell you it is a miracle that she got this literature. It is a beautiful testimony and a great insight. She also owns a day care center and she ordered two hundred more *Dry Bones* for her friends and wants to know if we have any other literature in the Korean language.

She said she is going to be broadcasting the *Dry Bones* message in the Korean language in Manhattan this weekend. It will reach 50,000 listeners in New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut. The radio station is a twenty-four hour station called the Korean Christian Broadcast Network.

INDIA

Andhra Pradesh

Dear beloved Brother and World Pastor
Reverend & Dr. Tony Alamo,

Greetings in the glorious name of our Lord Jesus Christ. I thank you very much for your prayers towards our ministry, as I requested you to pray for 2nd Oct., 2000, for our children's Bible Club teachers one day retreat. It was very successfully held. All our one hundred and twenty teachers through whom we reached ten thousand children in the last summer in the villages were encouraged to continue their ministry among children. We have pastors who are laboring in the villages among agricultural laborers and unable to maintain their families. I shall be so thankful to you if you could assist us and the pastors. I sincerely appeal to you to please consider our prayerful request. I need your prayers and assistance.

Yours in His service,

Pastor G.V.R. Plenty to Share Ministry, Andhra Pradesh, India



Mrs. T.M. with her grandchildren visiting the village of Mummedivaram, India, for a gospel meeting



Pastor J.R. distributing literature – East Godavari Dt. A.P., S. India



Rev. and Mrs. J.C. with tornado victims – Andhra Pradesh, India



Pastor D.K., Alamo Christian Ministries – Dowlaishevaram, A.P., S. India



Pastor D.J. with the orphan children – Mandapeta, India

SLOVENIA

Dear Pastor Tony Alamo!

My best friend who was on scientific congress in Atlanta gave me your World Newsletter. I was very surprised and happy to get such an excellent newspaper. Your spiritual thinking is so close to me.

I'm thirty-three years old, living in Ljubljana, Slovenia. I finished study of theology (seven years ago). In that I joined in Franciscan community in Slovenia. My vocation was so strong, but dogma of Catholic Church was very problematic with my own evangelical thinking.

In 1992 I left from Franciscan, and I became laical Christian. I like to live evangelical, biblical life like Jesus taught us.

My love and life is spiritual music. I joined many years in different spiritual music groups, and lead musical spiritual meetings. Now I work like professional musician in Ljubljana for eight years. I'm professional singer in choir, and solo for classical music. I also play on several instruments, and still love Jesus in my heart and my life. I have still vocation like a priest, and I would like to continue my life and spirituality

in community like yours.

I want to serve the Lord with all the heart, soul, mind, and strength. I would like to participate in your community. I read in your newspaper that Alamo Christian Churches provide room and board to all those who truly want to serve the Lord.

I am seriously asking and requesting for your answer and information about providing possibilities to share my life and soul in your community. I wish you a lot of blessings of God.

Sincerely yours,

J.F.

Ljubljana, Slovenia

Malawi

Dear World Pastor Alamo,

I send my warm greetings to you through our Lord Jesus Christ, the Savior. I hope this report will find you all well. Today I am writing this note to inform you how we are distributing your literature. This year we have formed a team of ten people to minister village to village, town to town, house to house, and more believers are coming to attend our ministry of village to village. After preaching, we have to distribute Alamo literature house to house. All the literature I had received from you is all finished, and we ask you, Pastor, to send me more literature, not less than ten thousand.

Secondly, we decided to have a memory name in our family, and by January, God gave us our first granddaughter, and we named her Susan. Why we did this is because the name of your late wife, Susan, who was a woman of God filled with the Holy Spirit, and because of her history, we gave our granddaughter her name. Pray for this child so that the hands of God must touch her to grow with the Spirit of God. Pray for our ministry of village to village and house to house. Although we don't have any transportation, we move by our own feet. I am waiting to hear from you very soon. God bless you.

Yours in the service of God,
Pastor F.N.

