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We are rejoicing and praising the Lord for the wonderful meeting last Saturday at Selma. It was precious, indeed. The children also enjoyed the service and did not get tired. Even though it lasted six hours, it seemed but two or three hours. God healed bodies, lifted burdens and blessed about everyone present.

The meeting in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., was a dear and sacred series of services. A few were sanctified by the Holy Spirit of God and a few were healed. We were so thankful for Rev. Brooks Linn and his people for they were so appreciative and helpful.

Our meeting with Rev. Brewer at Rose Hill Church of God in Ohio, was a very blessed time together. Souls were helped, guided, and some were sanctified. Bodies were healed through the Lord Jesus, our Savior by the work of the Holy Spirit.

God witnessed December 5th that Rev. Brewer and I could fish in the ocean on the 7th of January. Rev. Linn asked me when we arrived there on the 3rd of January if I could be at a prayer meeting at a home on the 7th. I said that I could. Bro. Brewer was with us also. I thought I would speak twenty minutes but presented my witness for almost fifty minutes. The Lord witnessed to my heart that some one there had a trial with a father and two had situations with a step-father and father-in-law, I believe it was. God's Spirit went through the body of one of them as I prayed for their burdens. I had never seen these persons before. They said that they had never had such an experience, to Jesus glory. God gave us a wonderful time that morning until 11:15 A.M.

Rev. Brewer and I went out in the sea that afternoon. We had prayed that the Lord would let us go out on the 4th or the 6th, but the Lord witnessed, "not until the 7th." If you had been with us on those days, you would have known why. The water was too rough with very high waves. God had revealed this thirty days in advance. We are in debt to Jesus for all things. Rev. Brewer had never fished in the ocean before. We caught six fish. The Lord really blessed us out on the water. We had a praise meeting on the boat. Praise the Lord!!

Pray much for our needs as we are going in six or seven hours by train to Oregon. God has sent in money for the Yoders fare and about half for the Harmons. We are trusting for victories in Jesus and revival in the Church of the Living God. Pray for my healing as I need it so very much. I trust for wisdom, knowledge and anointing from God in Jesus. "Revive thy work amidst the years". - Amen.

In Jesus Name, L.W. Helm

P.S. The folk will leave Oregon Feb. 27th. Clearwater, Fla. Mar. 8-16 is the next meeting, then April 4-11 at the Parker Friends. After time in prayer, the Lord revealed the next fellowship meeting should be on April 12th (place announced later).

As the Lord lays it on your heart, please send your offerings. We need your financial help and prayers if the work of R.F.O.D. is to continue as God has directed. Thank you!

ALL GIFTS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE

Parker, Indiana
March 5, 1969

Dear Ones in Jesus Our Savior,

Praise the Lord for God's care, blessing, protection, provision, and guidance. Jesus is Lord of our lives. Oh, how sweet it is to walk and talk with the King.

The Lord led us in a wonderful way going to Oregon. The fellowship was so precious with the Yoders and Harmans. However, the first night we were 50 to 60 minutes late getting to the service. Our train was due at 7:00 in the morning and we arrived at 8:00 that night. The pastor's wife said that if we could have heard the testimonies and all that had taken place before we came in to the meeting and how God led us, it all fit together with what we said and the scripture we gave. Praise the Lord!

God revealed that He would heal someone in the joints. Mrs Trapp had had trouble with her elbow. After prayer, the enlarged arthritic joint began to go down and in one to two weeks it was almost all gone and normal again. He healed her foot and knee in a later service. The Holy Spirit revealed to me that God would heal some one in the arch of the foot and also in the knee. Mrs. Trapp had a hard time getting up and down the steps for some time. Her foot was in pain when she walked, and Jesus healed it. Also, God healed another difficulty in the limb. We were praising the Lord for everything.

Portland had as much snow as they had had for a number of years. There were 30 some inches of snow at Eugene and in another direction from the church, there was over three feet of snow. However, near the church, there were only nine inches. This was enough to get the children out of school two or three days and for the workers to rest up for revival services. The roads were never bad where we were, by God's grace and guidance. Clatskanie had sixteen inches of snow while we were with Rev. Wilson in revival the last week. Jesus had revealed a year ago to me the date to begin the meeting at Clatskanie with Rev. McPhail. By the time we started at Clatskanie, the snow had melted off the roads and we had no more snow all the time we were in the twenty-one services. Each time they would forecast snow God sent it south or north of us. In fact this happened five times. God gave us 11 or 12 days without rain and most of these days it was clear. Rev. McPhail and the folk said that this was the best clear weather in that part since last August. So the people had no excuse to stay away because of bad weather.

These meetings were very important in Oregon. If every one would have obeyed God, there would have been a great number saved and the church revived more than they were. One night while Mrs Helm was singing a special song, Jesus spoke to me and revealed that some one could have their name written down in Heaven as soon as they could come for prayer. Three came and it was precious.

Mr. Roger Yoder was a great blessing to souls and a real help in the services. I was asked to leave him in the west and not bring him back, for they loved him so much. Brother and Sister Yoder were with Mrs. Helm and me for 35 days. They have told people that it was the best 35 days of their entire lives, because of the working and presence of the Holy Spirit. We were thankful for all help and victories for Jesus and souls.

We had a great time in the Lord; so precious and wonderful was the working of the Holy Spirit out to Oregon and back. Pray for us now as we leave tomorrow morning for Clearwater, Florida.

