

"I've Never Felt A Love Like This!"

Does FF'ing work? Men whose lives have been changed say it is of God!

From Lee; Europe:

I WANTED TO SHARE A BIT ABOUT SOME OF THE MIRACULOUS FRUITS OF Flirty Fishing here. We are always amazed at the fruit He gives, knowing it is all thru' His love & Spirit & not of ourselves. First of all, I wanted to mention how miraculous it is that the Lord can make such an impression on these men thru' us, mere female flesh.

FROM TOP RANKING DIPLOMATS & EXECUTIVES to students & foreign emigrants, they all react the same way, saying things like, "I have never felt a love like this before" or "You have something I have never felt in a girl before." Feeling the Spirit of God & unable to express it otherwise, they say, "You are fantastic in bed!" One friend said to me recently after we made love for the first time, "You are love." I told him, "Yes, I am love from God," & he agreed.

WE TELL THEM WHAT IT IS THEY FEEL & EXPERIENCE—that it is the Love of God, & they cannot help but confess it is something more than an ordinary event. I truly believe that each of them feels the Lord thru' their contact with us, & many then know Him personally as a result, PTL!

THEN WHEN THEY MEET OTHERS OF THE FAMILY, they are struck by the sample of our sharing & love for each other, & this reinforces the idea that it is not only a personal love but something greater, a universal comprehensive love from the Lord.

OF COURSE WE HAVE TO KEEP GIVING THEM "BAIT" to keep them on the line, but nevertheless they are truly changed

and are never the same again. Those who doubt the effectiveness, permanency & fruitfulness of this method are just deceiving themselves, because we have seen fruit we never thought possible, which we can only attribute to the hand of God in the lives of the men He leads us to. Some examples:

X., A DIPLOMAT whom we met 6 months ago. He was FF'ed & helped us with a big donation each time he met us. Then he was kidnapped by a group of terrorists, & we began to pray for him daily. As a total surprise to the world he was then released & is now back with his family, the only one set free! We see him regularly & he cannot deny the miracle God did for him!

Y., A COMMUNIST WORLD LEADER, always denied the acceptability of Christianity as a solution to the world's problems. After being touched by the Lord's love thru' one of His lovers, he not only received the Lord into his heart but encourages other diplomats to trust the Lord in the face of the growing crises in the world. He now respects prayer & faith as capable of moving mountains.

Z., HEAD OF A LARGE ENVIRONMENTALIST COUNCIL, said after receiving love that he felt a "peace that passeth all understanding" & understood the Lord was reaching out to comfort him in the midst of disappointment over world problems. After only one meeting with us, he writes regularly & confesses his personal need for the Lord & the knowledge that He sent us to him to help him.

Q., A TOP 3RD WORLD JOURNALIST, prayed for the Holy Spirit & now wants all the

Mo Letters he can find, sympathizing with our worldwide cause. He sees the fulfillment of Bible prophecy in current events & wants to prepare.

THESE ARE SOME "BIG FISH" but we know that each & every soul is important to the Lord & He has also sent us some who are not big in the world's but rather in His eyes, people whose lives have been radically changed. I am so mad about the foolish things people try to say against the Lord & His anointing in attacking this obviously fruitful method of FF'ing that "I just can't do the subject justice!"

SUFFICE IT TO SAY THAT THESE CRITICS ARE REALLY MISSING SOMETHING in the form of much love from those helped, the satisfaction of knowing you are being used by the Lord & the eternal reward of knowing you have pleased Him by bringing souls into the Kingdom, men capable of influencing history, who would have been difficult if not impossible to reach without FF'ing. The Lord has truly blessed us, we feel, in using us in this way, to lay down our lives for His sheep, our brothers & lovers in the Lord.

P.S. ONE FRIEND SAID, "I never have a bad dream when you sleep with me." I said I chase away the bad spirits & he said, "Yes, because you pray!" They know it's the Lord, PTL! —The reason for it all! Much love forever from one of the Lord's & David's little FF'ers.

Fruit That Remains!

Long lost friend of Family witnesses to whole country!

