

SHE HAD TO GO THRU' IT ALONE, it was her battle. One night she was clinging onto the bed post as the Enemy was attacking her so badly she felt unreal, & that the world was fading into unreality. We rebuked the Enemy & I got the verse, "Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat, but I have prayed for thee that thy faith fail not: and when thou art converted, strengthen thy brethren" (Lk. 22:31,32).

BUT THE ATTACK WENT ON UNTIL WE ALL STARTED TO PRAISE THE LORD as loud as we could! During this time she'd have mild hallucinations, whether due to the drugs or demonic attack, we don't know, but it was very disconcerting for her. Several times I put a mattress for myself on the floor of her & Debbie's room so she'd feel comforted by my presence.

BOY, DID SHE EVER LEARN TO FIGHT! The spiritual battle was made so clear to her—even the name of her disease "Lupus" (wolf in Latin) showed her what a spiritual battle it was. She began to really see the importance of soul winning, school faded into the background.

SHE WAS LEARNING THAT WHICH IS OF MOST IMPORTANCE—life & death, the reality of living, of living for the Lord & others, & the daily battle! How easy it is for a young strong person to be unaware of others' weaknesses, for an intelligent person to be impatient with the slow & feeble-minded.

IN 6 SHORT (BUT FOR HER LONG) MONTHS, SHULY LEARNED WHAT IS COMPASSION for the weak, understanding for the slow-witted, & the urgency for souls. She hadn't

committed any great crime for which she was being punished (altho' the Devil was telling her so!).

THE LORD WAS JUST GIVING HER A CRASH COURSE in spiritual warfare & love, not to underestimate the wiles of the Enemy, learn how to recognise & rebuke an attack & to learn to love the Lord more than ever, & others. She says that altho' she has to go around the rest of her days with an umbrella in the sunshine (& it's sunny 90% of the time here!), she doesn't mind at all, because in the first place it's a humbler, & in the second place it is a constant reminder of God's loving concern for her spiritual walk with Him.

SO DON'T GET DISMAYED if things look like they are going wrong in the life of your son or daughter. God's ways are not our ways, & who are we to question the way in which He deals with our children? After all, they are first & foremost His children! We are just their loving stewards!

HE WILL NEVER GIVE EITHER THEM OR US ANYTHING

THAT IS TOO HARD TO BEAR

"There hath no temptation taken you, but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape that ye may be able to bear it" (1Cor. 10:13).

(Amen! *Pray for them! It's an attack of the Enemy!—Dad.*) (Dearest Shuly & Mom: *ILY & PFY! Keep your eyes on Jesus! He never fails!—You don't have to have it all your life! Resist the Devil & he shall flee from you!*—It's just an attack of Satan! Read Job! The Devil is furious over your testimony! So God is letting him test you! Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivereth him out of them all!—Hallelujah! Deliverance is on the way! Don't give up! Heb. 12. Take a stand like Job. "Thou He slay me, yet will I trust Him!" and God will deliver!—I believe it! I know it! I desperately prayed & got the same answer: Luke 22:31,32! GBAKY! ILY!—Dad.)



"Do you realise we are now producing a new more revolutionary generation? —100% revolutionaries from the time they were born! So don't hinder your children from finding out how to do it in their generation! They're further ahead already than any one of us!" (251:23,34.)

FAMILY FORUM:

A Warning To Parents!

We must heed the warning in "Child Brides"!

From Carlos:
THERE IS MORE TO "CHILD BRIDES" (NO. 902) THAN READILY MEETS THE EYE! Its main points come thru' loud & clear, but underlying them is an unmistakable warning about what may result from our failure to heed them.

THAT WARNING SPOKE TO ME loud & clear perhaps because for over 20 years I was a seemingly hopeless & helpless victim of the warping sexual privation the Letter warns about. When I was born my mother, who had had a warped childhood herself, appeared to have decided to make me into some sort of perfect man. Her conception was that I should have no need or desire that she herself had not suggested. As early as I can remember my mother would come watch me bathe, would touch & pull my penis & announce that it belonged to her.

BY AGE 12 IN FULL PUBERTY with a tasty mulatto woman (our maid) quite willing to help me out, plus a few others in the neighborhood ready to at least have their breasts felt (a very big deal at that age), my mother would tell me that I was sick, wrong & should be ashamed. Add to this the facts that I never saw my parents embrace & that for sex education they sent me to the family doctor so he could show me some unimaginative drawings of a vagina & an erected penis, & you have the basic ingredients for a really screwed-up kid!

WELL, ALL OTHER AVENUES OPEN TO A BOY AT THAT AGE & in those circumstances are few & "wrong", & after the first few years of adolescence spent in almost total privation, they lead to either sexual instability, "Don Juanism", rapist tendencies, total abstinence, or hom-

osexuality—the Devil's own grab bag of sexual unhappiness, the alternatives to God's simple, logical, pleasurable, natural way to enjoy His gifts (your body is one of them) without abuse & with the prayerful guidance of parents who are Spirit-led themselves.

