

Parker, Indiana
Jan. 5, 1968

Dear Christian Friends,

Greetings in Jesus' Christ our Savior and Lord. The Holy Spirit has been so precious. Two dear followers of Jesus were just with us an hour or two ago. Oh how the Lord did bless our hearts together in fellowship in the Holy Ghost. Amen. Bro. Hill and I were together recently; as we prayed he said so cheerfully and joyously, "I could feel the Lord just as you started to pray, oh how indebt we are to God for all these refreshings and all gifts." We are leaving for Virginia in the morning. I was praying this morning and God revealed that we should leave at 5:00 A.M. I had formerly thought we would leave about 7:00 A.M.

The Lord witnessed last June the 12th that God would be with me in Knoxville, Tenn. on the 3rd of Dec. We had planned to leave on Dec. 2, but 7 days before, the Lord revealed that we should leave on Dec. 1. We had dry roads all the way. The sun was shining when we were within 100 miles of Knoxville. You will remember that it snowed 5-6 inches on Nov. 30, but the highways were clear all the way. Praise the Lord for every leading, without Him we would know nothing.

The Lord gave a safe trip to Ponca City, Okla. and back. God revealed some 3 to 4 months before Oct. 18 that the Holy Spirit would lead us that time from Oct. 18-28. When we arrived the pastor said, "We couldn't understand why it had been so long before I could let them know when I could come." They had waited many months. "Now," he said, "I know, I can see this is perfect timing. This is my 8th year here in Ponca City." They entertained us so well. The motel was so comfortable and their hospitality was excellent. I am going to share with you in this letter, some of the things God did in this meeting.

The Lord helped in each service. Not very many obeyed on their own, which limited the meeting and results. A number were at the altar to be saved or sanctified or reclaimed or healed. Rev. Richey, the Pastor, just told me on the phone, "This revival was the greatest revival I've ever been in and a number of the people here have said the same thing." I would add, to Jesus' glory and honor. Praise the Lord.

One night after the service at Ponca City, a Mrs. Brown shook hands with me. I noticed her weeping. She was converted the next day. Then she brought her husband to Jesus that evening and he was brightly saved. Rev. Richey told me on the phone just now that this new convert is tithing and getting extra work beside his regular job and giving one-half of that extra income to missions.

The next evening, Mrs. Brown, who had been sitting on the back pew, was sitting on the front pew. She said she felt that she could take my place that hour. This change, Beloved, was a miracle because she is as timid a person as you probably ever met. She wanted me to pray for two of her children. The Lord witnessed that I could pray for them the next Thursday evening. When the time came for prayer, the five of the Brown family were kneeling; also a sister of Mrs. Brown. When I was through praying for the children the Lord led me to pray for the sister also. I learned later she wanted to ask me but was too timid, so God told me. Praise the Lord. Another family was waiting for me so I started to go from the altar to them. God stopped me. The Holy Spirit led me to pray for Mr. Brown. He was a very healthy looking man. So I asked the Lord how I was to pray, for the organs of the body or the blood. God revealed the blood. So I prayed aloud for this need. Of course they knew I didn't know any thing about Bro. Brown. The next day they called the Pastor's family at the parsonage and told them how thrilled they were and thankful to God for this prayer. When Mr. Brown was in the war overseas he had contracted malaria and had had some recurrences of it. To me, this was wonderful and I was excited about the leading and guidance of the Lord Jesus.

We prayed also for Mrs. Brown who had been in an accident and she could not raise her arm very high. God healed her and she could raise her arm to comb her hair. They were all thankful to God as we all were. Praise the Lord.

One Sat. evening the Holy Spirit came upon us and revealed God would heal thru the heart area. Bro. Jack Cuttler had been troubled in this area for 3 weeks. He had not told his wife for he did not want her to worry. He told how the Lord worked thru his chest and out thru his shoulder and arm and the trouble was gone. Now he could breathe deep and clear without hurt and pressure. Praise the Lord. Another person had been hurting thru the chest that day and the pain and suffering was taken by the Christ of God. How we thank Him for every work.

