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Ghana

Dear Pastor,

Thank you very much for the packet with the booklet entitled *The Messiah*. It has really taught me a lot about God. People are requesting for more World Newsletters, because ninety percent of my city hasn't heard about you. You are the last sign I'm waiting for before the second coming of Christ Jesus. I know from the scriptures that before the second coming of the Messiah, a man of God must come and gather the fathers and the children together. He must open the mysteries in the Bible and deliver the deceived and encourage the elect, etc. Your message is to reach every corner on the earth, and after your message has reached every part, then Christ will come, so that none should blame God.

I am Paul A., a born-again Christian, but I don't go to church. Since I have Christ in me, I can't live for a day without studying the Bible. From infancy I wanted to know more about the true God. I've done many Bible courses with certificates. I have preached the gospel for about five years, but I was in doubt about what I was preaching, so I stopped preaching and going to church as well, because I don't agree with the teachings the local churches preached. I found from the Bible that God will not condemn the scripture blindness until He sent a prophet or a pastor to the world to teach and explain the sealed mysteries and un-understandable words in the Bible, and such purpose must reach the whole earth as it has started so that Christ still remains blameless and harmless when judging mankind.

Pastor, I am nothing on this earth. I am just a pilgrim. The body I possess is not mine. I don't have anything in
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Australia

Dear Sir,

I write to thank you so much for the wonderful literature which I received yesterday. The book on *The Messiah* is certainly very informative and has strengthened my faith in God. Today, I plan to share it with a friend, also the leaflets.

May God bless your wonderful work always.

Yours faithfully,

T.R.

St. James, West Australia

Being Led by the Spirit

by Tony Alamo

The sun, the moon, the stars, and the tide all obey the Spirit of the Lord.¹ Thus, they are led by the Spirit. The Spirit of the Lord moved on the Red Sea. The Red Sea was led by the Lord to open a path so the children of Israel were able to walk through on dry ground.² Everything in the universe is in harmony with God and is led by the Spirit, with the exception of man, Satan, and the fallen angels.³

I recall the first time I was led to do something by the Spirit, something I otherwise never would have done. I was in an office in Beverly Hills, California, when, to my surprise, the Lord revealed Himself unto me by His Spirit speaking directly to my spirit. I have written more fully of this experience in other articles.⁴ God miracu-



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lously closed my hearing. All my human bodily senses were shut off for a few minutes, with the exception of my sight. I heard the voice of the Lord speaking to my entire being. I could hear His voice everywhere in my body. My arms, my legs, my chest, my hands, and my feet could hear much better than my ears, which were not able to hear.

Today I now realize that it was the spiritual man within me, my spirit, that the Spirit of God was communicating with, and I realize that my spirit was the faculty in my soul that was hearing the communication. The Lord with His Spirit communicated to my spirit that my entire body, my soul, and my spirit must physically stand up and tell the people in that room that Jesus Christ was coming back to earth again. He

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1 Gen. 1:14-21, Josh. 10:12-14, Job 9:4-9, 38:8-11, Psa. 65:7, 74:13-17, 89:8-9, 104:19-20, 107:25-30, 135:6-7, Isa. 48:13, 51:10, Jer. 5:22, 10:12-13, Matt. 5:45 2 Ex. 14:16, 21-30 3 Gen. 1:3-31, 6:5-7, Lev. 26:4-6, Neh. 9:6, Psa. 104:10-22, 24-30, 119:90-91, Luke 8:22-25, II Pet. 2:4-6 4 *Signs of the Times, Dry Bones, The Servant of the Lord, God's Two Witnesses, Heavyweights, and Melting Cold Hearts*

Venezuela

Beloved Saints,

I am sending fraternal greetings with unfeigned love. May our souls be knit in the Holy Spirit, and let us love one another like Jonathan and David, that we can be made perfect in love. I rejoiced with you, holy brethren of the Tony Alamo, World Pastor, Holy Alamo Christian Church. May God continue to richly bless you so you can keep supporting that great work, because it costs a lot, and it has cost a great sacrifice

because of the persecution and lies of the enemy of your souls. The enemy does not want souls to convert to the Lord. Again, I rejoice like the Apostle Barnabas, seeing the grace of God in you all, and I exhort you all to keep the faith with a steadfast heart so you can be good men, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith, so that millions of people who do not know the Lord will be added to the Lord.

I have received your literature and
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added that if I did not tell them, I would surely die. It was then the Lord showed me I had a spirit in me. I know by God's Word that every human being has a spirit.⁵ Before we are regenerated, saved, and led by the Spirit, our spirits are carnal and are led by evil spirits.⁶

Unregenerated, unsaved, carnal men are most ready to use their carnal faculties, such as their minds, their thoughts, their emotions, their feelings, their selves, their flesh, and their souls rather than their spirits.⁷ Because of this, they are always in the flesh in the world, in darkness, rather than always in the Spirit in the heavenly realm.⁸

We cannot be led by the Spirit at all times unless the Spirit is present with us at all times.⁹ If we attempt to seek God in some carnal way, our prayers shall not reach Him, and the answer or blessing we seek shall not reach us. Jesus said we "must be born again [of the Spirit]" (John 3:7). We must become new creatures in Christ to be led by the Spirit, to have God hear our prayers, and to receive the answer and blessings from God, which are the result of our praying in the Spirit to Him.¹⁰ When we become born again of the Spirit, the Holy Spirit takes us out of the carnal realm, bringing us into His life, the spiritual realm. God then can be reached by our spirits, and He can reach our spirits by His Spirit.

