



I AM
In c/o The Son Of Man
Post Box 777
Heaven



GOD sent me some letters
They sure made me feel better
Now i want to share them with you
Praying they will make you feel better too

Letters From Heaven

This project came together by GOD'S Good Graces,
One thought, one poem, one Prayer at a time.
Thank-You Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

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Lord JESUS You died for me
So i will live my life for thee

The Letter

For GOD'S strength today
I did Pray
Then to my mail box I went
Inside was a letter someone had sent

What could this be
It was addressed to me
I noticed right away
What the return address did say

It was from the Great " I AM "
In c/o the SON OF MAN
From Heaven, Post box 777

Not knowing quite how to feel
Questioning can this be real
I opened it up and started to read
Soon my heart began to believe

It said; My Dear Lost Lonely Child
Please listen to MY Words for awhile
I Love you and to you MY SON I sent
To die for you, is how much it meant

To ME, To set you free, So that you can be
Forever with ME, In, Eternity

I hold you when you cry
I comfort you when your loved ones die
For them too I will gladly receive, if they believe

I feed you when you are hungry
I give you drink when you thirst
I made you to be first
In my Image, Among MY creation

From MY Heart, I give you knowledge and revelation
I offer you MY Peace and MY Love
Delivered by MY HOLY SPIRIT
Who descends upon you like a dove

So turn to me and I will give you MY Rest
For MY Love is always the best
My Child,
Don't you know that this world is only a test

Life and death, time and fate
Sorrow and joy, love and hate

Are all the things that you are here to learn
Fear not, Be not concerned
For you are not alone, I AM with you
In all, that you go through

Growing pains will surely pass
But the lessons learned will always last
Just Believe in ME, And you will see
Trust in MY SON, For HE is the one

WE will guide you through
In ME to be, A new...You

The Letter ended that way
Choked up, I did not know what to say
I simply said Thank-You Heavenly Father
For all that YOU do
I do indeed, Love YOU

So on my refrigerator I hung my Letter
Every time I see it I feel better
Last week I had a visitor
And was asked, What are they for
Those blank pages
On your refrigerator door

GOD has written a Letter to me
That only I can see
Now each night before I go to bed
I think of the Words, That HE said

We have a privilege, Not a bother
To be able to Pray, To our Heavenly Father
I thank HIM for remembering me
And ask HIM, To help me see
Just who it is
That HE, Made me to be

JESUS Preaches, JESUS Teaches
JESUS Lives, JESUS Forgives
JESUS Gave, JESUS Saves

The Tiny Little Pebble

Over me you folks always go !
Where to I'd like to know
Let me introduce myself

Yes indeed
That's me !
The tiny little pebble
You can barely see
Down on the sidewalk
Surprise,... I can talk !

I really wish I could tell you just how old I am
But I have not a clue, understand ?
Like you the people who by me rush,
always in such a fuss

The seasons come and the seasons go
So how old I am,
I really do not know

But I do know how I began
I was made from some minerals and some sand,
By GOD, the Great I AM !

I lived among my friends for many a year
Then my biggest fear
Happened one day, I got washed away
By what was to me, the endless sea
It eroded my home
And then it took me, all alone

I was tossed and turned,
As the great sea churned
It often made me dizzy,
Because just like people
The Ocean is always so busy

Then a swirling storm did blow
And this I know
Oh how I Prayed, for this glorious day
When on the land,
I was left forever to stay
After the water had pulled away

I travel often by getting stuck in shoes
Always on someone just like you
Once I was trampled by a big fat sow
And still later eaten with the cud,
By a hungry cow

That was really not much fun
Having to wait for nature to be done
And this is all that I am going to say
We always will have, our really bad days

Trouble will never fail to come our way
So always remember to Faithfully Pray
That is all we have to do, each me and you
For the Lord will never fail, to see us through

Then on another fine day
A little girl went outside to play
You see, She accidently,
Stepped on me

I stuck in her heel
How awful that had to feel
It made me so very sad
Because I hurt her
So very bad

Her Daddy then pulled me out
How that must have smarted, I have no doubt
Her tears he dried, as he too, cried
Then the daddy put me in her pocket
Later the little girl stuck me into her locket

After would you believe
That she smiled and said this to me :
I'm sorry for stepping on you
Even after everything I had put her through

We often talked for hours without end
As she and I became the best of friends
When she grew up and moved away
Inside her jewelry box I got to stay !

It sure was nice
Because I lived in there the rest of her life
After she grew up she became a mother as a wife
And then to everyone she often told
That I was more precious to her,
Than her silver, pearl, or even her gold
Those were my very best days
And daily I thank GOD for them as I Pray

And now I can see you are in a hurry to go
But before you do there is something that you should know
Please take your time and once in a while look down
That is where I can always be found
I would Love someday to chat with you again
Who knows GOD Willing; maybe we too can become friends

Can
You believe
That one little seed
Can make a grove of trees
For this we know in order to grow
That GOD made nature with four seasons
For everything HE has a plan HE has a reason
Lessons are learned and experience is earned from each
Joy and pain for we grow from both the sunshine and the rain
Warm summer and spring make growth rings but winter cures them
Making them strong or the
Trees rot from the inside out
So do we from fear and doubt
You see we are just like the trees
We need our lean and hard times
So we can be firmed on the inside

i am False
GOD is Truth

i am Loss
GOD is Gain

i am Decay
GOD is Growth

i am Despair
GOD is Hope

i am Illiterate
GOD is Word

i am Unfeeling
GOD is Affection

i am Temporary
GOD is Eternal

i am Take
GOD is Give

i am Jealous
GOD is Empathy

i am Weak
GOD is Powerful

i am Dumb
GOD is Wisdom

i am Crying
GOD is Laughter

i am Theft
GOD is Giving

i am Indifferent
GOD is Feeling

i am Frown
GOD is Smile

i am Gossip
GOD is Caring

i am Busy
GOD is Patient

i am Bondage
GOD is Freedom

i am Weary
GOD is Rest

i am Withdrawn
GOD is Affection

i am Sick
GOD is Cure

i am Blind
GOD is Sight

i am Enemy
GOD is Friend

i am Pain
GOD is Joy

i am Hate
GOD is Love

i am Wrong
GOD is Right

i am Bad
GOD is Good

i am Death
GOD is Life

i am Foolish
GOD is Teacher

i am Dark
GOD is Light

i am Storm
GOD is Calm

i am Question
GOD is Answer

i am Hunger
GOD is Satisfy

i am Cold
GOD is Warm

i am Greed
GOD is Charity

i am Demand
GOD is Supply

i am Barren
GOD is Fruit

i am Selfish
GOD is Sharing

i am Nothing
GOD is All

i am Thirst
GOD is Quench

i am Rough
GOD is Gentle

i am Fraud
GOD is Honesty

i am Problem
GOD is Solution

i am Doom
GOD is Salvation

i am Lazy
GOD is Capable

i am Chaos
GOD is Order

i am Destruction
GOD is Creation

i am Defiled
GOD is Purity

i am Secret
GOD is Open

i am Coward
GOD is Courage

i am Evil
GOD is HOLY

i am Rude
GOD is Manors

i am Dull
GOD is Vibrant

i am Fallen
GOD is Deity

i am Broken
GOD is Repair

i am Mean
GOD is Kind

i am Treason
GOD is Loyal

i am Empty
GOD is Fullness

i am Reluctant
GOD is Willing

i am Sleep
GOD is Awake

i am War
GOD is Peace

i am Misery
GOD is Delight

i am Timid
GOD is Bold

i am Disease
GOD is Physician

i am Tense
GOD is Relaxed

i am Confusion
GOD is Clarity

i am Abuse
GOD is Refuge

i am Clumsy
GOD is Grace

i am Deaf
GOD is Listen

i am Neglect
GOD is Attention

i am Abhorred
GOD is Adored

i am HIS
GOD is I AM

Sharing is caring
Living is giving

One

Everyday in every way
We are always
One away

One tear from cry
One thought from glad
One smile from happy
One laugh from joy
One word from embrace
One fall from love

One look from beauty
One taste from satisfied
One smell from fragrance
One sound from tranquility
One touch from compassion

One minute from older
One day from tomorrow
One year from wiser
One lifetime from generation

One heartbeat from judgment
One Prayer from Salvation
One “ Way” from lost

One choice from eternity
One Savior from GOD

One JESUS !