God revealed He would heal someone from the foot to the knee. Mrs. Davis arose in a while and said, "You prayed for me. I've had these skin cancers on my leg below the knee. Do you remember how you prayed 'release it from the bone?'" She told Mrs. Helm and me that since surgery 18 months before it had felt that the cancer was bound to the bone like a band around the leg. Jesus released that band. The skin cancers dried up and the place where the surgery had been performed was indented and dark in color. After prayer it was becoming normal flesh and growing to the surface. This was noticed in a short time, to Jesus' glory.

Thanks to all of you of Revival For Our Day, Inc. and helpers for everything you have done for me and my family. We trust you had a sacred Christmas. We appreciate what you did for us at this Christmas time. I know you will experience a victorious year as you obey and humble yourselves before the true and living God. Thanks for your prayers, fellowship, and help.

Sincerely,

Loran W. Helm

The following letter was written to Rev. Loran W. Helm by Rev. Oral W. Clemens, who is the pastor of the Church of God in Huntington, Ind. where Bro. Helm was in revival Feb. 22-28, 1968.

February 28, 1968

Dear Brother and Sister Helm:

Praise God for the great joy and blessing that you dear people have brought to my own heart, and to the hearts of so many in our congregation. I want to write down some of the things that made it possible for you to come to us for this Holy Spirit filled revival which will close with the service tonight, but which we trust will still be in effect when Jesus comes.

I had never heard of you, and I am sure that you had never heard of me, before I met you on Thursday evening, November 2, 1967. Reverend Robert Morgan was in revival with Reverend George Steininger and his congregation at the Forest Park Church of God in Fort Wayne. You told us how that the Holy Spirit burdened your heart to attend that particular service that night. That particular service was the only one I gottto attend during the series. So now we can see how wonderfully God's blessed Holy Spirit works so sweetly to accomplish His precious will and purpose.

It was at the close of that particular service that I felt constrained to tell you that if the Holy Spirit ever laid it upon your heart to come to my church for a revival, to be sure to do so. I was so impressed with the way the Holy Spirit revealed to your heart certain needs there that night, and how He worked in filling those needs right there before our very eyes.

The minister I had scheduled to come to us for a revival this spring had moved to Portland, Oregon since scheduling him, so we had agreed it would be best not to have him. I had worked on having a missions type of services to take the place of our spring revival, but that had not worked out either. Then, your call came rather late one evening. You told me that the Lord said He would be with you in a revival in my church on February 22-28. I always had started our revivals on a Sunday morning and I considered this quite important for certain "good" reasons. I had even delayed scheduling Brother Robert Morgan for a revival because he always starts his meetings on Monday evening. But I finally decided to have him anyway and see what would happen.

So it was a radical change in my pre-conceived notions that our best chances for successful revival would necessitate starting on Sunday morning, when you told me that the Holy Spirit would have you begin a revival in my church on a Thursday evening. But I had seen enough in that service at Forest Park to believe that this was to be an unusual revival and I so told my Council and the entire church in my announcements.

Brother and Sister Helm, our experiences in this revival have proven most glorious that God does not limit His work among His people to certain seasons nor to certain methods, but that wherever and whenever we humble ourselves and seek the face of our God, He bears from heaven and sends revival among us. He has done it again, and I praise Him for it all.

Now after having you with us for these eight services, I can truly say that I have found you, Brother Helm, sensitive to the voice of the Holy Spirit. Also a dynamic preacher of the Gospel of Christ, a lover of souls with a heart full of tender compassion, one who co-operates to the fullest measure with the pastor. I have found you, Sister Helm, to be one who sings and plays the piano for the glory of God. We have appreciated both of you so much.

I must mention a word about the service last Sunday morning. It was the greatest service I ever remember having anywhere I have pastored. The Holy Spirit touched my wife with a great burden for the church and later in the service the same burden was put into my heart. The church responded and the altar was lined and the front pews filled with weeping members of my congregation.

The Monday evening service was very outstanding too. After a great sermon and during the altar invitation, revelations by the Holy Spirit to your heart, Brother Helm, pointed out quite a number of needs for healing. Many came forward for prayer but some were healed where they stood and sat. The benediction was given at 10:30 P.M. and no one had left.

Well, this will be a brief moment on some of the high-lights of our revival. I can recommend you to any of my minister friends and their congregations. And may the Holy Spirit send you back to us in His good time and with His rich blessings. You'll always be in my heart.