In Jesus Name,
Loran W. Helm

"Waiting before Ged" May 24 and 25 at the Holiday Inn, Anderson, Indiana. We will begin at 7:00 A.M. on the 24th and close with the evening service on the 25th. We will eat at 10:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M. The remainder of the time we will be "waiting". The total meal cost is \$12.90. Please note: Mr. Peacock, Manager of the Inn has reserved 60 rooms for our group. Only 28 reservations are in. There are 20 double rooms and 12 single rooms left. The double rooms will accomodate 4 persons (2 beds), the single rooms will accomodate 2 persons (1 bed).

It is imperative that you make your reservations immediately. We cannot ask Mr. Peacock to hold these rooms much longer. All other motels are filled for May 24, 25 because of the 500 mile race in Indianapolis.

E.R.

Ashland, Kentucky
April 26, 1969

Dearly Beloved in Jesus,

Twenty-seven years ago today, the Lord spoke to me on Highway 71 out of Knoxville, Tennessee, and said, "This is the place." It was so wonderful how the Lord revealed and led us in such a precious way that I cannot praise God enough. He has done so much for us. Praise the Lord! I knew no one in that country or the church that God led us to that day. The fellowship is still going that began April 26, 1942.

God has given healing and victory here in Kentucky these last three services..

We were in Toledo, Ohio, last week and the pastor said that God gave 100 victories and his wife spoke up and said, "God has performed a 1000 with me!" It was so very wonderful that there are no words to express the wonder, change and help of God that the Holy Spirit administered. We will endeavor to give details of this at the May "waiting" with Rev. and Mrs. Smith's assistance and God's guidance. Praise the Lord!

We were to close on April 17th at Toledo. That day at the table, I asked ^{that} Mrs. Smith sit near Rev. and Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Helm and I. Mrs. Smith said, "Rev. Helm, can you give us one, two, or three more days?" God witnessed in my heart stronger on the 3 days. Eighteen were sanctified on Friday and 8 on Saturday evening and a number of victories on Sunday morning. Praise the Lord! Rev. and Mrs. Smith called on Tuesday after we left on Sunday to tell us of many wonderful things still happening in various parts of Toledo. All the honor and glory is due Jesus.

Concerning the May "waiting", I trust all who are coming will by God's guidance and help, be free of any criticism, resentments, strife, or unbelief in their hearts. Some may need to write or call and ask for forgiveness so that we, by God's grace, be clear with all people on the earth and love Jesus and souls with all our heart, mind, soul and strength..Thank you for praying to this end and purpose. I believe that seldom has a body of believers been in one accord and in complete unity with God and each other since the Holy Spirit fell on the early church on the day of Pentecost. This is one thing that has hindered God from pouring out His precious, sacred Holy Spirit in power and sweetness. All who come need to believe that the real evidence of one's abiding in Christ in the fullness of the Holy Spirit, is that we love one another as Christ loved us. (John 13:34, 35) This kind of love is not so much what we say, but what is in our heart. (I Cor. 13:1) Please share this letter with any one who is planning to come who is not on our mailing list. They need to read this for it is so important that we get started in one accord and in full unity together in Christ Jesus.

We hope that those who are coming will be in the 7:00 A.M. meeting on the 24th. as well as the 25th. We need each of you for you are all so precious. I miss you so very much when I look out and you are not in the group. Thank you! Please fill up the front seats first. As soon as each meeting is ended we each one should go to our rooms to rest and pray. Our fellowship is so sweet that all wear out talking to each other. Then it is difficult to get tuned in to the will of God in the "waiting" itself. We want to remember we are all in God's service and each one is as important as any one else. All are dependent on each one's obedience to God for if any one fails it could hold back what God could do for His glory and honor in this present age and world. This is as we all are broken and submissive to Christ Jesus and the will of God. We need to be humble giving all praise to God in everything, looking to Jesus and not to us, in any thing.

Beloved, those persons who find it so easy to talk during our time of "waiting" may have to work to keep silent, pressing only to speak when the Holy Spirit witness. This is so urgent in the Lord. Those persons who find it so difficult to speak, who are timid and shy, will need to press to be obedient. Those persons who find it difficult to speak may be those the Holy Spirit will use. We want to encourage each one to feel free to obey the Holy Spirit for if all had obeyed in the previous "waiting" the services would have been three times more wonderful. We trust for the Holy Spirit's guidance and for Jesus to have his way. The Lord may reveal to us the person that God would have to testify, to sing, to preach or to be healed or whatever God may want. It is usually the person who feels he can't that God wants.

All ministers of the gospel need to be prepared to preach, praying much, and the Lord will reveal who it is that is to bring each message.

Let us all pray that each one will be obedient and that the Holy Spirit will have His complete way. We trust that no one will be suggesting to us in the flesh what should be done. We trust that each one will want us to obey the Holy Spirit. The love that the Lord Jesus has put in our heart for each one is precious. We trust by God's grace that we will be in holy, divine order to fulfill the will of God in Christ Jesus with caution, carefulness, and exactness--all for the glory of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

It will be difficult to council between sessions as the responsibility for the services will be so great. It will be necessary for me to get as much rest as possible. Perhaps you could council with Kenneth Wagner, Emory Reece, Roger Yoder, or Tom Harman and they could see me in my room.

