

# CHURCHES OR FAMILY OF DAVID ?

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## BUILDING MANIA

(Dad:.) I think *we're the only outfit that ever refused to have any buildings, or even any large congregation.--The only outfit that has emphasised only witnessing, soul-winning, missionary work,* & has, as a result, probably won more souls in proportion to our size than any one of them!

## WE'RE BUILT ON PUBLICATIONS

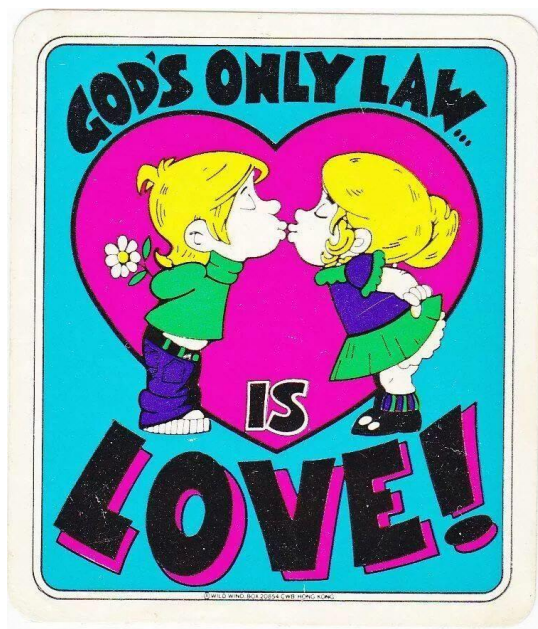
**We're just about the only religious group ever built just on literature, & just on preaching by mail only!** (Note of the Editors: By that time 1991 there was no global Internet yet) We have no building, no huge headquarters. Most of them have got huge headquarters...& they've got several colleges.

**We have no huge building, headquarters, temples or churches!** (Maria: *Or radio or TV.*) No, just, *you might say, a mail order religion. Our whole organisation is built on publications alone & organising an army to win souls to the Lord, strictly a soul-winning missionary organisation.--Supported by the Lord, by faith, & led by the Letters, inspiration!*

(Maria: **There are some missionary organisations ...** that go into all the World & don't have huge buildings. They do have a headquarters, *however, it seems a shame that they waste so much of their time, years in fact, going into the jungles trying to learn the languages & translate the Bible into them, when they could be winning nationals of those countries who could much more easily reach their own tribes.*

(Dad:) **I agree with with Fred Jordan's doctrine on that, to go into the cities & preach your message to the intellectuals** who speak your language & *who can then go to their own in their own language. Let them go into the country & into the boonies, or win souls that can.*

(Family Is Unique!, The [#2768: 26a, 27, 28 - 30a])



## "GOD'S ONLY LAW IS LOVE!"

**WE ARE SAVED BY FAITH IN GOD'S LOVE, HIS MERCY AND HIS GRACE AND TRUTH IN JESUS CHRIST.** Therefore the Apostle James says that we who do the will or the love of God now dwell under a new law, a perfect law of liberty, freedom from the old law. Therefore since we do all that we do in love, all things are now lawful to us in love. (Jas.1:25.)

"**ALL THINGS ARE LAWFUL UNTO ME**, but all things are not expedient; all things are lawful for me, but I will not be brought under the power of any. All things are lawful for me, but all things are not expedient: **all things are lawful for me.**"--**Including our sexual freedom** (Note of the Editors: **of only between two consenting male-female no-close relative adults that live together in one of our communities**), **as long as it is done in the unselfish, sacrificial love of God** (Note of the Editors: **love of God toward all the parties concerned**). (1Cor.6:12; 10:23.)

**CONCERNING THIS POINT OF SO-CALLED ADULTERY OR FORNICATION, JESUS DEALS WITH THE SUBJECT ONLY IN FOUR WAYS:** First of all ***He calls His audience of self-righteous hypocritical religionists a "wicked and adulterous generation"!*** "But he answered and said unto them, An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given to it, but the sign of the prophet Jonas."--The Judgments of God! (Mat.12:39; 16:4.)