With my love, your brother in Christ

Oral W. Clemens

Urbana, Ohio
March 13, 1968

Dear Ones in God our Heavenly Father,

Praise the Lord for victory today and all God is doing here in Urbana for Jesus' glory!

Last Nov. 2nd the Lord revealed to me that it was important for me to go to Rev. Robert Morgan's meeting in Ft. Wayne, Ind. I called Bro. Dick Moore to ask if he could go along; and he said he could. We arrived, the Lord protecting and helping us and were sitting on the front seat at 7:25. Bro. & Sister Morgan were surprised and pleased for us to be there. We were thankful to Jesus also.

After the host pastor introduced Bro. Morgan to bring the message, Bro. Morgan said, "There is a servant of God here to-night and I would like for him to come and tell us anything that is on his heart." I shared a few things in Jesus and turned to my left to go to my pew. Just as I turned, God spoke to me and revealed that there were some present that were in great pain thru the heart area and also thru the head.

At the close of the good message by Bro. Morgan and the altar call, I was invited to come and pray for a lady who had a bodily need. As soon as I could, I spoke to Bro. Morgan about the revelation God had given me. He gained the pastor's attention and told him that I had a word to say. We then called to God in Jesus' Name and asked Him to heal these who had needs as revealed. The pastor then dismissed the service. Immediately the organist came up and said, "You just prayed for me. I was hurting as much as when I was taken to the hospital in an ambulance some time ago. You prayed for me!" I clapped my hands loudly to get the peoples' attention. I told them that here is the one that Jesus just healed. She told them about how God had worked. The people looked somewhat surprised. Then down the middle aisle came a lady saying, "I should have come up to tell you that you prayed for me. I was suffering thru the head." Then a lady spoke up 4 or 5 pews back and said, "You prayed for me also for I was hurting." Then a lady about the middle of the Sanctuary spoke up and told us all that she also was healed. So we had a time of rejoicing and praising the Lord for leading us, revealing and healing these dear ones whom I had never seen or known before. Praise the Lord.

Rev. Morgan said that of all the meeting there in Ft. Wayne, that was the very night I was to be there. It was perfect timing and connection. This was the only night that Rev. Clemens from the Huntington Church of God was able to be present. Rev. Clemens said to me, "If God were ever to lead you to our church, let me know." I said "It may be hard but God will help me when He directs us to come." Rev. Clemens is pastor of a church with about 200 in attendance on Sunday morning. For some years he has scheduled evangelists for 1 to 3 years in advance. So you see this was very unusual for him to invite me like this for he had never heard me preach yet.

May I change the subject a bit to mention what just came to my mind as I was just writing this. What if the sister who played the organ had not come up immediately and told that God had healed her? Look what we would have missed! The congregation at Ft. Wayne that night would have gone home with questions in their minds as to whether this was really real. Also we wouldn't have known of the others. But of great importance, Rev. Clemens would never have been able to invite me to come to his church at God's time. Look what could have been missed so easily if sister had not told us immediately what God had done for her?

Some weeks after this service at Ft. Wayne, God revealed that He would be with me at the lovely Church of God in Huntington with Rev. Clemens. So I called him to tell him of my leading. He looked at the date of Feb. 22 and saw that it was a Thursday. He had always thought for the 34 years of his ministry that a revival should start on a Sunday morning in order to have a successful meeting. Here it was that God had told me to begin on Thurs. and close on Wed. the 28th. Bro. Clemens told the church council that he believed this would be an unusual meeting.

During the revival Rev. Clemens told the congregation what he had told the Council and then he said, "I didn't know then how unusual it would really be." The basketball sectional tourney was on the 22nd - 24th; also Tony Fountain was in a service in the city. I can not tell you how precious the meeting was and all God did for those who heard and obeyed. It would take a long time in writing to relate each victory and healing. I thank the Lord Jesus for everything He has done for all of us in every place thru the years. Rev. Clemens has invited us to return when God leads. The last evening (Feb. 28), Mrs. Clemens said, "Brother Helm you will come back, won't you? In fact she wanted us to stay on a few days longer if God would permit us to do so. I am enclosing a copy of a letter which Rev. Clemens gave me for which I am thankful to God.