Some of the dear ones who were with us in October have not sent in reservations and we are disappointed. I will miss all of them very much.

Thanks to Rev. and Mrs. Reece for all their extra work which helps to make this meeting possible. Thanks to Jane Langdon for her help with the financial records.

Please pray for R.F.O.D. Our need is much. In Jesus Name, Loran W. Helm

Parker, Indiana
June 25, 1969

Dear Pilgrims of Jesus the Christ,

Greetings in the Holy Spirit, Kingdom of God.

Praise the Lord for all the many blessings and benefits of our precious Savior and Lord Jesus. God has given a sacred time in these days indeed.

Our waiting before God on May 24th and 25th was led by the Holy Spirit from beginning to end. The Lord says now to me in the gift area, "I will lead thee and tell thee what to do." Praise the Lord! Oh, how much we all owe to God for the gift of the Holy Spirit. Amen. These meetings didn't start by this organization or by man. The Holy Spirit has revealed when they were to be, where they were to be, and what we were to do. I walked with the Lord, prayed and obeyed for thirty-three years before I could discern what God in Christ Jesus wanted us to do as to these waitings before God. It did not come in a few years of obedience but by about one-third of a century. Oh, how in debt I am to Jesus for all things He has taught me in this walk of Faith. There is now a rather strong operation of the Holy Spirit in my heart as I now write. Praise the Lord!

As you know I am only a small servant claiming nothing but trust in the Lord. Are you willing to lose all for Jesus? Most of us mortals want things on our terms and timed to our convenience. There are many who think they are trusting the Lord but they are still holding the reins and saying how they would like it.

The "days of waiting" in May can not be expressed or explained in words. One would have had to be present to know and understand in a measure how precious the Lord's presence was in the person of the Holy Spirit. There were about 200 in attendance. The services closed Monday morning at 1:17 A.M., but did not end at that time. The Presence of the Lord continued with those who had to travel many miles in their cars to Alabama, Tennessee, Missouri and other places. In one car on the way to Missouri they prayed for 100 miles and God blessed so sweetly. One person received a vision of Jesus the Savior. One group going to Alabama had a precious fellowship in God. When one of them saw the blessed Jesus and told the others about it, a dear brother turned and said, "There He is, I can see the folds in His robe." The ones in a car going to Tennessee had such a marvelous time the hours flew so quickly they weren't ready for their fellowship to end when they arrived south of Knoxville. They also told us on the phone that each time they share what God performed through Jesus Christ, their hearts are blessed again and again until they aren't able to tell the wonder of it. Praise the Lord! One brother said, "I'm just beginning to understand what you have been telling me all these years." Our fellowship started in 1938.

On Monday, May 26th fourteen of us were eating at the Holiday Inn. We had many things to take care of following the waiting. While we were at the table, one told me that there was a man looking or staring hard at us just back of our table and asked me to please pray for him. I could not see him but began to pray in a whisper. In two minutes the fellow was calling for me to come over to him. He said, "I'm the worst sinner in the world. I need help. I'm at the end. Can you help me?" We took the lost hungry brother to room 110. Rev. Morgan, Rev. Reece, Rev. Hogue, Bro. Yoder, Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Helm, two of the brothers from Oregon and I tried to lead him to Jesus. We gave the way of salvation, but he would say, "Oh, I need God, aren't you able to help me? I want to be true and be a good Christian. I'm the worst of sinners. Can someone help me?" After nearly an hour I prayed asking the Lord, "What is the way through here? What is the matter in this case?" The Lord revealed that he had demons in him. I pled the Blood of Jesus over all souls and in the name of Jesus cast the demons to the pit of Hell. The brother put his head back, gagged and in a moment he cried, "I have found my Jesus. Oh, I have my Jesus." He looked out the door and said, "Isn't this a wonderful day!" It was as he had never seen one before. Each one in the room felt like it was one of the most wonderful miracles of conversion they had ever seen, all because of Jesus. Without Jesus, we can do nothing. There are many things to tell you of the two days. All of it would fill a little pamphlet.

The working of God in the last meeting in Michigan was so precious. The last three nights were to me as precious as the waiting in May. There was such sweetness of Jesus through the work of the Holy Spirit.

I have seen the Lord heal, sanctify, and save souls from Florida to Michigan since I saw you at the days of waiting before Jesus, all because of God's love and the leading of the dear Holy Spirit.

Some of our loved ones went to southern Texas on May 25th and shared with a college president about the victories at the Toledo meeting in April. He was so appreciative. As he wept tears of joy, he said, "I've wanted to hear of things like this very much. Would you consider making tapes of these things which Jesus has performed so we could broadcast them?" They made six tapes and they are being broadcast over the air in the southwest. Praise the Lord!