In our spirits we have a conscience.¹¹ Our conscience is one of the faculties in our spirits which convicts us of sin and of wrongdoing.¹² If our conscience becomes seared, if God hardens our spirits because of disbelief or obstinate disobedience,¹³ we cannot be saved.¹⁴ This is because without a conscience, we cannot be convicted of sin so we might repent of it.¹⁵ The Spirit of the Lord living in our spirits is our power to not sin and His power in us to be led by Him and obey Him.¹⁶ His power sets us free from the bondage of Satan and from a life of sin.¹⁷ To sin is to be defeated—to fail.¹⁸ Sin

5 Zech. 12:1, Job 32:8, Prov. 25:28, Matt. 26:41, Rom. 2:29, 7:22, 8:16, I Cor. 2:11, 5:4, 6:20, 14:14, 32, II Cor. 4:6-7, 16, Eph. 3:16, Heb. 12:23 6 Rom. 7:5-6, 18, 23, 8:5-8, I Cor. 3:3 7 Prov. 6:13-18, Isa. 55:6-9, John 3:6, 6:63, Rom. 8:6-14, I Cor. 2:11-12, 3:1-3 8 Rom. 6:1-14, 22-23, 8:5-17, 13:11-14, Gal. 5:16-25, 6:8, Eph. 2:1-7, 4:22-24, Col. 3:1-10, II Pet. 1:2-4 9 Prov. 3:5-6, John 14:15-21, Col. 3:16, I John 4:13 10 Isa. 59:2, John 3:3, 5, II Cor. 5:17-19, I John 5:14-15 11 Acts 24:16, Rom. 9:1, I Cor. 8:7, II Cor. 1:12, 4:2, 5:11, I Tim. 1:5, 19, 3:9, 4:2, Titus 1:15, Heb. 9:14, 10:22, I Pet. 3:16, 21 12 John 8:9, Acts 2:14-41, 24:16, Rom. 9:1-2, II Tim. 1:3, Heb. 13:18 13 Ex. 7:13-14, 14:8, Deut. 2:30 14 John 12:40, I Tim. 4:1-2, Titus 1:15-16, Heb. 10:26-29 15 Rom. 1:28-32, I Tim. 4:1-3, II Tim. 3:2-8, Titus 1:15-16 16 Rom. 8:37, I John 2:13-14, 3:9, 5:4-5, Rev. 3:5, 12, 21, 21:7 17 Rom. 6:16-23, 8:2 18 Psa. 1:6, 37:20, Prov. 10:27-31, Ezek. 18:4, 20, 24-26, Rom. 6:23, II Pet. 2:20-22

causes death to our entire soul.¹⁹ "The wages of sin is death" (Rom. 6:23).

The faculty in our spirit that knows right from wrong is our conscience.²⁰ Many times our human reasoning will justify our sinful actions, but our consciences know we are sinning.²¹ Our conscience will raise its finger of accusation at us, and unless repentance takes place, our conscience will judge us and condemn us.²² The conscience of a godly person will not pay any attention to people's opinions or reasons if they've done something wrong.²³ The spiritually minded conscience in godly men is always judging right from wrong.²⁴ We must pay strict attention to our consciences. Communing with God is the same as worshipping Him.²⁵ Our unregenerated, unsaved natural spirits, souls, minds, and bodies are not capable of communicating with God. God is not comprehended by our thoughts, our feelings, or our emotions. Communication between God and man takes place in the spirit.²⁶ This communication takes place in the hidden man, the "inner man," the man inside our human bodies, nowhere else.²⁷

Only the spiritual mind can understand spiritual things and receive the leadings of the Spirit.²⁸ Christians pray for spiritual guidance, but the mind must first become spiritual to be capable of receiving spiritual guidance.²⁹

Paul rebuked the members of the church in First Corinthians. They were born again, yet they were babes in Christ and carnal, as babes in Christ are.³⁰ Paul told them he had not been able to teach them spiritual truth.³¹ I don't mean they were carnal in the sense that they would break any of the Ten Commandments of the moral law. What I do mean is the Word of God states they were carnal in the sense that they were envious, filled with strife, and divided.³²

Knowing the scriptures without walking in the Spirit, not doing what the Word, the Spirit, tells us, is carnal.³³ "The letter [of the Word of God] killeth [is carnal], but the Spirit giveth life" (II Cor. 3:6). "As the body without the spirit is dead [carnal], so faith without works is dead [carnal] also" (Jas. 2:26).

When I was a babe in Christ, I was carnal in the sense that I didn't want to go to the streets to witness and to distribute literature. I THOUGHT producing a television program was practicing Christianity in the right way. I set out to have a television program; we had one of the biggest and best interna-

tional television programs for over ten years. During those ten years, the Lord showed me that we won thousands more souls by street witnessing than we ever did by television. So by my wanting a television program rather than going to the streets where the Lord wanted me was carnal, my way rather than His.

My wife, Susie, tried to talk me out of doing a television program. Susie told me that the streets were where the sinners were. First Timothy 1:15 states, "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners," not the righteous. Jesus said, "I am not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance" (Matt. 9:13). She told me that revolutionists, dopers, Black Panthers, Bloods, Cryps, Dirty White Boys, Mexican Mafia, Jewish Mafia, Italian Mafia, Tongs, bikers, Bones, and many millions of others would most likely never listen to a gospel television program. "We need to get to the sinners on the street." Before I found this to be the truth, I told my wife, "We have the Watts riots here in Los Angeles. All these gangs are turning police cars upside down." It seemed as though all the children in the country, as well as the world, were rebelling against their parents, against society, and against a hypocritical world system. At first I told Susie that no red-blooded American man who loved his wife would ever take her into the streets to witness in that mess. "Sue, if I took you out there, they would spank you and kill me. I'm not going to let you do that. It's much better to do television." She rebelled at my words, saying, "I'm going out there with a few of our converts whether you go or not." God told me, "Listen to your wife." So I went to the streets. The Jesus Movement was born and spread like a flame, a fire throughout the world. Still, my desire was to also have a television program. Again, that was carnal. At that time I was still a babe in Christ, full of my own ways and ideas of what I was supposed to do for Jesus instead of letting the Spirit lead me to what He wanted me to do for Him. I desperately needed to grow spiritually. I needed to be fully led by the Spirit.³⁴

How right God was when He told me, "Listen to your wife!" We've won millions of souls over the past thirty-six years through our street and literature ministry. Since then it has gained great momentum until it is now world-wide. That is how our ministry became more successful in bringing souls to Christ than any other ministry I know of.