Please pray for my trip to Oregon by plane. The Lord willing we will go Fri. March 22nd and begin a meeting with Rev. William McPhail on March 24th. I need your prayers so much. God has revealed that the next Revival For Our Day Fellowship meeting will be May 25th at the Big Lake Church of God, located 7 miles north of Columbia City, Ind. on state road 109.

Our heart-felt thanks to each of you who are praying for us and supporting this work thru Revival For Our Day.

In Jesus' Name

Loran W. Helm

The following account is part of the story of the revival at the Church of the Nazarene, Clatskanie, Oregon, written by Rev. William H. McPhail, Pastor.

In August of 1966 we moved to Clatskanie, Oregon to become the first pastor of the Clatskanie Church of the Nazarene, which was yet to be organized. A few days before we moved we asked Rev. Loran Helm how long it would be before the Lord would allow him to come to Oregon to hold a meeting for us. The Lord subsequently revealed to him that it would be over one year. So, after a year had passed we called Rev. Helm and asked him when the Lord would allow him to be with us. The Lord then revealed that he could be with us in March 1968. We found out later that the Lord directed that he was to be here March 24-31.

We then endeavored to prepare our people the best we knew how, the Lord being our helper, for the revival we believed God wanted to begin in Clatskanie.

Rev. Helm and another brother in the Lord, Mr. Kenneth Wagner, arrived at Portland International Airport on Friday, March 22nd, after a flight in which God miraculously spared their lives. How thankful we are that God revealed these things in advance to Rev. Helm and for the prayer of deliverance which was answered. Satan was certainly battling in an attempt to keep God's servant from being with us for these most important meetings.

On Sat. evening, March 23rd, our adult class had a dinner at St. Helens, Oregon, at which Bro. Helm and Bro. Wagner were guests. God graciously came upon the scene and it seemed as though God gave us a "teaspoon" experience of the Upper Room. How grateful we are for His presence. Every heart was moved as the Holy Spirit spoke through Bro. Helm and we knew before the evening was over that the revival had begun!

On Sunday morning, March 24th, the Lord directed Bro. Helm to preach on "Thy Kingdom Come". The sermon was used mightily of God and a young woman who is about 21 years of age responded to the invitation. While in prayer God revealed to Bro. Helm that she was of the "intercessory body" in prayer. When one of the good women of our church who was standing nearby heard Bro. Helm say that, you could see great doubt written on her face. She later said, "I thought he was talking about the wrong person." In my own heart the devil said, "Rev. Helm must be wrong about this woman." I said, "Get behind me Satan," for although this young woman had only been to our church a few times over a period of months, I knew in my heart that the Lord was not mistaken in what had been revealed to Bro. Helm.

After praying with the young woman she arose and her face was aglow with the glory of Christ. It was wonderful to see the mighty transformation which had taken place. To Jesus' glory, within the next few days, everything that the Lord had revealed to Rev. Helm was confirmed in conversation with that young woman. On Sunday evening she came back to the service and brought her husband, who had never known the Lord. As he left the service he shook hands with Bro. Helm and said, "The Lord bless you," for he was so happy for what God had done for his wife who was radiant with the peace that she had found in Christ.

In the Sunday evening service Bro. Helm preached on the subject, "Oh That There were Such A Heart". At the close of the message no one responded to the invitation. However, the Lord revealed to me during the message that there were some things in my own heart that were not all for Jesus; and Bro. Helm had said, "Either we're all for Jesus or we're not for Him at all." I told my people that the desire of my heart was that I would be all for Christ and that the Holy Spirit had disciplined me during the message so that in spite of what people might think I was going to bow at the altar and ask God to cleanse by the Holy Spirit anything that was displeasing to Him. After a season of prayer I was aware that others had come while I was pouring out my heart to the Lord and I was thrilled to see that the altar and front pews were filled with people praying and weeping before God. Oh, how wonderful was the victory of that service, we praise the Lord for it. (How important it is to obey God. If we wouldn't let pride stand in the way, think what would happen in the church today!)

