

top—just set it aside each week with the 10 percent. We've done it now for the past two months & we haven't lacked a bit."
—Joeliah & Jewel; Canada.

SOUND OFF: "FISH ARE BEING MEDDLED WITH without permission or counselling with the bait. For example, a sister recently sent one of our fish a Valentine's card. She never asked permission & only wrote him after finding out we had received a fairly large donation from him. She has never been in contact with him before in the year-&-a-half he has been fished. Another example: Some brethren wanted to ask my fish for a loan without permission. They know I've worked so hard on him & that he would be the one to help us get mobile. We just don't understand this sort of thing being practised among brethren, as we would never think of upsetting anyone's ministry."
—Leah & Oasis; Caribbean.

"I HAVE A QUESTION CONCERNING FINANCES: I bought a camper a few months before which I had to sell as it needed too many repairs. My question is: I had already tithed the money I used to buy it. Do I tithe again the money I received from the sale of it, or do I count it as already paid? Sorry to bother you, but I really couldn't find the answer written anywhere in the Letters. I wanted to know for future reference. Thanks, GBY!"
—Menora Sunshine; Australia. (Regardless of what you use your 90% for, it's still income & the 10% is the Lord's!—D.)

"HOW ABOUT KEEPING A MONTHLY PUBLISHED CHART on the number of brethren living in the U.S. & how we are going into all the world, or are we stagnating?"
—Maschli; U.S.A. (Read the Stats published each Quarter! It's all there!)

"I DON'T MEAN TO SOUND NEGATIVE & perhaps it's too

late to say this, but we've noticed in times past that some brothers on the field who needed sexual help were wondering why they rarely got it, & in quite a few we saw they were almost a walking sweat sock which can turn a woman off! I think a lot of men need to learn how to be well-groomed & put on a little 'charm' & chivalry to woo & win their sisters!—'Revolutionary Men'!
—Jacob Cartoon & Gishala; Europe.

"WE RECEIVED A SPECIAL ANSWER TO A QUESTION we had on an earlier report. I was surprised & thankful since it was the first direct answer I've ever gotten besides thank-you notes for special donations. It made me feel good to know that these reports are actually read by someone. It looks like the work must be doing better than ever. We're getting our mailings now. Thanks for your answer. 'We read 'm gill!'
—Michael & Rebecca; Mexico.

"WE'D LIKE TO HEAR MORE TESTIMONIES OF PEOPLE WHO MADE IT TO S.A. from Europe (France, Belgium or Spain)—how they did it, cost, problems etc."
—Jethro & Etelle; Europe. (please.)

"WE REALLY LIKE THE MWM TAPES. The only thing that shocked us is the 'rock'! After all that we had been reading on it in the Letters???"
—Thomas Ataque & Abigail Petite Fleuri; Europe. (It's not hard rock!)

"WE WANT TO SHAPE A FEW SUGGESTIONS ABOUT PRINTING LIT. The way we do it usually is by provisioning the paper & the printer. We pay for our negatives at a greatly reduced price by knowing already what other local people pay. A good place to look for paper is publishing companies or where they print the local newspapers. They print by rolls & usually there is a lot of scrap from the damages of some of these rolls which can

printing & is of perfectly good quality. After having the paper & the negatives all ready for printing according to the size of the paper, it is usually fairly easy to provision the printer. We have been using the newsprint type of paper. We need to pray for the Lord to touch the hearts of the owners of all these companies around the world to be willing to give more paper. They have a lot of it!—So we can get the job done faster & Jesus can come back!
—John & Esther; S.E. Asia.

"FOR FREE, OR CHEAPER LIT, let a company advertise on the back of the lit."
—Neti Australia. (try it!—D.)

"WOULD IT BE POSSIBLE TO HAVE AN INT'L. LIT-PICT NEWSLETTER with ideas, testimonies & suggestions to learn how others get the job done?"
—Thal LIT-PICT. (The FNI!)

"WE'D LIKE TO KNOW WHAT DAD THINKS ABOUT BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS. I (Boaz) had a blood transfusion at 6 years of age for a serious auto accident. They say it saved my life, but I am not sure if it may have some bad side effects as some medical journals are starting to come out with, particularly with regard to the diffusion of hepatitis, which I also suffered in later life. (Boaz & Marina; Europe. (Right!—It's drinking blood which is advised against in both O.T. & N.T.—D.)

