

Words of Life

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“NOT EVERYONE THAT SAITH UNTO ME, ‘LORD, LORD’ SHALL ENTER INTO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN; BUT HE THAT DOETH THE WILL OF MY FATHER WHICH IS IN HEAVEN” (NOTICE THIS IS THE WILL OF THE FATHER — NOT JESUS’ WILL).

“MANY WILL SAY TO ME IN THAT DAY, ‘LORD, LORD, HAVE WE NOT PROPHESED IN THY NAME? AND IN THY NAME HAVE CAST OUT DEVILS? AND IN THY NAME HAVE DONE MANY WONDERFUL WORKS?’

“AND THEN WILL I PROFESS UNTO THEM, ‘I NEVER KNEW YOU: DEPART FROM ME, YE THAT WORK INIQUITY.’” [Matthew 7:21–23](#)

What a loaded scripture! Jesus here is addressing the Christians: How could one be a prophet and still not enter the Kingdom of God? Or how could one be a “Charismatic” (baptized in the Spirit), move in the gifts of the Spirit, heal the sick, feed the poor, lead many to Christ, build a church, have millions of followers, be a pope or a pastor or a president — doing it in the name of Jesus Christ — and still miss the kingdom of God?

We can do all the above mentioned works: Be a good person — look good in our own eyes — and still miss the very God who sent His Son to lead us back to Him.

Then what is the key to the Kingdom? The scripture says it is doing the will of the Father. Or let us take that one step further. We must relinquish our will and become His will so His will will be done in the earth as it is in heaven. This cannot be done except we receive the Holy Spirit and let Him lead, guide and teach us. Without the Holy Spirit, Christianity is dead. He also infers that prophesying, casting out devils and doing many good and wonderful things in His name is not necessarily doing His will, nor is it your ticket to the peace called heaven. Can you see why God is fed up with the apostate church which was called to be a light to the world, but instead is a fraud and a disgrace? We

have telephone calls from “Christians” who are so dull of hearing they cannot recognize the truth when they hear it. Do you love to read this truth, or do you read it and call it error because your heart has hardened toward the living God?

Now back to the scripture! Where else did Jesus refer to those being part of the kingdom because of doing His will? In the twelfth chapter of Matthew, Jesus is teaching the disciples, and his natural family appears at the door and the disciples tell Jesus his mother and brothers are there to see him. Did He stop teaching and go out to greet them? He did not! He kept right on teaching those He considered His family — those who understood who He was — those willing to allow the Holy Spirit to crucify their lusts and passions — and those willing to give up their will — their thoughts — their ways — yes, their very lives and follow Him into the resurrection. These, He said, are my family. Not Mary — not Joseph — but those doing what His Father’s very will desired. Are you one of this new family being birthed in the earth today? Or are you going about life as usual — making sure you have only a natural family, a home, a car, and all the things the world has to offer?

Are you aware of the hour in which we live? For the love of God — WAKE UP, AMERICA! The ax of

judgment has begun to move! The kingdom of God is at hand! Are you prepared to enter in? Lay down your life, your desires, your will, your lust, your family and its genealogy, or you shall surely lose it. I pray for all who read this that you find the grace to humble yourself under the mighty hand of our gracious but impartial Father whom Jesus came to reveal to us. God be with each and every one of us as He moves across this nation bringing it to its knees.

Expect America to lose its might and power and status and become very meek — lowly and powerless. Then and only then will it be a true leader in a darkened, lost world. Again I warn you — the church of America is not the church of the living God, but an imposter. Are you a part of it? Or have you allowed God to draw you out unto Himself? It is only in His bosom — under His wing that you will find your peace as He shakes the lives of the inhabitants of the world. May His peace be your portion, and may we all come through the severe

testings of the wilderness leaning on the arm of Our Beloved. He will shortly wipe away the tears of those who have suffered for the Kingdom's sake, for He has seen the travail of their souls and is satisfied.

Think on these things: We must have that painful transformation of our mind before we can prove what is the acceptable will of God. Pray for the mind of Christ to be your inheritance (Romans 12:2).