If we are not led by the Spirit, millions of souls will be lost. This is a gross sin and it will be our fault. If we are so carnal as to refuse to be led by

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19 Ezek. 18:4, 20, Jas. 1:15 20 Acts 24:16, Heb. 5:14 21 John 8:9, Rom. 2:15, Titus 1:15 22 John 8:9, Rom. 2:15 23 II Sam. 12:1-23, II Cor. 7:9-10 24 Acts 24:16, Rom. 9:1, I Tim. 3:9, Heb. 9:14, 10:22, I Pet. 3:21 25 Luke 1:47, John 4:23, Rom. 1:9, 8:15-16, I Cor. 6:17, 14:15, Rev. 21:10 26 Isa. 26:9, John 3:5-6, 4:23-24, Rom. 8:16, I Cor. 6:20, 14:15, II Cor. 13:14 27 Job 32:8, Rom. 2:29, 7:22, I Cor. 2:11, 6:20, II Cor. 4:16, Eph. 3:16 28 John 15:4-5, 7-8, Acts 1:8, Rom. 8:10-11, 14-18, Eph. 2:18, 3:16-21, Col. 2:9-10, II Tim. 1:7, I John 3:24, I John 4:4, 5:12 29 Rom. 8:7-9, I Cor. 2:11-16 30 I Cor. 3:1-4 31 I Cor. Ch. 3 32 Rom. 13:13, I Cor. 3:3, II Cor. 12:20, Gal. 5:26, Jas. 3:14-16, I Pet. 2:1-2 33 Rom. 8:6-9, II Cor. 3:6, Gal. 6:8 34 Eph. 3:16-19, 4:12-15, Col. 2:6-7

Venezuela

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magazine, and I greatly rejoice brethren at how the gospel of the Lord is touching the hearts of thousands of people in countries who are hard-hearted, like Pakistan, Africa, Nigeria as well, India, where there is a lot of idolatry, and Mexico as well. I will be praying for all these brothers and sisters so God will fill them with all knowledge so they may win lots of souls to the Lord. Keep supporting these brothers with all the literature you can send. It serves as a very informative tool to preach the truth. First, I want to thank the Lord through Jesus Christ for you all, that your faith is spoken of throughout the world. This is so we can mutually strengthen the common faith. Thanks be to God that regenerated us to a lively hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ. Stand by those who, out of a pure heart, call on the name of the Lord always in the fear of the Lord, obedience, faith and humbleness before God.

Pray for me and I'll be praying for you - for all those who believe in Jesus Christ face the same conflicts. When a person accepts Jesus as their personal Savior, there's a battle raging between the Holy Spirit and the flesh. I am a warrior for the Lord Jesus Christ in the streets of Caracas where drugs, liquor, delinquency, the stealing of properties, where parents are against their children and children are against their parents, where homosexuality is destroying families. May God help us to reach these people with His Word, so no one will be left out of God's gift. Brothers, if you can, please send me *Satan's Secret Agents*, *The True Believer's Sabbath*, and the booklet entitled *The Messiah*. May God in Jesus Christ keep showering powerful blessings upon you, so He that is mighty may keep you from falling, and present you without stain with great glory and joy. To the only wise God our Savior be glory, majesty, potentate now and forever. Amen. And the same Lord of peace will give you peace in every way. May the grace of God be with you all. Amen.

Holy brethren, I am waiting for your quick reply. That we must through much tribulation enter the Kingdom of God. I can't say good-bye



New converts being baptized- Alamo Christian Ministries -Philippines

Dear Pastor Tony,

First of all, I would like to introduce myself. My name is R.F., and I live in a small town named Granger, about forty miles northeast of Austin, Texas. I have been a Christian for almost a year. I have a lot to learn, and I am soaking up everything I can when I read the Bible and wanting to learn more.

Pastor, what I am writing to you about is how I came across one of your newsletters. It was late one evening, and I was in the country at my daughter's house. I was cleaning up around the yard and had a pile of old wood and tree branches that needed to be burned. I was trying to start a fire, and I couldn't because, due to the heavy rains we have had, I could not find anything dry enough to burn. What I needed was some old paper to get the fire going. I looked under the rear deck of the house and found a bunch of papers, but every single one was soaked except one, and it was dry as a bone. As I was getting ready to light it, I couldn't help but notice the words on it which read, "Alamo Christian Ministries" on the corner. I put out the match and started to read it instead. As hungry as I am for the Word of God, I eagerly read the story on *God's Farm*, which was one of the most inspirational Christian messages I have ever read. I had never heard of you or your

without first telling you of my new birth. Thirteen years ago, God set me apart to preach the virtues of Him that called us out of darkness to His marvelous light. Before, I was a thief, drunkard, drug addict and a liar. God took me out of that trashy life, but God manifested His love and goodness to this lost soul and saved me. Glory to God. I am sending here some literature that I distribute so that God may open doors for us to preach His Word.

Good-bye,
J.G.