On Tuesday the Lord revealed to Bro. Helm that we should go to the home of the young woman who was saved on Sunday morning. When we arrived we discovered that her husband's work schedule had been changed and he was home also. After sharing in the things of the Lord for a while, Bro. Helm was able to lead this young husband to the Lord and he was wonderfully converted. The testimonies of this couple since the revival have been precious. They are really growing in the Lord. God is already using them in our church.

After the altar service on Wed. night the Lord revealed to Bro. Helm that there were three persons that were to be healed. After a short prayer our song leader stood and said that he was one of the three. He had had a serious fall that had injured his back two weeks before. Now the pain was gone and he could sit without it hurting him. The next night a man testified that he had been healed the night before but he had been so stunned by the experience that he had failed to witness to the healing. Then a lady told how she had been healed in that prayer also.

Never before since I have been in the ministry has a church where I pastored seen such a revival. Every family who is part of the church has moved up spiritually. A wonderful spirit of love is present in the church. A first-time visitor to the church since the revival said, "You can see it on the people's faces, its wonderful."

On Sunday, April 7, the first Sun. after the meeting closed there were victories. The revival has just begun. To any and all who read this account I want to say thanks to the Lord for the ministry of Bro. Helm. I recommend him unreservedly to any and all who sincerely want to obey God and are looking for God's man.

William H. McPhail

Kokomo, Indiana
April 26, 1968

Dear Ones in Jesus Christ,

We are writing to you this month from Kokomo where we are in a meeting at the Free Methodist Church. God thru the Holy Spirit is working and souls are being helped. Praise the Lord.

Many things in the Lord have taken place since the last time I wrote to you. I hardly know where to begin to tell you what God has done. Praise the Lord for all victories, guidance, and help from God our Father and our Lord Jesus Christ. Remember Jesus is the only hope for this age, as confused and lost as it is. Everyone needs to be loved in Jesus; it is the only answer. The wages of sin is death, but to follow and truly obey Jesus is life and peace and joy in the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Mrs. Helm and I were at Urbana, Ohio, Church of God with Rev. & Mrs. Earl McCall. The Lord was so precious. The Pastor would be the first to tell you that he experienced a revival. Oh! how grateful he and his dear wife were for the work of the Holy Spirit. How can we praise the Lord enough for all victories? When the series of services ended the revival continued. The same has been true in most churches where we have been for the last few months- the Lord Jesus leading and helping us and God doing it altogether.

At Urbana, souls were saved and sanctified and bodies were healed through Jesus the Christ. Praise the Lord. There were a number of things made right and confessions made one to another. This always pleases God when people humble themselves before Him and one another and take care of conditions that hinder revival. We were thankful to all our friends in Jesus who drove a distance to be with us and help share the burden for this awakening.

Near the end of this meeting, the Lord revealed that Bro. Kenneth Wagner of the Urbana Church of God was to go to Oregon with me on March 22nd. When he told his foreman in Springfield, Ohio, that God wanted him to go to this meeting, he told Bro. Wagner he would not have a job when he returned April 1st. God had said that every thing would work out alright. The next day one of the men Bro. Wagner works with went to the Supt. and told him that he did not see any reason for Bro. Wagner's loosing his job for going on this trip. The Supt. assured Bro. Wagner that he would have a job when he returned. "Praise the Lord!" I said when I heard this.

Bro. Artley Cullum and Bro. Tom Harman came to our home in Parker to meet Bro. Wagner and me and took us to Mentone, Ind. on March 21st and on to Chicago the next day to catch a plane for Oregon. God had told me days before that I could not leave from Dayton, Vandalia, nor Indianapolis; but I was to leave from Chicago. We spent the night of March 21st at the Cullums. They were so gracious and hospitable to us, as they always have been. In the night between 2 & 3 A.M., the Lord revealed to me in prayer that we were going to have trouble on this flight from Chicago to Portland, Oregon. However weeks before, God revealed that I was to go by plane rather than car or train. As you may know I have never been on a plane in my life.