God has revealed that on July 16th He will reveal to me the time and place of the next waiting on Jesus. We are to have our next quarterly meeting of RFOD in Huntington at the Church of God, 608 E. State St. Rev. Orval Clemens is pastor. This will be Saturday, July 19th at 11:00 A.M. We do need your prayers and help more than we are able to express. Thank you very much for everything: all your prayers, co-operation and help. A Trusting Servant of Jesus, Loran W. Helm

Parker, Indiana
July 23, 1969

Dear Servants of Jesus the Christ,

Praise the Lord for each and every precious victory in the Kingdom of God through the sacred work of the Holy Spirit. I took my grandson and five dear servants of God to a Bible conference in Michigan about four weeks ago. It was worth the trip just for our fellowship in Christ Jesus. We were blessed many times in the car. My grandson's prayer as we were getting ready to retire that night was very precious. He said, "Thank you, Jesus, for letting me come with Granddad. I want to travel more with him if its all right. Help my dad, mother and sister and especially bless my mother, Jesus. Amen" The next day as we were returning, we were south of Kalamazoo and David Lee leaned forward and said, "I've been having the witness so strong and often but the devil said that I'd be stupid to tell you." All of us rejoiced for Jesus' blessing and giving him the inner witness so frequently. When we arrived back home and I was about to leave after our last prayer together, he said to me, "Grandpa, any time you want to take me any where, I'll be ready to go when you say the word"

Some of the dear ones in Jesus, who were with us, said that if we could take a bus and start out over the country singing and witnessing to persons along the way, there surely would be precious things of God accomplished by the help of the Holy Spirit of Jesus.

At the waiting on May 25th we prayed for Brother Harry Johnson who had a growth in the brain which had been growing for 10 years. He was in a serious condition. JESUS HEALED him. He had been taking three strong tranquilizers a day since 1965. One would put me to sleep many hours. (It deals in my heart on about 25 to 30 hours). He could keep going with three! You can't imagine the terrible upheaval he was in. His wife couldn't go on any longer for she had held on may years through these terrible upheavals. Only one woman in 75,000 could have stood it. (This is what God witnesses in my heart) After God healed him Bro. Johnson thought he ought to take one tablet when he went to work the next day. He went to sleep at work. They had to put him on a cot where they tried to waken him for a number of hours. He hasn't taken any since. The Johnsons were here the day before yesterday. Mrs. Johnson said, that the wonderful time God has given since her husband's healing May 25th, has been worth all her suffering for the last several years. Praise the Lord! Mrs. Johnson's brother was healed by God in Jesus at our home Monday about 11:30 A.M. It was a Miracle.

I had said to Bro. Jon Cullum in Michigan that if the Lord led, I wanted to take him with me to Texas for prayer, fellowship and witnessing. Sometime later I had dinner with him and his parents. I spoke of this again. On returning home from the resturant, he told his parents that perhaps in three or four weeks we would be going and that he could use this time for needed preparations. In less than two hours I phoned him saying that we would be leaving in a few hours. We left by plane from Indianapolis. When we arrived in Memphis, the Holy Spirit had me call some dear friends. One of them said, "Oh, you were to be here today. I needed this help so much." God revealed where her burdens were and what they were. It was wonderful the way the Lord helped. One burden was for 5,000 to be sanctified.

We flew on to Dallas, then on to Waco and Temple. Rev. Pumphrey and his wife were waiting for us and God gave precious fellowship in the Lord. When we arrived at the parsonage we were sharing the things of Jesus. Susana, their second daughter who has been married for three years was home for a short visit while her husband had gone fishing with his father. This was the first time Susana had been home this long to visit since her marriage. As soon as we shared, Susana heard me in her heart for the first time in her life. I've known her ever since her birth 24 years ago. Her face was a glow and tears of joy ran freely She heard us for a number of hours Sat. night and Sunday afternoon and evening. Her precious husband also heard me when he arrived Sunday afternoon. It was worth our flight for each of these dear young people.

Jon sang for the morning service in the beautiful church and again in the evening where we were privileged to bring the message of the hour. Jon was such a blessing to us all the way down and back and has been a number of times since our return.

On Sunday evening I asked John Mark, Rev. Pumphrey's son, if he had enjoyed our time of sharing. He said, "I had always thought it was stupid for any one to weep, but I've changed my mind today." I noticed him during the afternoon coming back in the house in order to listen to the things of God even though he had a boy friend outside waiting for him. His father had told me that when John Mark learned we were coming, he said that he liked to hear of our experiences of God. He was only 8 years old when I was with them last time 3 years ago this month. As we were standing together in the front room of the parsonage I asked John Mark if he had found Jesus in his heart? I know you have prayed ever since you were a very small child. He said, "I've tried it many times, but just never seem able to do it." He began to cry and I took him in my arms. He followed me to Calvary and found the blessed Jesus. I had the witness when he said, "Save me". Praise the Lord. That was worth more than the whole trip there. There were 22 that heard the message that we gave on Sunday evening. There were more than 80 present so that was an outstanding percentage. We are to be back there Oct. 16-20. We will have early morning and evening services, ten in all, the Lord helping and leading us.

Jon and I went to see the Smith's at Waco, the Pearsons and on to the Cannons. God gave such a meeting and oh, how we were annointed at this home. It was very precious. God was still revealing to me as I walked to Rev. Pumphrey's car. We went to the Breedloves for prayer and fellowship also. Then Bro. Smith took us on to the Chicken Shack for our evening meal. The Lord blessed us together. Bro. Smith was so thoughtful of us. Rev. and Mrs. Pumphrey entertained us so royally; our fellowship and meals were so enjoyable and precious. I prayed on Monday to know when to return home. God revealed we should leave Thursday afternoon. We left Keeler, Texas, at 3:04 EDT and arrived at Dallas at 3:39. We left Dallas at 4:15 and arrived in Indianapolis at 6:00. We prayed to know who was to meet us. Many would have come but God revealed that Rev. and Mrs. Robert Morgan were to meet us. I learned later that Mrs. Morgan had prayed, "If it is God's will, let us meet them." They were waiting for us and the Lord blessed all of us indeed.