Zomba, Malawi

Dear Man of God, Pastor Tony Alamo,

Greetings to you in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior, believing that you are fine. I have read and preached from your literature entitled *Troubles*, which a friend gave me. My life has been transformed in a special way. I write on behalf of the church, requesting some more free gospel literature for distribution during our gospel crusades and open airs. Also, I request a free copy of your eighty-five page book titled, *Messiah*. Lastly, I preach from a worn out Bible. Several pages are torn because it was bought some time ago, and is overused. We truly want to serve the Lord. Since the day I first heard about you and how the Lord is using you, we cease not praying for you. May the Lord bless you richly.

Yours in the Lord,
Pastor M.M.

Bolero, Malawi

Uganda

Dear Pastor Tony Alamo,

I would like to thank you for the parcel I received on 09/02/00, which contained the following: three Bibles, two *Messiah* books, magazines, literature, and two cassettes. It's a real blessing for the ministry.

I thank God for your prayers for the ministry, which has enabled us to be victorious in the soul-winning crusades. Entebbe has been a center for witch doctors, which promoted the human sacrifice whereby most of the children lost their lives to the devil.

When we prayed, the Holy Spirit directed us to open up prayer altars where prayer warriors always meet for prayers. As of now we have opened several prayer altars around Entebbe which have disorganized the powers of darkness. All the

witch doctors are now stuck. They don't have connection with their evil spirits. Some of them are now in prison because of human sacrifice.

We have tried to open some church branches from which we are facing the problem of building permanent buildings and at the moment we are renting some of the building for prayer. We really need more prayer for the provision of funds.

The Lord is saving very many souls every day, but most of them are very poor people who really need some help, both spiritually and physically. The ministry needs more help and prayers. Thank you.

Yours sincerely,
O.M.

Entebbe, Uganda

AFRICA

Swaziland

Dear Pastor Tony Alamo,

I want to take this opportunity to write to you and to commend your writings about God. Your straightforward writing has changed my spiritual life for the good of it. It's a healthy spiritual food - the truth and the whole truth. I also thank God for sending Reverend B.T. to travel a long distance to Manzini, for the purpose of distributing the Christian literature. I have requested him to call again whenever he receives new literature from your church. Your effort of spreading good news through your writings is commendable.

Your child of God,
G.S. Manzini, Swaziland



Brother M.B. -
Ghana, Africa



Brother J.B. -
Amankwa, Africa



Brother A.G. and associate ministering to the patients at Nyeri General Hospital - Nyeri, Kenya

Ghana

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millions of requests from all walks of life, but I do also believe that the Lord will provide for you to send every possible thing which will help your people preach the gospel and win the lost and dying souls to Christ. If this is not possible, I would without doubt understand.

Please bless my vicinity with at least twenty Bibles, and literature for my friends, because I feel sad when I see people going to church or using the New Testament, without learning about Jonah, Joshua, Isaiah, and others which are in the Old Testament.

God bless you and your ministry. Goodbye and stay blessed in Jesus' name.

Sincerely yours,
R.G.

Nswam, Ghana

From the call-in, witnessing, and prayer line

A man from Las Vegas called to be put on your mailing list so that he can get your literature. He said someone has given him the last few newsletters and by reading them he realizes he really needs to start seriously serving the Lord because he's been floundering around. He said "Pastor Alamo is a real powerful pastor," and he feels the strength he's gained in the Lord from reading the literature.

He asked to be sent a catalogue of the different literature available for distribution so he can order some to distribute.

A man called from New York and wants someone to call him and let him know where he can attend services.

He received your gospel literature entitled *Your Way* and loved it. "It is the undiluted Word of God and you can't mess with the Word," he said. He said after reading your literature that he needs to get into our services. He said the literature shows him there is something wrong with the church he is now attending, the Times Square Church in New York, Pastor David Wilkerson. He's been there for three years.