From Zichri Longfellow; S.A.:

HERE'S THE THRILLING STORY OF A TV PRODUCER who received the Lord with the Family in 1976 & after losing contact with the Family for nearly 4 years, we finally met him again! Since then the Lord had been mightily using him on TV! He has a regular program which exposes how man's progress is backfiring but how in doing so he is only fulfilling the Endtime prophecies! The show is entirely dedicated to proving we're living in the Endtime! It's so anointed!—All because of the impact the Lord & the Family had on him years ago!

IT ALL STARTED WHEN WE VISITED A TV STATION in hopes of being able to sing & be interviewed. We proceeded to make an appointment with the station producer-director P., whom we hadn't met yet, for the following day. We weren't exactly abounding in faith to go on TV as we weren't really prepared, but the Lord told us to go, so we went! TTT!

WHILE WAITING FOR P. TO SHOW UP, WE WERE CASUALLY READING THE NEW FN when all of a sudden P. came in & immediately guessed who we were & looking into our eyes, seeing our guitar & catching a glimpse of the FN he said, "Los Niños de Dios!" & told us he'd met the Family in another country 4 years ago & that his wife & children received Jesus & it was the best thing that ever happened to him! He began to tell us how happy he was to see us, how much he needed to have "his batteries recharged" by our fellowship, about his TV show on the Endtime etc.

THEN HE GRABBED MY GUITAR & played a Family song

"No Mires Atras" & asked if we had heard of it. Imagined! Here we were at a TV station trying to get on the air as a Christian singing group to tell people about God's Love & planning to sing the same song the producer was playing to us!

WHEN WE WERE ALONE HE ASKED, "HOW IS PAPA MO DOING these days?" And when we replied that he was doing better than ever, he laughed with such happiness. He really loves the Letters & plans to base his next entire program on one of them.—A real "Saturday Night at the Movies with MO!"

WHEN WE TOLD HIM ABOUT THE LATEST LETTER "THE CRASH IS HERE" he reacted like it was nothing new as Dad had already written about that frequently in earlier Letters that he had read. He's been without Letters for 4 years as he was counseled not to bring them into this country. He is now getting a house quite a distance from major cities with a large garden to grow food. He really wants to train up his 4 children in the Lord with the help of the Letters! PTL! His wife too is on-fire & nearly dropped out with him before!

HE FELT BAD FOR NOT HAVING FORSAKEN ALL BACK THEN but felt that at his age he could do more on TV. So we reassured him that the Lord was really using him mightily.—Getting out the message to most of the country on TV! He loves you, Dad, & the Family after so many years. When we visited his house he immediately took out his family album with many photos of the brethren he had known. Apparently he helped the Family to get on TV there several times (that's

how he met us) & helped us so much that he began to receive persecution for being so closely related to us.

WHEN HE FIRST RETURNED TO HIS COUNTRY, he would put some Family music cassettes on as background music to his TV shows, hoping that someone from the Family would recognise it & make contact with him. It reminded me of the brother who went to Texas with a big sign on his car that said, "COG where are you?" P. also knows about 10 Family songs. We had such a good inspiration with him & his family. Then when they prayed to receive the Holy Spirit, they were so sweet & sincere as tears rolled down their cheeks, TVJ!

HE ALSO HAD WON HIS OWN DISCIPLE, a 21-year-old young man who helps him with his show & is really a true brother. P. had led him to the Lord & told him often about the Family so he too was overjoyed to meet us. Such hungry sheep!

THIS HAS BEEN ONE OF OUR MOST REWARDING EXPERIENCES since coming to this closed pioneer field—to see that God's sheep keep going no matter what & that God is in perfect control. The seeds that the Family sowed in his life have now borne fruit 100-fold! What an incredible reminder that a little bit of love goes a long, long way!—From being a friend of the Family 4 years ago he has quietly become an important part of God's work in his home country (which we have barely touched!) reaching literally 100's of 1000's monthly! May God bless him & those like him for their daring faith to keep fighting at any cost!

