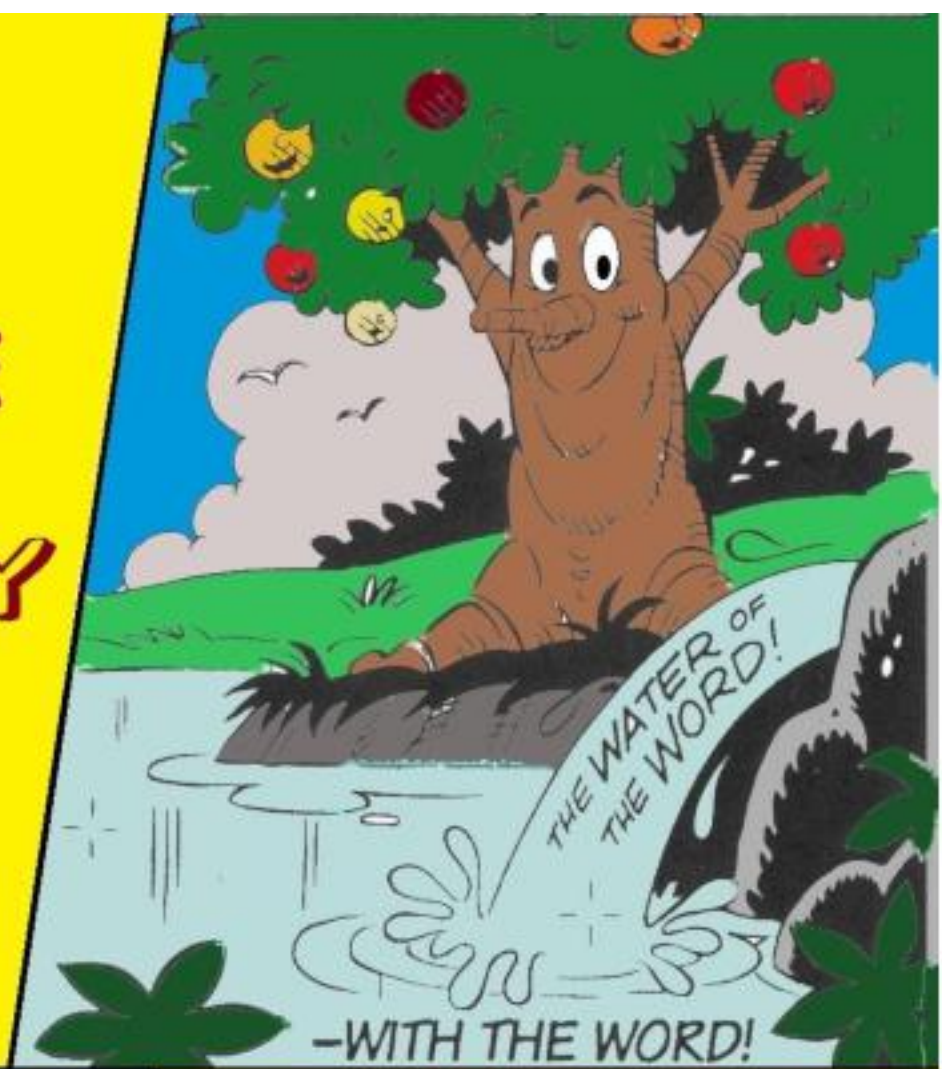


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Book 1, Introductory Compilation for the "PROPHECIES FOR THE CHILDREN OF DAVID".

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(As you read the following prophecies, you will realize that **Peter and Maria's decision**, in the Reboot documents **in 2010**, of stopping to recognize the divine authority of the Words of David **was terribly wrong**.

They, as top leaders of TFI, after having affirmed for over 16 years that **THE MLs AND THE GNs ARE ALSO THE HOLY WORD OF GOD, WITH THE SAME WEIGHT AS THE BIBLE**, **suddenly** changed positions and **indirectly, but very clearly, said that they don't believe in the Words of David anymore**, as the following statements from the Reboot documents show:)

"(Maria:) After much prayer and consideration, the Lord (-? -Ed) has shown Peter and me that we should discontinue referring to Family writings (meaning the MLs and GNs. -Ed.) as "the Word."...We will continue to refer to the Bible as the Word of God, as it is universally deemed to be by all Christians." (Reboot 24 - The Word of God)

