



1. I FOUND HIM DRAPED OVER THE TUB.--He told me he would be out soon. So finally he came back to bed, and when he held me he was weeping. He said, "I'm so weak and insecure. Now you see what I really am." He said how much he needed me and he didn't know what he would do without me. Well, I just talked positive and gave him verses. He was just really drained. He said, "Here I feel this way about you, but then

2. LOOK HOW DAVID GAVE HIS OWN WIFE TO ME!" See, God was really testing Arthur, because earlier that day when we went out to eat he told me how he had changed from what he used to be. Because before he would have been really jealous over me and possessive, but he claimed that he wasn't jealous of me at all. So God just tested his words. Also he was trying to get me to tell him something that I didn't feel he was ready for and he kept on insisting.

3. WELL, AT THE END WHEN WE WERE LYING DOWN TOGETHER he said, "I want to know all the truth, but when

I get it I can hardly handle it!" I was telling how he needed to take it a step at a time, but he just wants to run all the way and skip a few grades, but I told him he couldn't.

4. SO THE NEXT MORNING I was just bright and cheery like nothing ever happened and just tried to cheer him up and speak faith. We read Psalm 37 together and then he drove me home. He said he didn't know how he was going to make it through the day.

5. WELL, MONDAY JOSH AND I went to the Executive Council meeting and afterwards I spent some time with Salathiel--who is pregnant, by the way, about two months or more. Then Martha and I spent time together and she came home with me. When we got home Arthur had been by and dropped me a letter. (See Paragraph 16.)

6. IT WAS REALLY A BEAUTIFUL LETTER and he asked for forgiveness for all the things he did and said and for prying into my life. He has said before that he couldn't make it, but now he said he aims to make it no matter what, and he agreed with me that he needed a stronger foundation to build his faith on. He asked me to bear with him and not lose faith in him.

7. IT WAS A REAL VICTORY! He said he really prayed to God. So then later that night he called me and said he had just finished "Survival". He said he learned a lot and it was a fascinating book. He said it was well written and very explicit. He said he had been late to work, and at work he locked himself in the bathroom to pray. He said he made time for the Lord. Then at home he read Matthew 24 and reread Psalm 37.

8. OH YES, HE ALSO SAID HE HAD A BAD DAY AT WORK and he felt like running home and packing his bags and going to Paris to work in the Poorboy Club over there. He is

torn really between his job and the Lord. He doesn't want to do it, but he feels he has to not let down his boss. I asked him what about letting God down. I told him God would work a miracle and get him out of it.

9. SO IN SPITE OF ALL THE BATTLES ROYAL he has been going through I know it's just till he gets over the hump the Enemy is really trying to get in there because he knows how such a great potential he is. I'm going to have dinner and invite Arthur and have Josh be there too. Arthur does want to meet Josh and I know Josh will really help and inspire him and the sooner the better, so tomorrow I hope to get them together.

10. OH, THERE WAS A FUNNY THING ARTHUR SAID LAST WEEK I didn't tell you: We had been talking about his boss who has all these physical afflictions, and I was giving Arthur verses that explain why God allows things like that to happen, to teach us lessons and get us close to Him.

11. SO THE VERY NEXT DAY HE TOLD ME HE RUPTURED A BLOOD VESSEL in his anus, and he said that God probably let it happen to show him he can't sit on the fence and slide down one side and then get up on the fence and slide down the other side--he has to make a choice, one way or the other. He sure is smart and quick to pick up things like that. It has been painful for him, so maybe you could pray for him.

12. ALSO HIS BOSS has counselled with him several times trying to convince him not to give up the trade because he has so much going for him and he is so good at what he is doing. When Arthur told them he doesn't know what he will be doing when he leaves after working 12 years to get to where he is at now, they think he must be a little off the beam. So this is hard on him too.