P.S. LAST NIGHT WAS HIS 3RD SHOW!—Straight witnessing! Hallelujah! Each show is so powerful & so well done that it gets big newspaper coverage! —Zichri L.

A Call To Reach Turks Abroad!

Millions of Turkish Immigrants Waiting to Be Reached in W. Europe & Australia!

From Ella, Freedom & Abner;

Turkish LIT-PICERS:

IT WAS SUCH A BLESSING TO GET "THE CRASH IS HERE" as we were able to buy a lot of wholesale food & survival items just before the Turkish Lira was devalued & prices doubled within a week! We found a potential refuge & we're now praying for mobility!

DESPITE THE DARKENING DAYS & BANKRUPT ECONOMY which is such a burden to the poor, we hope by God's grace to be able to "shlick" thru' it all with the meek mountain villagers & poor!

WHAT A VICTORY IT HAS BEEN TO COMPLETE OUR FIRST 2 FAMILY NEWS MAGS IN TURKISH!—And especially to translate & include "Richman Poorman" in the 2nd one as it applies so much to this country! We compile the mag here & then send it to be printed & mailed by our faithful team of Imana & Proverbs in Northern Europe. God bless Turkish Abner, our

translator! We were able to publish a small ad in a national music mag, offering to send a free copy of our "news on life, music, love, childcare etc." to anybody who requests it, & we're already receiving many responses!

MOST OF THE COUNTRY IS NOW UNDER MARTIAL LAW so we have had to abandon our idea of personal selah fitness as being too dangerous. So we are concentrating on a few potential sheep & also witnessing thru' the mail, as we feel a special concern to protect the ministry of the Word!

THE LORD'S SHOWN US A WAY TO REACH MILLIONS OF UNREACHED PRECIOUS TURKS, something we can't do right now in their native country! We've heard of church groups working solely with Turkish emigrants in countries like Germany, Holland, England, Belgium, Australia etc., & winning souls & translators etc. We don't want them to steal our crown, as we have so much more in

common & so much more to offer them!

SO WE INVITE & URGE THOSE OF YOU IN THOSE COUNTRIES to seek & search out those Turks which are lost. It could serve as excellent P.R. in your support ministry & even church ministry, proving you really are missionaries wherever you are! We can send you as much Turkish lit as you'd like for the mere printing & mailing costs—both FNs & single TKs.

MAYBE THIS TYPE OF MINISTRY WOULD APPEAL TO SOME OF THE ORIGINAL TURKEY PIONEERS now flourishing, or to anybody with the burden to love & reach this very precious people! It's always been such an encouragement to hear so much love for Turkey & the Turks in Dad's Letters, & they're truly going thru' rough times, so pray for them & reach them where you can with His Words while there's still time! We'd love to help you with lit! See our Want Ad in Mag 21.

Thank You For Opening My Heart!

From Daystar; U.S.A.

WE WANTED TO SHARE SOME REALLY EXCITING RESPONSES we received in the mail here in our city from those who have received the lit on the street. It has been such an encouragement to us to keep on witnessing as it is visible proof that these Wonder Working Words are indeed changing the world! Hallelujah!

"I FOUND ONE OF YOUR KOMIX in the gutter on the street. It was kind of torn but still good. I read it & it cheered me up a lot. Please send more!"

"TWO YOUNG MEN HAND-

ED ME YOUR PAMPHLET on the bus today. It gave me a lift since I am just getting over a nervous breakdown. Thank them for me. Its message moved me & left me content because I feel I am with God too."

"THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR LITTLE FLYER 'Beauty For Ashes' which was given to me by a nice young girl as I came off the freeway the other day. I always felt that the evil of the world was God's fault & I expected Him to prove Himself to me. I always knew that He was watching but nonetheless I continued to defy Him

as a child defies his parents. When I read your pamphlet I knew that I was wrong. I knew that the evil of this world is but the means whereby we come to love Him for the beauty He produces. I opened my Bible which had remained unused for years & started to read. I knew right away that I had to start worshipping regularly but that more important still I had to have Him in my heart & start to live as a true Christian every hour. I would love to see some more of your writings to keep me on the true path. Thank you so much for opening my heart!"