THE YOUNG TEENAGER WHO HAS TRUSTED & TURNED TO HIS PARENTS for practically everything, if he finds no explanations or ways to fulfill his need except harsh words, long faces & humiliating remarks, will become confused & only neurotic behaviour can breed. If left unchecked it becomes chronic, even pernicious, & the road back, if any, is very tortuous & painful. I know. Thank God He can get us back, if we trust & obey!

IT'S HEART-BREAKING TO THINK HOW MANY PARENTS PLAY WITH THEIR CHILDREN'S SEXUALITY. You'd think they would have learned by now from their own trying years. That they don't learn, that they do not do everything within their power to shield & protect their own offspring from such catastrophes, but instead seem to be pawns in the Devil's plan to perpetuate this disaster, makes "Child Brides" all the more important & its message all the more momentous.

AS I MOVED THRU' MY TEENS I BECAME INCREASINGLY DIFFICULT to respond to my God-given desires to get together with a female body. The positive sexual possibilities were endless but I was already, at the age of 17, so blinded & confused—so far gone—that I couldn't partake. I simply opted for no sex. Fear froze me. To tell the truth, I just don't remember my first real sexual ex-

perience. I must have felt so guilty or something that I suppressed it entirely from my memory. What a pity!

FINALLY AT AGE 26 I LAUNCHED INTO A GAY LIFE-STYLE which became so ingrained that it even caused my undoing the first time I joined the Family. The most troubling thing about the gay world is the false sense of security it gives you. It's a self-sustained, self-contained sub-culture in which you think you're rebelling against the system when in reality it is profiting from the confusion it has led you into!

I COULD GO ON FOREVER ABOUT THE MANY TEEN-AGERS I MET, budding homosexuals entrapped by their confused minds, & I knew their sufferings & their feelings of "there's no way out". Their sexual feelings have been frozen at the inquisitive, sensitive age of 13-15, & they never seem to mature, carrying their fear of women, their guilty feelings, their unhappiness, the rest of their life (unless they receive the Lord, forsake their desires & have faith in a deliverance in His time). No wonder the morbid saying: "The only happy homosexual is a gay corpse."

PTLI MY CASE, WHICH I ONLY HIGHLIGHTED HERE, may sound a bit extreme, & it is. But I pray it will be useful to those in & out of the Family who may need a living example to come fully to grips with the importance of Dad's inspired message in "Child Brides"! That was a very timely Letter. Our sexual clarity, that of our teenagers especially, is going to be so important as a witness, seeing that the world is heading for an asexual stage. So much depends on how willing we are to guide them in the right spirit during their first sexual steps. God bless Dad for conveying that message to us! —Carlos.

He Will Take Care of His Own!

Comments & Questions, Testimonies & Tips Taken From the Monthly Reports

"ROSE HAS BEEN COMMUNICATING WITH A WOMAN who took a course at Glenn Doman's Institute for Human Development. She told Rose that the book 'Teach Your Baby to Read' was written conservatively. A new revised edition is to be printed soon. One of the changes is that instead of showing the child a word for 10 seconds, it recommends flashing the word to the child—15 words 5 words each session, each session 3 times a day, using 5 words for 5 days. At the end of 5 days retire 5 words & add 5 new words. Make each group of 5 words related (i.e. names, body parts, animals household items etc.). Rose has been using this with our boys & they love it & are learning quickly. Keep it fast!—& fun!—& only when they're good. Learning is a reward! Avoid testing children too much as this will turn them off. Have fun!—Timothy & Rose; U.S.A.

"WE HAD A HARDER DELIVERY this time because we had a light attitude & didn't take it seriously enough to prepare for it. We were over-confident because of our previous easier deliveries." —Micah & Moriah; U.S.A.

"LITTLE SOLOMON (16 MOS.) IS LEARNING MOTIONS to songs like 'Singing a Song of Love' by Amminadab & 'The Wise Man Built His House Upon a Rock'. It's really cute to watch him & heart-breaking almost to see how much effort he puts into it because of his handicap. He has recently learned to keep sitting up once



Happy Mommies & babies!—Marina (Chinese) with Jeremy-3 mos., & Nekoda (U.S.) with Andrew-3 mos. in S.E. Asia. Photo by James.

you put him in the right position. Progress!—Pablo & Joyful; U.S.A.

"OUR LITTLE HANDICAPPED 2½-YR.-OLD started to walk. We were overjoyed to see such a development. This will make it a lot easier because we also have a 1-yr.-old & expect another child in October (our 5th, TYJ!). —Habakuk & Scharchen; Europe.

"FOR THOSE WHO ARE P.G. & have a problem finding maternity trousers to cover long legs, here's a simple solution. I found that by buying a regular pair of double-knit trousers with elastic all the way around the waist, I could wear them backwards & they fit perfect. Of course, you need to buy them several sizes larger than your normal size to allow for the baby to grow." —Huldah Scriber; U.S.A.