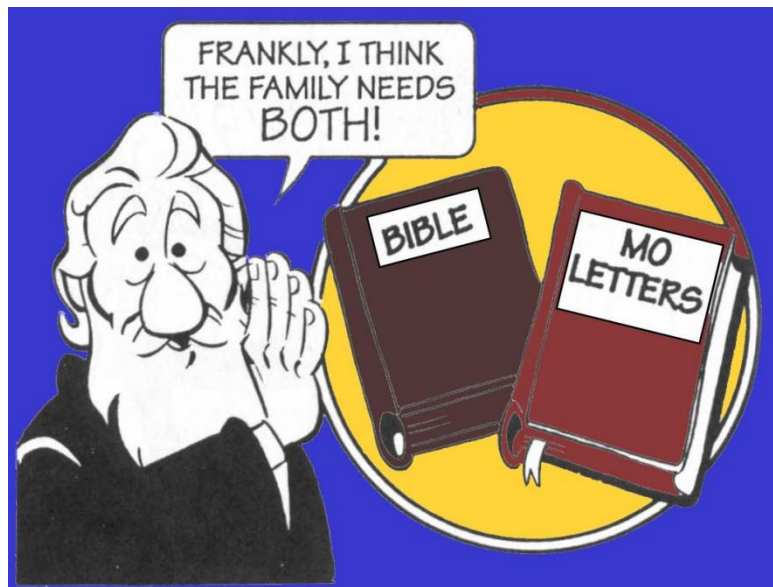
" (Peter:) Maria and I do not think that Family-published Word--beginning with David's writings and continuing through Maria's and my Letters--holds more weight and worth than the Bible " (Being the Word of God for today it does have the same weight as the Bible. But also the Lord has said that -because the Enemy has more power today- if we don't use the new weapons contained in the Letters we won't have enough power to defeat the Enemy, so in this way, **God's Word for today contains weapons more powerful than the weapons contained in the Bible, making it extremely important.-Ed)**

"The Bible is the yardstick for...spiritual teachings from us." (Not the MLs and the GNs anymore?-Ed.)

(Reboot 3 – Backtracking through TFI History. *David's Writings* Section, Page. 12 , *Cultural Flashpoints* Section, Page 12)

"God's Word is the cornerstone of our beliefs and practices. We believe that the Bible is the Word of God." (Nothing else?-Ed.)

(Reboot 05 - Statement of Faith of the Family International - "The Word of God" Section Page 1)



Is There Any Difference Between Our Writings and the Churches Writings?

Reboot Documents:

Additionally, we want to state that **we do not elevate our writings above all other Spirit-filled writings.** (They have forgotten that David is the Endtime prophet for the whole world. -Ed.) Other Christians also have Spirit-filled writings or materials that we can be edified by and benefit from. (Reboot 3 – Backtracking through TFI History.)

Many (if not most) Christians, denominations, churches, and Christian organizations do not limit themselves to the Bible for spiritually motivating and devotional input. Most **consider inspired sermons or Bible classes to be an important tool for spiritual growth and strengthening.** Many produce writings and books for the inspiration, direction, and encouragement of other Christians, or to help new believers to grow in the faith.

He may, for example, inspire a Baptist preacher to give a sermon to his church, and **the message the preacher gives will generally be in harmony with their denomination's understanding of Scripture and the Lord's calling for them as a church.** Or in the case of a Catholic group, the priest or writer would likely be moved to speak or write to those people with messages within their doctrinal context and belief system. **The Lord does the same for us.** (So here they are saying that the Words of David are equal to a preacher's sermon or a priest's talk to his congregation. **In other words, they no longer believe that our MLs and GNs are the divine Word of God equal to the Bible.** - Ed)

If the Lord leads you to read uplifting and feeding publications other than those published by the Family, then you should feel free to do so. Or **if He's shown you to dedicate time to read theological studies of the Bible, then you should follow the Lord's leading for your spiritual input and growth.** (They even encourage us to read any other Christian

material, **contrary to what our prophet and the Lord has instructed us to do in the following paragraphs!**): –Ed) (Reboot 3 – Backtracking through TFI History.)

Our Pure Waters vs. churchy waters:

(Dad speaking:) **Churchy waters** can sometimes reform and patch up, mend, heal, soothe, and comfort to a certain extent, and for other Christians they might be okay. But **they'll never challenge you as a dropped-out disciple, they'll never strengthen you as a revolutionary child of David!** In fact-and I guarantee you this- **they'll weaken you in this way and cause you to compromise.**

This is precisely why **the Enemy** wants you to wade around in these waters indiscriminately and frequently-he wants to pollute your spirit. **He'll encourage you with, "After all, they're Christians! Look at all this helpful counsel and input, and look at how it's helped you!"** He doesn't just want you to wade in them, **he wants you to swim in them and to tell others about these waters,** to advertise these waters **as being pure,** strengthening, **even more helpful than the purest of all crystal streams-the New Wine!**

He hates the pure water of the New Wine! He hates it with a passion, because he knows **it alone contains every spiritual element crucial to his downfall and the pulling down of spiritual strongholds!** It is fueling, feeding, strengthening and **creating the Endtime army of the future!** And ***if he can't get you as a Christian to give up your faith entirely, the next best thing is to get you to settle for and swim around in the second best-the waters of other Christian writings and material.***

None of those waters preach **revolution!** None of those waters preach **the new weapons.** None of those waters preach **prophecy and hearing from the Lord like we do.** None of those waters preach **the keys of the Kingdom** and supply you with **the great and mighty weaponry of the spirit!** None of those waters preach **getting in touch with your spirit helpers** and the spirit world, because they haven't got it! We alone have these waters-the purest crystal stream from Heaven itself!

