

# THE NEW AGE FRONTIERS

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## On Unity and Sharing

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A strong feeling of unity is arising in the United States, and this is as it should be, There must be no divisions within the Family of God, for all have their place, their work, and their mission, each individual and personal, yet all combining to make the whole, As a finger is not possible without a hand, so both rely upon the heart and nervous system, They are all irrevocably united and work together as a team, while each performs its separate function, So it is with you, You gain strength in your unity while fulfilling your missions in your own way.

It is by such an example that the U.S. and indeed the entire world will be joined, While forces of every type -- political, social, economic -- seek to divide the people, you, the children of God, stand out like beacons in your oneness of love. You are pulling the shores of your land together so that even distances have no power to separate you,

Are you not only joined in your own country, but also to England, Germany, Japan, and your Motherland of Korea? Have you thought how recently these countries were bitter enemies? And feeling as you do now, can you even imagine a war taking place? You see with what gentleness and wisdom our Father rules,

As the Light burns ever brighter within you as individuals, the place where you are glows brighter with holy fire One candle is sufficient to dispel darkness, but many candles remove all shadows, Nothing is so catching as light, It is the one thing in all the universe that is impossible to hide; and where it dwells can be no darkness So will the world be lighted with our Father's love and wisdom,

But here is a most important point: Nothing you "have" belongs to you. Not your material possessions, your time, your energy, your talents, your abilities, your very selves. All, ALL belongs to our Heavenly Father, Ask yourself the following question very seriously: Have you really turned over everything to your Father? Take His time to answer, for the answer may well be the most important decision of your life. Have you withheld anything? Any affection, possession, desire, action, thought? You cannot afford to answer quickly. This question deserves your most serious attention and consideration. If there is anything in your life which you feel is 'yours' and not available freely either to God or to your brothers and sisters, you are still a child and should look to your growing.

As the Kingdom is a Kingdom of Use, so it is a Kingdom of Sharing. You have nothing which has not been shared with you by our Father, and you may not block the channel by refusing to pass on your bounty, The whole world is yours if you but knew it. Why do you cling to such paltry portions of it?

You do not create an idea; you are given an idea, You do not make your own living: you are given the abilities necessary to share with others and then are given the money needed to continue the sharing,

Understand well: In the eyes of our Father, it is the sharing that has importance, not the money. The less money you have, the freer you will be, Your economy has collapsed, you see, With the members of the Family, this is not an issue. It must cease to be a matter of any concern whatever, Divest yourself of all you have, and receive the whole world as a gift! He who travels the Path with nothing heavier than a song, will sooner reach his destination. We belong to God and to each other, Share your selves and be truly free and united!

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(There were some impressions received along with the above message which might be noted: The economic collapse predicted in this country in December, did, in effect, take place with our own members. Within a matter of days, we had converted our available money into food, shelter, and clothing. Emphasis was placed upon things we could share with others in the event of their need, Along with this material change, we underwent a spiritual alteration in values We began to think in terms of use instead of possessions, economy instead of plenty.

In a country where anything is available for a price, we began to think poor. Money no longer had value because God said it didn't have value; what the rest of the country thought wasn't important. So the economic collapse began with us, suddenly, without warning, just as predicted. Where else would God begin a work except with His own people? Those who join the Family will also have their values changed, and thus the economic collapse will spread - first in this country where it is most needed since ours is the material mission - then in the entire world - as predicted. Money is worthless in the eyes of God, and now in our own eyes. Its value to us lies chiefly in how much we can give to others who need it more.

There was also a further implication in the part about sharing. It is not just our money, cars, rice, beans, and tape recorders we are to share, but literally our very lives. Our thoughts, hopes, high and low periods, problems, abilities, messages, likes and dislikes, struggles - everything belongs to the whole. One who is having a high period should balance with one who is low; one who has a problem should share so the problem may be more quickly solved; those who have received spiritual gifts must never consider them personal property. All that we are belongs generally to the whole, with your strength compensating for my weaknesses. While our individual objective is Perfection, we will achieve it by drawing from each other, not by struggling alone. It's like the jigsaw puzzle again: No two pieces are alike, but without each individual piece, you don't have a complete picture.