"DOCTORS TOLD ME I COULD NOT HAVE CHILDREN after I suffered thru' miscarriages. But now our 8-mo.-old son is a real testimony to many as we serve the Lord. In teaching natural childbirth classes we are

able to give hope to many women who are told they cannot conceive. We tell them of the Lord's love & His ability to heal anyone who believes in Him & has the faith." —Konath & Shushan; U.S.A.

"JULIA (AGE 5) WILL BE PLACED AT THE TOP OF HER CLASS by her teachers who are amazed at how quickly she learns new things. TTL for His Spirit & the Letters which have helped the children so!" —Jakim & Starr; Europe.

"IN MAY 22 WE PARTICULARLY ENJOYED HABAKUK 2:4'S TESTIMONY of his marriage. We had the pleasure to live & work with them before we had children, & it helps us so much now that we have 2 of our own to apply the lessons learned then. It is such good training as a young mated couple (or single) to live with an old couple & help with the kids. We would suggest that more older couples write testimonies of how they made it (like the one by Matthew & Renee Canada) & got victories from the

Lord, for us younger ones. We sure need some encouragement as I know some newly mated couples who have tremendous battles staying together & making their relationship work for the glory of God." —Jonah & Abigail; Europe.

"HELPFUL HINT FOR BUSY MOTHERS: Try getting a teenaged girl from a church who is on vacation or has free time during the day to help out at home. It is a good opportunity to witness & win a catamancer or full-time disciple. We are doing it, & it's a real blessing. We got our help from the Adventist Church." —Luis & Ruthie; S. America.

ABOUT WW TAPES: "Once while planning out verses for a skit of John 9, to my surprise I found out that the children, Gabrielle-5 & Francis-4, knew almost the whole chapter word for word! This is because at naptime I almost always put on a 'Story of Love' tape. Again, while starting them memorizing John 10 I found they knew almost the whole of that chapter also!—Even 2½-year-old Faithy knows most of it! All 3 know the Gospel stories real well just from listening to these tapes, as well as other verses, stories or Grandpa quotes that are on the other Wild Wind Tapes. Dad said, 'Brainwashing is our business,' & it's done a good job of keeping our kids' minds clean, & it never returns void. So thank God for these tapes. They do what we ourselves could never do!" —Mark; Europe.

"WE'RE ALL SO INSPIRED TO SEE THE FRUITS OF FEEDING the children the Word via Letters & WW tapes. One day I overheard Joey-2½ quoting his sister Jessica-4's the whole story of 'Desert Crossing' word for word. When Daddy came

home that night Joey quoted 3 Letters for Him—'Desert Crossing', 'Dime from the Sky' & 'God Cares'. Since then he's even more excited to read the Word & is making fantastic progress in his memory work, knowing many Mo quotes & parts of Letters. His sister reads fluently, so many times they sit down together while Mommy's busy & she reads Joey Mo Letters. It's so encouraging to see their hunger for the Word!" —Shem & Shelah; S. America.

IDEA FOR MEMORY WORK: "Memory verses in the form of a 'ticket book' have really encouraged Andrew-7 to get back on the track of more faithfully memorizing & reviewing. The idea is the reward system, like what specific thing does the child really want or like? Andrew wanted a camera, so I put together a 'jumbo ticket book' of 25 tickets (or verses), plus smaller books of 10 tickets (verses) each. Each verse he memorizes he tears out as we go along, & he can visibly see that he's accomplishing a lot, & at the end of the 'ticket book' he gets his reward—a camera for the big book & a roll of film for each smaller 'ticket book'. I think this one idea has been what's encouraged him to keep pressing in, as he was losing the desire to memorize new verses till we tried it." —Moriah; Guam.

"REMEMBER THAT CHILDREN UNDER 2 pay only 10% on most int'l. flights. After age 2 it's 50%! So take advantage of this before your child turns 2!" —Byron Heart; Europe.

"IT WOULD BE REALLY HELPFUL IF A CHILDCARE WORKER could give us some help on how they schedule their time during the day with the children & any suggestions on how they keep the children inspired." —Bethlehem Snow; U.S.A.



"I like my Mo-bible!" Christina "Van Van" daughter of Katrina & Zachariah in Asia.

ATTN: PARENTS-TO-BE IN U.S.: "We recently became aware of a U.S. federal law, the Hill-Burton Act, that says that certain hospitals are obligated over a fixed period of time to provide a certain amount of free or reduced-cost services to persons who are unable to pay for the care they receive. We applied for these funds by filling out a form in the hospital & as a result our entire bill was cancelled." —Peter & Sybil; U.S.A.

ATTN: PREGNANT MOMS: "Hebron heard an announcement over BBC radio that pregnant moms who take aspirin frequently can give birth to 'blue' babies, which probably means the babies can have problems with breathing." —Hebron & Heidi; Europe.

"THE LETTER 'FEVERS' WAS SO TIMELY as our son had just gotten a fever & we took it very lightly, thinking he would get over it soon. But it only got worse & worse. After reading 'Fevers' we prayed for him & immediately his fever