Why would you even want to wade around in these other waters? **You'd be better off spending more time on** what God has shown you to do -**strengthening yourselves in the volume and wealth of Word He's given you,** not to mention strengthening yourselves in the spiritual weaponry He's given you, exercising and honing and developing the use of the keys which He's given you full access to! **You should be down on your knees thanking God for what He's given the Family-gifts and blessings and awesome weaponry far above any other Christians on the face of the Earth!** Think about it!

If you are daily-or even frequently-wading in the waters of other Christians' writings and books, then you are going to drift away from your high calling in the Family. ***(Is that what caused Peter and Mama to drift away? - Ed.)***

You, as a child of David, have the opportunity before you to choose to be strengthened and grow in the Words of David ***(the ML's that Peter and Maria discarded. - Ed.),*** the new weapons and the use of the keys the Lord has given us ***(contained in the ML's.***

-Ed.).-Or you face the threat of compromise, and it may well come through this seemingly harmless, even "beneficial" avenue of reading other Christian books.

Even building a greater church isn't the all in all if you're **discarding or burying the unique and important New Wine** that you are blessed to have received. Why would God have raised up me, and Maria, if all that was needed were the same messages the churches and other Christian writers give? ⁽¹⁾

(Jesus speaking:) You are children of David, and while other Christians have served Me in other ways, your calling and heritage is to be dropped out, radical. You're not mainstream and never will be. ***Reading churchy doctrines by System Christians subtly undermines the radical truth that is your heritage. Give no place to the lukewarm compromise that seeks to ensnare you and tempts you to trade the best for something that is barely good.*** ⁽²⁾

Is Fulltime Discipleship a Focal Point?

Reboot Documents:

Our focal point as a Family is ***no longer that of preserving an example of "full-time discipleship according to the words of David."*** But discipleship—following Jesus and striving to be more like Him—remains at the heart of our organization. (Notice: "words of David" and not "Words of David" - In other words, with the Reboot , being a disciple can mean almost anything as long as you consider that you are following Jesus and striving to be like him (you decide) – the same as the churches preach. Besides eliminating most of the Words of David from the Family International, this (our fulltime, dropped-out, revolutionary, discipleship) was also the Enemy's main target. -Ed) (Reboot 04 - Blueprint for the Future)

Our Pure Waters Are Needed to Create Revolutionary, Dropped-out, Disciples

(Dad in one of his Letters:) Anybody who really follows the teachings of Christ--which is what **a disciple** is, from the Greek word "disciplos" which **means a "follower of the teaching"--will be an absolute misfit in this present evil System & an utter revolutionary, a radical, fanatical extremist for Jesus!**--If you really believe & teach & do what Jesus & the Apostles did!⁽³⁾

(Jesus:) **I have given you, My Family, deep and radical truths**, the heaviest of the **heavy meat**, and I have asked you to believe them, **accept them, live them, and not be ashamed of doing so**. I have also asked you to not compromise your convictions, and to share the meat of the Word with those of your flock who need it.

You need to **look for those who are revolutionary enough to receive the meat of the Word, and who are made of what it takes to be disciples.** It's really to these people -those

who are radical enough to receive My meaty truths- that your primary commission as the children of David lies. **You are sent to the radical, to the iconoclastic, to those who are dissatisfied with the System and its ways- and those who are dissatisfied with the churches.**

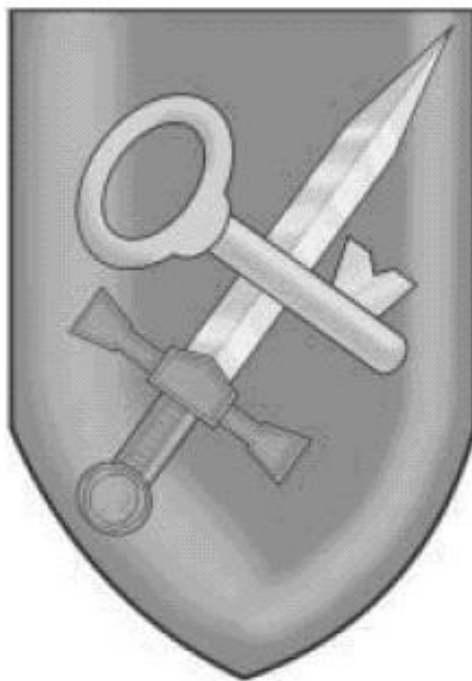
Your ministry, as the children of David, is to build a radical, strong, dropped-out church that lives completely outside the confines of System and church doctrine. That should be your goal in the training of your members.

That's what I'm after: **strong disciples, followers of the meaty truth.** That is your calling. That's what the Family is all about. ⁽⁴⁾

You'll still preach the meat of the Word. **You'll still have radical doctrines.** You'll still have the same conviction, and **those who join you will still receive all of those things.** The Word you are teaching, the truth you are dispensing, the presence of My Spirit within you, that spirit of fire and revolution, of commitment and do-or-die discipleship, is exactly the same as what My early disciples had, and in essence it is **the same as what I have given to every great man of God or movement of God that has ever existed.** None of that has changed. ⁽⁵⁾

My standard for the Family of the future is a high one. It's **a standard of full and uncompromising discipleship. It's a standard of commitment to Me and a forsaking of the world and its trinkets.** I do ask you to **come out from among them, to be separate, to touch not the unclean thing, to revel in My Word, to put Me first, to put loving others, your Family, and the lost first.** ⁽⁶⁾

If we're not daily walking the walk of a revolutionary, dropped-out disciple, then we're going to head back into the church system. ⁽⁷⁾



Are We or Are We not a Gideon's Band of Elite Soldiers?

