

## January — March 2003 Word

### The Cross, the Christ, the Christian

*“That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death.” Philippians 3:10*

Without the cross operating in our life, we are nothing more than another half-baked religion.

What is the cross? My dear friend, true Christianity is the cross, for it is the only means by which one may get to heaven — it is the only means whereby one can change from an animal into a human being — it is the light that changes one from a child of the night into a child of the day — it is the only means whereby our mind can be changed into a sound mind of Christ — it causes us to die daily and put off pride, lust and arrogance in exchange for a cloak of humility — it is the place or instrument where we can cast our cares upon our Savior. The cross causes persecution, suffering, and ultimately if it is embraced, you will become like Jesus himself, and inherit the kingdom of joy, peace and righteousness.

If you know not the cross, you are not a true Christian; you are a fraud.

Let me ask you some serious questions. Why do you think Paul wept over those who were enemies of the cross?? I believe it is the only time we see Paul weeping. Frankly, I know of no leader, pastor, teacher who has not voided the cross and made up a gospel of their own choosing.

Let me ask you another question. Paul had met Christ on the road to Damascus. He spent years on the back side of the desert. By the way, he went to no seminary nor did Moses, Jesus, Joshua, or any other person in the Bible. Nowhere in the scripture is there a teacher, pastor, prophet called of God who went to a seminary (cemetery). He was taught of God through suffering and changes. Now for the question. Considering that Paul had already met Christ why did he cry out “that I may know Him and the power of the resurrection” if he were already in the resurrection as is taught in all the fake church?

Why do you suppose we, here at Piecemakers, are persecuted and ill-spoken of as we forge ahead to bring about a new creation, thus fulfilling God’s desire — considering that, in fact, Christ made no bones about saying we must leave our family, our old life and follow Him? Is it because, perhaps, the persecutors’ Christianity is nothing more than lip service and a fraud? That they would rather partake of the sins of the world than suffer to the shedding of the blood, thus inheriting heaven? That being ill-spoken of is too humiliating for their proud psyches to endure?

My dear friends, time is up — what have you done with your life?? Have you sought after a ministry? Have you become a good-for-nothing missionary? Have you counted a large congregation and money in the bank as a successful Christian? Or have you counted all worldly accomplishments as dung — hungering and thirsting after righteousness that is of God, that you may know Him and become that new man that has been a longing in God’s heart since the beginning of time?

The Gentile age is over. The sons of God are being manifested. The Passover is, indeed, a reality. The destroyer is passing over all who have suffered to the shedding of their spiritual blood. The true Jew is one who knows God, the Father, the Wonderful Counselor — one who has been circumcised in his heart — for we are of the circumcision, which worship God in the spirit, and rejoice in Christ Jesus and have no confidence in the flesh. (Philippians 3:3) Any other person who thinks he is special because he has a Jewish lineage is only deceiving himself if he thinks he is special in God’s eyes. The same Savior who came for the Gentile has also come for the Jew. The same Savior who is being rejected by the Gentile is the same one being rejected by

the Jew. God Himself is here checking over His vineyard to see what we have done in our hearts to make room for Him, and also to see if we have fruit or just some pretty blossoms.

Each one of you all will make a choice today to choose life or death. We get to heaven by humbling ourselves under the mighty hand of God, by dying daily, by decreasing so Christ may increase. Any other way is man's fruitless method that only leads to our own destruction.

We have troublesome times ahead. Run and embrace the cross while it is yet time. I write with a

heavy heart knowing that the church as we know it is missing the visitation just as the Jews missed their visitation.

I pray your Christmas be a new awakening for all of you and a new family be your big Christmas present. And, oh yes, I pray the family you left behind to find a new way of life be added to the new family God is forming. Lord willing, I will be chatting with you again next schedule. Be of good cheer, for He has overcome the world.

*Marie*

Marie Kolasinski



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*MY DEAR FRIENDS,*

*God bless us everyone — to all who are afflicted — to all who feel life has lost its meaning — to all who “can’t cope” — let us create a grateful heart by praising Him “from whom all blessings flow”. Our afflictions are blessings in disguise. Hindsight will reveal this to all of us. To get God’s peace on Earth we must stop suing one another; we must do unto others as we would want them to do unto us. Then Christ will be our Christmas throughout the year.*

*Turn to page [3] and read the letter I’ve written to one suing Piecemakers at the present time. My spirit is grieved, my health is affected; our business is at stake once more because we have been preyed upon once more by greedy people. Small businesses are folding because of frivolous lawsuits. This is not Christ’s way. We, as a people, must stop using scapegoats for our misfortune.*

*May God give us a new heart and a right spirit. In His wrath, we plead for mercy.*

*Marie*

***Below is a letter written to a woman who is suing Piecemakers at the present time.***

*Dear Linda,*

*I write this praying you will make a wise choice and drop the lawsuit against Piecemakers and Contact Bus Tours.*

*Lonnie's death was a surprise to me, although I knew he was in and out of hospitals for some time. Please accept my deepest condolences. Our Lord said, "Blessed are those that mourn, for they shall be comforted." God will comfort you, Linda, in time, if you seek not vengeance.*

*Linda, somehow the terrible suing of brother against brother has to stop. Money received by doing so is blood money and will reap its own reward. Let it stop with you against Piecemakers and Contact Bus Tours. God knows we are innocent of any crime. Let God be the judge.*

*Did you know we have witnesses to prove he fell of his own unstable condition? That he fell not on our property: That the tour bus had nothing to do with his fall? Let us not use other people for our scapegoats.*

*The lawyers are whoremongers and Jesus warned us against them. Their judgment is imminent. Let us not be guilty of using them to prey on people to sap their lifeblood from them.*

*We would like nothing more than to have you back as a vendor. Peace is a wonderful gift from God and you will not have it by getting blood money from innocent victims.*

*I pray you wisely choose to drop this case against both Piecemakers and the Contact Bus Tours.*

*Sincerely,*

*Marie Kolasinski*