When we arrived at my home a number were there and we shared our experiences. Rev. Reece called concerning a man in Muncie who needed help desperately. The Lord led for Rev. Morgan, Rev. Moore and Jon Cullum to go out to Rev. Reece's and meet the man so in need. He was in quite a state, having lost faith in about all things including God. Many things had happened to him to hurt and disappoint him. I was too tired to go so these dear ones went. Rev. Morgan talked so kind and with wisdom. Bro. Moore went over and loved him. Rev. Reece talked to him and then Bro. Jon was greatly used of God to help him. God gave victory as they prayed for his conversion and healing. He left a new man. Praise the Lord! God's timing is marvelous for we were shown in Texas when we should be home and who should be present.

I forgot to tell you that a few miles from Muncie God showed me we should stop at John and Jane Langdon's. After we had shared and had prayer, Jane said that when she had picked red raspberries that day, she thought of how she would like to give some to the Morgans. Since they live some 76 miles away it seemed impossible. God had told me in Texas to have the Morgans to come to get us and 14 miles before we got to Langdons, He revealed we should stop there. Praise the Lord He looks after His children to the extent of berries!

We have many things to share with you, of answers to prayer, and guidance of God for Jesus' glory and honor that have taken place in the last few days but time and space do not permit us to share just now.

Pray for us! Very few really have our burden. This will witness in the heart of those that have the gift of Discerning of the Spirit.

Thank you for helping us. Thanks to Rev. and Mrs. Reece and those who help, for this letter.

In Jesus' Name,

Loran W. Helm

Parker, Indiana
September 17, 1969

To the Listening Hearts,
belonging to Christ:

Praise the Lord for the leading of the Holy Spirit in these last days of time. The meeting in Michigan was very precious. The meeting in St. Louis, Mo. was led of the Lord. The first night in the St. Louis meeting, God revealed that He would heal thru the heart area. One man who had suffered a heart attack some months ago said that God healed him. He had had to work a little to get his breath and he said that when the Lord touched and healed him he could breathe like a baby. He told about the change in his breathing 5 or 6 nights after the healing took place. Praise the Lord. God also healed a lady thru the heart in this service.

The Holy Spirit led us to pray for trouble in the limbs. God healed an older lady and took pain and suffering away immediately for Jesus' glory. Then the Holy Spirit revealed to pray for the eyes. A man reached up to his eye and the cyst that was on his eye was gone.

Rev. and Mrs. Rouintree, the pastor and wife at St. Louis, were so hospitable and kind. They took care of arranging for lodging, food, and entertainment for about 30 of our brothers and sisters from Okla., West Va., Tenn., Ky., Ala., Ohio, and Ind. who spent a part or all of their vacation with us at the meeting. Oh, how God did bless. Some were sanctified, some reclaimed, some lifted and some healed for Jesus glory and honor. You would have had to be there to have enjoyed it. It cannot be told what all God did. There were 17 services in all, which required a lot of strength from me. The pastor mentioned a number of times how he appreciated what God was doing and how he was grateful for the fellowship of all those who came from a distance to help and pray for the meeting.

The meeting in Louisville, Ky., with Rev. Bill Dale was very precious. God did some wonderful things for Jesus' glory. Some of the saints of God, who really carry a burden for souls, said that they were never in a revival where the Holy Spirit was any more precious than in these services. God gave victories for His glory and honor. The pastor spoke very kindly about how God worked thru the Yoders and us to encourage and help in the church there. All the people were so helpful and kind to us. The people loved the Yoders very much. We all love and appreciate them for their labor of love and assistance in various ways as they work with Mrs. Helm and me in this work of the Lord. Roger's singing and helping me in every way he can is a big lift. Virginia tape records and then types each of the sermons. This takes a lot of time and energy. They pray earnestly with us and for us in every meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Billings who entertained the Yoders at Louisville, were so thoughtful of their needs. They said after the meeting was over and Rev. Dale had asked me to return whenever the Lord led, "We want the Yoders back with us also." We thank the Lord for all He has done from the bottom of our hearts, in sincerity and gratitude.

I had said to Jon Cullum as we returned from the meeting in Michigan, that I regretted to leave the Holiday Inn in Anderson as our place of "Waiting". Mr. Peacock, the manager, and his staff were so appreciative and understanding of us and our endeavor to do God's will. There were some who wanted the next "Waiting" to be in Alabama, some in Michigan, some in Tennessee, also some in Louisville, Ky.. The Lord revealed it should be at the Holiday Inn number 8 in Indianapolis. The Harmans, the Cullums, the Moores, our Martha and us were in prayer and fellowship when God revealed this place to Tom and me.

The next day I called the manager of Inn #8. When he answered I told him who I was and that we had had two Spiritual Waitings at the Holiday Inn in Anderson and Mr. James Peacock was the manager and he could tell him all about us. The man's voice in Indianapolis interrupted me and said, "Rev. Helm, you do not know who you are talking to. I am Jim Peacock. I was just transferred here." I have been rejoicing over this ever since. Only God knew all these changes and then He led us to the very place. The facilities at Indianapolis will be much more adequate.