One last impression, and I don't know whether this is me or spirit talking: From a strictly material standpoint, the economies of the countries mentioned in the message are fairly solid - except the 'Motherland'. We are receiving enormous spiritual wealth from Korea, but what are we returning? Obviously we are in the Cain position. Perhaps Esau would be more accurate. We keep accepting gifts from Jacob, but what are we giving in return? Esau made three offers to Jacob (Gen. 33): First, he told Jacob to keep his gifts, that he, Esau, had enough. Jacob refused and pressed his gifts on Esau who took them. Then Esau offered to lead Jacob into Canaan. Jacob refused on the ground that his children and cattle were too young to be rushed (!). Esau finally offered to leave some of his men with Jacob to help him. Jacob's reply was "What need is there?" So Esau returned to Seir. (Our Metaphysical Bible Dictionary lists Seir, Esau, and Edom as 'The outer man, the body, the material'. Interesting?)

Going back to the messages reported in the last newsletter on 'Give and Take' and 'Love', it seems as if there is an inequality here. The Law of Love is reciprocity, it says. We can't yet hope to return the quantity or quality of love we have taken. What then can we return to balance our relationship? I have no answer, but I'd certainly like to hear from those who do.)

Burlingame

A Contribution from Burlingame:

Jim & Mary Fleming

#### SERPENT

This clarifying footnote appears in Genesis 3 of the Oxford University Press Holy Bible, 1952 Pilgrim Edition:

"The scene of chapter three opens with the man's and woman's ruling the earth. But someone is jealous of them - Lucifer. He has lost; his place of nearness to God; his great wisdom has turned to cunning; and his name has been changed to Satan, the adversary, or enemy, the devil. But he still has dignity, majesty, and great power; he schemes to get possession of the earth once more. He is spoken of in the Bible as the serpent (Rev. 12:9), or the dragon (Rev. 20:2), because his ways are like the ways of a poisonous snake. The word serpent in Hebrew means 'the shining one'. It may be that Satan actually took the form of a serpent, or he may have appeared in his own form as a shining angel, though a wicked one. He put a doubt of God's goodness into the mind of Eve."

News from Los Angeles

Clear Brothers & Sisters,

Doris Walder

As I sit down to write to you concerning the things that are happening here in Los Angeles, my heart is about ready to burst; it is so full of gratefulness to our Beloved Master, Is he not the most tender, loving, and understanding Father!! Who would not lay down his life for such a Father, over and over again? Surely his is the Rose of Sharon and the bright and morning star. His words have fed our hungry souls and his tears that have run like a river, are giving us drink, so that we thirst no more. His great compassion lights a fire in

even the coldest of hearts How could anyone ever duplicate this man of iron, this Prince of Peace, this lover of all lovers? Though millions of poems and songs are written to praise him, nothing could ever be beautiful enough to encompass all of the aspects of magnificent beauty he holds within him. All human love, all of nature's ever-fresh beauty, Heaven and Earth - embodied in one man

To partake of this love in all its fullness, is almost too much to bear.,

God's house here is being filled with new babies Tom Robinson is moving in this Friday and Zed Robinson is moving in also in a few weeks, Boris Baronouski, Russian born, has just moved in: and is in the process of learning the Principle and translating it into Russian Re is a linguist, and was very much overwhelmed by the Principle, He feels that his people must receive it quickly. Shirley Robinson is having many wonderful experiences and Peter is coming along rapidly

Five of us went to a conference on Science and Religion which was held at the Cal. Tech, Institute. Many eminent men and women were present (several theologians, and doctors of psychology & psychiatry). They were like little children, reciting - ever so aptly - questions such as: what is good, and what is evil? But they came up with no conclusive answers. Most of these men and women are very conscious of the fact that we are living in a period of great transition, but they have no idea as to how to cope with the chaotic conditions that are prevailing. There were several buzz sessions and later we all gathered together for a final analysis At this time, we had an opportunity to really air our views and we took complete advantage of this - three of us spoke We pray that some of them will respond,