Love is guidance in the HOLY SPIRIT
Peace is living in GOD'S Will
Faith is trusting in JESUS
Hope is in the Bible
Life is in all

The Top 10 Reasons To Be A Christian

10. Life is nice, when we find CHRIST

JESUS becomes the calm center in the hurricane of life

9. Once Saved by GOD'S Heavenly Grace

We Live, Learn, and Grow by Faith

8. Peace Joy and Love, are all FREE !

For each you and me, for all Eternity

7. No past and a future that will last

Every Sinner has no past, every Believer has a future

6. How Happy it is to be, a member of GOD'S family

You have many brothers and sisters in CHRIST,
Need help with a task, all you have to do is ask.

5. Giving is Living, Sharing is Caring

We become more CHRIST like

4. The Great ' I AM ' gives to us, life's plan

Let it be heard, in GOD'S Holy Word
Is everything of importance and purpose.
Past – Present – Future
From Alpha beginning to Omega end

3. An open help line, and it does not cost you a dime !

Pray Faithfully upon your knees, then just Believe !

2. In CHRIST there are no goodbyes

So dry your crying eyes

When a Loved one dies

It is only a temporary separation

1. Never Forget

No matter how old or sick we get

Our best days are always ahead of us

"For I know the plans I have for you,"

declares the LORD,

plans to prosper you and not to harm you,

plans to give you hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11 NIV

HE has Risen
Our sins are forgiven
Eternal life to us HE gives
Because JESUS our Savior Lives

Know You

When I was young I used to run and play
When JESUS called I never stopped to Pray
Later as I grew and went to school, the Golden rule
To me, the HOLY SPIRIT tried to teach
But I was always out of HIS reach
No time for sermons to be preached

My Sundays become my fun days
Each and every sport was a big part, of my heart
As the years passed me by
Love was next to catch my eye

I went to college and my major was chasing after skirts
Never realizing that it was satan, whom with me did flirt
One day on campus was this big time Bible man
He really was, one of GOD'S biggest fans
He had the audacity, to say to me
That I needed to be forgiven, for the way I had been livin'

But I had no time for GOD just yet
Because I had met, a girl that I could not forget
As we dated, I anticipated, her love with my breath held
I even forgave her, when she said that one day I will go to hell
Nobody's perfect, what could I say ?
I woke up the very next day, overnight it did seem
It is still hard to believe

That I had a family, responsibilities, and a career
These were all the things that I held dear
As the kids grew, and the years flew, ...
One sad day as I was laying my father to rest
Here we go again,
Another Preacher telling me that JESUS, is the best

For the next 40 years at the light factory I did work
Have to admit, some of those guys really were jerks
But not all, I had a few that I could call,...
My friends, who would stand beside me until the end

Then, the end, almost came one day, as I labored away
Moving around skids out in the hot sun
Man that was not much fun
All of a sudden, I did not feel very well
I stumbled and then I fell

Then all went black
“ I AM “,... sending you back
Said a thundering voice in the dark
You think that you know ME, but I do not know you
If you were to die today, you would be through
Said the mighty voice in the night
I woke up in a hospital bed, with quite a fright

My wife was sitting near
Her eyes were full of tears
She looked at me and said,
You almost died there in that bed

So I begged GOD, to give you another chance
And maybe also, just a little glance
Of HIS Love and of HIS Heaven above

I told her that HE did, it was not really a fib
OK it was a lie, but I did not want her to cry
Being unsaved on the other side, I had no alibi

So right then and there,...
My wife led me with the Sinner's Prayer
The weight of death was now forever off of my shoulders
With each passing moment I began to grow bolder
It was no lurch, that it was me going to Church

The first time, I expected the roof to cave-in
But everyone just smiled and called me friend
Now the kids were all grown
(In them) I worried about the seeds that I had sown
Praise GOD !,.. That my wife,
Had enough “ Faith “ for the two of us
The kids are Saved ! and in JESUS they do trust

In my remaining years I did all that I could
But it will never be, as much as it should
Because GOD had spared me
From Hell, where I would be

Then one day my soul, the Lord did take
Heaven sure is, a wonderful place
After being renewed, my life was reviewed
In front of the Angels and the Elders, I was so ashamed
As my life story played,...
To see that JESUS was with me every step of the “ Way “
HE Called for me to listen, and to obey
But for so many wasted years had I strayed

But JESUS just put HIS arm around my shoulder,
And there it did remain
From the moment I had called upon HIS Holy name
In the re-play story of my life,
from the very second I had called out, to JESUS our CHRIST

When the review was done
I was still being held by the chosen one
GOD’S only Son
He looked me in the eye
(and said) You I will no longer deny,
For “ I AM “ today, happy to say;
That your heart is true
And with Love, I Know You !

Gold and Silver may shimmer to the eye
But can they save you when you die
Keep your eyes upon the Lord
In HIS eyes you are adored

Our Present
(Know You Continued)

Last week as I was sitting in Heaven's Music Park
Listing to Elvis sing, while Mozart played on the big harp
They were doing a wonderful version of; How Great Thou Art

Just then, my best friend
Sat down beside me
Right under, that big beautiful doughnut tree

He then looked at me, with that " look " plain to see
" Well " he said,
Well what, I replied while casually scratching my head
Laughing he spoke,
" you are the talk of the whole Heavenly town "
" It's as if, you wore HIS crown,
upon your head," my friend had said
Don't be silly I replied
As he just raised his brow over his left eye

OK, OK, I just shrugged
" You big lug " he laughed
You do not need to guess,...
because this is what he said next
" I want to hear it all "
My bluff had been called and I had no more time to stall

To help my friend understand, my story from the top I began
I went to Ruth's Rose Garden on Christmas day
Just to sit awhile and to reverently Pray
Then JESUS showed up just to say
Thank-You for wishing ME today
Happy Birthday !

We talked, and much too soon HE said;
“ It has been fun, but now I have to run “
“ For I have some things to do,...
but I have enjoyed talking with you “

Then I just said, off the top of my head;
LORD today upon the Earth,
they are rightfully celebrating your human birth
Could YOU use some company, because it saddens me
To think of YOU working alone today,
After you have Saved,
So many by freely giving to us,... Your “ WAY “

JESUS then got a smile on HIS face,
And it literally lit up the whole place !
“ You may indeed accompany ME,...
And you may see, just what it is that I see “

We were gone just like that,
As quick as my fingers that I had snapped
I don't know just how, but let me tell you now
Where we finally ended up at !