Reboot Documents:

While there are differences between us and other Christians, and differences between us and people who are unsaved or pursuing other goals, **spiritually elitist mindsets are detrimental in our lives and in our relationships with others.** (Our calling as God's Endtime prophets is a very special one given from the Lord, and as long as we take it with humility, it will be a blessing for the whole world! - Ed.)

We do not consider that we are "it" or more elite or all-around better than other churches and Christians. (by the grace of God and according to His promises we are! -Ed)
We do not hold ourselves to be the "Gideon's band" of the whole Christian world. (By the grace of God and according to His Promises we do! -Ed) **We are not the best across the board. (Why can't we be the best by the grace of God? We, the Children of David, still believe His promises about us! -Ed.)** (Backtracking Through TFI History - reboot 03)

Our Pure Waters:

(Dad speaking:)"BLESSED ARE YOUR EYES, FOR THEY BEHOLD THAT WHICH THE PROPHETS HAVE DREAMED OF!" (Mat.13:16,17)--You don't realise what you're watching, but I can feel it by the Spirit of God! **It's an absolute Revolution!**--A Revolution, **& things will never be the same again!** (Prophecy & revelation with tongues & weeping:) **"This is the secret, this is the Truth of God!"** Hallelujah! All glory be to God! Thank You, Jesus!
WE ARE GOD'S REVOLUTION FOR THIS HOUR & THIS DAY! We're it!--The only ones I know of in the World who are actually living like Jesus & His disciples did!--Who are not just talking about it, not just preaching it, but living it!--Living together full-time in peace & in love & in joy & in witnessing & in Bible study & in prayer & in praise & in sharing!--A genuine, absolute & total change! ⁽⁸⁾

(Jesus speaking:) Who will stand up for the truth? **Who will be counted as My Gideon's band? Who will love Me more than life itself?** Who will love Me more than friends, more than lovers, more than husbands or wives, more than parents, more than children, more than bosom buddies? Who will love Me with a pure heart? **Who will fight for the right, for the truth, even within the borders of your tents?** ⁽⁹⁾

(Dad:) **We still want quality, not mere quantity! --A determined Gideon's Band of dedicated disciples & workers for the Lord!**--Not a bunch of do-nothing sitters!--**Which are you?** ⁽¹⁰⁾

(Dad in prophecy:) We do care about those who have left us. We care greatly; we feel the loss and it hurts. We've all gone through it and we know. **But we are choosing to serve the Lord above anything else; we haven't let others' choices and decisions stop us from doing what we know is God's will for our lives, and that's why we are a Gideon's band.**⁽¹¹⁾

(Dad speaking:) **As the Lord's elite Endtime army** facing the final showdown and greatest battle between Heaven and Hell of all history, He's telling you that without availing yourselves of the fullest and greatest manifestations of His power that He's making available to you (***through the new weapons, found in the ML's. -Ed***), you're not going to make it.

(Jesus speaking:) The Enemy's strongholds in the world and in the hearts of men have multiplied, and his power has been greatly magnified as a result. What worked against him yesterday will not work as effectively today. So **you, as My elite cadre of disciples and soldiers, have been given the very best in weaponry through the gift of the keys** and the benefit of training and instruction in their use (***contained in the ML's. -Ed.***)⁽¹²⁾

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(Dad speaking:) Make sure you're not trading in **your birthright and calling** within the **Lord's Endtime army**-one of the highest, **most privileged places of service**-for a place or calling of lesser value. Plain and simple, within the ranks of Christians worldwide, there is no higher calling than being within the ranks of David and the **Lord's Endtime elite!**⁽¹³⁾

(Jesus speaking:) **The Enemy is fighting hard in a last-ditch attempt to take away the power and destiny of the Children of David who I have called and ordained for this time.**⁽¹⁴⁾

(Dad speaking:) The bottom line, folks, is that **you are a very different and unique breed of Christians!** **You're being trained for a very special and specific purpose, which no other Christians in the world are being trained for.** For your mission and task you need stronger meat; you need the undiluted, pure truth, and that comes from the New Wine. (***the MLs and GNs-Ed.***) That's the only thing that will truly increase and strengthen your faith!

If you want to survive on the intravenous drip of churchianity, then be My guest, but you'll never get out of bed. If you want to lead an active lifestyle for Me, you need the meat and potatoes of My Word for today! Otherwise you'll be bedridden like the churches.