**"WHOSOEVER THEREFORE SHALL BE ASHAMED OF ME and of My words in this adulterous and sinful generation,** of him also shall the Son of man be ashamed, when He cometh in the glory of His Father with the holy angels!" Those who called Him a lawbreaker, He was calling them all lawbreakers because of ***their spiritual adultery--unfaithfulness to God!*** (Mk.8:38.)

**NEXT, JESUS BLAMED THEIR MOSAIC LAW OF DIVORCE FOR CAUSING ADULTERY!--THAT MUST HAVE REALLY HURT!** "But I say unto you, That whosoever shall put away his wife, saving for the cause of fornication, causeth her to commit adultery: and whosoever shall

marry her that is divorced committeth adultery." (Mat.5:32; 19:9; Lk.16:18; Mk.10:11.)

**THEN JESUS TURNED RIGHT AROUND IN THE THIRD INSTANCE AND BLAMED THEM ALL FOR BEING**

**ADULTERERS!**: Because *He as good as said that it was impossible to keep the 7th Commandment, "Thou shalt not commit adultery,"* because every man who even looks on a woman and lusts after her has already committed adultery with her in his heart!:

**"BUT I SAY UNTO YOU, THAT WHOSOEVER LOOKETH ON A WOMAN TO LUST AFTER HER HATH COMMITTED ADULTERY WITH HER ALREADY IN HIS HEART!"** So as every man knows, *it is impossible to keep such a law if even looking on a woman and desiring her means that you've already committed adultery in your heart, as every man on God's Earth does!* (Mat.5:28.)

**AND FINALLY IN THE FOURTH INSTANCE, JESUS FORGAVE AN ADULTERESS WHO WAS CAUGHT IN THE VERY ACT AND BROUGHT BEFORE HIM BY HIS OWN ACCUSERS AND CRITICS TO BE STONED.--BUT HE FORGAVE HER AND SENT HER AWAY FORGIVEN!**

Read it for yourself in John 8:3-11! He as good as indicated in this instance that she was not the greater sinner--that her self-righteous, hypocritical, wicked and sinful religionist accusers were! According to the Scriptures ***there is therefore no longer any law against sex that is done in Love, God's love, and hurts no one: It is no sin, neither adultery nor fornication!***

**THIS WAS THE MOST RAGING CONTROVERSY BETWEEN JESUS AND THE JEWS!** It was the most raging controversy between St. Paul and the legalists, the concision or the circumcision, Jews who believed in Jesus but still insisted that they must keep the Mosaic law.

**ST. PAUL SPENT MOST OF HIS EPISTLES SHOWING HOW IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE TO KEEP THE LAW,** and that if they claimed to keep the law they were liars, and that the law could not save them, but they must be saved through the love of Jesus by faith in God's Love, His grace, His mercy and His truth in Jesus Christ.

**THEREFORE JESUS DID NOT DESTROY THE LAW, BUT HE FULFILLED IT AND HE WAS THE END OF IT!** Therefore it passed away and is no more!--Therefore we are no more required to keep the laws of the Moses of the Old Testament!

**NO, WE DO NOT HAVE TO KEEP THE TEN COMMANDMENTS!** For us they are no more! For us they are gone forever! Thank God! We now only have to keep God's law of love, His only law--love! For the laws of Moses are no more to the believer in Jesus! We now only have the Law of Jesus, God's only law, His Love!--A stronger law than Moses'!

**THEREFORE WHATSOEVER YOU DO IN THE UNSELFISH SACRIFICIAL LOVE OF JESUS IS RIGHT AND LAWFUL!** Whatever you do in love is the law--and that's all, that's it! God's only law is Love! **We are totally, utterly free of the old Mosaic law, thank God!** We are delivered from the old Mosaic law and no longer bound by it--we are free!--**Now all things are free!--Now all things are lawful to us in love, praise God! As long as it's done in love it keeps God's only Law of Love!**

**IT ALL BOILS DOWN TO WHETHER YOU'RE GOING TO BELIEVE IN MOSES OR JESUS!**--Whether you're going to insist that we keep the dead laws of Moses and the Prophets of yesterday or the living love-law of Jesus and His Apostles of today!