The next morning (3/22) before 7:00 A.M. Bro. & Sister Cullum, Bro. Wagner, and I left for Chicago. When we sat down in the plane that was to leave at 10:00 A.M., the Lord spoke to me with great power in my heart and showed me that something was terribly wrong with the plane. When I told Bro. Wagner this he said, "I get the witness of what you say in my heart." In 20 minutes we were going down the runway at 120 miles per hour. At 8 seconds before we would have been airborne, the right rear engine made a loud boom boom. The pilot threw everything in reverse and applied the brakes. We were saved just before we would have crashed. Praise the Lord! In two hours we were in another plane. Bro. Wagner said, "The clouds will clear off in a while and we will have a nice flight." I replied, "Oh, Brother, there is something wrong with this plane also." He could tell in his heart as we shared that it was true. We really prayed and plead the blood of Jesus. When we tried to land at Portland, the landing gear would not go down and stay. We saw 4 or 5 fire trucks and an ambulance near the runway. We went up again and flew several miles. Finally, the Lord helped and the landing gear went down and stayed and the green light came on. The man next to me said that he makes the trip every other week and had never had that much trouble before. I told him we need Jesus more than anything; and he responded, "You are right." I went to the pilot's compartment and praised the Lord for getting us down safely. The pilot had said over the intercom, "we have had it today."

The Lord gave a precious revival at Clatskanie, Ore. The Pastor has written an account of the meeting, part of which we are enclosing with this letter. Pray much for us. Our need is so great and only a few have the burden. Thank you for every prayer, help and gift. Also I want to thank Rev. & Mrs. Emory Reece, Rev. Paul Hill, and Mrs. John Langdon for all they are doing for us thru Revival For Our Day, Inc. Remember- the next R.F.O.D. Fellowship meeting is May 25 at 11:00 CDT at Big Lake Church of God, 9 miles north of Columbia City, Ind. on s.r. 109.

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In Jesus' Name,

SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

May 13-17, Parr Memorial
Methodist, Kokomo, Ind.

May 21-26, Big Lake Church
of God, 7 miles north of
Columbia City, Ind. on 109

June 5-13, West End Bible Taber. Newport,
Tenn., Rev. Earl Campbell Loran W. Helm

P.S. Please continue to pray for our physical deliverance.

Parker, Ind.
July 19, 1968

Dear Beloved in Christ Jesus,

The Lord Jesus has been so precious and wonderful to us, since we last communicated. At that time we were at the Free Methodist Church in Kokomo, Ind. The Holy Spirit worked from the first evening service in that revival. The Sunday School Supt. said to me at the close of the first service that it seemed to him as if it were the last service of revival instead of the first. Praise the Lord for helping thru the sacred work of the Holy Spirit of God. To God is all glory and praise for everything that is accomplished in every service. We all should remember this and review it a number of times each day.

The Lord revealed to me on April 8th that 30 should be sanctified in these services at Kokomo. It was wonderful the number that God called. Some pursued to receive the precious experience. A few persons were healed by God thru Jesus Christ. The dear pastor wrote me some time ago and said that the revival was still on and his people wanted to do something for God and His Kingdom. They want us to return as soon as the Lord directs next spring. I am not sure when He will lead us back, but I appreciate this privilege of returning at God's time.

It was a joy to be with Rev. & Mrs. Boggs and family and their people at Parr Memorial Methodist in Kokomo. They are precious to us also. Thanks to the Lord for their fellowship and help in Jesus.

The meeting at Big Lake Church of God with Rev. & Mrs. J. Phillip Blake and family was a fruitful and blessed time in Jesus our wonderful Savior. You would have had to be in the services to really know how the Lord did work- especially May 27, 28, & 29. These services were in the realm of the sacred. Some dear ones were sanctified, and a few were saved. Among those saved was a dear brother whose parents and Christian friends had been praying for him for many years that he would be saved and know Jesus. God had revealed to me by His Holy Spirit in March 1966 in Willshire, Ohio, some very precious guidance about this brother's being convicted and drawn by God. This revelation was later confirmed as to each time, by a letter or remark that he made which indicated God's dealing with him for Jesus' and his soul's sake.