Ditch the drip and dive into **the meat of My Word** (***—our radical teachings- Ed.***) and **be strengthened for the active lifestyle of a revolutionary in the Last Days**, instead of being a bedridden invalid living on yesterday's leftovers.⁽¹⁵⁾

*(...And at the time of the Reboot, **the Enemy**, in his last-ditch attempt to take away the power and destiny of the Children of David, **recruited none other than Peter and Maria themselves** (probably unwittingly **because of their unbelief**) to strike a deadly blow at the Family by removing from the Family International most of God's Words for today - contained in our **INFOSTORE** program - showing very clearly with this tragic move that not only had they stopped believing in their divine authority, but that they were **in spirit** forsaking*

and abandoning the “Family of David” or “The Children of David” as the Lord usually calls us, and at the same time taking most of their members with them to form a compromised, main-stream, Christian church by the same name (TFI). Their followers then received Peter’s theological Bible classes and compilations of sermons and Bible classes from other church pastors and writers, instead of the New Wine straight from Heaven that we were used to receiving almost weekly.

But be of good courage! the Enemy will only have a temporary victory because the Lord has promised that he will resurrect the children of David and then all His promises will be fulfilled!- Ed)



But the minute that the life-giving flow is cut off, the entire tree begins to die, and it'll be dead within a few days and soon become old and rotten.

Look to Me and Not Unto Man

I will work in the lives of all My children, to show each of you how important it is that you **put your faith in Me and My Word and not look at others**--at what others are doing or not doing, and how others are following Me. For if you have a strong personal connection with Me through My Word and through your personal prayer time, your faith will remain strong and will not falter or waver no matter what happens around you. **Those of you who keep your eyes firmly fixed on Me and keep your connection strong and healthy through drinking in the New Wine and following it will have strong faith that will not waver, no matter what happens (even the reboot –Ed).**

Many look on the outward appearance, people's personalities, their gifts and talents and accomplishments. But that's dangerous because **even the seemingly strong ones**, by measurement of outward appearance, **are weaklings if they try to operate without Me and My Spirit.** I am the One Who gives strength to My anointed, so you must look to Me and not unto man. You must **look to the sample of strength through receiving and believing My Word, through loving Me diligently, through obeying the voice of My Spirit.**

The Danger of Looking to Man

My children, you must reevaluate your faith and see who you're putting your faith in. **If you have your faith in Me and My Words, both My old and My new Word given through My Endtime shepherds, (Maria and Peter – until the Reboot in 2010-Ed) I will never fail you.** I will cause you to grow, to make the right decisions, to follow the path of My will, and to bear good fruit. But **when you put your faith in people, even seemingly spiritually strong, wise, loving people, or in the conditions around you, these things can fail.**

People are human; they're not perfect. They'll make mistakes. They won't always make the right decisions. Sometimes they'll make wrong decisions. Sometimes they'll fail. Sometimes they'll do the wrong things. Even people that you love and are close to, who are strong and dedicated, can fail if they don't keep their eyes on Me and depend on Me.

Even people that I anoint and use mightily as bellwethers and pillars in the Family, good leaders and shepherds, are weak human vessels who are made strong, and their anointing is kept strong through their faith in My Word, through their faith in My voice of prophecy given fresh for today in the pages of each GN. If they take their eyes off of Me and My Words and get their eyes on anything else, they become weakened.

When you look at someone that you admire and who you think is a wonderful example of a leader or shepherd or follower, **remember that what you're seeing is Me working through them. It's nothing of themselves. It's only because they're allowing Me full sway in their life and are yielding completely to the moves of My Spirit that I am able to work through them and use them mightily.**

When My leaders and shepherds are yielded to Me, when they're hanging on to My Words, studying My Word--both old and new--and clinging to My Word for the answers and the power and the strength and anointing they need, then I continue to use them mightily and cause them to grow and progress and lead My sheep. When they come to Me in prayer and seek Me for the answers and have faith in My Spirit speaking to them and leading them and are willing to obey and follow, then I can mightily use them to be a sample to My flock and lead My sheep.

The shepherds and leaders who I can fully use are **those** who know they are nothing and **who depend totally on Me, who have their faith fixed firmly on Me and My Word, given through My Endtime shepherds (-until 2010-Ed), and who hold fast to their faith.** They don't look around them to see what other people are doing and thinking, but **they look to Me and My Word; they study the GNs to see what I am asking of them, what I want them to do, and where My Word is leading the Family.**

(Obviously, Peter and Maria didn't hold fast to their faith in the Lord's Words given through themselves - His Endtime shepherds until the Reboot in 2010 - and they now don't study the GNs to see where the Lord's Words are leading the Family ☺).

This is what My sheep must also do. **My sheep must put their faith in Me and My Word.** I have many shepherds on the field tending to many folds of My sheep, but the sheep must also learn to be fed directly from My Word for themselves. **They must learn to study and feed themselves from the Words that I pour through My appointed Endtime shepherds, Maria and Peter (-in the the MLs and GNs until the Reboot in 2010.-Ed.)**

There is great danger in looking only to the shepherds and not drawing from the Words which I am providing for the Family through My GNs. Even though My sheep love their shepherds and are close to them, they must not allow this to get to the point that **they look up to them more than to Me and My Words.** They must not respect the man more than My Spirit in the man.