**THE LAWS OF MOSES WERE TOO DIFFICULT TO KEEP AND COULDN'T SAVE US!** *They were only to show us the righteousness and perfection of God to which we could not possibly attain! This is why Jesus had to come with the love and the mercy and grace and forgiveness of God which we could accept freely without any works or any law except Love!*

**HAVE YOU ACCEPTED GOD'S LOVE IN JESUS CHRIST** as your own personal Saviour? Do you have God's Spirit of Jesus in your heart? Do you love Him and others as much as you do yourself? Do you do unto others as you would have them do unto you?

**IF SO, YOU ARE FREE FROM THE OLD DEAD MOSAIC LAWS!** Now all you must do is keep Jesus' Law of Love! But it is greater



and stricter even than the old Mosaic law, because now everything you do must be done in His Love!--Read St. Matthew Chapters 5 and 6! You must have more mercy and love than the law!--Mt.9:10-13.

**BUT IF YOU DO NOT HAVE JESUS AND HIS LOVE IN YOUR HEART, YOU ARE STILL UNDER THE OLD MOSAIC LAW, guilty of all its infractions and you will be judged by it!** If you have rejected Jesus' Love, you are guilty of breaking all the old Mosaic laws and will be judged accordingly! They are not passed away for you!

**WHY NOT ACCEPT JESUS AND HIS LAW OF LOVE AND LIVEFREE?!**--Otherwise you are bound and dead and damned by the laws of Moses! Choose ye this day whom ye shall serve!--Jesus or Moses?--As for me and my house, we and will serve the Lord Jesus Christ and His living Law of Love! Hallelujah!

**MAY GOD BLESS YOU WITH HIS TRUTH, FREEDOM AND LOVE!** If you want more of His truth, freedom and love, visit or write us today and we'll be glad to give you more! **laclaveenaudio@gmail.com**

(God's Only Law Is Love! [#0592: 18 - 37])

### **THANK GOD WE'RE DIFFERENT!**



...Of course, all of the Full Gospel, Fundamentalist, Evangelical & Pentecostal denominations condemn us, & mainly for two things. Can you guess what they are? The first one I'm sure would come to your mind immediately. **What do you suppose that is? (Family: Sex!) Sex!**

**Can you think of what else it is they absolutely will not receive?...**

... **They call us spiritists!** They say that we dabble in spiritism & that we claim to commune with "familiar spirits." They use that term particularly because the Bible forbids you to commune with familiar spirits.--Lev.19:31. Of course, it all depends on your discernment of spirits & what kind of spirits they are! Just like there are all kinds of people, there are all kinds of spirits! All of the departed Saints are spirits--good spirits!

**Why don't people want to believe in holy spirits?** Lots of them believe in the Holy Spirit & they even speak in tongues. The Lord even showed me that **the reason you're able to speak in tongues is** not only because of the Holy Spirit--it's not only the Holy Spirit that's babbling in all these different tongues--but **that She is inspiring other good spirits who know these languages to speak through us.** So if you have a gift of tongues, it's of course inspired by the Holy Spirit, but even the Holy Spirit would have to be in an awful lot of places doing an awful lot of things, which She could be, of course, but **why should the Lord do that when He can use Angels & angelic spirits to do it? That's their job!** He even calls them ministering spirits!--Heb.1:14. How could they condemn us for communicating with Angels? Angels spoke to my Mother! I presume if they ever heard that, they'd condemn her for being a spiritist!

Thank God we're spiritists! (Family: Amen!) **Thank God for His Holy Spirit, the Holy Spirit, as well as His holy spirits!** God's Word tells us that every one of us has a Guardian Angel! (Psa.34:7, 91:11-12.) The Lord in His Word calls them "spirits" (Psa.104:4; Heb. 1:7), so every one of you has a Guardian Angel spirit! **Of course we're spiritists! Of course we believe in spirits, holy spirits who are working with the Lord & His Angels, who are inspired by the Lord to help Christians,** just like the dear saintly spirit that told the Apostle John, "I am thy fellowservant, & of thy brethren that have the testimony of

Jesus."--Rev.19:10. These holy spirits from the Lord are inspiring us & leading & guiding us, and guarding and watching over us daily. PTL!