A man called the witnessing line from San Francisco to let us know that he had received one of the most wonderful messages he had ever read. While he was talking to me, he burst into tears. He was just weeping and crying. He said he had been in a lot of churches, and he said this is the only real thing that he's ever come across. He had backslidden many years ago and just recently the Lord has been really dealing with him through a dream he just had. He said that through this it really put a hope in his heart that there is a chance that he can get right with the Lord, and when he read *God's Farm*, he said it was just what he needed to hear. He said, "I've never read anything like this in my entire life."

He's been into many churches and left them all. He had really backslidden, and now is getting back with the Lord and has just walked away from everything, his whole life-style. He now has a great desire to really help people. He gave us his mailing address, and is anxiously waiting to receive more gospel literature to read.

Colorado

Translated from Spanish

Hi,

Hoping you are all doing fine, especially those who make all these wonderful things possible, especially Brother Tony. He does a lot of good to a lot of people. God has a great reward that keeps growing. I have received your literature and also the money order. Thanks again for everything you have done for me.

Hope you are in good health. My family is in Mexico, and the ones that are here in the states still look at me

the way I used to be. But my life has taken a 180 degree turn. I am different than how I was before. Thanks be to the Word of God, I know He does not forget about me. God has put you in my way like a bright shining star. My heaven was dark, but He does not forget the broken hearted. You are like a second family to me. Hope everything will be fine. I am awaiting your reply. Thanks again,
A.M. Florence, Colorado



Pastor F.M. distributing Bibles in Lipa City, Batagas, Philippines



Pastor J.S. preaching at the Plaza of Hanigaran, Philippines

Pakistan

Dear brother in Christ,

We greet you in the name of our redeemer Lord Jesus Christ. We have received world newsletter after a long time, for which we are highly thankful. Please keep us well informed.

Our church, seminary, and Christian university is under construction and because the pioneer founder members belong to hand to mouth families; therefore, there is unwanted delay in completing the project. We need your cooperation to take the Christian community out of the depths of ignorance, poverty and disgraceful life and bring them up to the level of other developed and educated communities in Pakistan. For this purpose we want to send a deputation of our four pastors to your church for the personal contacts. Would you be kind enough to arrange for their invitation letters. Please remember us in your prayers for the quick completion of the project for the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. It would be highly appreciated if you please do the same at the earliest.

Thanking you once again. May God Bless You.

Yours in Christ,

Rev. J.D. Chairman/Administrator
Presbyterian in Pakistan

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living in Him, never sinned.¹⁹ He experienced a perfect, divine, all-inclusive life for us, experienced an all-inclusive death on the cross for us, and experienced an excellent, all-inclusive resurrection and ascension for us.²⁰ When He went back to Heaven in His glorified resurrection and ascension, God in Heaven became something different than He had ever been before, “a God-man,” both God and perfected man. God is now God the Father, God the Son, God the Holy Spirit, and God, the perfected human life and nature mingled with the divine life and nature.²¹ Christ has now become for us the Spirit of life, the Baptism of the Holy Spirit, and the Comforter, who teaches us all things on a day to day basis.²² “Wherefore God also hath highly exalted Him, and given Him a name which is above every name: That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in Heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father” (Phlp. 2:9-11).

Why has God highly exalted Christ? It is because He sanctified His flesh so that by obedience to God He could live a perfect life, death, resurrection, and ascension.²³ He preferred saving us eternally rather than saving His own mortal, temporal, human life. He did this that His human body and Spirit mingled with God’s Holy Spirit could become the compounded life of the Triune God and perfected man. God glorified Him by resurrection and ascension so He could, after returning to Heaven, come back to dwell in us as THE DIVINE SPIRIT and life of God. In this way He could perfect our human spirits and lives, becoming our lives, our power, our wisdom, our resurrection, our ascension, and our everything. When

people first call upon Him, then obey Him, they shall be saved, changed, and elevated into oneness with God all by Christ’s presence living in them.²⁴

By obedience to God, Christ has led us who were held captive by the devil into the captivity of God’s immortal life so we might live with Him in Heaven forever.²⁵ It is written, “When He [Christ] ascended up on high, He led captivity captive, and gave gifts [of eternal life and power] unto men” (Eph. 4:8).²⁶ That’s why “God also hath highly exalted Him, and given Him a name which is above every name” (Phlp. 2:9). Christ destroyed the devil’s power over all those who have called upon Him and obeyed Him in all things, those who believe Him to have all power in Heaven and on earth to accomplish this great work of salvation, oneness with God, in their lives.²⁷ “Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under Heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved [but the name of Jesus]” (Acts 4:12).