In early May, this dear man had returned to his parents' home from the east. In a few days he came to the meetings at Kokomo (mentioned above). We spent a few hours with him and his Christian brother-in-law, talking about our experiences with Christ. He told me the first night we were together that perhaps he might return to hear more so he could write about our life's pilgrimage. However, he had not been converted yet and the last 12 or so years he had been taught a lot of earthly philosophy which had taken him a long way away from faith in God and Christ Jesus. He said after his conversion, "I have so much to unlearn." I recall also that first night that he said "I had a lot of fun with you as you preached to-night, and yet he did not believe in Jesus and the inspired Word. The devil had robbed him of that faith in those last 12 years. As I shared with him of Jesus and hell in the 16th Chapter of Luke, he would get up to his feet and say, "What you say makes me inwardly angry, but I love you as a person as you talk to me." The reason for this was that he did not believe in an actual devil or hell at that time. He did tell a friend of mine that, he did come back, "to get our wine in his bottle." What we had is Jesus, the Holy Spirit, which he was seeking to find for himself.

God used a few other dear ones to bring him to Christ as the Holy Spirit drew him. He met the precious Savior the night of May 24th at the Big Lake revival. He became a child of the King. The next day at Big Lake was the regular meeting of R.F.O.D. Fellowship. He told me that he had wanted to pray alone before this meeting began. So he went down stairs in search of a room where he might pray. He went into a room and closed the door behind him. As he did so he noticed a sign on the door, "Beginners". He exclaimed, "I'm in the right place!"

Praise the Lord for all God has done for each of us, His unworthy and needy children. Please continue to pray for our healing and deliverance. May I say I am so thankful to Jesus for all your prayers and help you have given us.

In Jesus' Name

Loran W. Helm

P.S. ~~Be sure to read carefully~~ the letter from R.F.O.D. by Bro. Reece.

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Huntsville, Ala.
September 6, 1968

Dear Believers in Jesus Christ,

Greetings in the Kingdom of God thru the blood of Jesus our Lord and Savior. The Lord is working wondrously here in Ala. at the Parkway Church of God. Praise the Lord for the miracles God gave at the First Church Of God near Murrys ville, Pa. That meeting closed last Fri. evening, Aug. 30th. It would be a precious story if it could be written what God hath done for the glory of His Son Jesus the Christ.

The "Waiting Before God" at The Holiday Inn, Anderson, Ind. is at hand!! The dates are Oct. 28, 29, 30. The Inn is located at the junction of Ind. 109 and I-69. We must have your reservations immediately. Please send meal reservations to Rev. Reece, by Oct. 18th. We must notify the Inn a number of days in advance concerning those who will eat together at the Inn. By the way, they are not charging us for the use of the room for meetings if we eat there also. I believe in my heart that we need to eat together as well as worship together in order to maintain this close fellowship in the Holy Spirit. This has been a burden on my heart for 10 months- not just the last 4 or 5 weeks.

If there are enough of you who want to co-operate and help us, we may be able to have another "Waiting" some time in the future. It is according to the leading of the Holy Spirit and your co-operation that will largely control these plans in the days ahead.

I need the Holy Spirit so very much for guidance and strength. These three days (Oct. 28, 29, 30) will be equivalent in demand upon my strength to many weeks of revivals for an evangelist. I have the revelation that this "Waiting Before God" will require the strength of 8 weeks of meetings.

These services are called in Jesus' holy Name for those persons that love God in Christ with all their heart, soul, mind, and body; and believe in the New Birth and Sanctification, subsequent to regeneration. This is the Doctrine of Holiness as taught by Mr. John Wesley and Mr. D.S. Warner. We should be of one mind on this great doctrine, in order to wait and be in unity and understanding. When all is unity, I am at rest and blessing; when there is some other doctrine or idea present, I am in a strain and it requires much more physical power and strength. We desire all of like mind to wait with us. I believe it will be precious in Christ Jesus.

Please stand with us by much prayer.

In Jesus' Service

Loran W. Helm

Dear Friends,

We will attach our message to Brother Helm's this time. We are grateful to you who are supporting Revival For Our Day with your prayers and gifts. We believe there are 84 persons whom God wants to embrace the burden for the financial support of this venture of faith. We believe that only 11 now have the burden God wants them to have. Some time ago we said that if everyone who receives this letter would send \$2.00 per month our budget would be met. This is still true. However, only about 40 persons are sending anything at all. Please do not be offended at this statement. We began Revival For Our Day by faith and we will continue as long as God leads us and puts this work on the heart of you friends.