13. HE WITNESSED AT WORK to some

of his friends even before he asked Jesus into his heart. He asked three or four of them if they believed in God. Three said no and one said, "There must be Something". Then they all asked him if he believed in God and he told them yes, and then he started to tell them about communism taking over. I had told him about the future events of the world, so he was telling them too.

14. SO THE ONLY PERSON to whom he has mentioned what he is going to do was to his 21-year-old brother who he is training. He told him he was going to do charity work for a social service organisation. His brother said knowingly that "Becky must have something to do with that". So anyway, that's the latest.

15. I AM ALSO TAKING CARE OF SHARON three days a week now since the nursery workers are so young and it's been hard on them. Gab is doing great and has been a lot more inspired since he is receiving more attention from Arthur. I think he has been the biggest help to me in that way, with the kids, because Josh just doesn't have the time and they need the attention from a male and Gab has responded very well. He had been listless sometimes at school, but now is excited and inspired. Thank God! It's a real relief for me to know he's getting what he needs. Arthur is really good with the kids, draws with them and plays with them. I love you with all my heart!--Your Bec.

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(From Arthur) June 25, 1974  
Dearest Precious Becky,

16. MY THOUGHTLESS PRYING into your private life really turned me inside out last night, and I said I'm looking for chinks to enlarge instead of enjoying you as you really are. I think you understand how I feel right now and I'm so sorry for upsetting you. I hope in the rest of my life I never make you

cry again!

17. IT'S ALL A SIGN to me how upright and insecure I am and how the need to plant my strong faith on a firm foundation is now more acute. When I think back and compare my life before I met you and the family with what it holds for me now, I am so afraid to lose you, so afraid you will lose faith in me. I want you as you are.

18. I WOULD BE OVERJOYED IF GOD BLESSED US WITH A CHILD. I ask your forgiveness and ask the Lord to forgive me for doubting Him. But I have to base the truth on a firm knowledge of the Word of God. Bear with me, My Love! I love your beautiful children as if they were mine. I want to maintain their faith in me and their thinking of me as they do. They are so precious! I can't measure the faith you have in me and your encouragement, and pray that I have not caused you to change toward me. Becky, what can I say?

19. I AM CLAMPED IN THIS CAVE acting out my oh-so-familiar routine, and all I want to do is be free to serve. I beg you Becky please don't weaken in your handling of this awkward, intense hulk, because I want to make it and I aim to make it. The frustrations and inner battles and bad influences I'm suffering will, I know, soon be controlled.--But only by faith!

20. MY NOT UNDERSTANDING LAST NIGHT caused me concern, as did your love for your brothers and sisters. It makes me feel so humble and inadequate when I see you loving in the way you do, and yet I want to love in just the same way. The welcome at the Colony and the insecurity I felt after meeting Josh and undergoing such a heavy evening really left me in a hot and cold shock! My system-orientated head piece just could not take any more! Writing to you like this is a visible prayer to the Lord, and this morning He replied and eased

my mind. Becky, I love you so much! God bless you!--Art.

Dear Dad and Maria, June 26, 1974

21. GOD BLESS YOU, I LOVE YOU! thank you so much for the letter which we received yesterday which was written to Arthur and me. I had to read it four or five times before I understood it and could appreciate the details. (See Chapter 12.)

22. YOUR MESSAGE OF FORSAKING ALL came at the most appropriate time, as God certainly has been showing Arthur how impossible it is trying to work when his heart isn't in it. It was to the point and went straight to his heart. The events of the past weekend had led him to this difficult point which your letter so clearly indicates, as well as the steps to take.

23. THE PAST WEEKEND WAS THE HEAVIEST experience yet for Arthur, as he not only visited the childcare colonies and really experienced the family atmosphere and genuine love of the brothers and sisters, but we also went to the Sunday night meeting attended by family and friends. The Colonies we visited completely overwhelmed him, and then the meeting was another experience unlike anything he had ever seen.