There is just not enough time in the day to accomplish what must be accomplished for our Beloved Father I feel the time is coming, and very rapidly now, when many tremendous upheavals will take place in our America My prayer is that not one seed of righteousness shall be left outside of our Beloved Father's Kingdom. The time will not be long before the Lord comes to our land, and the host of Heaven will come with him. What a glorious day that will be, for many shall witness his coming with so great a cloud of witnesses, that the excitement will be beyond measure,

Oh, what a time it is to be living on the earth! What a day for rejoicing and shouting - Hallelujah, Hallelujah: The King of Kings has come!

#### News from Washington, D. C

May 4, 1964

Pauline Philips

Dear Family: My prayers are with all of you as well as my heart I am here in Washington, D.C. and Mr Brooke is also still here. When we arrived at the airport in Washington, Col. Pak and 20 of his members met us with beautiful flowers for Mr. Brooke and myself,

That evening, about 35 people gathered at Col Pak's place to hear Mr. Brooke speak. I also gave a 30 minute talk about myself and our work in S. F. . Last night was the big night, though Col Pak invited some of the most important men in Washington - about 90 people, (We had generals, doctors, lawyers, newspapermen - God poured out His spirit on Washington, Virginia. and Maryland) We had a Korean supper. The meeting started at 7:30 Mr. Brooke, Col Pak, and I spoke

I wish all of you could have been here. Mr. Brooke said strongly, "The new Lord is on earth, and is in Korea!" Then Col Pak told them the whole story of our Leader and Korea, Col. Pak then introduced me as an American, telling what an American feels about the new Lord So, we were England, Korea, and America proclaiming our Father's return in Korea, This was just wonderful to be able to tell of our Master to so many important people, My heart is bursting with joy I know it will not be long until we will be standing before the whole world letting everyone know who our Leader is.

I wish Mr Brooke could stay here in Washington for a month. I have never seen such a reaction to the Principles before! He is really a man sent by our Heavenly Father - this we all know. Col. Pak is quite a person. He is very busy, but never seems to get tired

My prayers and love are with you Love in our Master,

Greeting from Anthony Brooke

Dear ALL!

HALLELUJAH!!!!

Praise God and Glory Be!

THE KINGDOM'S HERE AND ALL IS WELL!!

Will write soon

All Love

Anthony

News from Sacramento

May 9, 1964

John Pinkerton

Dear Family: I have mailed out almost 400 brochures on the Divine Principles(to college students), and no response yet, I keep praying that one will reach a really prepared person. God works in different ways - I know it makes a good condition for God to act. I want to accomplish here and get a foundation in Sacramento so that this message can be taken to yet another city. We must so completely cover the cities in the United States that anyone who wishes to hear the Word of Gad, can do so by easily contacting one of our members.

God seems to be working directly with me now that I am alone in Sacramento; I am being shown very clearly, through my conscience, what my imperfections are, It is truly a test of self-discipline to overcome some of these, But this is an opportunity to correct some of my faults and also to accomplish something for God.

There are times when I just cry and cry inside, pouring out my heart to people who don't seem to respond or care. Much indemnity has to be paid. No positive results here, but I am determined to accomplish, When one is alone, you really have to turn all the way to God - one can do nothing by himself, All of our complete efforts amount to only 5%.

It was wonderful to hear that Pauline got some response from Jim & Mary's friends in Cleveland, The spiritual power that she carries with her is able to touch the hearts of many people. I pray for her continued success. Love,

News from the Coral Sea

May 5, 1964

Jim Adams

Dear Family: Others are hearing the Divine Principle and now respond with great interest. As my wisdom grows, I realize with whom I can more wisely spend my time, which is the Father's. One man felt very good about the message after hearing the lecture and desires to study in detail, The other day, a sailor came up to me and said, "A man told me to look you up, He said you had a record when you were in the V-3 Division, containing a religious message," The rapport was good as I introduced the message, He had to leave before I could tell him about Satan (who took him!)