"HOW ABOUT WRITING SOMETHING FOR THE PEOPLE WHO GO AROUND MAKING 'LOVE' to everyone they meet without taking the responsibility & leaving them behind without care with a broken heart & even with children!"
—Leysha; Europe. (Agreed!—What more can we say? See ML Nos. 332C, 529, 663; XI, XII; 746; 713, 20-23.—Dad.)

"FOR THOSE LEARNING MUSIC/GUITAR, try to find a

When you're familiar with that, move to a more complicated one. Later read thru' different ones & pick out ideas. This is tried & proven!"
—John & Anne; Scandinavia.

"SOMETIMES I HAVE A TRIAL WHEN HOMES DO NOT INVITE YOU INSIDE THEIR DOORS. I mean, they're not interested in sharing, not sex only, but just plain fellowship."
—Angelo; Scandinavia. (Rom. 12:13)

"IN SENDING DONATIONS TO MISSIONARY FAMILIES, I used to wait till the end of the month & send what was left, but there was rarely anything. I've found the best way is to tell the Lord I'll tithe or sing or whatever this day for a missionary family & send it off right away."
—Emmanuel; Europe. (GBY!)

"WE NOTICED THAT THERE ARE SLIDES AVAILABLE of Zefferelli's 'Jesus of Nazareth' (cost is 40 pounds for 144 slides). It would be a blessing for the field & mobile ministry. They're from the British & Foreign Bible Society. (no name) (Also on Video!)

"WE ARE SEEING THAT SLIDES ARE A VERY USEFUL TOOL that could help others to share our world work even on an exchange system where each sends the other slides to show to friends & Family. We have seen slides of 'Jesus of Nazareth' & they are very good for telling the story of Jesus in any language."
—Phineas & Rebecca; British Isles.

"IF MORE BRETHREN WOULD SEND IN GIFTS FOR FOREIGN FIELDS it would take a lot of pressure off the pioneers & poorer homes who are having a hard time financially & their ministries are getting bogged down. The Lord has blessed us many different ways besides financially for even the little we try to send each month."
—Timothy & Palmi; U.S.A. (Amen!)

"I HIGHLY RECOMMEND THE MOVIE 'THE FORMULA'



Another lovely view! This one's Merisha too!—Also from "down under"! Photo by Kasa.

control of the world. Would like to see what Dad has to say about it."
—Joiah & Brunhild; U.S.A. (Sorry, haven't seen the movie, but know oil greases the palms of the world!—D.)

"IT WOULD BE NICE TO HEAR TESTIMONIES OF THOSE WHO SHARE THEIR MATES, their trials & victories. I had a system boyfriend who needed many women & I used to find it trying & read 'Jealousy' a lot & kept praying for love al-

AMERICANS BEWARE! "MARK OF BEAST" HERE!

AN INCREDIBLE THING HAPPENED RECENTLY IN CALIFORNIA. An elderly lady received an IRS check; when she tried to cash it, she was refused. On the back of the check were these words, "Do not cash unless bearer has mark on hand or forehead." The lady sent the check back because obviously she did not have such a mark. She was issued another check with the explanation that it was a mistake and that this type of check will not be issued until 1984.

ways."—Marta; Europe. (Amen!)
"I'D LIKE TO SEE MORE TESTIMONIES OF THOSE WHO ARE WITNESSING IN SELAH FIELDS. Any tips on how to stay active, on-fire & inspired in a selah country where you are so limited? How do other brethren do it?"
—Rozie; S.A. (Send 'm in, Family!)

"WE'VE FOUND THAT PRINTING UP A LITTLE MAGAZINE made up of 6-10 Letters helps us to get out more Word to those really interested & also brings in good donations. The Lord helped us & another couple to print 1,000 magazines completely free, & they go really well. We feel a real need for this in other languages too—great for friends & supporters!"
—Jean Paul & Delphine; S. Pacific. (Amen! Go to it!—D.)