24. JOSH READ THE LETTER, "QUE SERA SERA", and the Spirit was so heavy that there was a unity even when half of the people were from the Park. There was praising and prophesying and singing and dancing. It was another first for Arthur, but it was also the first time he had met Josh and knew who he was. He knew I was close to Josh, and when he saw him reading the letter under the anointing he later felt very insecure and the Enemy tried to really discourage him.

25. HE REALLY RESISTED THE SPIRIT OF GOD, and although he said afterward that he wanted to shout and sing and be free like everyone else, he just couldn't because he didn't

want to be a hypocrite. He longed so much to be free! He said when we were praising in tongues he said he felt those strange words coming up inside of him but he suppressed it, and therefore was physically sick in a hot and cold shock in which he felt so sick and nauseated afterwards he asked me to drive home. Of course he knew I couldn't drive and he did drive home, and I was praying the whole way.

26. IT WAS THE HEAVIEST TRIAL HE HAS HAD, but it was because God was about to give him the biggest victory too. So most of the problem was not what he experienced as much as his jealousy over me. The Enemy knew that his link with me was a link with God's family and his future, so the Devil has been telling him all kinds of lies about me.

27. BUT, THANK GOD, although Arthur at the end of Sunday night told me he couldn't make it, Monday he wrote me a letter asking forgiveness and saying he wanted to make it and was aiming to make it. He said he saw how he needed to plant his faith on a firm foundation. He asked me not to lose faith in him, but to bear with him because he wanted to be free to serve.

28. TUESDAY NIGHT HE STOPPED BY after work and the rest of the evening we talked about you and Maria. He retold all of his conversations with you and all his experiences and how he felt about it. He said he wouldn't be so sure about joining if he hadn't met the man behind it.

29. HE SAID HE WOULD FOLLOW YOU no matter what because you told him truth and helped him to understand his faith. He said it is because of Moses David that he knows it is right. He has met the man! So after that whole evening talking about you he felt so good and said how much he hungers for the Spirit and how much better it is than the flesh. So then Wednesday is when

your letter arrived.

30. HE TOLD ME HE HAD BEEN PRAYING FOR A SIGN and I told him your letter was a sign. So Wednesday just after reading your letter Josh arrived at the house, as I had arranged to have dinner all together. Josh shook hands and they hugged for the first time. We had a great time together and Josh just gave his testimony and others' testimonies about leaving their jobs.

31. ARTHUR AGREED with everything and knows what he has to do. Then Josh told him he used to work with molds and it turns out that Arthur does almost the same thing Josh used to do. So Arthur was really impressed and asked us to come down to his shop so Josh could see it.

32. SO HE DROVE US DOWN THE ROAD TO HIS SHOP and Josh and I looked at his work. The funniest thing too is that Josh's boss's name was George and that's Arthur's boss's name too! So it was quite an unusual evening. Your letter was a bomb, but as he went out the door he said,

33. "THIS LETTER SAVED MY LIFE!" He was so touched that you wrote to him, and Josh told him how he must be special in God's eyes for him to receive that much personal attention, and he could really appreciate it.

34. I AM SO HAPPY that you made the situation clear about me, because I don't want him to have the impression that I'll always be around, and I'm so glad you said, "For the time being". I told myself that I never wanted to get into the situation Rachel is in, although she is happy and mightily used. I just can't imagine being away from you for so long.

35. ARTHUR HAS BEEN THE BIGGEST HELP to me with the children, as he has been able to fill in where Josh never had the time to. The children really need a male, and he has been more than happy to help. I can truly say that I'm not in

love with him, although I do love him. Does that make sense? It's just different. He's a good companion, but you are my husband, and I'd rather have a little of you than a whole lot of someone else!

36. I NEED A COMPANION and he gives me a lot of love, but it just doesn't compare to yours, and I'll never be satisfied completely with anybody else, only YOU! I love you so much! I don't know the future, "Que Sera, Sera", but I just hope and pray that what you told me on the phone about me coming to help in the future, I'm just praying God will work it out and it will come true.--That hope keeps me going!--Praise God! XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX!!  
--Love, hugs, and kisses,--Your Bec.