Our first stop was :
To a man in a prison cell all alone, on death's row
He was crying - “ I don't want to go, to Hell below
Praying and shouting over and over, “ JOHN 3:16 !!,...JOHN 3:16 !!
I Believe in JESUS !! JOHN 3:16 “ !!
As His tears rolled, “Forgive me JESUS for what I have done “
“ Please Dear Lord, YOU are GOD'S only begotten SON !! ”

JESUS then said aloud,...
I AM,... I AM the Way,. I AM Truth, and I AM Life.
I AM,...Your Lord JESUS,...I AM CHRIST
All who call upon my name, are Saved
You are not alone, for when your time comes
I AM,... going to take you home

The man collapsed and rolled into a ball
Then the guard peered in, hearing him fall
JESUS said it is now time for us to go,
Then the next thing that I know
i am standing, ankle deep in snow

We were in New York City's upper east side
In a card board box was a young woman huddled inside
The Lord smiled at me, and then into the box HE stuck HIS head
And to her, this is what HE said :

“ You must take your last two dollars, and ride the bus up north “
“ To 15th Street, the block of 24th. ”
“ Behind the clothing donation box, tucked right up into it's pad lock “
“ For both of our needs to be filled is a hidden, 100 dollar bill “
“ A rich lady dropped it today, and with the wind of my breath,
I carried it away “

“ I AM, doing a favor for you, and this is what you are going to do “
“ The city's best homeless shelter you are to make “
“ And to do this a long lost inheritance shall be yours to take “

Next we were inside a live battle's fox hole
With dead men all around
In the center was just one man alive
Yet to be found

He really was all alone
“ Crying Father GOD, remember me, I'm coming home “
JESUS rushed up, and then stood before him
Then around us, advanced fighting men, a total of 10
I heard the lone soldier say; “ This is the end “
The advancing soldiers were plain to see,
The lone mans enemy

Down into the fox hole they looked
The lone soldier just shook
But JESUS was standing between them
And HE did not let, the soldiers end his life just yet

His enemies were less than two feet away,
when I heard one of them say;
“ All clear, all dead here “
As they left, the lone man Praying, dropped his face into the sand.
Then JESUS leaned down and touched him on the hand
I then saw HIS power flow, as it glowed
From JESUS I AM, into the man

CHRIST then raised HIS head, and to me HE said
This man is now going to be, for me
A preacher and a powerful teacher
He will be a great comforter to those in need
With a joyful heart mighty in good deed
MY Words he will always heed
For now he belongs to me

JESUS said next; “ We are going to see a sad widow
Having her first Christmas, only by telephone”
“For her husband has passed, and her children are grown”
“And from her nest, have they all flown “
But I,... will not leave her,...all alone

Suddenly,... i,... was in my earthly home
It was my dear wife, in our bed crying all alone
As the Savior drew near, HE wiped her tears
I did not hear, exactly what, HE whispered into her ear
But it seemed to calm, all of her fears

My wife smiled and whispered a Prayer;
“ Thank-You Lord, I Love You Too “
As she finally fell to sleep, in our bed
I then kissed her on the head, and to her I said;

Good night my Love, I miss you
Then I heard her say, as she continued to Pray
Dear Father GOD,
I have only one wish, on my Christmas list
Please tell my husband in Heaven above
That I miss him, and I send my Love

JESUS then whispered into my ear,...“ do not fear “
You will each walk in my Garden hand in hand
Forever with me, in my FATHER’S promised land

“Today I come to see you in my Garden alone
So that I could take you home
You see, it is a Christmas present from me
In your wife’s hour of need
For each of you, to help her through ”

F orever
A lways
I mplicitly
T rust
H im

I Love You Dear Savior
(Song)

I Love You Dear
I Love you Dear
I Love you D-e-e-e-r Savior

You Took my fears
You Took my fears
You Took my F-e-e-e-ars Away

Far Away, Yes Far Away
So Far Awa-a-a-a-y I Pray
To You Today
These Wo-r-r-r-ds I Say

I Love You Dear
I Love you Dear
I Love you D-e-e-e-r Savior

Can You Hear
Can You Hear
Oh Can You here Me Dear Jesus

Can You See
Can You See
Oh Can You Se-e-e-e To Me
What You Mean, Can You See
Chr-r-r-r-ist Jesus

I Love You Dear
I Love You Dear
I Love you D-e-e-e-r Savior

You Died For Me
Your Died For Me
At Cal-al-vry

Upon A Tree
You Set Me Free
You Sa-a-a-a-ved Me

On Bended Knee
My Bended Knee
Dear Lo-r-r-r d
I Thank Thee

Eternity, Eternity
For Eternity, We-ee-ee Shall be
Forever One, Forever Love
In Heave-e-e-e n above

I Love You Dear
I Love You Dear
I Love you D-e-e-e-r Savior

I Love You Dear
I Love You Dear
I Love you D-e-e-e-r Jesus

We must be willing to risk ridicule and rejection
So that through us JESUS can give to others HIS affection

GOD

My friend in this life
Given to you by GOD'S Holy CHRIST
May you truly learn to aptly discern
Your purpose for which your heart does yearn

When you doth finally realize
There shall never be compromise
Because time does always dare
To take away all
For which you do care

Reality is like a dream shall it ever fail to fade away
Everything you have made and for all you have Prayed
Everything you have labored and for all you have saved
Everything you have deemed worthy to keep score
Everything you have adored shall be never more

We laugh and cry
We love and die
We sing and plead
We want and need
Norever shall we avail
For forever
Without GOD shall we fail

Do you not,
Gaze at the sky lost in wonder
As You,
Ponder upon the rolling thunder
On High,
Above the clouds and angels wings
Looking down,
GOD is in everything

For the oceans are shallow
And our thoughts are most fallow
Compared to the depth of GOD'S feelings
And HIS precise creative thinking
Oh how can we fathom or begin to imagine
GOD'S Love,
A Love above all and for all
With pure perfection of understanding

HE guides
We abide
HE gives
We live

So pointless to strive another day
Living outside the Good Master's Way
Open your Soul to HIM and shall you not Pray
For HE The LORD awaits for you, Today.

Is a storm raging in your life
Grieving you with pain and strife
Pray before GOD upon your knees
So that in Love HE will calm your seas

Switch

Hello let me introduce myself
Because sometimes you all need my help
I am a young Angel, my name is Able
That's right, I am named after the man
Murdered by his brother as your race began

My friends just call me " Switch "
For my job is to un-hitch
Please a drum roll, your body from your Soul
Let me explain, I'll talk plain

You see sometimes a lesson needs to be taught
Or all could be for naught, for to hell some would be caught
I am by definition a Soul shock cop
One last chance, one last stop

I am not allowed to give out any personal details
But I can lead you with bread crumb trails
So here are the highlights of a few tales

To get to better know each other
I once switched a mother,...
With her son, man was that fun !

From Heaven to the earth below
Everyone came to watch that show
Even JESUS smiled and shook HIS head
When each of those two got up out of bed

Once a young girl kept kicking her dog
Even though it was technically wrong
So,... I did it off the log
I snatched her up and put her in the pup !

To sleep her body went
When into the dog, her Soul was sent
I left her there for two whole days
Until,... GOD got tired of hearing her bark as she Prayed

I also made a mistake this one time
Ended up having to pay a fine
I lost these wings of mine
For a year, I do fear

I switched twin brothers who were separated by the blue & gray
Before a fierce battle did fray
They were each already Saved
But had erred in their ways

They each spared their friends
Only in turn to be killed by them
Oops,... I didn't see that one coming
My boss Gabriel was so mad
He said that I made him look bad

Another memorable one from a while back
Switched a white owner with a slave of black
The white man was astonished
When he saw himself work to abolish
And make things equal
For all of GOD'S people

So you better beware
I'm out there
To you, I do dare
Don't be bad
Or make anyone sad
For I LOVE to do my job
Given to me,... by GOD

We find
Love so Kind
When we can say
That JESUS is mine

Jesus Loves Us

When we stumble and when we fall
When we are humble and when we stand tall
And Jesus still Loves us even when
We do not think of Him at all

Jesus Loves us
When we forget to listen for His call
Or when we look in the mirror and we are appalled
When we feel like everything has been going good
Or even when we feel like we've been miss understood

Jesus Loves us
When we've tried our best
Or when we need His rest
When we realize with Him who we can be
Or when His Love sets us free

Jesus Loves us
When we forget that He is our best friend
& make the same mistakes time and again
When we realize that we can not make it alone
When we Kneel before His Throne
For our actions He can not condone

Jesus loves us
When we do not believe
Or realize that it is His help that we need
Jesus still Loves us for who we are
Even when from Him,our hearts are far

Please always remember
No matter what you are going through
Jesus Loved you enough to die for you.