Just like the Lord had to break up the nations into various languages to scatter them abroad to keep the whole World from becoming one nation--which would have been a World government then & hastened the End of the World for sure--He's broken up Christians into all kinds of denominations & splinter groups to make sure all parts of His Message got preached worldwide! I once took a course in college on the Smaller Cults of America, & there were 280-some groups that I studied at the time. I'm glad I did! I learned a lot. Of course, they included the Pentecostals & a lot of others like that.

But thank God we're different! The Lord had to make us different & scatter the Christians so that everybody would emphasise different things! They say the Pentecostals are actually the largest Protestant denomination in the World today, if you take in all the various Pentecostal denominations. They number in the tens of millions, I think something close to 300 million. But thank God they're all preaching the Gospel, Salvation & being born again! Just think of the millions who are preaching being filled with the Spirit!

19. It's wonderful to me, the wisdom of the Lord, because no matter what it is--what article of faith, what tenet, what belief, what radical doctrine or what minor emphasis--He's got some group in the World emphasising & preaching that. So He's getting everything preached, even if they won't all accept it.

***I think we're probably the most radical group of genuine Christians today who really believe in all the basics of genuine faith & Salvation & the Bible, God & the Holy Spirit etc., & who preach the real Gospel & really win souls & get people saved, & are filled with the Spirit.*** We're undoubtedly the most radical & fanatical of any in their eyes, & of course, they view us as an un-Scriptural cult. I don't think most of the denominations even give us credit for preaching the Gospel or being saved or anything, at least not officially.

Whereas one denomination has one major doctrinal emphasis, & another denomination has another point that they emphasise, & another denomination has something else, it seems like we have the best of all of them! ***Each of the good & true things that the various denominations have, have all been combined together in our Family!*** Every denomination is very strong on some particular point that distinguishes them & makes them a separate denomination. ***The Lord has***

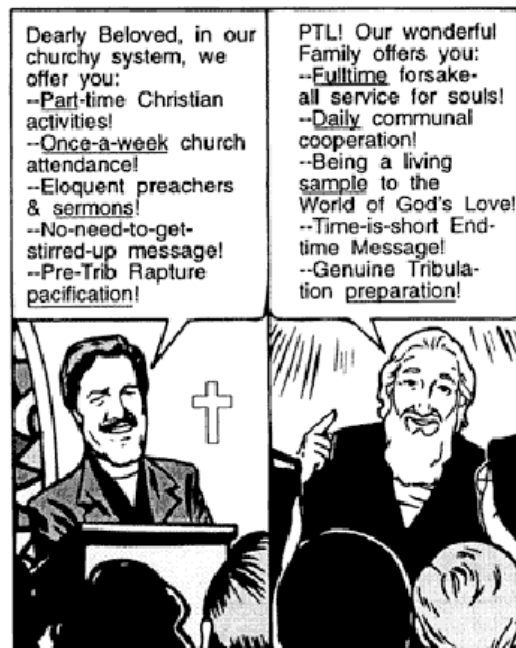


***helped us to emphasise all those good points & we have the best of everything!***

Even though most of the churches have copied quite a bit of what we do, there are some things that they won't touch with a ten-foot pole (such as our sex & "spiritism," of course)!....

(Thank God We're Different! [#2769: 1b, 2a, 3b, 6, 7, 17 – 20, 23, 29a ])

### **BIG DIFFERENCES!**



(Maria:) However, our ministry is much different than the ministry of the rest of the Christians. No matter how much some of them may be doing, ***the Lord has given us a very special ministry of preaching the Endtime Message & of showing the World the wonders of the World to come in the Lord's Heavenly Kingdom on Earth!*** In fact, the Lord specifically told Dad that He had reserved that ministry for us! (ML #1578:13,14.)