Dearest Dad and Maria, June 28, 1974

37. YES, WE DID GET YOUR LETTER FOR ARTHUR, and it was exactly what he needed! In fact, the very next day he told his boss he had to leave in two weeks! Isn't that something! The night he got your letter he couldn't sleep at all but stayed up the whole night reading it over and over and reading the Bible. He knew what he had to do and once he made up his mind nothing could stop him.

38. SO HE'S MADE ANOTHER BREAK, and he says it is going to be torture having to finish off those last days at his job. He said you must have prayed for him to have the faith to do it, and he is so thankful for your encouragement he can hardly believe it! He is very eager to start working for the "R" as soon as possible, and says his mind is spinning with ideas which he can't wait to work on! He is so excited, just like a kid!

39. HE IS A TOTALLY CHANGED PERSON! Without saying a word to me he readily forsook most of his things to his brother, as well as his flat. I told him that we might need to use it for something, so he was

sorry he was so quick to act. He pays £32 a month not including utilities. If you have any idea of what you would like done with it, please let us know soon so he can let his brother know for sure.--Love, Bec.

Praise God! July 2, 1974

40. WELL, ARTHUR IS STILL FIGHTING the fight of faith in spite of a few trials! His boss really thought Arthur was unstable and would hardly talk to him at work. Then he offered Arthur a three-months' paid vacation or six months off if he wanted it, to get himself together, as well as a definite partnership in the business which he (Arthur) was hoping to get in two years.

41. THEN ARTHUR'S FAMILY HAS BEEN CALLING HIM UP and asking him to come home and talk things over. It's really the same old thing, the same bridges we all had to cross. Then on top of all of this Arthur actually got sick at work, which he never does, but he got sick as a dog, throwing up and all, and he had to go home.

42. HE LOST SEVEN POUNDS OVERNIGHT! I went to see him and to meet his sister whom he hadn't seen since he had been with me. She is 21, a Christian for two years, and it was quite a shock for her to see Arthur so changed, although she had been praying for him for quite awhile. She is really churchy but wants to serve the Lord. She believes the time is short. She is having a hard time deciding about her future, so Arthur's commitment and faith to leave all and follow God was really a testimony to her.

43. SO TODAY HE WENT TO WORK although he was very weak, and then he called me from home a few hours later to say he was sick and couldn't work. I told him that Jeth wants to take him out to dinner and have a good talk with him, so he was thrilled to hear it. Praise God!

God's working.

44. I KNOW IT'S ALL A TEST to make him stronger. One thing that has come up a few times is what his testimony to his friends should entail. One of his closest friends is Anna Marie, Frank's wife, and they both know you. Arthur took me over because he wanted me to meet his friends and know who they were. So they know Arthur likes me very much and that I work for you, and they know we go to some kind of a disco and work with young kids.

45. THIS IS WHAT ARTHUR TOLD THEM even before he knew all the details. So I just wanted you to know that, not to worry you, because Arthur has a lot on the ball and is careful what he says, but just to let you be aware of the whole picture. We love and miss you and pray for you always. It has been really rainy here, so I'm glad you can be where it's sunny! I love you, love you, love you! XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX--Love forever, Bec.

(From Maria:) July 4, 1974  
Dearest Becky,

46. GOD BLESS YOU! We love you and were so glad to hear from you again today with your continuing tale about "King" Arthur! We just received your letters today and are so glad you decided to send them. We're thrilled to hear of Arthur's progress and have been praying for him and you. So glad he and Josh have gotten to know and like each other.

47. DAD SAYS HE'S JUST THRILLED about Arthur's being such a good help with the children, and that's exactly what he needs: Responsibility! He has gone for too long just thinking of no one but himself and not having to take responsibility for anyone else.

48. DAD SUGGESTS THAT POSSIBLY ARTHUR MIGHT MOVE IN THERE WITH YOU: What do you think about that and how do you think it would work?