It is not a sin to fail
It is a sin not to try

The Overpass Lass

She cries at night
In the cold all alone
As she tries to sleep
Under the bridge
Made of stone

The sweet little girl
Told she is of no use
Neglected and rejected
A victim of child abuse

How she has grown to hate
Those who look the other way
As they pass her by
Without a kind word to say

No address, no social security card
No Birth Certificate, no picture I.D.
So she gets,
No official help
From any governmental agency

Food is :
What she can find
From the trash of what others
Have left behind

Water is :
Only a stream away
Where she also has to bathe
After the light fades away
At the end of another day

She once :
Sought acceptance within a local Church
But to the congregations shame
She left after two moths
When not a soul, even knew her name

In this world
She has not a single friend
And for her safety
She has learned
To avoid all strange men

At night she Prays
And by the light of day
At the public library
Is where she stays

She studies to get her G.E.D.
So she can enlist
In the U.S. Army
Perhaps then
Life can be, all that she can be

That is in a few more years
and after many more tears
If she reaches her dream
Of surviving until,
she is seventeen

To her homeless
Is more than just a word
For she never had a real home
To lose in the first place
And that
Is our societies total disgrace

May the Lord help us to be better people
May we be all that we are for HIM

You Can

You can see but be blind
You can hear but be deaf
You can touch but not feel
You can smell but not your own foulness
You can taste but will you change your recipe

You can take it easy but will you relax
You can work but do you labor
You can provide but do you give
You can have a house but do you have a home
You can be at peace but is there war inside

You can have power but not respect
You can be wealthy but be bankrupt
You can have Lovers but no Love
You can be victorious but have no justice
You can have success but not peace of mind

You can be educated but know nothing
You can have a child but not be a parent
You can be physically present but be emotionally absent
You can have family but not be related

You can confess but yet conceal
You can do good works but be selfish
You can have religion but not GOD
You can go to church but not have JESUS' Salvation

You can live but not have a life
You can have much but you can not take it with you
You can leave a rich inheritance but will it be anything worthwhile

You can fool yourself
With all the above
But you will fool GOD, with none

JESUS is right for whatever is wrong

HE Waits

HE waits while we are too busy for HIM
HE waits our most loyal friend
HE waits as we go through our day
HE waits even when we lose our way
HE waits in a long suffering vigil
HE waits to save every individual
HE waits to comfort as we cry
HE waits to gather when we die
He waits for that one special moment
He waits for us to know we need atonement
He waits for us to finally understand
He waits because it is GOD'S plan
He waits in perfect love
He waits for us up above
He waits,...
At Heaven's Gates

What are you waiting for ?
He is knocking open the door

Remember anything that replaces our feelings
or desires over the message of Christ is sin
Including even our ability's and attention
from others, anything that takes our
Focus off Christ and the cross

The Book of the Lamb
(For the Great I AM)

i died
My family cried
The end of my earthly time
Then i found myself standing in line

Up through a tunnel of light i went
To our GOD'S sweet Heaven
Because of Jesus
i was sent

All of my pain was gone
Around me is joy and song
Standing in Faith in this Paradise place
Surrounded and astounded by GOD'S Holy Grace

i was placed in the path of new arrivals
And the line was immense
It was also quite intense
When i found
i could hear the thoughts of others
All around

Love and Peace abound
And all i had to do was think
Of any question
As i awaited my turn
And the answer
Was immediately learned

But others were concerned
And it saddened me to learn
that so very few
Ever knew
Jesus our Savior

But for those of us HE has Saved
It is a time of anticipation
Because we trust in Jesus
For our Salvation !

Only because of HIM
We are getting in
Into Heaven
My friend

The line was so long
But even before the Angels finished
Singing that very first song
i was nearing GOD'S Throne
Thankfully i did not have to face HIM all alone

JESUS was at the head of the line
And we, HE did divide
People to HIS left and to HIS right
As we approached the Almighty
With a fright

GOD in HIS Glory is before me now
All i can do is bend my knees and humbly bow
For HIS head goes way up high, in the sky
And yet as i am summoned to approach
HE appears normal in size as i realize
The Lord Almighty is choosing to look me in the eye

Then
The Great I AM
Asked for
The Book of the Lamb

But surely i was mistaken
Were the Almighty's hands a shaken' ?
Imagine my surprise
When GOD appeared misty-eyed

HE opened the book and took a look
Smiling HE found my name on the pages within
For HIS Son JESUS, paid for all my sins

Then GOD showed me
So i could plainly see
That all the names of the Saved
Are written in the very blood
Of GOD'S only precious Son

Then i too was shaken when another was mistaken
For proper respect he did lack
So i quickly took two steps back
It was the man opposite me on JESUS' left
When his name was not read
This is what he said

“ Your Son's blood was never good enough for me
i did not believe in life for all eternity ”
A hush fell after this man gave his depose
Then From HIS Throne the Almighty arose

Standing GOD first looked at JESUS who shook HIS head
Then our Heavenly Creator Father spoke
And this is what HE said
“ Because of the words you say, on this day
This shall be your fate in-store
To join satan in the lake of fire for forever more “

i learned instantly when people ponder
About the great forever yonder
When we all wonder
How could GOD let anyone be condemned
When,... For all eternity, to hell HE sends

When you see GOD reading people's names
Written by the blood that HIS Son gave
Then to actually hear someone say
That to JESUS i did not Pray

And only for today
Did i live
Never to JESUS
Did my heart
i give

What else can anyone expect
So please do not forget
You need to accept
JESUS CHRIST

Let HIM write your name
In the Book of the Lamb
For the Great I AM
With HIS Blood that HE Gave
For that is the only " Way "
GOD allows us to be Saved

Go to Church and unplug your ears
Then give GOD all of your fears

Our Paradox of the Cross

Every moment in worldly ways we live
Is one less to the Lord we can give
Do not consider anything as loss
That you give up for the cross

We each only have so much room in the lives we live
If we fill it all then how to the Lord can we give
My friend please consider all pursuits a loss
For everything is folly before the cross

Set aside GODLY time in order that we may grow and live
For each of life's moments are a gift that GOD did give
How it must sadden HIM as HE counts them as loss
When we do not kneel and Pray before the cross

We really begin to grow and live
When all to the Lord we learn to give
It is a paradox that our gain was HIS loss
Yet by our worldly loss is HIS gain at the cross

JESUS Taught
Guard your thoughts
For bad mental reactions
Lead into taking sinful action

GOD'S Tears

Did you ever wonder why
The deserts are dry
And why ?
Are the Oceans deep and blue
My friend don't you know
That it is because of me
And it is because of you

What ?
You say
Please explain
Well,
OK
The explanation
Is a Heavenly Revelation

The deserts are dry
Because we do not live in them
And the grass is green
Because we can be cold and mean

You see as GOD watches us
Our behavior causes HIM pain
Then HIS tears fall as rain
As HE begins to cry
From way up in the sky

When it pours
There must be lots of sin and lying
Because GOD, is really crying
HE wails when we falter and blunder
Have you not heard HIM thunder ?

On our world
It rains GOD'S tears day and night
Because we
Turn away, live selfishly, and we fight

All of GOD'S tears form into rivers
As HIS sorrow for us grows,
HIS tears become;
Our very life giving waters
Out of GOD as they flow

GOD'S Tears form all the oceans
Oceans deep, Oceans blue
Blue because that is how GOD felt
When GOD cried them
Cried them for me
and for you

Worry is to borrow the sorrow of tomorrow

GOD'S Flowers

Sometimes the loss of a loved one causes us to be angry with GOD. In the midst of our hurt and pain we often wonder just where was GOD, when the last pedal fell from my flower ?