We trust that you who love the Lord Jesus and our fellowship in the Holy Spirit will plan to be with us in the next "Waiting" on Nov. 8 and 9. Persons who are clear with God will help us but those who doubt and analyze or are skeptical will hinder us. Persons whom you invite to come should be souls who believe in the leadership of the Holy Spirit and do not question God's leadings. Those who come should be persons who believe in Holiness of heart as taught by John Wesley and D.S. Warner.

We believe the evidence of the indwelling Holy Spirit is that we love one another. Jesus said, "By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another." (John 13:35). It is not that ye speak with tongues, for as the Word says, "Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not love, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal." (I Cor. 13:1)

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Parker, Indiana
September 17, 1969

To the Listening Hearts,
belonging to Christ:

Praise the Lord for the leading of the Holy Spirit in these last days of time. The meeting in Michigan was very precious. The meeting in St. Louis, Mo. was led of the Lord. The first night in the St. Louis meeting, God revealed that He would heal thru the heart area. One man who had suffered a heart attack some months ago said that God healed him. He had had to work a little to get his breath and he said that when the Lord touched and healed him he could breathe like a baby. He told about the change in his breathing 5 or 6 nights after the healing took place. Praise the Lord. God also healed a lady thru the heart in this service.

The Holy Spirit led us to pray for trouble in the limbs. God healed an older lady and took pain and suffering away immediately for Jesus' glory. Then the Holy Spirit revealed to pray for the eyes. A man reached up to his eye and the cyst that was on his eye was gone.

Rev. and Mrs. Rouintree, the pastor and wife at St. Louis, were so hospitable and kind. They took care of arranging for lodging, food, and entertainment for about 30 of our brothers and sisters from Okla., West Va., Tenn., Ky., Ala., Ohio, and Ind. who spent a part or all of their vacation with us at the meeting. Oh, how God did bless. Some were sanctified, some reclaimed, some lifted and some healed for Jesus glory and honor. You would have had to be there to have enjoyed it. It cannot be told what all God did. There were 17 services in all, which required a lot of strength from me. The pastor mentioned a number of times how he appreciated what God was doing and how he was grateful for the fellowship of all those who came from a distance to help and pray for the meeting.

The meeting in Louisville, Ky., with Rev. Bill Dale was very precious. God did some wonderful things for Jesus' glory. Some of the saints of God, who really carry a burden for souls, said that they were never in a revival where the Holy Spirit was any more precious than in these services. God gave victories for His glory and honor. The pastor spoke very kindly about how God worked thru the Yoders and us to encourage and help in the church there. All the people were so helpful and kind to us. The people loved the Yoders very much. We all love and appreciate them for their labor of love and assistance in various ways as they work with Mrs. Helm and me in this work of the Lord. Roger's singing and helping me in every way he can is a big lift. Virginia tape records and then types each of the sermons. This takes a lot of time and energy. They pray earnestly with us and for us in every meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Billings who entertained the Yoders at Louisville, were so thoughtful of their needs. They said after the meeting was over and Rev. Dale had asked me to return whenever the Lord led, "We want the Yoders back with us also." We thank the Lord for all He has done from the bottom of our hearts, in sincerity and gratitude.

I had said to Jon Cullum as we returned from the meeting in Michigan, that I regretted to leave the Holiday Inn in Anderson as our place of "Waiting". Mr. Peacock, the manager, and his staff were so appreciative and understanding of us and our endeavor to do God's will. There were some who wanted the next "Waiting" to be in Alabama, some in Michigan, some in Tennessee, also some in Louisville, Ky.. The Lord revealed it should be at the Holiday Inn number 8 in Indianapolis. The Harmans, the Cullums, the Moores, our Martha and us were in prayer and fellowship when God revealed this place to Tom and me.

The next day I called the manager of Inn #8. When he answered I told him who I was and that we had had two Spiritual Waitings at the Holiday Inn in Anderson and Mr. James Peacock was the manager and he could tell him all about us. The man's voice in Indianapolis interrupted me and said, "Rev. Helm, you do not know who you are talking to. I am Jim Peacock. I was just transferred here." I have been rejoicing over this ever since. Only God knew all these changes and then He led us to the very place. The facilities at Indianapolis will be much more adequate.

We trust that you who love the Lord Jesus and our fellowship in the Holy Spirit will plan to be with us in the next "Waiting" on Nov. 8 and 9. Persons who are clear with God will help us but those who doubt and analyze or are skeptical will hinder us. Persons whom you invite to come should be souls who believe in the leadership of the Holy Spirit and do not question God's leadings. Those who come should be persons who believe in Holiness of heart as taught by John Wesley and D.S. Warner.

We believe the evidence of the indwelling Holy Spirit is that we love one another. Jesus said, "By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another." (John 13:35). It is not that ye speak with tongues, for as the Word says, "Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not love, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal." (I Cor. 13:1)

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Written from St. Louis, Mo.
October 9, 1969

Dear Trusting Hearts in Christ Jesus,

We are on the battle field for our Lord. The battle can only be won by obedient hearts on fire with the Holy Spirit. Cold lives and lukewarm souls have lost the burden for the world and disappointed the age but Jesus never fails. We must be of one mind and one purpose in Christ Jesus. The time is short and most people are striving to win in their own ability, knowledge and understanding. This is the way to darkness, desolation, despair and emptiness. They that wait on Jesus, follow the leading of God's Word, and the guidance of the Holy Spirit will possess the land and verily, they shall be fed on the fatness of the flocks. Praise the Lord!