"IT WOULD BE ENCOURAGING TO SEE MORE TESTIMONIES OF MATES OR MARRIAGES who have 'stuck' as opposed to the seeming trend to jump from mate to mate. (We've been sticking for 9 years!)—Not without trials, testings & separations. And we both agree we love each other more thru' it all, PGII!"
—Shosh & Sherah; U.S.A. (I did 30!)

"LET'S MAKE KOMIC POSTERS for schools, club bars etc. It works!"
—Angelo; Scandinavia.

(which has been verified by an associate pastor of our church) I thought of Revelation 13:16-18. "And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark on their hand, or in their foreheads; and that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name. Here is wisdom, let him that hath understanding count the number of man, and his number is six hundred three-score and six." (It's coming!)

Life Begins At 40!

"It's love that turned the trick in my life!"

From Carlos Translator; Caribbean.

IT MAY SURPRISE YOU THAT I'M WRITING THIS AT ALL, as I'm just a bit over 6 months old, having turned 40 only last October. But I owe my precociousness to an early start on life. Let me tell you a-bout it!

FROM THE VERY BEGINNING THE LORD HAS HAD HIS PERFECT WAY IN THIS. Showing great mercy in spite of my wayward ways, He & His Family lovingly received me back in February, 1980. Less than 8 months later (see? we're moving fast!), I was born (turned 40!) in an overnight train from Buenos Aires to Mendoza on October 18, 1980, during our recently ended pioneer months in Argentina.

IN BETWEEN I WAS THOROUGHLY PREPARED FOR A TOTALLY NEW LIFE, a real beginning the likes of which I had often secretly wished for but had always considered beyond my reach. A family unit to which I could belong has been a tremendous blessing for which I will be eternally thankful, a living, loving chance to redirect my life & become a man indeed, a real fulfillment of God's Will for me.

THE LORD'S WAYS INCLUDED, BESIDES ROSA, HER THREE CHILDREN—all girls of course—thrown in for good measure, for very good measure! How can you miss the point of the Lord's real love for a man when you have four young lovelies doting on you & loving you up—His most beautiful creation at different ages, from 5 months to 26 years, beautifying your house, your ambience, your very life? Thank You Jesus!

MY LIFE HAS REALLY BEGUN NOW THAT I'VE TURN-

ED 40, for there hadn't been much of a life to speak of during the preceding 40. The seed of conception was planted back when I was 35 & first gained knowledge of Jesus, of the transforming power of the love He embodies & of the Family that He guides & inspires thru' a father & prophet who professes & personifies that very love. BUT THOSE 35 YEARS OF HARD LABOUR IN THE SYSTEM'S MANY GILDED SIBERIAS had so warped me & made me barren that it has really taken most of these last 5 years to get my new being together, born & productive. That I'm making it is the real testimony, not how long it took, & I pray that it will be an encouragement to others who feel the Lord can't use them because of their handicaps.

FOR IN SPITE OF SOME AC COMPLISHMENTS DURING MY FIRST 2 1/2 YEARS in the Family, my service to the Lord had been marred & eventually stopped entirely by my selfish

refusal to give totally of myself to a woman in a fruitful relationship, to the point of choosing instead the perverted pleasures of this world for what seemed like an interminable season. Yet, those kinds of seasons mercifully do end.

AND THE LORD HAS NOW AMPLY REWARDED MY WILLINGNESS to have Him liberate me from my weakness by choosing me in my new life as a conduit or instrument for the creation of a "new" life, TYJI ROSA'S PERIOD WAS NEARLY TWO WEEKS OVERDUE & she was feeling "different" & a quick drugstore test confirmed that she is pregnant, TYLI. That's the biggest gift, reward, encouragement & confirmation I've received since stepping out into my new life a year ago.—Not bad for such a baby to be on his way to becoming a father!

"I have seen his ways, & will heal him: I will lead him also, & restore comforts unto him." (Is. 57:18) "Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, & He saveth them out of their distresses. He sent His Word, & healed them, & delivered them from their destructions." (Ps. 107:19,20).



Carlos, happy in his love-filled new life at 40!—With his 4 lovelies, Rosa & daughters Fé (Fachi), Mikal & Anim.