HE was in exactly the same place that HE was when HIS Holy Son JESUS suffered in misery an innocent death.

The Father was in Heaven waiting to receive CHRIST once HIS work was complete. So if we believe, we shall be received.

In our Prime :

Sometimes GOD see's a beautiful flower and HE picks it just for HIMSELF. It may hurt us, but the flower is forever more in Heaven.

Wilting :

Other times GOD simply just gets tired of seeing us suffer.

The sunshine is too hot, or perhaps it was the lack of rain.

In HIS Love for us,... HE decides to end our pain.

Nipped in the Bud :

Some flowers are destined to bloom only for a short while.

So that their breathtaking beauty will be remembered.

Withered :

It is just their time, the roots have rotted and the pedals have faded.

GOD'S Garden :

We will all be joining our Loved ones when it is our time to be gathered. Imagine how vast and beautiful GOD'S Garden truly is.

Psalm 103 : 15-16A (KJV)

As for man, his days are as grass; as a flower of the field, so he flourisheth . For the wind passeth over it, and it is gone.

John 11:26A (NIV)

And whoever lives by believing in me will never die.

The Peace of CHRIST will fill your days
If you let JESUS guide your ways

What Does it take:
(to make)

An Angel

Cry

A false alibi
Telling little white lies
Not helping a friend
Who is lost in sin

Having no shame
Exalting thine own name
Always searching for others
On who our failures we can blame

Selfish ambition
Of a prideful life
Forgetting that JESUS
Is our example as CHRIST

Smile

Accepting our responsibilities
And Praying from bended knee
Knowing that our purpose is to be
Helping others who are in need

Remaining humble
Even when we stumble
We Graciously grow and learn
For HIS stripes we earned

Loving without question
Even when we face rejection
Trusting that our GOD and SAVIOR
Will give to us HIS affection

Not Living by GOD'S Rules
We create our own problems like fools
Even though we caused the pain in our life
We wrongly blame GOD for our suffering and strife

Noah's Suggestion Box

Feeling dreary as he could be
Was Noah on his 20th day at sea
So he dared to open the locks
And peak inside the suggestion box

"Let's see how this goes," he thought
"Must be two dozen or so cards in the lot."

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Card #1 ( First Up )

"The Horse's stall needs to be mucked  
Much appreciated," their neighbors, the Ducks

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#2

"Dear Human I am the king of the jungle.
But on this tub my poor belly just rumbles
So can you please help me?" The Lion

Scribbled on the bottom was this little gem
"Dear man, please help him, He needs relief fast,
for he has gas." The Lioness

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#3

Next Noah read with dread,  
"We are the wise Owls.  
We are taking charge of the fowls."



#4

TOP SECRET. was written on the top of the next one  
"Oh boy, this should be fun," ( Thought Noah )  
"We are your secret informants  
Our job is important  
Just to let you know,  
To the cargo hold you must go  
The Monkeys do not know how to behave.  
They are switching the straw with the hay.  
We will also talk to you later  
About the mean Alligators."  
Your ears & eyes, your spies  
The Weasels

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#5

Here is a request; but surely they jest.
It says "The Pigs want to keep the dirt swept
from the floor, all they can get and more."

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#6

"May we chew on the boat?"  
Ask the Goats.

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#7

"Sheep, are creeps".
Say the Peeps.

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#8

"Can't stand the funk  
Get rid of the Skunks."  
Bravely signed, Anonymous.

#9

What the next one said, made Noah scratch his head.  
(because it said)

“Why can’t we swat the Flies  
& make them die?”

From the Elephants.

Good question thought Noah

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#10

“Mice are nice.”, so say the Lice.

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#11

“We have no joy  
Because the Rooster makes too much noise.”  
The Squirrels.

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#12

Next up from the Raccoons came :
“We have no privacy when we try to go to bed
Because up through our floor stick two Giraffe heads.”

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Noah then heard a rumbling, tossing and tumbling  
Above on the upper deck floor  
It was those pesky Boars  
They are at it again !  
Will it ever end ?  
Mad he yells,... so they'll settle down  
“You don’t want me to come up there !”

#13

"The Dogs have had a litter of Pups.  
Whiny, Whiny, enough is enough !"  
The Cats.

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#14

"No fresh air ! ", The Bats.

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#15

"We're bored and the Hippos snore."  
The Ferrets.

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#16

"It's not funny the Bears stole our honey !"
The Bees.

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#17

"One of my eggs was lost,  
Taken by the sly Fox."  
Mother Hen.

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#18

"Must the Rats race, from place to place?"
The Turtles.

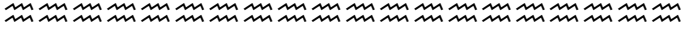
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#19

"Hey, Dad, it's pretty bad.  
It makes me mad  
Even when well fed,  
The Parrots repeat everything I said."  
Your Daughter In-Law.

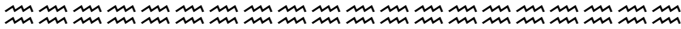
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"The Ravens have fits & the Crows pick."  
The Hummingbirds.



#21

"Teach the Bunnies rejection.  
They have too much affection.  
They are morally loose."  
The Mongoose.



Next Noah then found a whole batch,  
With a string were they attached.  
"Oh No ! Here we go" thought Noah.

#22-A

"The Ants are stealing the sugar !"  
The Weasels.

#22-B

"The Weasels lie & we have an alibi."  
The Ants.

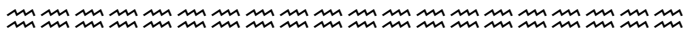
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"What's for sure  
Is the Ants lie more."  
The Weasels.

#22-D

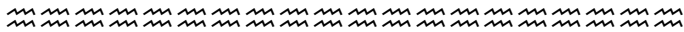
“We were offered a sugary bribe  
To lie and deny  
On the Weasels  
By the Ants  
Not a chance !”  
The Grasshoppers.

Noah did anticipate,  
A headache.



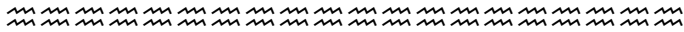
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“We don’t trust the Birds”.  
Say the Worms.



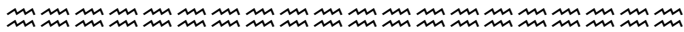
#24

“We hate to make a fuss,  
But the Llamas keep spitting on us.”  
The Kangaroos.



#25

“We’re going to get stepped on,  
By the Deer, we fear.  
They prance over us without fail.”  
A message from the Snails.



#26

“Sick of the Buzzards  
All they do is gawk.”  
With regards, the Hawks.

With the next to the last card,  
Noah sighed, from deep inside.

#27

“The Tigers need fed and fresh straw for their beds  
And the poop deck, is a wreck  
Also the Pigs need slopped.”  
Chop - Chop! Your Wife.

Noah was pleased to know, only one last card to go !

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#28

“Noah great job“, says GOD.
“Have no fear, to your life I added 200 more years !

“Now that is just great.” said Noah sarcastically.
“But I know just what I am going to do
When this trip is through, and dry land we reach.”
I am going to teach,
All my descendants how
To EAT the Animals !”