When sinners call upon Him, they must agree to repent and forsake their sinful, powerless lives.²⁸ They must agree to want His immortal life rather than their temporal life.²⁹ They must agree to desire His developing within them a perfect human life and nature for their obedience so that they might become the manifestation of His life, and power living in them to the world. They must agree to desire the fullness of the Spirit’s development in them and His leadership, guidance, and direction for them in this world.

He can and will perfect us if we ask Him to live in us. He lives in those who let Him be their righteousness, their sanctification, their redemption, their wisdom, and their power, those who ask Him to, and He sanctifies their flesh by His powerful Word in them

so that their mortal bodies might be redeemed on the last day.³⁰ He states that He will always live in us if we eat and drink of Him daily, which simply means reading His Word daily so that the Word may be in us.³¹ His Word is “Spirit and...life” (John 6:63).³²

Why must we do this to keep Christ in us daily? Because, again, “In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God” (John 1:1). God is God. He is also the Word of God who became “flesh, and dwelt among us” (John 1:14). For the first time in history He was living in a human body whose name was Jesus.³³ Those who believe only Him and eat and drink of Him daily will have Him in them.³⁴ When He lives in us, He becomes our life and our power.³⁵ If we die before He comes, His life and power will raise our mortal bodies from the dead and receive us into Heaven.³⁶ It is most important that we believe the Word of God and read it daily so that His life and power can remain in us until the day we die.³⁷ By reading the Word of God, praying, and doing what the Word of God tells us to do, we gain more spiritual strength and comfort.³⁸ If we are faithful in doing these simple things, He will give us the Baptism of the Holy Spirit and gifts of power, which enable us to cast out devils, heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, and perform other powerful miracles.³⁹

It is very important for everyone to learn these spiritual secrets or mysteries, for they are the only way to receive eternal life and to retain it.⁴⁰ We overcome unclean desires and thoughts.⁴¹ And we know we overcome the world and everything of the world, and the devil, because God in Christ by the Spirit is in us, and we can feel His life and presence within us.⁴² By having Him live in us and by our living in Him through obeying Him,