Miranda, Venezuela

Ghana

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mind than to be trained by the end-time message and join to preach it, especially in my country where pastors only preach for money. They are all false.

Pastor, help me to be trained in your ministry at your residence for any period you can afford, and I have already committed myself to preach Christ about the end-time message. Please, I am ready, even if it takes my life, to be trained by the

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ministries, but I know the Lord knew what He was doing when He had this literature put there so I could find it. Now all I can say is I want more, and I need to know what I have to do to receive your newsletter. I am a fifty-three year old Vietnam veteran, who is disabled. I have been run over by a drunk driver who was never found. I have already suffered a heart attack. When I was struck by a car, I was in a coma for seven days. The doctors didn't think I would make it. I lost everything - my car, apartment, and found myself out in the streets, since there was no one caught when I was hit to accept the liability for my hospital bill, which was way over a hundred thousand dollars. If not for the grace of God, I don't know where I would be now. My Lord has spared me because He has a plan for me, and I'm listening and waiting for His reply, and I will obey. I am only sorry, and I cannot say enough for His forgiveness for me wasting over half my life living in sin. I was one of the worst sinners in the world. I only wish someone slapped me around and put me on the right path. I pray that no one ever has to go through the things I have, because unfortunately, some of us never or won't get another chance. God bless you,

R.F.

Granger, Texas



Pastor Ben & Nita Acebis -
Butuan City, Philippines

end message. I will do it, because I am nothing in this world than to preach. I have seen that your teaching is the only way to follow Christ and to be saved. I pray that God should increase His power in you to stand the world's perilous times, to deliver the lost ones, and encourage the elect. Thanks be to God. I am counting on you.

Yours in Christ,
Paul A.

Tema, Ghana

Kovvur Mandalam

Dear World Pastor,

I thank God for your ministry which reaches many people every day with your testimony and the truth, who is Jesus Christ, whom you preach. Your literature has blessed my life and the lives of those around me. I distribute your literature that I mercifully receive. Thank you for them. Once again, I would like to continue being on your mailing list. I want to express my joy of seeing you out of trouble. We found out through your newsletters. We saw your great efforts of writing from that place, just like the Apostle Paul did two thousand years ago. Glory to God for you and your ministry.

Pastor Alamo, may God continue to bless you and prosper your ministry. I would like to know if you could send me more literature, three hundred Telugu Bibles, some more newsletters, ten cassettes, and please keep sending me more of your literature and messages on cassette.

Beloved World Pastor, Tony Alamo, holy greetings in the blessed name of our Lord Jesus, who loved us much in this spiritual age. I have received your newsletters from you with love. I have distributed your newsletters and literature to the unsaved men, idol worshipers. They read them and believe Jesus, the real God.

In my daily services, I have been among Hindu brothers and sisters teaching the Word of God. It is my routine work, and some Hindu families have accepted our Redeemer Jesus Christ as their only Savior. Dear good Pastor, we are daily praying for your services. Please be kind and pray for my services and for the orphans, aged widows, lepers, pastors and Bible women



Alamo Christian Ministries evangelistic meeting in tribal Reddyseema Village - Rev. John Benton, Andhra Pradesh, India



Faith Orphan's Home - Rev. G. Babu Rao - Samisragudem, India

in our congregation. Please accept me as your co-worker and help us to promote this ministry with these needs of the ministry. I have approached you for your kind help. I am in receipt of your beloved letter, literature and world newsletter, for which I thank you very much. I have read them and found them to be of immense value to me and other Christians. By reading your literature we are filled with the Holy Spirit. Praise the Lord. Hallelujah. Amen. I have received the world newsletters and *The Messiah*. Thanks.

We are praying to the Lord to convey His choicest blessings for bringing out such wonderful literature. We are strengthened spiritually by reading them. We are also praying that your work shall expand in leaps and bounds.

A team of fifty pastors including myself have been carrying on preaching work in the villages by visiting door-to-door, meeting every person, conducting street rallies, convening prayer meetings, and distributing gospel literature. We are able to win many souls for the glory of the Lord. We are very



Pastor M. Samuel distributing Pastor Alamo's literature around Seetharamapuram, India

eager to work as your Indian representatives on behalf of the Alamo Christian Ministries, and to expand His service in a big way by abiding by your rules and regulations in West Godavari District. There is a lot of work to be done here. Please send not less than two thousand copies of your literature for free distribution for the winning of many more souls. Yours in this gospel service,
C.S. Kovvur Mandalam, India



Distribution of blankets and sarees to the leprosy sufferers and poor widows - D.R.

Vegayammapeta

Dear beloved Brother Reverend Tony Alamo,

Greetings in the glorious name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I am very pleased to know about your wonderful ministry. Your prayerful message tapes are so much blessings to us and in our ministry. It is my prayerful desire that the Lord will use you mightily as you seek to bring the glorious gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. I am so thankful to God and grateful to you for your meaningful, prayerful fellowship with us in getting the good news to the nation of India. I am finding so many poor widows in my ministries who are not being cared for. I came to know that you are supporting people in India. If these poor widows will be reached they shall be so thankful to you. I need your support and help in our ministry. Hoping to hear from you.

Your sister in Jesus,
Mrs.V.P.

Vegayammapeta, India

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Dear Pastor,

I am writing to you through the glory of the Almighty God who has chosen and blessed you as a writing instrument of scriptural literature to persuade this unbelieving world to repent and believe the Lord Jesus who was crucified and raised from the dead and who is coming back to earth again very soon.

For many years I rebelled against the Word of God even though I had been raised in a more or less Christian family. My rebellion against the Lord's love brought me into drug usage unto the point where I became the chief commandant of the May-May militia in the bush in Sud-Kivu (south Kivu). My whole life was consecrated to sorcery and I did not believe in other powers but sorcery, but God in His infinite love did not weary in seeking for me.