What do you think Josh would think? It sounds like maybe he too is a little jealous over you now, but it sounds like it's having a good effect in his spending more time at home.

49. YOU MENTIONED THAT ARTHUR WROTE YOU a little letter asking your forgiveness.--Could we have a copy of it to put with the other material on him, and any other notes or letters he's written? Eventually it'll make a tremendous story!--I can't wait!

50. THANKS SO MUCH for all your faithful help and all your love. Please keep writing those tremendous letters as often as possible--remember we want all the details. You're writing a book, you know--or at least a very fascinating story! God bless and keep you! We love you very much!--Love and Kisses, Maria.

Dearest Dad and Maria, July 11, 1974

51. GOD BLESS YOU! It has been so wonderful getting all those letters from you, wow! Thanks so much!! Well Praise God, this past week has been one of tests and victories for Arthur as he comes down the home stretch, three days left of work!

52. LAST WEDNESDAY I TOOK HIM TO THE COLONY for dinner with Deb and Jeth and Josh. It was really great! Deb and Jeth were really together and happy and Jeth did most of the talking, giving his testimony about his past and leaving his job and all. It was a tremendous victory for Arthur, as he was eager to hear every little thing. After that full evening he was on Cloud 9 and excited to pieces!

53. HE HAD HAD SOME BATTLES before that night, so this was a big victory. Saturday he came over to the house. Josh had spent most of the day cutting down the jungle in the front and back yard. That was a victory for me too, to finally have him do this. So Arthur pitched in too, and it was looking good in

no time. He really enjoyed it.

54. THEN WE TOOK THE KIDS TO THE COLONY and Esther shared with him for quite awhile about her testimony and what the Lord was doing with the Foreign Ministry. He was encouraged by the testimonies and the love everyone showed him.

55. THEN DEB INVITED JOSH, ARTHUR AND ME TO A SURPRISE PARTY they were putting on for Jeth's birthday, and that was Sunday. So Arthur was very pleased to have been invited. Deb really talked to him a lot too last Wednesday and told me she really liked him and thought he was good-looking and had a lot on the ball, more than she had ever expected.

56. SO ANYWAY, THE PARTY WAS FUN and most of the Executive Council was there, about 25, including wives and girls. When Jeth came he introduced Arthur to everyone all at once and gave him quite a recognition and told everyone what he would be doing. It was very good, and afterwards Arthur said, "Jeth made me feel so important".

57. A LOT OF THE GUYS SHARED WITH ARTHUR and got to know him. Then Arthur even went and played some tennis for the first time in his life! He told me later that he really likes JD because he said he stimulated his mind and that he was straight to the point and really sharp.

58. ESTHER ALSO SANG TO HIM a lot of songs which he just loved, and then Josh came in and started showing Arthur how to play the guitar. He does really want to learn to play. Then before we left Jeth got to talk to him some more and made plans to have dinner the next week to discuss all the details of his new job. Deb also was able to share with him some more about Italy and Emanuele.

59. SO ON THE WAY HOME that night he just couldn't get over how wonderful the whole day was! He said he

had never done so much in one day in his life or met so many people. He said it was an unforgettable experience!

60. OH YES, I forgot to tell you! --Just before the birthday party we went to the Colony for a parent-teacher meeting. Arthur came along and ended up in the meeting too. He was so thrilled to hear about the children and discuss their needs. Everyone just treated him like he belonged there--it was really funny! I hadn't planned on him being there at all, but it worked out that way.

61. SO THIS ALL ADDED UP to a very eventful day, and he said he felt like he had lived a year, so much had happened. So then Monday I went shopping for you and cleaned the whole house.

62. TUESDAY ARTHUR WENT HOME TO HIS FOLKS to pick up a car that his father bought him. Because he has to give up his nice big car to his boss because the firm owns it, and he wouldn't have a car, so his father offered to get him one for free. So he went to pick it up.