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19 Isa. 7:14-15, Matt. 4:1-11, Heb. 4:15, 5:8-9, I Pet. 2:21-22 20 Acts 2:22-24, 32-33, II Cor. 5:17-21, Eph. 4:7-10, Heb. 4:15 21 Isa. 9:6, Mic. 5:2, Matt. 1:23, John 1:1-3, 10, 14, 4:23-24, 10:30, 12:44-45, 14:6-11, 13, 20, 23, 15:26, 17:21, Eph. 3:14-21, Col. 1:13-17, 2:9-10, I Tim. 3:16, Heb. 1:2-3, 8-10, I John 5:7, Rev. 19:13 22 Matt. 10:19-20, Mark 16:15-16, John 1:4, 14:15-20, 23, 26-27, 15:5-11, 17:21-23, 26, Rom. 8:1, 10-11, II Cor. 5:17, 21, 6:16, Gal. 2:20, Eph. 3:16-21, Col. 2:9-10, II Tim. 1:14, I John 2:27-28, 3:24, 4:4, 5:12, Rev. 3:20 23 John 3:13-16, 11:25-26, Eph. 1:19-23, Phlp. 2:5-11, I Pet. 1:3-4 24 Mark 16:16, John 17:11, 21-26, Acts 2:21, Gal. 3:25-29, Eph. 2:1, 4-6 25 Rom. 8:16-18, I Cor. 2:9, Rev. 5:10, 20:6, 22:3-5 26 Psa. 68:18 27 Matt. 28:18, John 16:33, Col. 2:13-15, I John 4:4, Rev. 1:18 28 Prov. 28:13, Luke 9:23-25, II Cor. 6:14-18, Gal. 2:20, II Tim. 2:11 29 Josh. 24:15, Luke 14:27-33 30 John 14:15-17, 15:4-8, I John 2:27 31 I Chron. 16:15, Psa. 1: 2-3, Matt. 6:11, 25:1-13, Luke 11:3, John 1:1-4, 6:31-35, 48, 54, 56-68, Acts 17:11, I Cor. 11:24-25, Eph. 6:13-18, Col. 1:9-11, 3:16, I Pet. 2:2, II Pet. 3:17-18, I John 1:1-3 32 Gen. 1:2-28, Psa. 119:30, John 6:68, Eph. 6:17, I Pet. 2:2 33 Isa. 7:14-16, 9:6-7, Matt. 1:23, John 1:1-3, 14, 8:16, 14:10-11, 20 34 John 6:53-57, 14:15-21, 23, 15:5, 17:21-23, 26, Rom. 8:1, 10-11, I Cor. 15:10, II Cor. 6:16-18, Gal. 2:20, Eph. 3:16-21, I John 4:4, 5:12, Rev. 3:19-21 35 John 1:12-13, 3:15-18, 36, 4:14, 5:24-26, 17:2, Acts 1:8, II Cor. 12:9, 13:4, Eph. 1:18-23, 3:20, 6:10, Col. 1:10-11, II Pet. 1:3-4 36 Dan. 12:2-3, Matt. 24:30-31, I Thes. 4:16-18 37 Matt. 26:41, Mark 16:16, Luke 9:23, II Cor. 4:16, II Tim. 2:15 38 Matt. 7:24-25, Rom. 10:17, Eph. 6:10-18, II Tim. 3:16-17, Rev. 3:18 39 Mark 16:17-18, John 14:15-21, Acts 1:8, 5:32 40 Prov. 1:5-7, 20-33, Hos. 4:6, John 6:54, 68, 10:27-28, 17:3 41 I Cor. 2:16, Rom. 8:1-4, 13, 37, Eph. 4:22-25, Phlp. 2:2-5, Col. 1:12-14, 3:9-10, I Pet. 1:13-16, 4:1-4 42 John 15:5-7, I John 2:13-14

Getting Rid of Demons

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“we are more than conquerors [in all things] through Him that loved us” (Rom. 8:37). This is because God in Christ by His Spirit in us is more powerful by far than anyone who is in the world or anything that is temporal.⁴³ We should “be of good cheer” for Christ has “overcome the world” (John 16:33). With God in Christ with His power in us we have overcome the world, too.⁴⁴ It is written that when God in Christ is in us, we “can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth [us]” (Phlp. 4:13).

God’s life is eternal.⁴⁵ Our life is temporal without Him.⁴⁶ God has given life to everything from grass and plant life to fish, fowl, beast, creeping things, man, and angels in Heaven.⁴⁷ All the lives mentioned here are temporal.⁴⁸ These lives only last for a few days, months, or years, with the exception of the angels in Heaven.⁴⁹ When one-third of the angels in Heaven sinned, their immortal lives were

43 I John 4:4 44 John 16:33, Rom. 8:35-39, I John 2:13 45 Deut. 33:27, John 6:54, 58, 10:27-28, 17:1-3, Heb. 5:5-6, 9, I John 5:20, Rev. 1:8 46 Gen. 6:5-7, Psa. 103:14-16, Isa. 40:6-8, Mark 16:16, John 3:36, 15:5-11, Jas. 1:9-11, 4:13-14, I Pet. 1:24 47 Gen. 1:11-12, 21-22, 24-30, 2:7, Job 33:4, Psa. 8:5-9, Isa. 42:5, Acts 17:24-25 48 II Cor. 4:16-18, I Pet. 1:24-25, II Pet. 3:10-13 49 Gen. 6:17, 7:21-23, Job 12:10, 17:1, 21:13, 34:20-21, Psa. 104:29, Eccl. 3:19, I Pet. 1:24-25