We are a people upon whom the end of the ages has come. The family tree of this age is defective due to the fall, and we are the root. God is rooting out of the earth the “family tree” of Adam to make way for the Tree of Life — the family of Christ.

The same loving Father that roots out the sick family tree also restores the life and the family. Can you trust Him while He tears apart your life? He only does this to cut out the cancer of our Adam nature. His wrath endureth for a season, but the reward thereof is eternal life.



Marie Kolasinski

July — September 1988 Letter

GREETINGS ONCE AGAIN “DEAR” FRIENDS;

I like that word “dear”. It means “precious commodity — very rare and hard to find”.

Another three months have gone by, and thank the Lord our Piecemakers flag is still flying. It seems the enemy on every side would like to destroy us, but somehow God prevails — many times to our surprise. Like Paul wrote in 2 Corinthians 4:8, “We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed but not in despair;” (even though He sometimes causes us to even despair) “... persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed”; however, each day brings us a little nearer to our goal of being transformed into His image.

*This summer should be the best one ever at Piecemakers. Jesus said, “Suffer the little children to come unto me,” and we have **lots of classes for the children!** We pray they may bring in a new generation — satisfied with a simple life. Check the schedule for the classes for young people.*

On June 1, our Christmas things start coming in at the warehouse. Again, there will be discount buying there, so be the first to see the unique and lovely things to make our homes truly a place to rest.

We’re closing out on a lot of wood articles and evergreen wreaths at our warehouse. Price is below our cost! Don’t miss this terrific bargain.

*Did you miss the last **PIECEMAKERS COUNTRY CRAFT FAIR?** Don’t deprive yourself of this treat. What a touch of Americana! The fair is held the third weekend of every month. Put it on your calendar and tell your friends.*

If you ever come into the store and want to see a demonstration, talk to Betty or Marie and we'll set up a demo. We have ribbons that are coming in that will thrill your hearts.

Another "must"! You must take a trip to [Julian](#) for one of our [getaway classes](#)! What a bit of heaven for two nights and two days. The best meals, fresh air, pines, birds, squirrels, and learning a craft — heaven can't be much better.

Our men are getting their general contractor's license. They are expert at [bricklaying](#), [cement driveways](#), [tiling](#), [painting and remodeling](#). Drive by 1970 Swan Drive in Costa Mesa and see the work being done there. Also, sign up for our "[Home Tour](#)" [luncheon](#) held once a month and see the transformation of another house. It is a good way to get ideas in decorating or a good time to get together with Piecemaker friends.

The new [1989 PIECEMAKERS QUILT CALENDAR](#) is shooting its way around the world. It is the talk of the calendar world. It serves as a beautiful "wallhanging" and also includes [FREE](#), complete instructions on how to make each month's quilt block AND the cover quilt!

The [PIECEMAKERS NEEDLES](#) are another gift to the quilters and sewers of the world. No more frayed thread or broken needles or frustration with dull points if you use a Piecemakers needle!

The [FOURTH OF JULY](#) is always wonderful at Piecemakers. Plan a family day of festivities — games — pony rides — barbecue — live music and the [CALICO SINGLES SQUARE DANCE CLUB](#).

June 1st, we began a bargain table in the entrance with [regular store gifts marked "1/2" off](#). It's a good time to start Christmas shopping. Come in [EACH WEEK](#) and take advantage of our sale.

"[WHAT'S NEW AT PIECEMAKERS](#)" will be a weekly event [every Friday](#). Come in the store and we'll demonstrate new ideas and techniques you can use for your home decorating. Speaking of what's new, our "handmaidens" upstairs have come up with beautiful, homey [ironing board covers](#). They're like no others you have seen.

Last, but not least, we have [wallpaper hangers](#) who are rapidly getting a reputation of being the best for the least price! We have a complete line of wallpaper at reduced prices.

Well, my friends, must leave room for the calendar, so I'll say "good-bye" until next time. May all your sorrows turn to joy as He helps us overcome the world.

Always Sincere,

Marie

and the Piecemakers Family