

January — March 1995 Word

**Suppose ye that I am come to give *peace on earth*?
I tell you “nay” but rather *division*. (Luke. 12:49)**

EXPECT the next move of God to be one of heartbreaking division. God is about to divide families, churches, states, nations and even divide your soul from your spirit. He is singling everyone off to come before Him for judgment in the valley of Jehoshaphat. We are spending millions of dollars trying to find methods that will bond the children with the parents, etc. But Jesus has the simple answer. IN HIM we will be knit together in love. We have to give up what we have, to get what the Lord has for us. When Paul heard there were divisions in the Corinthian church, he said they must come so those approved could be recognized among us. As we all appear before Him the motives and intents of our hearts will be revealed. Expect the pastors to be shaken out of their pulpit so the people can come before God. You will see murder and wickedness abound as the light begins to show up the wickedness in man's heart.

There is an alarm sounding in His Holy mountain. Hebrews 3:13 says, “Exhort one another daily while it is yet called today.” The word *exhort* means to advise, warn or stimulate one another so one's inner man glorifies God and not man. This exhortation should be going on daily in your fellowship if you are indeed being disciplined by Christ. **Woe unto the shepherds who feed their flocks garbage that makes them twice the children of hell.** Pig's food that comes from their heads and not from God. Most pastors feel that they are above getting any exhortation from anyone. Try touching their precious doctrines and you get excommunicated, to say nothing of touching the motives of their heart. People, don't be fooled by those who say Jesus is the CHRIST. They are not necessarily representing God. Malachi 3 tells us that those that truly fear the Lord will be able to discern

between those who serve God and those who speak and look like they are serving God.

If you do not believe the gospel written in this schedule (the gospel Paul preached) you are considered an unbeliever and according to Revelation 21 you are put in the same category with the cowardly, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars; and your cleansing will come as you are put into the Lake of Fire about which I will write next time, Lord willing.

If you are living in God's will you will know whether man speaks from God or from his own authority (John 7:17). When I hear the preachers on radio or TV, I wonder at the mentality of the people who listen to that garbage and think it comes from God. Is it any wonder this country is the laughing stock of the world? The so-called church is as goofy as our government. For the government is a reflection of the church.

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Let me ask you a question. What are you hanging onto that keeps you from the truth??? **If you own anything, even your own life, you will be blinded to the truth.** Jealousy, envy, covetousness and greed will rule over you. “You are not your own, you were bought with a price” (1 Corinthians 6:19-20). How many of you know that man has a compelling desire to control people's lives? Unless you give up your life to Christ, someone will be controlling your life.

How many of you have relinquished family, job, home, possessions, yea, even your own life so you can be free to glorify God in your body and in your spirit? Is your heart hardened against this gospel? Are you fellowshiping with people who are being disciplined by

Christ and have the knowledge of God so as to exhort and admonish one another, or are you just bumbling along hoping that God comes on his white horse and saves you? Have you ever asked yourself why you go to church? Is it just a habit, or obligation? Or do you go to look holy and righteous? Or perhaps you do not want to upset the comfy apple cart. Surely you are not hearing a gospel that will change you from your animal nature into Christ. Ask yourself some of these questions and then remember that God sees the motive of all your thoughts and actions. Take your spiritual temperature and see if you are not indeed quite dead because of your love for the world instead of your love for God.

Now for those of you whom God has torn, He promises to heal the broken hearted and bind up our wounds. He is coming — even at the door. For those who fear His name He will come with healing in his wings. For all others He will come as a wrathful God burning up all idols and detestable things that are an offense to Him. If you have lived the last few decades totally sold out to Him doing His will and not your own, you have nothing to fear. He gives grace to the humble. God's love and blessings to all of you. If you love us, then you love God and He judges us by the allegiance of our heart. We pray He watches over and guides all of you dear friends, who are looking with a pure heart for His coming, gently back into His eternal heart.