Of course, we have a great advantage over all of the other Christians because ***God has blessed us with a Prophet,*** His man who gets fresh messages & leadings & revelations from the Lord for us today! ***We've got the Words of David to feed on & be strengthened by, & to pass on to the World, giving them God's views on all kinds of subjects,*** & warning them of the coming judgments of God, as well as to prepare them for & inspire them with the wonders & beauties of Heaven!

Our Message is not only about the Endtime, that Jesus is coming back soon, but ***our Message is also one of practice & of sample. Our sample is our Message in some ways.*** There are very few other Christians in the World who are ***living together communally &***

***trying to obey & forsake all, have "all things in common."***--Very very few people. I don't know of any who do it the way we do! I know that there are isolated people here & there who try it, but I don't know of ***any other entire group or organisation that does that.***

Some missionary organisations have tried ***communal living*** in their small way, but it's not ***one of their main foundations*** & they don't emphasise it very much, & therefore it's too difficult for them to put it into practice.--And as a result, even their missionary work itself often crumbles & fails.

Another major difference between us & almost all the other Christian groups & missionaries is ***the way we train our children.*** Churchy missionaries frequently use the need to teach, train & care for their children as an excuse to neglect or abandon their mission fields & the calling the Lord has given them to witness to & win others. Whereas ***we don't look on our children as a liability to our ministering to others, but as a tremendous asset! Our children play a very important part in our ministry & in our witnessing,*** probably more than the children of any other religion, any other group in the World!

So I would say those are a few of the main differences in our ministry: Our emphasis on the Endtime Message, our preaching & showing the World about Heaven, & ***our sample of fulltime forsake-all service & Acts 2:44 & 45 communal living,*** which is something that hardly any other Christians do. I think those are some of the main things that make us different from the majority of other Christians.

Of course, another very major difference between us & almost all of the other Christians is that ***we operate & flourish completely outside of the Church System.***--And this is undoubtedly one of the main reasons that the Lord raised us up in the first place. ***Our very existence is a strong witness to the World that the Church System just isn't necessary!*** We have proven that loving Jesus & living for the Lord does not have to be equated with being churchy & bound to the church system & all of its traditions & so much that is shallow & hypocritical. ***We show the World that people can live for Jesus outside of the church system.***

Another notable difference between us & the churches is ***our simplicity.*** Dad has always taught us ***to put the "doorknob" down low enough that the simplest babe in Christ can understand the Message of God's Love & Salvation.*** This simplicity is reflected in our Posters & Letters, our personal witnessing, our songs, & in just about everything we do!

And speaking of our songs, **we are probably the most musical bunch of missionaries there ever was!** As a group, I'm sure **we actively use** more **music** outside of Homes & **churches on the streets & in the parks & wherever we can witness** than any other church or denomination! And we probably have a higher percentage of people who play guitar & sing & use music in their ministry than any religious organisation in the World! PTL!

I think **one of their problems is that they just don't think it's anybody else's job to win souls.** They seem to have somehow gotten the idea that only the big preachers like themselves have that commission, & no one else does. They don't at all seem to promote or preach that **others** should be active fulltime soul-winners. They might promote a little soul-winning on the side, if you can manage to fit it into or around your normal System job, but they sure don't encourage others **to make soul-winning & witnessing their fulltime job!** Many of them even have universities where they promote "higher education" & years & years of secular study & learning, with the Bible & witnessing only included in their curriculum as a sideline.

So even though a lot of their teachings are good & right, many of them preach the right thing, teach the right thing, but they're just one voice & they haven't borne fruit, "fruit that remains" (Jn.15:16), probably because they haven't really been willing to forsake all & fully live it themselves, or put the right emphasis on winning souls, & challenging & teaching others to win souls & to give up all else to lead others to Salvation.

So that's certainly another major difference between us & the majority of other Christians; most of them have System jobs & believe it's perfectly all right to spend most of their time & strength toiling away for Mammon, whereas we feel that "No man can serve two masters; ye cannot serve God & Mammon!"--Mat.6:24. We believe that, for the most part, we can be more effective in our work for the Lord if we don't get tied down with System jobs; although in very rare cases, a System job could be our work for the Lord, if we were able to witness fully & freely, winning souls & disciples.