Since the chaplain won't allow the D.P. on the library shelf, I am counter-attacking by loaning more books out! I can keep them circulating among the most interested people. Love, Jim Adams.

A Contribution from Oakland

May 16, 1964

Kathy Martin & Unknown Help

Make \$he Master Known to Me

LCE EXPRESSIVO

The musical score is written on five staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The tempo/mood is marked 'LCE EXPRESSIVO'. The first line of music is marked 'P' (piano) and contains the lyrics: 'Make the Mas-ter known to me, Oh God; Make the Mas-ter known to me.' The second staff continues the melody with the lyrics: 'And I'll shine in-to the storm, Oh God; a light for all to see.' The third staff is marked 'SOSTENUTO' and contains the lyrics: 'A re-flec-tion of your love, Oh God; from you, thru Him, to me.' The fourth staff is marked 'ME' and 'MP' (mezzo-piano) and contains the lyrics: 'P Grow-ing from a sil-ver shimmer, Oh God; to bound-less en-er-gy.' The fifth staff concludes the piece with the lyrics: 'Make the Mas-ter known to me, Oh God; Make the Mas-ter known to me.' The final note is marked 'pp' (pianissimo).

### News from Fresno

May 10, 1964

Carl Rapkins

Dear Family: John (Pinkerton) and I spent last week-end together. What a great experience. It's good that he has a tape recorder so that whenever he needs inspiration, he can listen to Miss Kim and our family. Also, his phonograph records really set a good atmosphere - I had never heard, "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord?" before; but it's beautiful.

In witnessing, John stresses the importance of our relationship to God very well. And I think this is necessary for those who are all wrapped up in spiritual phenomena, etc. I enjoyed Ernie's and Myrtle Hurd's contributions so much in the last Newsletter. Love in His Name,

### Mews from Phoenix

May 5, 1964

Orah Schoon

Dearest Family: Douglas and I talk and think of you so often here in Phoenix. We thrive on those wonderful Newsletters which inspire us with the love and devotion of our Family. We are eagerly awaiting Miss Kim's return, as I am sure everyone is. She must be overflowing with news

I went to L.A. for the Parent's Day Celebration. Needless to say, it was so great a joy to be with Doris and the family there again - and the family is certainly growing! I got to meet Anthony, who is certainly eager and devoted to our Leader.

We have at last obtained a place to begin our regular meetings. We pray that soon the seeds of righteousness in this city will know that, at last, God is dwelling here: and that the door is always open to any who seek Him. There are a number of people who have gone through the book and would like to study further. I have an appointment now with a student at Arizona State University. I hope there is a better reception than this morning - which was a complete rejection by a Unitarian minister

I will close with the deepest of love and gratitude for having you all as brothers and sisters, In His Precious Name.

### A Report from Portland

Our brothers and sisters in Oregon, under the leadership of Mr. David S.C. Kim, publish a semi-monthly Bulletin for their members. The following is an excerpt from their most recent Bulletin:

"Eileen Welsh has finished a 5-day evangelistic trip to Denver, Colorado, where Mr. & Mrs. Pumphrey settled in February. Several contacts have been made (in Denver) by the Portland group in the past. Saturday evening, Mrs. Welch invited a contact to the Pumphrey's home and introduced the couple to him. Then Mrs. Welch gave her lecture on the Principles. All the family, as well as the new contact, were inspired by the lectures. (Several other prospective contacts were turned over to Mr. & Mrs. Pumphrey before Mrs. Welch left Denver for Salt Lake City.). The two families, from San Francisco and Portland, talked throughout the night on various things which they have not had the chance to do for three years.

"We pray that our Father will bless Mr. & Mrs. Pumphrey's work and their mission in Denver. This meeting was another beautiful example of the mutual co-operation between the San Francisco group and the Portland group, in the name of our Master,

"It is the Editor's hope that we, the American Family, should love each other and cooperate more with each other without any hindrance or interference of any kind. It is time for us to stand on our feet. It has been four years since our United Faith was uprooted from Korea and transplanted in America."