September of 2000 was truly an apocalyptic time for our band and myself. A spiritually filled evangelist, Mr. Cristopher M., traveled through our country bringing the good news of the gospel. In spite of the difficulties he was encountering, he was sacrificing his life for lost souls. After he preached about

God's love from Isaiah 53, he distributed many pieces of literature to us entitled *Are Sinners Welcome* in French and *Satan's Secret Agents* in English, both pieces of literature written by you.

Even though his English was poor, we understood through these powerful messages. I felt the Lord enter throughout my entire body. I do not know how to express the joy and peace which filled me and reigns in my spirit now. My conversion has led many of my colleagues to believe in Jesus as well. This is incredible!

What we do not have are Bibles and literature from God's Holy Word. Even though we are living in the bush, the Lord Jesus has helped us abandon the May-May rebel movement. We pray that God will send another evangelist and other literature.

May the Lord bless you in disseminating His Word through the gift you have to the entire world and throughout every nation. The Lord is coming back to earth very soon. You are very special.

Sincerely,

E.S. Uvira, Democratic Republic of the Congo



Pastor Paul Pencil distributing Pastor Alamo's Gospel literature - Mikolongwe, Malawi

Ghana

Dear Pastor,

I am happy to write to you this letter. How are you and the Body of Christ? Over here, His grace is upon us. All things are going on in Christ. I have finished distributing the literature I received. I am hoping for more, as God is opening more avenues. I am now in the regional capital, where thousands of people need the literature. I shall do all within my capacity to help build the Kingdom of God by the grace of God. I am pursuing a three year HND accounting course in this polytechnic. Many students here have not given their lives to Christ. They are in the pit of sin and death, as it was to me some time back. I have started distributing your literature to them. Most are happy to read the literature. Pray for me so that I shall be granted all boldness to spread the Word of God.

The work is also going on at my former station. My wife and children are there. I go there often. Brothers and sisters there receive the message. God has done great work and continues to do more work. I was a wretched man, without hope, a drunkard, a fornicator, unable to support my family, distressed in life, and heading towards death. Since I came in contact with Pastor Tony, God has made a tremendous change in my life. This man has all patience to lead people to salvation. I met you when you were in prison, but all my letters were answered, and directions were given to me to enable me to attain salvation. If I am saved, I have hope. I am out of drunkenness, out of loitering, out of fornication, and able to support my family, able to witness



Pastor Moses Muzaaya and Sarah Kiberu - Entebbe, Uganda

to win souls to Christ, then owe sincere thanks to God first and Pastor Tony for your great support. I say, may God bless you. My wife and I were almost rejected by our family simply because we would not practice family planning. Because we give birth at regular intervals, we were regarded as insane and without purpose. They thought we would die out of poverty, as it was at times difficult to get our daily bread. I say to the glory of God that my family (wife and children) has been solidly built by God. It's really true that God is a good caretaker, wonderful and miraculous. We are happy now because we have Him as our God, source of all our needs. Many people have millions of cedis (Ghanian money), but may not obtain what we have obtained.

I am happy to send our picture to you, Pastor, to see what God has done. Amen. I wish all people should give their lives to Christ for eternal peace and prosperity. Pastor, I tried to come and join you. I wish my wife, my children, and I are all with you at Fort Smith, but it's rather unfortunate I could not afford the financial cost. It would cost me millions of cedis, which I cannot

afford. I wish to inform you that my third son has been named after you for your good fatherliness, both physically and spiritually. He is called David Hoffman Yaw Bernie. Please pray over our picture, for all of God's blessings to come to us. Amen.

Yours faithfully,

A.I.

Sunyani, Ghana



Brother A.I. with his wife and children

Ghana

Dear Pastor Alamo,

The glory and mercifulness of God has encouraged me to write to you again. Greetings and how are you? I hope you are very well as I am also doing here. Well, I don't think I need any introduction since I am O.S., who has already written to you. I am sorry for not replying early enough. Well, I received the things you sent me on the 23rd day of November, 2000, and I was very happy. The literature, after reading, automatically changed my life. I have now become a born-again Christian. At first I was doing certain things which were not good, but I thought they were good. The book has taught me the right and the wrong. After saying the prayer at the back of the book, I felt that God has come to live in my heart, and Satan was driven away. I felt that my sins were forgiven me.

The package did not help me alone. After sharing the literature with my friends, they all repented, so you can see how the book has helped me and my friends. But I have a problem. The literature you gave me was not enough. After sharing them, many of my friends did not get some. Also, they requested for the book you sent me, but it was the only one, and I also needed it badly. I don't have a Bible to refer to the quotations in the book and the literature. That did not give me proper understanding of the book, so I am pleading unto you to send me many of the books and literature of different kinds

Greetings Pastor Alamo, family and church family,

My name is Terry. I have been finding your newsletters in many places during the last two years; somehow you got my address a few months ago and started sending them to me. I want to say thank you very much for your persistence. I have known for many years that God wanted my total obedience, and I have often become so frustrated that I would quit trying, and it has nearly destroyed me. God has recently shown me the way because I asked Him to, and as I travel these United States in my eighteen wheeler, I am soaking up the Word and praying often. God has shown me that I am in step three of salvation, and I greatly desire steps four and five. Your newsletter, Volume 02500 on *The Five Steps of Salvation*, has helped me gain a deeper understanding of what is expected of me. If

Beloved Brother Alamo,

I humbly greet you in the wonderful name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. I thank God because in all my born-again period, I have never known that there is another Paul of our century. Indeed, you are another Paul because to be arrested for the sake of the gospel is not a joke. May the name of God be glorified because of your life-changing ministry. For sure, I know that you are carrying the banner of truth. I came to know your ministry after my son got your newsletter on his way back from school. After reading it, I found that I need a lot to learn from you. So please, if God's willing, send your booklet, *The Messiah*, along with more literature and all the necessary materials so that indeed I can even translate some of them in our local languages so that I can be able to reach more Malawians with the Word of God. I end here with my warm greetings from Malawi to you and your congregation. Hoping to hear favorably from you soon. May the God of all grace be with you and your congregation.