Just a few days and we will be waiting on the Lord in the R.F.O.D. fellowship meeting at the Reece's church near Parker and Farmland, Indiana. Two weeks after that we will trust God for guidance in the Nov. 8th and 9th "waiting before the Lord Jesus in Indianapolis, Indiana.

We were in a precious service at Louisville, Ky., with Rev. Bill Dale. It was the first time he had ever had an evangelist come whom he had never seen or heard preach. He was so kind to say, after the meeting had been on a few days, "Come back here whenever the Lord leads you."

If we hadn't obeyed the Lord in 1950 at Greensboro, Ind., and stayed until the first day of the ninth week, the power of the Holy Spirit would not have been with me at Richland Chapel. It was there that I met Wayne Burns who attended the Church of God in Marion, Ind., where Rev. Robert Morgan was pastor. Wayne insisted that the Morgans should come out to the little country church where God was working and leading. If I had left Greensboro, as a faithful pastor and an evangelist suggested, at the end of the fourth week, (they said, "the meeting is over here now") I would have been powerless and would have missed Rev. and Mrs. Morgan. God said to stay at Greensboro through the fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, and to the first day of the ninth week. The Lord did wonderful things in every one of those weeks.

After many years the Morgans led me to Rev. Lester Alexander. He told Mr. and Mrs. King and mother about how the Lord had blessed in our walk with God, our fellowship in Jesus, and answers to prayer. Mrs. King went to her pastor, Rev. Dale, in Louisville and gave the report. He wrote and asked me to come to their church whenever God led me.

Rev. Dale told me twice, "This meeting has been perfectly timed." I say, "Praise the Lord" for I knew only what the Lord revealed by the witness of the Holy Spirit.. The people there had sold their church to the Negro Christians and moved ten or more miles across the city. They had been trying to make this transition for a good while. The revival was needed at this time to lift the people and hold the flock together in trying times. The first service God revealed to me to pray for three different things and in 24 to 48 hours three persons said, "I am the one you prayed for." Praise the Lord!

The pastor told me ten days after the series of services were over, "This was not a meeting, it was a revival. It hardly seems like the same congregation. I didn't preach last Sunday for the dear ones testified for one and one-half hours telling what Jesus had done for them during the meeting." For all of this we praise the Lord, who did it all.

Wholesale Tours want to know how many are going with us to the Holy Land, so that they can make reservations at hotels and restaurants in advance. We have received a few enrollments. The others should come in soon, please. Thank you.

In our meeting here at St. Louis, the Lord has been helping and guiding. We thank Jesus for each victory.

We are going on to Copperas Cove, Texas, next Tuesday (the 14th) the Lord protecting and taking care of us. We are thankful for the fourteen who have the burden for our need.

In Jesus loving service,
Loran W. Helm

Parker, Ind.
Dec. 16, 1969
12:15 A.M.

Dear Trusting Pilgrims
of the Christ,

Greetings in Jesus our Savior and Lord. When I wrote this last sentence, it worked in my heart. Oh for a heart like Jesus wants each of us to possess.

The Lord has been leading in a wonderful way. The meeting in St. Louis last Oct. was very precious and the victories God gave for Jesus' glory are dear memories. One morning in the school house, God saved a dear brother, Geo. Dossenback, at age 65. This was a great miracle of grace, because not very many persons are brightly converted after 50 years of age. He and his wife were such a great blessing in the "Waiting" in Indianapolis Nov. 8-9.

Bro. Dossenback's singing blessed my wife so very much in St. Louis as well as at the "Waiting". Everyone at the "Waiting" received a real blessing from God as he sang for Jesus.

After the meeting in St. Louis with Brother Yates, we went to Copperas Cove, Texas to be with Bro. Pumphrey. The Lord surely helped and blessed in the meeting there.

We came back thru St. Louis from the meeting in Texas; and I knew I was to call the Shavers and go to Rev. Rouintrees' for a few minutes before coming on home. They told me that Bro. Shaver had been in a terrible explosion in his basement garage on the day after I left St. Louis to go to Texas. Before I relate this to you, let me share with you what God had revealed to me weeks before this happened.

Last August we were at Burke City Church of God with Rev. Rouintree. God revealed by the Holy Ghost, after one of the services, that someone who had been in that service would be near death in 6 weeks. We prayed for deliverance. A few days later on Aug. 28th as I was coming out of Bro. & Sister Shaver's home, the Lord began to burden me. I said to Bro. Roger Yoder, our song evangelist, "Something terrible is going to happen and we've got to get ahold of God to make it thru here."

Bro. Shaver had been welding in his garage about 4 feet from where God had given me this burden. Sister Shaver had been in the garage and had just gone upstairs when the explosion took place. The explosion came from a paint can under the work bench a few feet from where Bro. Shaver was welding. He was blown out of the garage by the force. He landed on his head and shoulder; and he was burned badly on one arm. By his being blown out of the garage, he missed all the pieces of metal that were hurled thru the air. There were many bolts, screws, nuts, etc in a metal tray on the work bench. These went flying thru the air from the explosion beneath the bench. The Shavers later found some of these items embedded in the woodwork. Rev. Rouintree said that the tray was all twisted from the impact. Any one of the pieces of flying metal could have gone thru the bodies of either Bro. or Sister Shaver. At least as I understood it, this is what their doctor said as he reviewed it with them. So they had been "near death" as the Holy Spirit revealed it to me; and they were spared because Jesus had answered prayer for them, for the glory of God. Praise the Lord!!