It seems that this is a fundamental step that people have to take before they can really be following Him as genuine disciples who are able to inspire & challenge others to be disciples too.

...But the bottom line is, **although there are thousands of kids in these Bible Colleges, & sure, they're sending out some missionaries, where are they?** What are they doing? Why haven't we

seen them in all the rest of the World? ...but what are they really accomplishing? We sure don't see much. Why don't we run into them more? ***Why don't we see their results more if they're so strong on going into all the World? ...***

Just as Dad has always said, not very many of these dear Bible College students ever make it to the mission field! They usually get married & they settle down into a nice comfortable church in the U.S. That's what happens to the vast majority of them.--***Only a measly 2% of Bible College students ever make it to the mission field!--2%!***

But when ***their religion is put to the test of really serving Jesus***, of really doing something for the Lord & ***leaving all that luxury & forsaking their fancy homes & their jobs & their selfish lives, going out on the street every day***, even in the U.S., let alone foreign mission fields, & ***winning people to the Lord & just concentrating on getting people saved***, I don't know, I think they might have a different reaction & you might not see quite so much love & peace & everybody being so wonderful!

What are they accomplishing by sitting in those meetings & getting their own souls fed? They're not ***really going out & doing the job that Jesus said to do***, it still comes down to that. Because while there may be a lot of Christian activity going on in the U.S., most of it is being done by just a few individuals via television, or a few healing evangelists. If you would add up all the Christians in the U.S. by number, & then you would take from that ***the number of people who are really serving the Lord fulltime & really accomplishing something for the Lord, the number would be very infinitesimal, very very small compared to all the Christians who claim to be saved.***

Of course, there are also quite a few little groups that are trying to witness a little & trying to do something nowadays, & there is a lot of Christian activity, but it's very partial, it's very part-time on the part of most of the people who are Christians. ***In fact, if they do any kind of soul-winning or Christian witness or service at all, it's usually very small compared to what they spend most of their time doing! They only give a very small part of their time to the Lord & His Work.*** Almost all of them have secular jobs & support their family, although a few of them do try to witness & do some active Christian work on the side.

***In the meantime, their kids are in System school being absolutely polluted, perverted, corrupted & contaminated!*** So one of their main ministries, their children--which is why the Lord gave

them kids--is being neglected & ***they're letting them go down the drain while they pursue their secular careers & do a little here & there!***

***Most of the churchy Christians are living selfishly, trying to perfect themselves! If they're typically "good" Christians, most of their supposed religious service is spent in trying to make themselves perfect, trying to become more "holy" & loving & to have more of the fruits of the Spirit. But I'll tell you what would really test their religion is if they had to move in with four or five or six other families & live together, share everything together, & then we'd see how many fruits of the Spirit they have! That is the real test when you're thrown in with people from different backgrounds & cultures with different likes & dislikes, with different habits, different languages, & all kinds of ages, shapes & sizes! Everything's different!***

***You have to all live together, you have to all conform to an army-type of lifestyle in order to cooperate to reach the lost & to be a living & loving sample that the Lord's Love works!--To show that He can really unify people & give them love & harmony & true peace & cooperation together. You also have to all yield to the Home's leadership. Talk about making your religion work, that is the thing that tests you the most: Letting other people discipline your kids, trying to straighten out misunderstandings that come up every day, trying to work together in every area, & counsel on every decision together! If you'd put those Christians together like that, they couldn't stand it! Not only are they not used to it, most wouldn't ever want to get used to it!***

***So ours is a unique ministry & preparation for what the Lord is trying to get us ready for. Maybe you'd consider it "perfecting ourselves" too, with all our emphasis on NWOs & all, & in a way, I suppose it is, but we're doing it for a real purpose--to be more effective in our witness! We're doing it to show the World that God's Plan of loving cooperation as outlined in the Book of Acts still works! And we're also doing it so we can be a more effective & economical team that can get out there & win souls & spend our full time on the job the Lord's given us.--Not just to tickle our spiritual pride. (Fam: Plus we're getting prepared for the Tribulation & living by faith when there won't be any alternatives & there won't be any church you can go to, like Dad talked about in the "Endtime Whispering Vision."--ML#334.) Right, & we're preparing for the Millennium too, for teaching others & helping them to live together in love.***