With agape love,
Pastor L.L.

Luwinga, Malawi

to win more perishing souls for Christ. I will also need a Bible to refer to every quotation which is at the end of the page of every piece of literature. I will also be happy if you give me your messages available on tapes. I would like to end my letter here. Hoping to hear from you soon with my requests. This has been your sender, O.S., saying good-bye and wishing you all the best in your ministry. I pray your ministry stands forever and ever. Amen.

Good-bye and thank you very much. Counting on your usual cooperation.

Yours in Christ,
O.S.

Accra, Ghana



The congregation of Alamo Christian Ministries, Associate Pastor Omongole Simon - Entebbe, Uganda

Arkansas

possible, please send some copies of this newsletter. Also, your book called, *Messiah*. I would greatly appreciate a few tapes both teaching and praise and worship, if available. Please also send some copies of this newsletter and any other materials available in Spanish, so that I may share with my friends in El Salvador. They are very hungry for the truth.

T.G.

Wynne, Arkansas

A Fort Smith lady called on the witnessing line asking for the church address to be able to attend services and then said, "It's awesome!" She said she had received a couple of the World Newsletters and had just set them aside. She said she had been an Assemblies of God Church member, but God has been really dealing with her, and last night, as she was reading her Bible, she was

saying to God that she was so hungry for Him - just so very, very hungry!

Then she read the World Newsletters and said, "It's awesome! These will be a part of my daily study. It touched my very depths! It just jumped off the page and came alive. It's just awesome!"

She has been saved for six months, is married with two daughters (eight and twelve years old). Her husband is a truck driver, and she works for the County Circuit Court in Fort Smith.

Dear Pastor Alamo,

I like to print your articles. Then I don't have to sit for hours at the computer reading. I also like my daughter to read them. We get great pleasure and direction from your website.

Thank you. God bless and Shalom,
G.C.

Greenwood, Arkansas

Being Led by the Spirit

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the Spirit, we will spend eternity in Hell. God's commandment is for us to walk in the Spirit to be saved and to remain saved to the end.³⁵ If we do not, we will spend eternity in Hell.³⁶ To be led by the Spirit is an offer from God that no rational person could refuse.

The deepest mysteries of scripture, as far as they can be understood by human thought, can be studied, accepted, and even taught by the unsaved, unregenerated, un sanctified mind. But a fact that cannot be repeated enough is that being led by the Spirit does not begin with mere human thought or human feelings.³⁷ Being led by the Spirit is much deeper than human thought or feelings, because for a human person to be led by the Spirit, a human person must unite his human spirit with the immortal life or Spirit of God just as human Jesus, our Savior and King, did.³⁸ This union cannot take place anywhere else but in the innermost part of our very lives, that is to say, "our spirit."³⁹ Yes, it must happen down in the very root or core of our lives, which is Christ. Christ is our life.⁴⁰

The power that forges or molds our will and fashions the character of our spirit resides in the hidden spiritual center of the life inside us.⁴¹ It is here that the Holy Spirit takes up His residence. In those of us who are led by the Spirit, God breathes, moves, and impels His will.⁴²

The Holy Spirit leads us by inspiring us with the life of God and the purposes of God.⁴³ In this way, the true nature of God and His disposition comes forth, and it is seen or manifested in the world, "That [we] might be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding" for this very purpose (Col. 1:9). This prayer of Paul's clearly tells us that we can only gain the knowledge of God's will through acquiring a spiritual understanding.⁴⁴ Spiritual understanding only comes with the spiritual growth of a man who is spiritual and obedient to the spiritual life. Those who will have the leadership of the Spirit must yield themselves to the Spirit so they can possess lives which are led by the Holy Spirit.⁴⁵

It was only after Christ had been baptized with the Holy Spirit at the baptism of John

that He "was LED BY THE SPIRIT into the wilderness" (Luke 4:1). He returned from the wilderness "in the power of the Spirit into Galilee" (Luke 4:14), and began His ministry in Nazareth when He opened the book of Isaiah in the temple, stating, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon Me [that is to say, the Spirit of the Lord was upon Him, leading Him throughout His entire ministry as Savior of the world and Redeemer of our bodies]" (Luke 4:18). Christ had to be led by the Spirit to accomplish all that He did, so anyone who will be in Christ and remain in Christ must be led by the Spirit in order for Christ to continue accomplishing His work in and through them to the world.⁴⁶ We are to be the continuation of the Word's incarnation, that is, a continuation of the Triune God living and working in human flesh in the world by those led by the Spirit, God's Holy Spirit.⁴⁷ "If the Spirit of Him [the Triune God] that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell IN YOU, He that raised up Christ from the dead [the Spirit] will also give life to your mortal bodies [give life to the body you are currently living in, after it is dead] by HIS SPIRIT THAT DWELLETH IN YOU" (Rom. 8:11, KJV and Orig. Text).⁴⁸

We must have faith in God's entire Word, the Bible, in order to receive eternal life from God through Christ.⁴⁹ For, "Without faith it is impossible to please [God]" (Heb. 11:6). The Apostle James warns us we are not to think that we shall receive anything of the Lord without unwavering faith.⁵⁰ Unwavering faith means faith in His Word, faith that we will receive what we ask according to the condition of His Word, and faith in His Word that tells us we must commune with His Spirit by way of our spirits the things we seek to receive from Him. The bottom line is that we must have the unwavering faith to unwaveringly be led by the Spirit.