Grace



Nothing
Salvation

In HIS Time

Did you ever happen to wonder
From where does come the thunder
Did you ever reason why
The flowers bloom and then they die

Or at times God delays, the rain
Life is full of these questions
Can I make to you a suggestion
It's not easy for us to understand, GOD'S plan
The mysterious intricacies of the Trinity

So let's take a little walk and have a little talk
Don't you know HE causes the grass to grow
From the seeds HE sows, so that HE can bestow
HIS Beauty in order to show,
That all things do come in HIS time

We say what a shame, when one of us suffers in pain
HE might not be the cause, but HE sure gets the blame
But HE Loves you, just the same
Remember when you need HIM,..
Call upon HIS HOLY Name

Often in order to Save us, HE must break us
You must trust in HIS Will and HIS Way..
And Just Pray, for HIS comfort in your days
For even Time, comes in HIS Time

We thank you Lord
For making sure that we are fed
As you give to us our daily bread
For we know and we believe
That we receive our fill
From thy good will
Amen

GOSPEL

Who

GOD'S

Only

Son

Providing

Everyone

Love

When

GOD'S

Only

Saving

Plan

Executed

Legally

What

GOD'S

Only

Salvation

Provided

Exclusively

Lovingly

Why

GOD'S

Only

Sacrifice

Properly

Explained

Legitimately

Where

GOD'S

Only

Safe

Place

Earned

Lawfully

But he was pierced for our
transgressions,

he was crushed for our
iniquities

the punishment that brought us
peace was upon him, and by
his wounds we are healed.

Isaiah 53:5 NIV

Faith + Struggle = Growth

Suffering Savior

First in human form
GOD our Savior was born
In Bethlehem, the Great I AM

The world would never again be the same
For JESUS came to bear our shame
Knowing full well, HE would die in suffering pain
So that we sinners could call upon HIS HOLY Name

It was the plan of the Great I AM
That JESUS come to us, as the Son of man
And CHRIST knew what was in store
For HIM, to be called Savior
At Passover they all came together for the last sup
JESUS then began to speak, as HE raised HIS cup
"This is the new Covenant poured out in MY Blood
Given from above, by MY Heavenly Fathers Love"

Next JESUS picked up the bread
First HE Blessed it, and this is what HE said
"This is my Body broken for you
To pay for the Sins, that each of you do"
For GOD has said the wages of Sin is death
And for us, JESUS would soon be put to that test

"Do what you must do quickly,"
JESUS looked troubled, Judas in fear
As HE whispered this, into His Disciple's ear
Iscariot sat and ate with JESUS as he conspired
For by the Pharisees he was already hired
As the Master went alone and Prayed
By Judas HE was betrayed

JESUS next told the Apostles that tonight, will end with a fright
That they each will loose faith and deny
"No not me, not ever," Peter replied
But JESUS knew that HE would have to face tomorrow all alone
For it was the only " Way" for our Sins to be atoned

With a kiss from a supposed friend
JESUS was led away to face HIS human end
By the Sanhedrin CHRIST was denied
For about HIM, false witnesses told many lies

They took their time, and listed JESUS' crimes
You healed the lame, as they called upon, Your Holy Name
You gave sight to the blind, but forgiveness, was also theirs to find
You raised the dead, and You made sure the multitudes were fed
You stood up for the weak, while remaining humble and meek
Astonishingly no personal fame did You seek
But perhaps Your worst guilt of all
The charge that caused Your fall,
Is that:
You dared to answer Your Father, Holy GOD'S call
We the Pharisees, Live, in Jealousy
JESUS was rejected by HIS own
But being a conquered people
They took HIM, before Caesar's throne
CHRIST gave Mercy, CHRIST gave Life
Yet none was HIS
When HE was judged by Pilate and Herod
Not once, but thrice

You wonder when did Pilate realize
That he beheld with his very own eyes
GOD'S Savior that the Pharisees had denied

Even though he washed his hands
Of the human death of the Great I AM
We know now that he did understand

Because Roman History does record
That by his own accord
Later in Gaul, this says it all
Upon his sword Pilate took a fall
That the Pontius took his own life
For not standing up, for GOD'S HOLY CHRIST

As they took and twisted thorns they laughed aloud
Forcing poisonous barbs into JESUS brow
Mockingly saying "This is thy crown"
HE was beat and HE was struck
Never once did HE duck
HIS was Accusation
And Humiliation

I wonder did HE regret creating man, by HIS very own hand

They whipped HIM tearing the flesh from HIS back
For Love and Mercy did they lack
Oh how inside HE must have mourned
When they all scoffed, and at HIM they scorned
Holy and true, was beaten black and blue

Make no mistake the nails HE did take
And the stripes that HE bore
Are from each of our Sins
In which HE has worn
Shamefully adorned

As a soldier drove a nail through HIS hand
Can we even begin to understand
The sorrow HE must have felt
Did HIS Holy Heart melt

As he gave to JESUS, HIS deadly wounds
Did CHRIST remember making the man, inside his mother's womb
Yet HE Loved him, all the " Way " to the tomb

They nailed HIM to a tree, at Cavalry
Between two common thieves
One mocked and begged to live
But the other correctly asked JESUS to remember HIM,
As in forgive
Perhaps among the whole human race
This man was the first, to be Saved by Grace

As HE hung there in agony
Upon a tree
HE was thinking of you and me
To set us free

Free from the bondage of SIN
So we could go to Heaven, and be with HIM
Yes on that Cross for a time, HE was lost
You see HE had to pay for all of our cost
GOD placed the Sins of the world upon HIM
Each and every Sin, from Alpha beginning to Omega end
Placed upon JESUS our Savior, our GOD, and our Friend

To drink they gave HIM vinegar that was bitter
Just as their hearts were as cold as winter
"Come down" was said & "Save yourself"
But the King of Kings was busy
Saving everyone else

Imagine the pain felt by GOD our Lord
As HE watched the suffering of HIS only SON, that HE so adored
"Father forgive them for they know not what they do"
Our dying Savior pleaded for them with HIS Love so true

HE asked HIS Father GOD to forgive
Let them live
For willingly did HE offer and give
HIS very Life
As our CHRIST

Yes JESUS held HIM back
The anger of GOD'S wrath
But that was not the worst
HE paid for all of us, lifting our curse
You see for a time the Heavenly Father had to forsake
So that each and every one of our Sins, were for JESUS to take

For every evil thought, for every little lie
For everyone of us, doomed to die
Our Salvation has a cost
JESUS' life was lost
Upon that cross

It was not the nails let it be understood
That kept the Savior upon the wood
But HIS Love so pure and true
For each me and you

JESUS said it was finished
After emerging from three hours of daytime darkness
CHRIST then died with a victory yell
For now only HE
Holds the keys, to the gates of hell

Crashing thunder and with down pouring rain
The Lamb of GOD was innocently slain
The whole Earth trembled and it shook
As the Living SON of GOD
Into death HE was took

The water flowed with JESUS' passion
As HE gave HIS life blood in compassion
When a soldier thrust a spear in HIS side
So they could be certain that HE had died
Oh how Mary, HIS mother had cried

"Surely this man was the Son of GOD"
Said the commanding Centurion with a nod
The Roman was quaking inside
Because JESUS died, for Love, without a hint of pride

At the Temple during the terrible storm
When JESUS died the inner veil was torn
No longer was Sinful man
Eternally separated from the Great I AM
All because JESUS died as the Son of man

JESUS had to suffer on HIS last day
So that HE could pardon and Save
Each of us who believe in Faith
HE had to die in disgrace

HIS friends were dismayed as they placed JESUS in the tomb
For the Savior was covered head to toe with vicious wounds
In death, the selfish leaders wished for CHRIST to stay
Assigning HIM guards, so that HIS body could not be taken away
Then on the morning of the third day

On direct orders from GOD'S Holy Throne
An Angel descended from Heaven, and rolled away the stone
So that all could see, for all eternity
The triumph of Love's victory

On their way to care for HIS body after the long Sabbath Holy day
Grieving friends bumped into Angels, who had this to say
"Why do you look for the living among the dead ?"
JESUS' friends tried to understand, what the strangers had said

The ladies went to the tomb and guess what they found
Nothing could keep CHRIST, the GOD man down
On the third day at SONrise
HE did Arise, our JESUS,... is ALIVE !!!