MOREOVER, THE TESTIMONIES OF US OVER 40'S WILL HOPEFULLY INSPIRE & encourage, as Dad suggests they will, those who feel that all the fun & games are over at, say, 34 or 37. Certainly a lot depends on your faith in the Lord's power to keep you enjoying the good pleasures of life, but a good deal also depends on how diligent & consistent you are now in your 20s & early 30s to keep to health-building & health-maintaining habits in your meals, rest & recreation. At 8 feet tall & small boned, I try to keep my weight between 145-150 pounds, & as a result I normally outlast my wife & kids, which I have to

if I endeavour to respond to their needs & also do my daily writing & translating chores.

LOVING TENDER MOMENTS OFTEN DURING THE DAY ARE ESSENTIAL to my health at 40, & for anyone else, I'm sure! And making love quite often—an average of at least every other day, preferably at night, altho' quite often in the mornings as well especially during Full Moon—is an invaluable health tip. It makes for a deep restful sleep if at night, or for a God's-Love-First kind of day if around dawn, with time for a cat-nap before arising. "Noon-ers" are not so bad either, if your lifestyle includes a short siesta,

as ours did when we became one with the Argentinians.

IT IS QUITE FITTING TO CLOSE ON THAT NOTE—THE LOVE NOTE—for after all, it's love that's turned the trick in my life! Finding love's human manifestation in Rosa whose love for me has, if anything, grown by leaps & bounds thru' this first year, has been the main event of this truly new over-40 life! Feeling how Jesus just pours out more & how, if you're willing, you learn to love by—simply, loving! It's that easy, & Jesus does the rest, in rewards, peace & security, (TYJI Hallelujah! Love, Carlos. And we've certainly learned to love you!—Over 40 D.)

My Life Is Just Starting!

From Joseph Flowers; Europe:
I FIRST MET THE FAMILY IN 1971 WHEN I WAS 30, in Toronto, Canada. For three years I was a "king" to them by helping with furniture, clothes, food & a printing press for the Mo Letters which is now, I believe, in S. America. PTL!

I GOT INTERESTED IN THE MO LETTERS when I got saved by praying with my stepson to receive Jesus. He backslid, & two months later I joined full-time! No one asked me to join, but I felt the spirit of the Letters & the Bible & I had to do something. When my stepson quit, I asked him for all his Mo Letters. In two months I read them all (about 2-300 at that time), plus the "Revolution For Jesus Handbook" & Bible.

SINCE JOINING THE LORD HAS SUPPLIED SOULS, DISCIPLES—many lives changed— thru' the Letters, the Bible & personal witnessing. I cannot imagine doing any other job but for Dad & Jesus as I'm their son. My greatest pleasure is when I'm witnessing & working on the words into Rumanian together with Peter our only Rumanian disciple.



Joseph getting out the Wonder Working Words! "My greatest pleasure is when I'm witnessing..." Photo by Elliz.

I FIRMLY BELIEVE IN THE LETTERS & IN DAD as God's Endtime Prophet as evidenced by his fruits & prophecies fulfilled & soon to be fulfilled. I guess I'm like Peter who said, "Who else can I go to? Thou alone hast the words of eternal life!" That's you, Dad!—Thanks to Jesus! Thanks so much for so much! As your Letters have been poured out to me I hope in turn to pour it back out upon others so that they may be comforted by the same comfort wherewith I am comforted.

I ALSO FF & ENJOY IT IMMENSELY! It's a blessing to

see someone get changed by the personal love of Jesus & David that we all have thru' the Letters & that we need to pour out on others. Truly we all need to count our blessings! Also I thank Jesus for the freedom we have in our Family which the world needs to yet understand & manage in moderation.

SO AT 40 (BORN NOV. 5, 1940) I'M ABOUT TO START MY NEXT 7 YEARS in the Family, wanting to forsake all more & more as time grows so short & we have so little time to do it all! For me, life began with the Family & at 40 I feel I haven't pioneered all there is to do, so truly my life is just starting with great works still to do & mountains to climb. Jesus said we would do "greater works", so let's go & conquer the world! Truly life continues in greater force!

AT THE MOMENT I'M MISSING A HELPMEET (my wife in the System could not pay the price of forsaking all), so if anyone is interested please get in touch. Also donations would be accepted for our needs in getting the Words of David into Rumanian. Love in Jesus & David.—Joseph Flowers. (GBY! It's the greatest time of life!)