Faith is very tangible, and truly a substance.⁵¹ It is the most tangible substance in the entire universe.⁵² Faith is the organ of the soul that recognizes that which is invisible. The divine gift of faith within our spirits receives the spiritual insight or intuition of the divine presence when God draws near to commune with us and lead us by His Spirit according to the measure of faith in us which accepts whatever the divine Spirit brings us

and gives us.⁵³ The most intimate communication of the divine life is found only in the Holy Spirit.⁵⁴ The faith in us will submit to God.⁵⁵ Those with faith do what God says, and always do it according to His Word.⁵⁶

"Thou shalt not murder" is one of God's commands (Ex. 20:13, Orig. Text). The original Hebrew text states, "Thou shalt not murder," not "Thou shalt not kill." The Spirit tells us plainly that we must never murder anyone.⁵⁷ However, we can kill animals for food, as well as to make clothes, shoes, boots, and coats of their hides.⁵⁸ God Himself did this for Adam and Eve.⁵⁹ Unspiritual people, those with mere human reason, think it's evil to kill an animal that's been sanctioned by God to provide us with food and clothing. The book of First Timothy plainly tells us, "Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some [believers] shall depart from the faith [will no longer be led by the Spirit], giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron; FORBIDDING TO MARRY [this is today's satanic doctrine], and commanding to abstain from meats [today's satanic doctrine], which God hath created TO BE RECEIVED WITH THANKSGIVING of them which believe and know the truth" (I Tim. 4:1-3).

If we have faith, we will meditate on God's truth and worship Him, which means communicate with Him.⁶⁰ If we have faith, we will communicate with God and trust Him all the time.⁶¹ If we have faith, our entire soul will adore, accept, and thank God for the fulfillment of the promise of our Savior's Word, which is He "shall be in you" (John 14:17). How wonderful! He is in those of us who believe, those of us who are LED BY HIS SPIRIT. If we have faith, we can rejoice in the assurance that the Holy Spirit, the mighty power of God lives within us the way He wants to live in us.⁶² We can depend on this truth.⁶³

The Spirit leads those of us who are sincere with Him. The Spirit is our guide.⁶⁴ "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want" (Psa. 23:1). I shall not want for anything, for "He will guide [us] into all truth" (John 16:13). God wants all of His children to be led by the Spirit.⁶⁵ The road of being led by the Spirit begins by our first trusting that God is alive in us.⁶⁶ Second, we must seek His leadership

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35 Matt. 24:13, 25:1-13, John 8:31-32, Rom. 2:7, 8:1, Gal. 5:16-18, 25, Phil. 3:8-16, Col. 1:9-11, 21-23, II Tim 4:5-8, Heb. 3:14 36 Matt. 5:13, 7:21-23, 25:41-46, Luke 9:62, 11:23-26, 13:24-28, John 15:6, Heb. 6:4-8, 10:26-29, 38-39, Rev. 3:1-3, 21:8 37 Rom. 8:7-8, 11:33-34, I Cor. 2:4-14, Col. 2:6-10 38 John 15:4-10, 17:21-23, 26, Rom. 8:10-11, I Cor. 3:16, II Cor. 6:16, Gal. 2:20, Eph. 3:16-21, Col. 1:27-29, 2:9-10, I John 3:6, 2439 John 4:23-24 40 John 1:4, 3:15-16, 4:14, 5:24-25, 6:27, 10:10, 27, 40:47-58, 68, Rom. 6:22-23 41 John 14:15-20, 23, I Cor. 6:19-20, Rev. 3:20 42 Acts 2:1-7, 14-43, 4:8-13, 31, 33, Rom. 8:14-17, II Pet. 1:20 43 Luke 12:11-12, John 14:26, Rom. 8:26-27, II Tim. 3:15-17, I John 2:27-29 44 Rom. 8:7-8, I Cor. 2:4-14, Eph. 1:17-19, 5:17-20 45 Mat. 10:19-20, Luke 4:1, John 3:5-6, 4:24, 6:63, 14:6, 16:17, 21, 26, 17:2, 11, 21-23, Acts 4:12, 10:38, Rom. 8:1-14, II Cor. 5:17-21, Gal. 6:8 46 Matt. 12:28, Mark 1:10, 12, 2:8, Luke 2:40, 4:1, 14, 18, John 3:34, Acts 2:17-18 47 John 14:15, 18-20, 23, 15:1-10, 17:21-23, I Cor. 3:16-17, II Cor. 5:17-21, 6:16-18, Gal. 2:20, Eph. 2:18-22, Col. 1:27-29, 2:9-10 48 Rom. 8:11-17 49 John 11:25-26, Acts 13:48, 26:18, Rom. 1:16-17, 5:1, 10:9-10, I Cor. 1:21, Eph. 2:8, I Pet. 1:5, 7, 9, I John 5:4 50 Jas. 1:6-7 51 Heb. 11:1 52 Matt. 17:20, Luke 17:6, Eph. 2:8, Heb. ch. 11 53 Rom. 5:1-2, II Cor. 5:5-9, Eph. 3:16-19 54 Rom. 5:5, 8:9, 11, 14-16, I Cor. 3:16, II Cor. 1:22, Gal. 4:6, I John 4:13 55 Rom. 1:16-17, 5:1, 9:31-33, Gal. 3:6-11, II Cor. 5:7 56 Deut. 6:25, Matt. 17:20, 25:34-40, Mark 16:16, Luke 17:6, Acts 16:31, Eph. 2:8, Heb. ch. 11, Jas. 1:6-7, 2:17, 20-26 57 Gen. 4:9-11, 9:5-6, Num. 35:16-21, 31, Deut. 5:17, 27:24-25, Prov. 1:11-12, 15-16, 6:16-17, 28:17, Rom. 13:9, I Pet. 4:15, I John 3:15, Rev. 21:8, 22:15 58 Gen. 9:2-3, Lev. 7:8-10, 11:3, 9, 21-22, Deut. 14:4-6, 9, 11, 20, Ezek 16:10, Mark 1:6, Rom. 14:14, I Tim. 4:3-5 59 Gen. 3:21 60 Josh. 1:8, Psa. 1:2 61 Psa. 9:9-10, Prov. 3:5-6, Isa. 26:3, 56:4-7, Mark 11:24, Rom. 12:12, Philp. 4:6 62 Matt. 5:12, 15:10, John 10:1-18, 15:14, I Cor. 6:19-20, II Cor. 6:16, Philp. 2:16-18, 4:4, Col. 1:24, 2:2, I Thes. 1:5, 5:16, Heb. 6:11-12, 10:22-25, I Pet. 1:7-9, 4:13, Rev. 3:20, 19:7 63 Mark 16:16, Acts 16:30-31, Rom. 10:8-17 64 John 14:16, 16:7-14, Rom. 8:1, 4, 14, 26-27 65 John 16:7, Rom. 8:14, I John 1:7:4 13 66 Mark 16:16, John 14:16-18, 20, 23, 15:2, 4-5, 7, 10-11, Rom. 8:14-15, 12:4-5, I John 2:24, 5:4