Please follow these steps to make preparations for "Waiting Before God" Oct. 28, 29, & 30 at The Holiday Inn, 5920 S. Scatterfield Rd., Anderson, Ind. (Jct. 109 & I-69)

1. Send room reservations to the Inn as soon as possible. Room costs are:
1 person in room with one double bed..... \$10.00 per night.
2 persons in room with one double bed..... 13.00 per night for both persons.
1 person in room with two double beds..... 10.00 per night.
2 persons in room with two double beds..... 15.00 per night for both persons.
If there are more than 2 persons in either room the cost is \$2.00 for each extra person.
2. Send meal reservations to Rev. Emory Reece, R.R. # 1, Farmland, Ind. These must be in by Oct. 18th. Meals are as follows: Mon. lunch & dinner, Tues. breakfast, lunch & dinner, Wed. breakfast, lunch & dinner. All meals will be served buffet style. The total cost will be \$21.70 per person for all meals. If you cannot eat all meals in the group, tell us which meals you want to make reservation for. Breakfast is \$2.00, lunch-\$2.95, dinner-\$2.95. No meals can be served without reservation. You need not send money with reservations.
3. The daily schedule of meetings is as follows:
Monday: Registration 8:00 - 9:30 A.M. Worship 10:00, 2:30, 7:30
Tues./Wed. Worship- 7:00, 10:00, 2:30, 7:30. Meals are 8:30, 12:30 & 5:30

Yours in Christ,

Emory Reece

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Dear Ones in Christ Jesus,

The Lord was so precious in the services at the "Waiting Before God" at Anderson, Ind. in The Holiday Inn, Oct. 28 - 30. It is not possible to express how the Lord was present in a quiet, sweet, gentle, dear and loving way.

This tells a little but not all that should be told. The Lord dealt with 86 persons that He wanted them to come. But they did not persevere to come. If they had come and been obedient and true always, it would have resulted in 40,000 being saved in eternity. Over 90% of those who did attend all 11 services could say it was about the best 3 days of their lives. It is all because of the sacred work of the Holy Spirit. Seventy-seven were healed thru Jesus our Lord; this is the number the Holy Spirit witnesses in my heart.

When we arrived home Oct. 31st our daughter, Martha, said, "Oh! Daddy, how soon can we have another meeting like this? These 3 days were the most wonderful 3 days of my life!" She told the persons where she works about this, when they asked her how she enjoyed the meeting.

When the 11 persons from Rev. Alexander's church in Huntsville, Ala. returned, the Lord led them to share on Nov. 3rd in the morning service what God did at Anderson. The result was that service lasted until noon. That night the service lasted 2½ hours. Eleven were at the Altar and the pastor did not preach either time. By the way, I talked to Rev. & Mrs. Alexander a few days ago and the Lord has so worked that he has preached only once in three weeks. It is marveleous what God did for these people. Some of the Huntsville people who were not able to come to Anderson, said they wanted to know when and where the next waiting would take place.

Mr. Spivey from Rev. Everett Hogue's church at Hartselle, Ala. began to share on Nov. 3rd in the morning service what he had experienced. The Lord took over and 7 were at the Altar. The Sunday School supt. and his wife were saved in that service. Rev. Hogue did not preach.

Rev. Howard Field of Knoxville, Tenn. began to share that in all of his life he had never experienced such love flowing thru a group of believers and how God was present. He said that he thought it was as near heaven as we would ever be until we get there. God took over that service on Nov. 3rd and he did not preach and the service was comparable to what God did at Anderson. Praise the Lord.

We are thankful at this Thanksgiving time for all God's gifts and blessings.

Mrs. Helm and I send our best wishes for a precious, joyous Christmas to each of you. Since there are over 800 on our list of Friends, we can't send Christmas cards to all of you. So let this letter be our Christmas greeting to you also. May the Prince of Peace abide in your heart now and always. Please pray for us as our need is much.

Palm Beach Garden, Fla. - Church of God- Jan. 3 - 10

Revival For Our Day Fellowship- Selma, Ind. E.U.B. Church- Jan. 18-11 AM

Aloa, Ore. (near Portland)- Church of God- Rev. Henry Wilson- Jan. 27-2/5

Clatskanie, Ore.- Church of Nazarene- Rev. Wm. McPhail- Feb. 8-25

In Jesus' Name,

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