Marie Kolasinski

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Dearest Friends,

*Our dear Lord tells us to give thanks in **all things**. Sometimes that becomes a little difficult. Especially when He takes away something He has given us. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.*

I've said all that to say this. By now most of you know our beautiful, peaceful Piecemakers Inn was closed down by our so-called servants, the city government. The life was snuffed out of it before it could get its first breath. It was what we needed to help us financially and it was just what some of our students were looking for — a place to retreat away from the rat race and sew.

Now when the government closes you down, it is not with the attitude that they will help us to get started so the community can be a life-giving-entity. Oh no. The letter comes and says, "You will shut down immediately or you will be cited." Does that sound like Hitler with supreme control over his people? How very far we have drifted from our roots. Government workers are completely void of any knowledge of serving the people or of using any Godly sense they might have been given. They seem to study the codes made up by "only God knows" to find ways of making it impossible for a business to get started. We hear stories from heart broken people who have the zeal and the money to start a business, and by the time the government finishes with them, their money is gone and also their zeal. Anyone stifling God's people from their livelihood is going to have to answer for it. When I was a young girl living in Wisconsin on a farm, my folks built a house, barn and shed. They got the help of the neighbors. No building codes, no architects — only people who were simple enough to use common sense. The beautiful buildings are still standing almost a century later.

However, God brings punishment on a nation who turns its back on Him. In our arrogance we somehow think our college diploma got us our jobs or that a business is run by our know-how. We forget that it is God blessing us

with work and food and all the comforts we have. Unless we as a city and America as a nation, repents, we shall surely see a civil war in our country. *Please read Lincoln's proclamation below.* Thanksgiving is the only true American holiday. The rest are pagan holidays.

Thank you for being a sounding board. Without you all continuing to support us spiritually and by patronizing the store, we would be, indeed, most desolate. As our joy is In Christ, we praise Him in the valleys and on the mountains. Now, wanna hear what else is going on at Piecemakers? Kathy is recovering from a hip operation and is doing remarkably well. God uses physical setbacks to draw us closer to Him and that is surely the case with Kathy. His grace is sufficient for each crisis we have to face.

We have an interesting beginning for the year 1995. Of course, our big **Sunrise Fabric Sale** will take place on **Saturday, February 18**. Get up early and have hot coffee and tea and bagels and fabric 40% off for an hour. It starts at 6am. Read the **Calendar of Events** for further info. A **Quilter's Meet and Swap** will take place **Saturday, January 28**. This is something new for us but it sounds fun and a chance to trade off your treasures that you are tired of and get something new. Last, but not least, our famous **Rummage Sale** will take place **Saturday and Sunday, March 11 & 12**. There are always other activities going on daily.

Mark your calendar for our **Spring Craft Fair, April 8 & 9**.

Bye, dear friends. I love you dearly.

Marie

P.S. Oh, by the way, since we had to close our inn, we have suites available for rent. So, if you are searching for an office suite to rent, check out this quiet location amidst the eucalyptus trees.

1863 Thanksgiving Proclamation

It is the duty of nations as well as men to own their dependence upon the overruling power of God; to confess their sins and transgressions in humble sorrow, yet with assured hope that genuine repentance will lead to mercy and pardon; and to recognize the sublime truth, announce in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations are blessed whose God is the Lord.

We know that by his divine law, nations, like individuals, are subjected to punishments and chastisements in this world. May we not justly fear that the awful calamity of civil war which now desolates the land may be a punishment inflicted upon us for our presumptuous sins, to the needful end of our national reformation as a whole people?

We have been the recipients of the choicest bounties of heaven; we have been preserved these many years in peace and prosperity; we have grown in numbers, wealth and power as no other nation has ever grown.

But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us in peace and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us, and we have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own. Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity of redeeming and preserving grace, too proud to pray to the God that made us.

It has seemed to me fit and proper that God should be solemnly, reverently, and gratefully acknowledged, as with one heart and one voice, by the whole American people. I do therefore invite my fellow citizens in every part of the United States, and also those who are at sea and those who are sojourning in foreign lands, to set apart and observe the last Thursday of November as a day of Thanksgiving and praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the heavens.

Abraham Lincoln