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and begin enjoying the incredible blessing of His guidance.⁶⁷

Third, we must begin acting by faith by doing the work we are asked to do while being led by the Spirit.⁶⁸ This is the very work we who are in the Lord have all prayed for. Fourth, we MUST unwaveringly BELIEVE God WILL lead us by His Spirit.⁶⁹ Fifth, we must unwaveringly trust Him to lead us by His Spirit so that we may be sons of God. "As many as are LED BY THE SPIRIT OF GOD, THEY ARE THE SONS OF GOD" (Rom. 8:14).⁷⁰ Those who are not led by His Spirit are not sons of God.⁷¹

Sixth, we must yield our entire being to God in undivided surrender.⁷² Seventh, we must have total unwavering faith and confidence, knowing that GOD HAS ACCEPTED US because we have unwaveringly surrendered ourselves completely to Him.⁷³ By His unwaveringly accepting us, we are under the control of the Holy Spirit. If we continue being controlled by the Holy Spirit day by day, Jesus, our Comforter, will also guide us day by day as our Savior and King.⁷⁴ We must unwaveringly have faith in that Jesus is our RULER, and by our continually being led by the Holy Spirit, He will keep us saved till the end.⁷⁵

67 Psa. 37:9, 119:105, Prov. 3:5-6, 4:18, 20:22, 16:9, Isa. 42:16, John 16:13-15 68 I Cor. 4:2, Gal 3:9-12, Jas. 2:14-22, 26 69 Rom. 4:19-24, Gal. 3:2-12, Heb. 10:23, Jas. 1:5-7 70 John 1:12, Gal. 4:6-7, Php. 2:14-15, I John 3:1-3 71 Rom. 8:8-9 72 Deut. 30:2, Matt. 7:21, 11:28-30, 12:49-50, 22:37, Rom. 6:13, 19, Gal. 5:16-17, 24-25, Col. 3:1-3, 5-6, Tit. 2:12, I Pet. 4:1-2 73 Mark 16:16, Rom. 1:17, 14:23, I Cor. 16:13, II Cor. 1:24, 5:6-9, Gal. 2:16, 3:11-12, Heb. 3:6, 14, 10:35-39 74 Psa. 25:9, 32:8-10, 48:14, 73:23-24, Isa. 49:10, 58:6-11, John 16:13-14 75 Ex. 15:13, Psa. 25:9, 32:8-10, 48:14, 73:23-24, Isa. 49:10, 58:6-11, Matt. 10:22, 24:13, John 16:13-14.

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Dear reader, if you are one who has not yet been saved, then you have no life of God, which is eternal.⁷⁶ You have no communication with Him, because your sins have not yet been washed away by the precious blood of Christ which He shed for you on the cross at Calvary.⁷⁷ Again, when our sins have not been cleansed in the blood of Christ, we are separated from all God is, all God has, and all God is able to give us. Because of our absence of communication from Him, His Spirit cannot lead us or do anything for us.

If you are not saved, if your spirit is not united

with God's Spirit and you should expire today, you will not enter the Kingdom of Heaven.⁷⁸ However, be of good cheer: all this can change right now. The Word of God says, "Whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved" (Rom. 10:13). If we call upon the Lord to save our souls, He will do it. Cry out to Him now in prayer so that your spirit might be united to His. Then continue being led by His Spirit to the end so that you might be saved. "He that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved" (Mark 13:13). Take the first step now by saying this prayer:

76 John 3:15, 6:53-54, 10:27-28, Rom. 2:7-11, 6:23, I John 3:15, 5:12 77 Psa. 66:18, Prov. 1:24-28, 15:8, 29, 28:9, Isa. 59:1-2, Matt. 6:24, John 9:31, I Cor. 10:21, II Cor. 6:14-18, Jas. 4:4, I John 1:5-7 78 Matt. 5:21, Rom. 8:9, I John 3:15, 5:12, Rev. 21:6-8

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. Lke 22:69, Acts 2:25-36, Heb. 10:12-13 6. Rom. 8:11, I Cor. 3:16, Rev. 3:20 7. Eph. 7:13-22, 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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