For the next forty days
JESUS appeared alive, apart from HIS grave
HE once told doubting Thomas
Touch my wounds so that you will believe
Then share with others, all of my Love that you have received

So lower your head in shame
Then Praise HIS Holy Name
Our Suffering Savior
Paid for all of our misbehavior

What else can any of us say
Do not delay, do it today
Get on your knees, and to JESUS Pray
For we can never repay
The little innocent GOD baby
Placed in the hay

For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son,
that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have
everlasting life. John 3:16 KJV

HE is Christ the Great I AM,
and the son of man.

There is :

More to life
Than what you see

More to life
Than what you believe

More to life
Than what you hear

More to life
Than what you fear

More to life
Than what you touch

More to life
Than what you trust

More to life
Than what you taste

More to life
Than what you make

More to life
Than what you know

More to life
Than what GOD,
Is willing to show

The BIBLE lights our way
It helps us through our days
Its complete accuracy is proof
That it contains HIS word of truth
It is the very foundation of civilization
For Individuals, Kingdoms, and Nations

Over the Line
In Rhyme

In your mirror is dejection
You can see it in your reflection
Seems like hiding the real you
Is all that you ever do

Each & every time that you cry
You glimpse from the corner of your eye
That your life has passed you by

Big pretender,... you can't remember
The last time you felt fine
On the inside,... it's misery to hide

You've tried out running your sorrows
By living at full throttle
Finding hope in a bottle
Never worrying about the tomorrows
Crash and burn, lessons unlearned

Been passed over for that big promotion
Overlooked & unappreciated is your devotion
Your marriage is getting harder each day
You don't know just how you're going to stay

Does your life have a big hole
Forget what it means to have goals
Is your life a three ring circus
Where there should be purpose

Always avoid eye contact
Forget how decency reacts
Normal to feel cold & alone
Your heart is a no-fly zone

Is pain your mother - Despair your lover
Loneliness your friend - Where does it end

Did you loose
Yourself in the booze
Pills no longer thrill
Can't pay the bills

Love is,... standing in line
Work is,... putting in time
You think back and wonder
Blunder by blunder

How did I ever get here
A failure forever I fear
Talking cuts to the bone
Would rather be alone

Hey ! Don't you know there is a better " Way "
To go
You've been beaten by our worst foe
Quit fighting him alone

Life gets better by only one " Way "
It starts by kneeling down to Pray
For JESUS too knows about unfair
Take to HIM all of your cares

HE has the scars to prove
That HE Loves you
Then take it day by day
Learn to say, it's OK

Let the emotions go
Let the feelings flow
Let your Love show
Before you know

The SON will Shine
No more standing in line (for Love)
This is my confession
Depression is obsession

GOD is Light, GOD is Love
What else is there to say
Get on your knees and Pray
For a better today

Believe

When you realize in shame

Believe

You only have yourself to blame

Believe

As you cry out HIS Holy Name

Believe

While Praying upon your knees

Believe

HIS Grace you shall receive

Believe

When you finally admit inside

Believe

That for you JESUS died

Believe

A New and Improved You

Attention Everyone, let's have some fun !
Are you tired of,
Thighs that quiver like jelly
Or perhaps lugging around a big belly

We'll show you how, right now
So please stay tuned
To be a new,& improved, you

Are your manners uncouth
Can't remember ever telling the truth
Do you think others are wishy washy
While they feel you are mean and bossy

Are you blind as a bat
Or just plain fat
Are you deaf as a post
Or stinky like rotten compost

Do you possess a razor sharp tongue
That cuts deeply into everyone
Missing a few teeth
Got flat feet,... that stink

Are you so filled with pride
That you do not even bother to hide
They say,
That beauty is in the eye of the beholder
But it's really found
Not in the clay, but in the hands of the molder

What is truly reliable and is undeniable
Is GOD'S Word, The HOLY BIBLE
It says that HE created us all as equal
Because we are all,... HIS people

GOD'S Word is the key
Can't you see,
For us to be

A new you and an improved me

To CHRIST be true
In all that you do

It All Matters

Everything we do
All that we go through
The careless words we say
Every concern for which we Pray

It all reflects back upon us
For what we do put up a fuss
Each and every thought
Believing what we are taught

Life's little regrets
The problems we fret
The people we meet
The food we eat

Loving family & friends
Working diligently to the end
Our lives flow by our choices
Carried on by our voices

It's not the clothes we wear
But the Cross JESUS did bear
We should do all for HIS Glory
As HE records our life story

For one thing we must
In GOD put our trust
Because
It All Matters

Don't be the fool
Never dismiss
GOD'S HOLY rules

What Have You Done Today
(To Make GOD Smile ?)

Did you make GOD smile today ?
For others did you Pray ?
Have a smile on your face,
as you went from place to place ?
Give Love without reservation ?
Help others without hesitation ?
How many people did you ignore,
as you rushed through your chores ?
Were you truly grateful for your daily bread,
or already planning your day ahead ?
Did you give anyone your time,
even while waiting in line ?

Patient,
with that elderly lady counting pennies from her purse ?
Or under your breath did you mumble and curse ?
Did you take the time to care ?
Or did you go through your day unaware ?
Caring,... by giving the unguarded part,
and Sharing,... your inner most heart.
Remember no matter what you do,
HE will always Love you.
Try to walk in GOD'S ways.
So that HE can smile today.

GOD does not accept empty pockets
As an excuse for a empty soul

Remember GOD

Remember GOD when life is good
For seldom is it understood
That we need HIM just as much then
As when, we are sad
Because the times are bad

But when our fate is kind
And we are feeling oh so fine
We tend to forget, and lest we let
Our resting upon our laurels
And the relaxing of all our morals

Remember to remember GOD
When we have plenty
For nothing doth breed failure
Quite like, the excess of success

Because simply put,... we're not here to stay

We all live in a moment of time that will not last
Very soon we will be to others, only a memory of the past
So we should do our very best each and every day
To live, love, laugh, and learn to Pray
Because simply put,... were not here to stay

The Lord gives, and the Lord takes away
And guess what, that is OK
That is;
Just as long as through JESUS, you are Saved
So call on the Grace of CHRIST without delay
Because simply put,... we're not here to stay

Very soon eternity will be upon each of us
So on whom will you place your trust
Our time line - is drawn very fine
Soon to be erased without prejudice
So are you ready for your Heavenly residence
Don't you know this life is meant to be temporary
We are meant to live with GOD in HIS Holy Sanctuary
So praise GOD and thank JESUS for showing us HIS Way
Because simply put,... we're not here to stay

We are all only a living memory, we just do not realize it yet
But rest assured that is a fact that GOD will not forget
Our lives are a simple complexity
Just as GOD meant for them to be
With our free will GOD sees our true colors
Whether we choose to believe and receive
Eternal life through JESUS our CHRIST
Or not,...remember your Soul is the price
If you reject HIM and live only for today
What else can GOD say
Because simply put, ... you're not here to stay

GOD sent to us
A Savior we could trust
HIS Son came as a man
HE is part of;
The Great " I AM "
In sin we were all lost
So HE paid our cost
Upon the cross
Believe and Receive
Only by Faith
HIS Holy Grace

Morning Prayer

Dear Lord,
Thank-you for this day
May I be useful for You today
Let there be
Less of me
And more of You
In everything I do
Teach me to be content
With what I have
And in You
To always be glad
Thank-You for being
My Creator Father and my friend
For these things I do Pray
In Jesus your Son my Holy Saviors Name
Amen.