To Know Him Is To Love Him!

Expressions of Love to Dad from those far & near!

From Peter A'dam:

Dear Dad,
GBY! ILY! WHILE SUE & I WERE TALKING yesterday I realized I hadn't thanked you for quite a while for all you've done, not only for the whole world but for me personally. Your words saved me from the Pitt (TTL) —Dad.)

THEY GAVE ME A REASON TO LIVE. Because of your obedience I was led to the Lord & given a chance to serve Him —the most precious thing ever given me. I could never thank you enough. So the best I can do is to try my hardest to serve both Him & you all the days of my life. Thank you so much. Love always, Peter. (TTL) —UB!

From a Visitor to Dad's Home: Dearest Folks,

I LOVE YOU! I'm not the one for emotional outbursts, but just thinking of you & your love really has brought tears to my eyes. I love you so much & am just so thankful to have been able to come here. It's only been a couple of days but it seems so much longer in all that has happened.

THERE ARE A HUNDRED LITTLE THINGS or instances, besides the major thills of reading all this new wine, talking to you on the phone, Maria, getting my responsibilities in perspective from the standpoint of conviction on certain issues etc.

FOR EXAMPLE, FROM THE TIME OF MEETING PETER AT THE STATION & recounting how I'd forgotten the mozzarella cheese on the train, instead of my usual reaction, "Boy did I space out, what a blow-it!" I instead felt comforted by his recollection of "Maybe someone on the train is going to really need something to eat more than us!"

In other words like Letter 880: **"I'M SO UTTERLY CONVINCED OF THE LOVE & MERCY & JUSTICE & LONG-SUFFERING OF GOD,** that I know whatever happens is what ought to happen, or what God allows to happen for a reason!" Everyone here projects this same "God's-in-control" attitude that's just so reassuring.

SO ALL THIS TO SAY, if what you mentioned on the phone works out I just want to reconfirm I'm willing to go anywhere, do anything etc. Whenever, however I will try my best. —Or even if it's not the jobs you referred to—know anyone who needs a good houseboy, errand runner or anything? —Hal Well, I don't want to ramble on but just say I love you & thank you for everything!!—Hosanna.

From Sue; M&M's staff:

I sure love you, Dad!
THANK YOU, & MARIA TOO, for your sweet words of encouragement this afternoon. I really mean it!—And I can't tell

you how greatly you encouraged & inspired me. Amazing how words can affect!—Especially when they're power-packed with that special love! I sure need you! **IN OUR LATEST DEVOTIONS** we've been reviewing Letters such as "Sorry Judas, It's Too Late!" & with news of latest backsliders it hit me so strongly to not so righteously condemn, but rather to pray for the continued guidance by Jesus & His Spirit, to stick close to the Light, you & those precious Words we need so much!

LORD HELP ME, ONE OF MY GREATEST FEARS has been to fail the Lord & you, but I feel more assured now, tho' I fear the Lord, not to be afraid of failure but rather to trust & obey in Him & your Words. Then I'll never let you down!—By His grace! "If ye continue in My Word, then are ye my disciples indeed; & ye shall know the truth & the truth shall make you free" (Jn. 8:31-32.) ILY forever!—Sue. (Amen) GBY! ILY!

I thought I couldn't love you more, but every day I do!

From Gloria:

Dearest Dad, how I love your every word The sweetest sounds that I've ever heard. I want to bathe & to bask in them And spread them like honey from limb to limb. Yes! Give me an orgy! Give me a feast! I love every word, from greatest to least! Send me down in a parachute, up in a kite, It's your words that can thrill me & give me a fright, Or love me or prod me or chasten or touch—Oh Dad! Can't you see that I love you so much? Dear Jesus, Your help I so desperately need! Send one of Your birds to intercede To go to my Father, send your sweet Dove To tell him my heart is bursting with love! Now I pray these words may touch you as my body never has, That they gently kiss your loving lips Thru' which those sweet words pass. Jesus, give them spirit now, for my dear spirit lover, And let my spirit fly to him & let Yours always hover.