When I called Sister Shaver said, "Bro. Helm, we believe the Lord revealed this to you so that you could pray for our deliverance; and I believe that we have been partakers of your obedience in the Lord." Praise the Lord. Aren't we all in debt to Jesus in every way? I surely am. Oh how thankful my heart is to the Lord for all help, answers to prayer, guidance, and anointing in revelation and in preaching and sharing.

The "Waiting" at Indianapolis, many have reported to me, was very precious and wonderful in the Lord Jesus. Each one who preached was unusually anointed in preaching because of the Holy Spirit. One dear minister from a distant state, whom I asked to dismiss our Sat. eve. session, told the pastor who was his roommate, "Brother, that platform is charged." He said that as he stepped up on the platform to pray, the power of the Holy Spirit flowed up thru his body. These two men of God went to their room in the motel and shouted for about two hours, rejoicing in the Lord. The one pastor told me on the phone a few days later that when his fellow pastor returned home his wife felt as though her husband was a new man. His church was also blessed by his experience.

After our eldest daughter had sung with her uncles, sister, and mother, she told her husband that just as she touched the platform the power of the Holy Spirit flowed up thru her body. This took place Sun. evening almost 19 hours after the experience of the brother pastor.

May the Lord be praised for all help, healings, and all victories which God gave for Jesus' glory in the 20 hours of "Waiting" on Nov. 8 & 9. Praise the Lord also for the number who were cleansed of the resentments and carnal things in their hearts by the work of the Holy Spirit of Jesus Christ.

I want to express appreciation to Rev. & Mrs. Emory Reece for their untiring effort to assist me in the Holy Land Tour as well as all other work in the R.F.O.D. Fellowship of Jesus Christ. Many hours of work have been required of them and they have done well for which I thank them. I have tried to show my appreciation in ways louder than words the Lord helping me.

Bro. Reece has sent out helpful letters to assist all of us on this Tour. Please read them over and over again and follow the instructions. Remember to get the county health officer to stamp your vaccination certificate beside the doctor's name- in the county where the doctor practises. Keep this certificate with you, because you cannot get back into the U.S. without it. Don't mis-place or loose it.

If it were not for the few dear friends who are faithful to help us in this work, we would not be able to have our song evangelists with us at all. The churches where we go do their best in giving, yet we need many more dollars to be able to make it. Without your help, Beloved, we would be stopped completely.

Please pray for us, as we are in great need in our bodies and minds and souls. The Lord has given many victories in West Virginia, Ohio, and Tenn. which I have not been able to share at all in this letter. Several persons have agreed that this is true. Bro. Field, the pastor at Knoxville, Tenn., said that he felt this last meeting was the greatest manifestation of power of the Holy Spirit in declaration of the Word and revelation in the church since he started it 18 years ago.

The Lord revealed to us on Nov. 10th in Indianapolis that Bro. Harmon and Rev. McPhail were to leave from South Bend, Ind. for Oregon on Dec. 7th at 11:00 A.M. to bring back to Mt. Pleasant, Mich. a precious trusting young couple, Steve and Sue Zimmerman. When I called them in Oregon on Dec. 9th at about 5:00 P.M., they had arrived earlier that same afternoon, by God's grace and protection. They drove the Country Print Shop truck out there to help the Zimmermans move here to go to college. Rev. McPhail said to me, "The Lord sure led you right again when He revealed 11:00 A.M. on the 7th." By leaving at this time the snow which had fallen in Iowa and Nebr. was cleared off the highway by the time they got there. They encountered two different places where snow had fallen a few hours ahead of them and the highways were all clear when they came along. If they had left early that morning, which most persons would have felt wise in making so long a trip, they would have been on slick roads much of the trip. The way God led they had no bad roads for the 2500 miles out there. God gave a protected and good trip thru the Lord's guidance.

What God did out there just one day was worth many trips, they said, to Jesus' glory. Bro. Harmon and Rev. McPhail were in Lansing, Mich. at 11:50 P.M. Dec. 15th (just a few minutes ago) when I talked to them. They were rejoicing how God had helped them home. The Lord revealed on the 10th of Nov. that they should leave Oregon on Dec. 12th to return to Mich. Remember, in December in the northern part of the U.S. it is usually covered with snow. I had prayed and plead with God for protection and clear roads all the way. This is a miracle to ask for at this time of year. But God had revealed the days to go and return. I noticed on a TV weather report Sat. the 13th that there was 12 to 14 inches of snow in parts of Oregon and Idaho. Bro. Harmon and Rev. McPhail and the Zimmermans were right behind a warm front, it was 65 degrees in parts of Nebr., and they were just ahead of a cold front and snow. So they had perfect roads all the way, about 5000 miles. This was because of Jesus' help, guidance, and deliverance. Bro. Harmon and Rev. McPhail have many things to share, how God lead, blessed, and was so wonderful to them. Steve and Sue Zimmerman were so happy and thrilled also over how He had blessed and helped them all the way.

I must close. There is so much to share that God has been doing. Mrs. Helm, our daughters, and I wish you all a very blessed Christmas time and a victorious New Year.

Love in Jesus' Service

Loran W. Helm