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terminated. This is because God will not tolerate sin in Heaven.⁵⁰

If you have attempted to be delivered from any of the wide variety of demons that may possess you, your family, or your friends, such as demons of self-destruction, adultery, fornication, homosexuality,

lesbianism, hatred, lying, stealing, alcohol, suicide, depression, drugs, or murder, which includes abortion, and have been unsuccessful, call on the Lord. He will not only deliver you from these demons, but will give you power and save your soul.⁵¹ Say this prayer:

50 Gen. 6:5, 7:21-23, Lev. 26:14-38, Deut. 9:5, 25:16, Psa. 5:4-6, 10:3, 139:19, Prov. 3:32, 6:16-19, 15:9, Jer. 12:17, 25:31-38, Eph. 5:25-27, II Pet. 2:1-4, 3:13-14, Rev. 2:2, 6, 15, 12:9, 21:8 51 Psa. 4:3, 17:6, 18:6, 55:16, 72:12-13, 81:7, 99:6-8, 118:5, 145:18-19, Acts 2:21, 4:12, 16:31, Rom. 10:9-13

Prayer

My Lord and my God, have mercy upon my soul, a sinner.¹ I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of the Living God.² I believe that He died on the cross and shed His precious blood for the forgiveness of all my sins.³ I believe that God raised Jesus from the dead by the power of the Holy Spirit⁴ and that He sits on the right hand of God at this moment, hearing my confession of sin and this prayer.⁵ I open up the door of my heart and I invite You into my heart, Lord Jesus.⁶ Wash all of my filthy sins away in the precious blood that You shed in my place on the cross at Calvary.⁷ You will not turn me away, Lord Jesus, You will forgive my sins and save my soul. I know because Your Word, the Bible says so.⁸ Your Word says that You will turn no one away, and that includes me.⁹ Therefore, I know that You have heard me, and I know that You have answered me, and I know that I am saved.¹⁰ And I thank You, Lord Jesus, for saving my soul, and I will show my thankfulness by doing as You command and sin no more.¹¹

1. Psa. 51:5, Rom. 3:10-12, 23 2. Matt. 26:63-64, 27:54, Luke 1:30-33, John 9:35-37, Rom. 1:3-4 3. Acts 4:12, 20:28, Rom. 3:25, I John 1:7, Rev. 5:9 4. Psa. 16:9-10, Matt. 28:5-7, Mark 16:9, John 2:19, 21, 10:17-18, 11:25, Acts 2:24, 3:15, Rom. 8:11, I Cor. 15:3-6 5. Luke 22:69, Acts 2:25-36, Heb. 10:12-13 6. Rom. 8:11, I Cor. 3:16, Rev. 3:20 7. Eph. 2:13-22, Heb. 9:22, 13:12, 20-21, I John 1:7, Rev. 1:5, 7:14 8. Matt. 26:28, Acts 2:21, 4:12, Eph. 1:7, Col. 1:14 9. Rom. 10:13, Jas. 4:2-3 10. Heb. 11:6 11. John 8:11, I Cor. 15:10, Rev. 7:14, 22:14

You’ve just completed the first step in a series of five steps which are necessary to receive salvation. Your second step is to deny yourself and take up the cross daily for the purpose of mortifying yourself, that is, for putting to death your own will, your soulful self, and the world with all of its lusts. All these must be baptized into the death of Christ.

Step three is your resurrection from the satanic life of Adam unto the sinless life of Christ. Step four is your ascension into a

position of authority to reign for God on earth, and the fifth step is to reign for God on earth to the end for the purpose of bringing about the kingdom of Heaven on earth. You must learn the Word of God, then submit yourself and do what the Word says, so that the Church and the world may see evidence of your submission to God’s Word, His order, and His authority in and by you.

Praise the Lord. May God reward you abundantly.

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