But if you keep your eyes on Me and My Word, then your faith will remain strong, because it's based on the right foundation, the only true foundation. **No matter what happens around you, and no matter who fails or backslides, (-even if it is Peter and Maria,-Ed.) you'll still go on because your faith is in Me.**



Keep Your Eyes on Jesus!

(Dad speaking:) The Lord knows that **it's easier for us to look to another human being-**someone who's in the same frail flesh and yet manages to live according to the Word. **The sample is an encouragement.** Even Jesus Himself came down and was made flesh that we might behold His glory and the sample of His loving life. So there's really nothing wrong with looking to others and being encouraged by their sample, or looking up to people and appreciating their dedication and love for the Lord, or their faithfulness, or whatever it is about them.

The problem is that often people don't keep in mind that **the Lord is the One that we're supposed to be following. The Letters are the leaders! That's what it comes down to!** There's a difference between seeing the Lord in someone and giving Him the glory, realizing that He's using that person because they're weak in themselves and yielded vessels; rather

than looking to the person and thinking that they're so good and so sweet and so righteous or knowledgeable in themselves, and forgetting that anything good about them is really just the Lord. That's when it becomes man worship. But you see, **that's really a very fine line and not easily distinguished except in the spirit.**

(Dad speaking:) **When you're looking to the Lord, He** gives you understanding and **helps you to see the picture more clearly**. But when you've got your eyes on the person, you often don't clearly see the spiritual reasons behind things.

(Dad speaking:) **More of our folks are going to fall. (Prophecy?-Ed.) I've told you that it's the shaking of the tree, and the Lord is purging the ranks**. The quicker our folks learn that **the only way to be strong is to be strong in the Lord**, the more they'll avoid the confusion of the Enemy that he would like to throw at them when they see others leave.

(The Enemy in his cleverness knew that a better way to confuse and derail our ranks was by convincing Peter and Maria to leave the Family in spirit by having them “reboot” our Revolution into their new compromised mainline Christian church by the same name (TFI) and in the process:

- *Throwing out nearly all of Gods Words for today.*
- *Renouncing their position as King and Queen of God’s Endtime Family.*
- *Removing all of the leadership - after all, most of their job was to help us remain dropped-out, on-fire, full-time disciples anyway.*
- *Telling us that (FD-full-time disciples) didn’t need to live in Heavenly Homes anymore, getting rid of the “one-wife” vision given to us by Dad.*
- *And telling us that we could now serve the Lord “however the Lord led us”, without any requirements for full-time discipleship.*
- *And since “the Lord could come back in 50 years or more” why not buy a house and prepare for retirement? -It’s not that these things are bad but it changes our priorities in a subtle way.- It appears that most people didn’t realize what was happening. Some knew that something was wrong but couldn’t understand it well **as it was all very subtly and deceptively done.***

But be of good courage, Our Lord –as always- will get His greatest victory out of this tragic defeat! Praise be to Jesus forever!

Even the Strongest Can Fall If They Don't Stay Close to Me and My Word

Even the strongest of My children can fall if they don't stay close to Me and very close to My Word, the truth, and let the truth of My Words lead them and be their standard for all their decisions and ways of thinking. **Even strong missionaries, or strong men and women of faith, can be weakened if they're not willing to put My Word and the standard of My Word first in their lives.**

This is why it's so important for you to get your inspiration, your comfort, your answers, and your direction from My Words, both written and living. Because then **even if the people around you** are off track in some way, even if they're having spiritual problems and **are being buffeted or hindered by the Enemy, you can stand strong and know what's right and wrong by the light of My Word which will lead you.**

It's possible for anyone, no matter what their ministry, to get off track if they're not staying very close to Me and My Word. If they're allowing their circumstances, or people they're close to, to influence them in a wrong way and **are not coming to Me for the right way to see things,** then they will slowly get farther and farther away from the standard of My Words (*the Bible and the ML's- ed*). **They will slowly drift farther away from the truth and find it harder and harder to recognize what the standard is, because they haven't been staying close to it.** ⁽¹⁶⁾

Thoughts That Must Have Motivated Peter and Maria to Water Down Our Radical Message

"Did he have to be always challenging the churches, defying convention, destroying traditions, and threatening the religious system? ...Couldn't God have used less controversial tactics than that, and done it more peaceably and respectably and acceptably?...

Wouldn't you have made easier progress, Jesus, if you'd done it man's way, and chosen them from the learned Sanhedrin --the local Bible college or cemenetry--with the approval of the synagogues, and the permission of the high priests and a license from Rome through the governor? Wouldn't you have gotten off to a better start, Jesus? Don't you think you could have improved your tactics, Lord?...There must have been a better way!...but going so consistently and stubbornly contrary to all acceptable reason and logic and custom--wasn't that a little foolish Lord?...

Couldn't you have toned it down a little bit, Jesus?...

Why you had to be such unconventional and controversial--such an iconoclast! Couldn't you have compromised just a little bit on some of these issues, and not have continued to have to run head-on into the district superintendents and bishops of the church of the Jews with your revolutionary doctrines?

Lord, there must have been a better way!

Weren't you at all concerned about the opinions of men? didn't you care what people thought about you and your followers?