### A Testimony from Los Angeles

Dear Family:

Tom Robinson

This is the first time I have written to you; so I shall, begin with a short introduction. My name is Tom Robinson and I was born in Los Angeles, and raised in Inglewood, Calif. When I was 17 years of age, I began drifting around from job to job, travelling from the beach to the city. I was always talking to people on almost any subject imaginable - religion, art, philosophy, music, science, etc. At times I found myself living a many faceted life, playing many different, caricature parts at once. I saw the world as being very mixed up.

About a month and a half ago, I was visiting a friend, when David Irick, Doris Walder, and Teddy Verheyen came by. I had known Dave several years ago, and was surprised to see him, especially with a religious group. Doris began talking about science, spirits, far-Eastern philosophy, Christianity, and a New Age. I was invited to hear a special speaker (Anthony), and I decided to go. As the date of the meeting drew near, I became more curious

and excited, for no apparent reason. When Dave came to get me, the fun really began. We had gone only a few miles, when the car decided to stop running in the middle of the freeway! We finally got to the meeting two hours late, and in the middle of Anthony's testimony. I couldn't understand what he was talking about. After the meeting, I was introduced to everyone. I sensed, from their conversation, that I was in for a few surprises. I didn't have long to wait.

Dave ushered me upstairs, and lectured the first three chapters of the Principle. The magic words were there - the method, purpose, and reason for life. I know no man has ever written the way I felt at that time. I stayed overnight, and the next morning read about 150 pages of the Principle in about 6 hours. I was completely exhausted. I went home, and, for about a week could think of nothing but Principle. The first chance I could, I went to the house again and talked and listened for many hours. I was told to pray for understanding. I have prayed all of my life, but never really expected answers; but this time, I felt I was being heard. I prayed almost constantly for two days. The following night, on my way home from a friend's house, something slapped the back of my neck; but when I tried to see what it was, there was nothing there. I felt as if I was being followed - and then I saw "IT" - as tall as I am, but twice as wide, and it seemed like two people standing side by side. At first it was as black as the deepest well, and nothing existed beyond it. Then it started glowing - first orange, then yellow, and then white, and it was as though the light was bursting forth from within it. I still don't know how I made it home, but I did, with "IT" following me every step of the way.

I went to bed immediately, and had a very beautiful dream. I saw many ancient looking people - some of them had long beards, and they seemed to all be eager to introduce themselves and I also to them. When I awoke that morning, I knew my prayers had been answered. I felt peace and joy and all the emotions I had ever experienced completely consuming my entire being. I knew then that I had literally been born again into a new world, and for the first time, - - I knew my real family.

#### Mews from Denver

Dear Family:

Galen Pumphrey

The first three months here in Denver were claimed by Satan. During the 12th week, everything started to happen. I hope things will move here, from now on.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, Anthony Brooke was here. He spoke to groups on both nights. Anthony has a powerful testimony and really lets them have it with both barrels. The first night, he was on a late radio program where he gave them much to think about. I was very upset at the way some of the people played with the powerful truth he gave to them.

On Friday of the same week, Eileen Welch arrived and stayed until the next Monday. For those who may not know, she was one of the first followers in the U.S. through whose witness several of the early members were led to Miss Kim. She was a great inspiration to us with her great energy for our Father's work. The whole week-end was spent meeting people whom she had contacted in Denver; and there was much talking late into the night. She told of groups established through the work of the Portland family. There are now groups in Seattle & Tacoma, Wash.; Salem, Oregon; Boise, Idaho; Great Falls, Montana; Salt Lake City, Utah and Chicago, Illinois. Please pray for the work in these cities.

I was so moved to hear, in the last Newsletter, of the work in Korea and the change of the attitude of the public and the churches toward the work there. I look forward to the day when we in the United States are as victorious.

(Newsletter Corrections: Newsletter No. 23, page 1, 5th paragraph. "your responsibility increases with proximity to Him."...not 'primity'. Correction to Transmitting the Truth, No. 1, under heading White Pages, "white pages will carry the following entries"....not 'entrils'. ----Your tolerance and patience is asked!)

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