(We're One of a Kind! [#2770: 34, 35, 37, 42, 44- 48, 58 – 61, 67b, 68, 70, 71, 73, 74, 86, 87 ])

## GO TO IT AND DO IT!



That kind of education is a handicap when it takes six or seven years to finish it, by which time their fire is practically quenched! ***This worship of education & knowledge by the religious system is one of the biggest handicaps to the evangelism of the World! We just took anybody that would come who promised to get out & witness & win souls, & look what we've done!--With or without an education!***

***All we need are the labourers! Send your labourers into the field***, the Lord said! ***"Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest that He will send forth labourers into the harvest***, for the fields are already white unto harvest!"--Mat. 9:37,38; Jn.4:35. They're talking about sending out labourers to work with the System! (Maria: Yes, & then in those countries, building even more campuses so they can train more students to do more secular jobs.) Imagine!

***We'll take anybody that will come who's willing to go out & start preaching the Gospel right off the bat & winning souls!***  
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**Christ!** They don't need a college education *to learn how to preach the Gospel!* They don't need a college education *to learn how to pass out Gospel literature!--And to love people & win them to the Lord & train them to do the same!*

**Thank God for the Family!** (Maria: Yes, thank God we're different!) ***We don't waste any time fooling around with all this other junk, building church buildings & universities & getting education & all that stuff.*** One little humble common witnesser can get out there on the street & accomplish more in a few days than they'll accomplish in a few years! ...

***...We've got thousands of fulltime workers for the Lord, even children who can lead souls to Christ!*** Thank God He delivered me from that Church System!--And even the Christian college system & all that stuff!

It's pitiful, it's just pitiful! They're doing everything but ***the one thing the Lord told us to do, which is to get out & preach the Gospel*** & win souls! They're doing all of this to commence to begin to get started to get educated with a lot of junk you don't even need for the job.-- In fact, training that's probably going to get more in their way than do much good! Those people aren't ***going to want to get out on the street & pass out Gospel literature to the poor!*** They've got their supposedly important jobs & too much of all that supposedly important education that needs to be used.--But used for what?!

That's why ***I got fed up with Bible School!*** I stood up & said, "I'm sick of all of this! ***All I need is John 3:16*** & I can get out & preach the Gospel without wasting more time sitting here arguing over doctrines & interpretations & blah, blah, blah!" ...

**The Church System & the Church method is such a waste of time & money!--Involving church buildings & education.** As I used to say, *church buildings have probably damned more people to Hell than anything else the church ever did!--Building church buildings that rob the mission field of missionaries & funds & the Gospel & Salvation...*It makes me thank the Lord for what we know!

Thank God for the Family! ***Just like the disciples of old, Jesus didn't put them in college, He just taught them on the job & showed them how to witness...***even our younger children have learned how to go up & ask people to receive Jesus & pray the Sinner's Prayer! "A little child shall lead them. Except ye shall become as a little child, ye shall in no wise enter into the Kingdom of Heaven."--Isa.11:6; Luk.18:16, 17. Why in the World are they trying to over-stuff these people with education?

That's not becoming as a little child! The common people heard Jesus gladly! It was the educated religious leaders who rejected Him! Pitiful!