Why did you have to make it so hard for us to interpret you to the System? When your actions were almost inexcusable, what do you expect the System to believe? They can only go by what they see and hear, and that's bad enough!

Lord, let us improve on your methods, and polish up your message a little, and eradicate some of these irreconcilable, controversial features of your ministry! Lord, we don't want to make the same kind of mistakes you did! Please, **help us to be more acceptable in the eyes of the System!** Couldn't we classify this amongst the 'Greater things shall ye do than this'?--*that we, unlike you, manage to be accepted by the System--even recognized and blessed by it?--Even working together with it?* And in this case, wouldn't you permit us to be unequally yoked with the unbelievers? Couldn't you just, in our case, make it a little more equal, so we wouldn't have to suffer the kind of persecution you and your early followers did? Shouldn't we have learned something from your dandy bad example, of what not to do next time? Surely we could learn something from these mistakes of yours! Otherwise, Lord, if your followers throughout all history are going to follow such a nonconformist example as yours, they are going to have nothing but trouble from beginning to end--'cause you know the System just isn't going to stand for it, and Christianity is just going to be absolutely obliterated!

Besides, you should have had more respect for the Temple and their synagogues, because you know buildings are the foundation of every religion, and without them, where would our religion be?...and what would we say we belong to without our denomination? Why, we'd be out in the cold, Lord, with nothing to do but witness, and we'd have no support or backing but yours, Lord!

Haven't you made a mistake Lord? Isn't there some better way you could do this thing?--with a little better class of people, and **a little more acceptable methods, and a less offensive message**--something that wouldn't disturb people so much and upset them so and make them so angry at you?...Most of us want to be of some reputation and to be well-thought of and respected by our communities! Most of us don't care to be a news headline, Lord! --Especially not in this somewhat distasteful fashion. Most people don't care to be considered fanatics and radicals and revolutionaries and drunks and harlots and criminals and publicans and sinners!...but what a Gospel!--That you must drop out of a life of respectability and comfort, and live like animals in a pigpen without rhyme or reason, and acting like babbling mad men, stoned out on mysticism and the supernatural and the miraculous! Don't you know the general public doesn't believe this sort of thing any more?

And whats the matter with a little formal education? Don't you think you and your disciples would have been much more readily recognized by the respectable citizenry, if you had been a little more literate and learned and versed in the ways of the world and what it expects of its children?

Where would your Church be then, Lord, and what could it accomplish then, without its buildings and its wealth and its properties, its learned clergy, its formalities, its ceremonies and its traditions? Who would you expect to follow us then, Lord? Nothing but

the riffraff of society like you had, or Jeremiah had, or St. Francis had, or some of those other unconventional, non-conformists of yours--and this would get us but nowhere with the System and the general public--just as it got them nowhere--but jail and judgement and execution! So I'm sure we must have learned something from all of this, Lord: that we don't care to repeat your mistakes, that **we, in this modern and civilized day, must use new and improved and more civilized methods--more consistent with the scientific age educated men in an affluent society!**

And last, but not least, Lord--this business of reverting thousands of years to such a primitive cooperative society as that of Your disciples, where people share all things and have all things in common and live together and devote their time to nothing but prayer and praise and Bible Study and **cooperative living and witnessing!--This is a thing of the past, and it apparently didn't work well**, because the established churches discontinued its practice! And as You can see, **it's not attractive to most people**--and how many of us want to share our hard-earned cash with others not so blessed--let them get out and earn their own! And why should I let them use my car? They should have to slave for it like I did! And after all, I certainly couldn't be expected to allow them to use my house for a hangout!--**One has to have a little privacy! We must sure have to have a few things to call our own, and some place to lay our heads!** We can't just be drifters, like You and Your disciples, Lord!--And even Your great Apostle, Paul!--Imagine!--having "no certain dwelling place!"--1Cor.4:11b. This is just inconceivable in this modern day! It just isn't done any more, Lord! You know that such a lifestyle is bound to draw criticism and be abhorred by a modern society, which believes that our lives consist of the abundance of the things which we possess--and not some mere vague and uncertain spiritual values!

And now **this latest**, Lord, is the last straw--**these secret doctrines of Yours which are beginning to leak out--these unorthodox Biblical beliefs**--things in the Bible which have always been a little hard to swallow, and **which You certainly wouldn't really expect people to practice today! This is too much, Lord!** People have been expecting it! This is what they said would happen--that we'd become **some kind of false cult or ism, led by false prophets and profligates into some kind of fanaticism and false doctrine which would destroy the little good we did do--and surely destroy our reputation, disgrace our leadership, and scandalized our entire movement!** You surely don't want stories circulating around about us, and the rumors flying with the kind of things they said about You and Your disciples, Lord, and those women that lived with You? Won't this give a very bad impression and destroy the good work we're trying to do? **Do we have to be so completely denounced by the System, in order to keep us separate and uncompromising, and from drifting back into it?** Do they have to reject us entirely, to drive us to You? Must we utterly burn our bridges behind us, so that it's impossible for us to go back?--So we'll be **ashamed to ever face our friends and relatives again?**

Isn't this asking a little too much, Lord, to make us such an off-scouring of society as Paul was, as he said the apostles were--such dregs of humanity, as Your early followers were, Lord?--Such misfits, odd characters, fanatics and peculiar people, Lord? **If we go this far, we'll never be able to go back! The System will never accept us again. It might bring**

division and betrayal by those who are not loyal--like Judas did to You! *It might offend so many weaker brethren, we'd have very few left, and we would be able to persuade very few to follow such extremes of loyalty, dedication, and doctrine!*--Like happened to You after that "blood and flesh sermon"!