63. HE WAS SUPPOSED TO COME BACK BY TO SEE ME on his way home, but he never came and he never called, so I thought something must be wrong. Then Josh called once and said he'd call back, but he never did either. So I didn't think anything was really wrong and just figured something must have come up.

64. WELL, THE NEXT MORNING about 10:00 Arthur calls from work and he sounded as blue as blue can get. He said he called me every half hour from 10:00 last night until 2:00 in the morning and again at 6:30 in the morning until 10:00. He said he was just sick worrying about me. So he said he'd have to go, but he'd call me later.

65. WELL, ON WEDNESDAY HE'S TO COME OVER for dinner, so I got everything ready--but he never showed up! I just waited and waited, and finally at 9:00 the phone rings: He

told me that he just couldn't take it any longer! After thinking everything over, he had told his boss he wanted to come back to his job and asked if he would take him back! He told his brother and some of the workers that he was staying after all. I could hardly believe it!

66. I KNEW THE ENEMY WAS REALLY FIGHTING! He talked to me for about an hour about how he had been seduced by me and I had tried to influence his mind. He said,

67. "HOW CAN YOU HAVE SUCH BLIND FAITH IN ONE MAN!"--Don't you ever think for yourself and make your own decisions?" He said he thought he was a good person and lived a straight life and said he thought he could raise his own children good, and he just spouted lie after lie of the Enemy!--Putting down me, you, our way of life, and everything!

68. SO I GOT REAL MAD AND TOLD HIM OFF! I told him he was such a selfish person that he only thought of himself and wanted everything to himself! I said he was so proud and selfish, and I told him he was listening to the Devil! He listened to what I said. One of the things that he kept asking me about was,

69. "I'M JUST A PROJECT, AREN'T I!" He is so insanely jealous over me that the Enemy uses that against him the most. When he couldn't get ahold of me the night before, his imagination went wild and every little doubt and fear flooded him and the Enemy made a mountain out of nothing!

70. HE JUST BELIEVED EVERY LIE THAT CAME TO HIM! He then told me, when I asked him to come by and see me, that he couldn't. I asked him if I could come over and see him, and he said no, and that he had gone out and changed the lock on his front door so that I couldn't get in! Then he started crying and asked, "Am I mad, am I going crazy? Why did I do that?"

71. HE WAS REALLY UNSTABLE and

really sounded very bad. He hung up and I called him back. He said he loved me more than God and that he was only joining the family because he loved me.

72. HE SAID HE COULDN'T MAKE IT because he didn't love God first. These were all doubts of the Enemy too, so I just didn't accept them. So anyway we finally hung up. His last words over the phone were, "It sounds so final." I told him he was always welcome to come over any time.

73. SO ANYWAY, AS SOON AS HE HUNG UP I CALLED A CAB AND WENT OVER TO HIS PLACE IMMEDIATELY. I didn't know if he would open the door, but he did. He really looked horrible. I got him to wash his face, and told him it was a beautiful night and perfect for a walk. So we did.

74. WE WALKED AND TALKED AND I QUOTED THE BIBLE and reassured him I loved him. He kept saying how he had already asked to come back to his job, and that if he told them again he was leaving they would really think he was crazy! He said his brother was going home to tell his parents that he was deciding to go back to work.

75. APPARENTLY HE HAD GIVEN ALL OF HIS FRIENDS AND FAMILY THE IMPRESSION THAT I HAD SEDUCED HIM in-to making the decision to leave his job! He blamed it on me, and then he asked me, "Why did I do that? Why did I give everyone a bad impression of you? Why am I ashamed to tell them what I'm really doing?"

76. SO WE TALKED AND TALKED AND I SPENT THE NIGHT WITH HIM. In the morning we talked some more and he asked me, "What am I going to tell them?" So I knew he was going to have to tell them again, and I'm praying right now that he will have the strength to do it. I haven't heard yet what happened. But it will really humble him for sure, which is what he needs. He hates to break his words and wants to look good in the eyes of men. (To Be Continued!)