***... I'm still sold on our method, the New Testament method, the Early Church method, Jesus' method!--To just go & take a bunch of newly saved disciples out witnessing. That's what Jesus did! **Show them how to witness, & then send them out.**--And He did, & they did, & they did it! So that by the time He left physically, they were able to do it on their own, with the help of His Spirit, of course.***

(Go to It & Do It! [#2771: 1, 12, 13, 21, 22b - 24, 27, 31, 32b])

### ONCE A WEEK FEEDING IS NOT ENOUGH!



The only solution is to do what the Lord had Grandpa do when the Family first began back in Huntington Beach! **We can say to all our new converts, "Okay, come on & join us! Let's all live together!--Then we can study the Word together every day, we can go out witnessing every day, we can have the fellowship of each other! We can bear each other's burdens!"** But it just doesn't work when they're off on their own in the middle of the World. When the Word says to

"forsake not the assembling of yourselves together" (Heb.10:25), it doesn't mean just once a week, because that's not enough!

The churches can't really care for their new babes unless they would do like we do & say, "Come on, join us & let's all live together & let's all work for the Lord together! Drop out of the System & then we can spend all of our days in feeding & witnessing!" That's the only way to do it! How are they going to get what they need by just going to church once a week?

Well, I'm not sure exactly how ***all of our Homes handle their new converts & Catacombers***, but I think (& I hope) that ***we give them more than just a weekly feeding.--And I think we offer them an opportunity of service as well, teaching them how to witness, or taking them out witnessing & Postering with us***, etc. Because ***ministering to others should be one of our main jobs in our Homes***, we probably have a lot more time to spend at it than those poor church kids do. And we probably see & realise the need for it much more than they do as well.

So I suppose that we not only try to see them as often as we can, or have them come over to the Home, often every night, but ***we also call them throughout the week & we pray for them. And even more importantly, we give them the Word that they can take back with them, & we strongly encourage them to be faithful to take their reading & prayer time***, making it clear to them that those are the only things that are going to keep them. ***We also encourage them to go on the attack against the Devil & his crowd by winning souls themselves & starting their own Catacomber group***, so they can have a support group right there on their own turf!

Another very important thing that we do with our new Catacombers is that ***we instill in them a vision!--The goal of dropping out, joining us & living for Jesus fulltime, as soon as they are able to***. Thus we give them something that they're always able to look forward to & always have in their mind, & something that keeps them going, doing what they can where they are until such time as they can join our wonderful Family & live with us all the time!

**ON-FIRE YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE CHURCH SYSTEM  
EVENTUALLY GET DISCOURAGED & GIVE UP!**

**... the only way for Christians to successfully not only reach & win others, but train & teach them to be disciples is to live together & to support each other & to be together day in & day out, counselling together & learning the Word together & witnessing together & working together!**

**That's the principle of the Book of Acts,** that's what the Lord laid down for the Church in the New Testament. **That's what they did in the Early Church,** & that's what the Lord intended to keep happening, but it doesn't happen in today's church system at all.--Which is why they've gone so far astray. There are a lot of nice people in the churches, but they're certainly not serving the Lord much & they're not doing what the Lord has told them to do. They're pretty dead!

### **SNARED IN THE SYSTEM!**

I'm sure there are some church members who get behind their youth groups & really do try to help them, but how can they do much to help them? They have to support their families & they have to work 9-to-5 jobs or longer. The economy is so bad in most parts of the World that a lot of people have to have two jobs nowadays! They have one main job in the day, & then they have to work another part-time job at night. And usually the husband & wife both work! So **how can they serve the Lord? They're imprisoned in the System!** They give a little money or a little tithe & they figure, "Well, that's all we can do."

**They haven't been willing to forsake all & break out of the System! In fact, they don't even know that there is such a thing as forsaking all.** They don't have any idea that you're supposed to do that. And if they ever do hear the message about forsaking all, they're horrified & don't even understand or agree with it.

So that's just **the terrible horror of the System, how it's entrapped them so they can't even serve the Lord! But the Lord's faithful, & if people really want to serve Him desperately, He'll show them a way.**--Which is why there are independent people all over the World who have heard the Lord's call & found that they couldn't do anything in the church, so they've left!--Independent people who go out on their own to try to serve the Lord the best they can without the church system.

**... (praying) the whole System is built to resist & oppose & fight against Your Will.** Your Word even says that "friendship with the World is enmity with God!"--James 4:4.

So thank You for making it easier for us to do Your work by helping us to live together & work together for You, Lord, & do what You want!

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