Yes, **Gideon** did lose most of his army through such extremism, but **that was a long time ago, Lord, and things are different now!** *You're not supposed to make the tests so hard today, Lord, that You lose most of Your army!* Where would the established Church be if she did that today? There wouldn't be much left!

Even Your Own disciples forsook You over some of Your hard sayings! What do you expect us to do over these extremes of our leaders? **It's just too much, Lord; You'll never get a very big army that way! We'll never be very popular, practicing such extremes as this!** We'll never be generally accepted if we preach and practice everything in the Bible! You surely wouldn't expect that of us! It's just too much! **It must be a mistake! Please don't ask that of us!** *Do we have to be so different?* Aren't You making a mistake, Lord? *Isn't there some other way?"*

Answer from Jesus to Peter and Maria

"I am the way, the truth, and the life; and no man cometh unto the Father, but by Me. ... Straight is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

... Many are called, but few are chosen!

... Not many wise men after the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, are called: But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and the weak things to confound the things which are mighty.

... And many of His disciples, when they had heard this, said, *'This is an hard saying: who can bear it?'* ... **And from that time many of His disciples went back, and walked no more with Him!**

... Then said Jesus unto the twelve, 'Will ye also go away?'"

...and again "All the disciples forsook Him, and fled.

... Let us go forth unto Him without the camp, bearing His reproach.

" For He "made himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a servant.

...He is despised and rejected of men; a Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. He was taken from prison and from judgement ... and He made His grave with the wicked, and with the rich in His death."

... "And ye shall be hated of all nations for My Name's sake ... and then shall the end come.

... Because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you. If they have persecuted Me, they will also persecute you.

... He that receiveth you, receiveth Me, and he that receiveth Me receiveth Him that sent Me. ... The disciple is not above his master, nor the servant above his lord."

God doesn't make mistakes, and even the "foolishness of God is wiser than men; and the weakness of God is stronger than men." There is no other way than God's way: Hear ye Him! "

And He saith unto them, Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men. And they immediately left all and followed Him

... even unto the death of the Cross.

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.

... Beware when all men speak well of you!"

(Jn.14:6; Mat.7:14; 20:16; 1Cor.1:26,27; Jn.6:60,66,67; Mat.26:56; Heb.13:13; Phil.2:7; Isa.53; Mat.24:9,14; Jn.15:19,20; 1Cor.1:25; Mat.4:19; Mk.8:38; Mat.10:40,24).⁽¹⁷⁾

ARE YOU COMPROMISING WITH THE FALSE CHURCH SYSTEM? Are you conforming to the damnable commercial system? Are you conforming to & compromising with the hellish, fiendish, Devil's own, Satanic educational System? God says "*be not conformed to this World!--But be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind!*" (Rom.12:2)--"*For whosoever will be a friend of the World is the enemy of God!*" (Jam.4:4)⁽¹⁸⁾

(So, who do you want to be your leaders? The Bible with Peter and Maria since 2010? or the Bible with the all the Mo Letters including the New Weapons?)

SO "CHOOSE YE THIS DAY WHOM YE WILL SERVE! IF GOD BE GOD, THEN SERVE HIM!"

(Joshua 24:15; 1Kings 18:21) Or if Mammon be your god, the lust of riches that never satisfy, then serve him! Or if Moloch be your god, the pompous pride of man's learning & education that is only foolishness to God, then serve him! **But as for me & my house, we will serve the Lord!** And if you too want to serve Him, you can come with us, work with us, join us, live with us or help us spread His Love & wonderful Words to a waiting World!

WE ARE A MIGHTY ARMY OF CHRISTIAN SOLDIERS FIGHTING A RELENTLESS WAR for the Truth & Love of God, against the confusion of Babylon, the anti-God, anti-Christ Systems of this World!--Whether Godless education, Christless religion, vicious economies or Hellish wars of the traditions, boundaries & prejudices of selfish, greedy & Godless man!

UNLIKE THE CHURCHES, WE ARE NOT MERE MEMBERS, BUT FULLTIME FIGHTERS!--And we have proven that **we can be real disciples & better Christians outside the present corrupt Church System.--That we can still believe & preach & live like Jesus' original disciples & witness & win souls & get the job done like they did, by forsaking all, sharing all, living together, putting God first & spending our full time serving Him & trusting Him to meet all our needs by faith!--**Praise God! Why not try it?--It works!

ARE YOU WITH US? If not, why not get with it & get with us & help us take the World for Jesus! C'mon!--Let's go!--"Into all the World to preach the Gospel to every creature!" (Mark 16:15) ⁽¹⁹⁾

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