Testimony

Does it really show
What you know
Do you wear your heart upon your sleeve
Of what it is that you truly believe
Do not be deceived
Hiding your Faith away
Does not help those gone astray
Let the world worry about being politically correct
Most people appreciate words that are direct
Share GOD'S Holy Word
Let HIS Will be heard
For the sake of others we must
Share the “ Good News “ of JESUS

Why does the HOLY BIBLE continue to outsell every other book
Year after year, decade after decade, century after century
And yet the only time GOD is on the T.V. HE is only
Used as either a curse word or a punch line?
GOD publicly displayed HIS Love for U
As Holy JESUS hung on the cross
Fear not & stand up for HIM !

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This next story is not meant to feed the flock
Rather it is intended to call the sheep that are lost

A Message in a Bottle from Hell
(Finder beware, read me only if you dare)

In the year of our Lord 2355
Two young lovers on honeymoon went for a dive
They snorkeled along the sea coast shore
When they saw reflection upon the ocean floor
Diving deep to see, what could this possibly be
They had to use their knives to set it free

I wonder what is wrote on this, one of them asked
For it appeared to be paper in a jar of glass
Inside was parchment and a rusty old spike
It was weird, for all the pages were alike
In Blood ! , They were wrote
They smelled like fire and they smelled like smoke

As the couple read this is what the pages said
Please listen to my story
So I can give to you this warning :

Hello, Sorry date unknown
My name was Dr. Thurman Crown
A better surgeon than me could never be found.
I was born in 1927 and died on the year 2011
But I did not go to Heaven,
I had it all, but was not ready for my fall
I was morally corrupt and Spiritually bankrupt.

You see,
Many times, JESUS CHRIST, had called out to me
To repent and get down on my knees,
And to HIM Pray,
No Way,!! I always did say
Because selfishness then filled all my days

I did not care about my job
And I pretended not to believe in GOD
My patients were only my means to an end
And I called no-one but prestige, as my friend
Deep down you see,... I only cared about me.

Then the big C was the death of me.
I had not a clue and I wish that I knew
What I know now, somehow
Before, death's door, I had passed, my turn at last

When in death my body finally fell
My soul was taken straight to hell
So now I want you to see
Just how it is for me

Darkness then filled my hospital room,
And at first it felt as cold as a tomb
As an open tunnel below me,... suddenly loomed.
At first I just shrugged, surely it was only the drugs
As the smoke caused me to cough, then the heat I could feel
I soon realized that this, is the real deal

At first I thought that maybe it was a mistake
Someone as respected as me, to Hell they're going to take?
Demons then appeared beside my bed
One grabbing me by the hair of my head

They were awful hideous looking things
Bat faces, with top bent broken wings
Skin of scale, sharp fangs, with long nails
They pulled me to the tunnel
And down through it, we poured like a funnel

So Hot... I could not breath
I choked and then I wheezed
The skin on my face began to melt
It was,... the worst pain that I had ever felt
All I could do was groan
As the flesh dripped away from my bone
I was being fried, ALIVE.

Finally we came out at the other side
It was plain to see, that in Hell, was me !
One of the first things that you learn
Is that after your flesh is cooked and burned
It quickly returns,
Even if it is charred black
Your skin painfully grows right back
You are instantly again made whole
In Body - Mind - and Soul

I was then made to walk with some others
Who were too, just learning what it meant to suffer
We walked with no clothes or shoes
For in the tunnel fire, were they consumed
We walked naked as can be,
Ashamed for all to see

Another little surprise, I began to realize
Those damaged on the earth
Or born handicapped at birth
Remain that way in hell forever
satan allows us to be whole,...Never

Again a large demon grabbed me by the hair
Beware,... I am taking you there
Pointing he said dragging me by the head
To the Court of Sorrows, for all of your tomorrows

There I was to learn that my fate had been earned
I was a man of selfish ambition
And also of heartless omission
For I lacked;
Truth, Love, and Tact

My dark judgment time had come
To pay a penance for all that I had done

If only I had accepted CHRIST into my life
I remembered each and every time, that HE tried
But JESUS the Savior,... I had denied
HE tried to Save me from my Sin
Just by believing in HIM

But now it is too late, I'll never see those pearly gates
Then satan himself appeared
I trembled alone in fear, as he drew near
Up behind a lectern he took, a big black book
he was giving it, an evil long look

I will try to describe, what are the devil's features
he is hard to identify, for he is a shifting creature
Constantly in change, he has the ability to re-arrange
he is the largest demon of them all, at least 10 stories tall

It was certainly out of place,
When he was perfection, with an Angel's face
Speaking of deception, next he was an incredible sight
Glowing in light, that was pure and bright

It took me a second to catch up,
When up next he was pure lust
he was the most desirable woman I had ever seen
she would catch any mans eye as keen

I then too late realized, and quickly averted my eyes
While wishing I had learned this lesson, while I was alive
Simply do not look at him, turn away from sin
If you don't let it begin, it is not such a struggle to end

Look away,... and then to GOD do Pray
Leaving satan with no power at all
To cause our fall, he appears to us as many

Then I noticed the book, that into his hands he had took
I read, what the cover said, the book of death

Christ has the “ Lamb's Book Of Life .”
Oh how, I wished now, that this was that Book
And that it was instead JESUS,... who was taking a look

Let's see the devil said;
What have you done with your life ?
OH YEAH !,.. You cheated on your wife !
Not once but twice !!, Good long affairs
Same woman but for her, you never cared

FANTASTIC ! First a broken home
Then her death by suicide all alone

I was haunted by the memory of her face
So of her,... every trace
In my heart I had erased
Trying to forget her pain and my shame

How could this possibly be ?!!
The devil was now placing her death upon me !!!

She lives in flame, cursing your name
In hate, it's you that she blames

Your heart,... you always kept apart
From both your wife and your lover
Each giving you children as mothers

Your a coward, for you denied
The life that your lover carried inside
So you sent her to hide
Afraid,... you sent her away

She told you on the phone
That she could not make it alone
Remember what you said ?
You told her to drop dead

You were actually relieved
When you received
The news that she had crept
Into her tomb and forever slept

(next in an annoyed tone,..satan said)

Oh, what a bleeding heart !
HE would not let me tear it apart,
HE is much too nice
The child,... is forever with CHRIST

But your hot lover,
has already been here a very long time
Thank-You !
One less soul, for me to find

My legs buckled and the air left my lungs
When I had to face just what I had done

(satan then said next)

Here is what we are going to do
A special treat just for you !
For one hour each and every day
A little game with you my demons will play

Your lover rightfully blames you
For all that she does go through
Her curses will name
The rules of the game

You should be warned
Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned
She has also been scorched and torched
And I love it when;
Offenses are avenged

So whatever curses she wishes for you
We are indeed, going to make them come true !
What do you think she will do ?
How far will she go,..
You certainly will be the first to know

Ha ,Ha, Ha, Your suffering little dish
Just placed upon you a hateful wish
Ha, Ha, Ha,...guess what she just said ?
It was,... off with his head !
For all of her pain and strife
The demons will use, a dull butter knife

I will tell you now,
That they always laugh out loud
When they hold me down
As I feel every cut and slice
They tease me, and ask me, if it feels nice

It is living agony once my head is detached
Then it is time, for my lovers daily revenge match
As the demons kick me, a living head to and fro
I feel every spike, and I feel every blow

They gouge out my eyes
Then the demons laugh until they cry
Oh how,... I have wished that I would die

(next in a joyful tone,..satan said)

But hold on and don't you fret
Because you also get,
For I won't let,
A single moment.
Of your normal torment to pass you by
So we can all enjoy your pleas, and hear your cries !

It is on the "Misery" plateau below
Where it is that I have to go,
Into one of the thousands
of stone coffins.
All in rows

With wailing and gnashing
of my teeth, did I find.
That magma flows
In and out with a tide

Just so you know
The coffins are full of holes
So in and out the lava flows
Churning & burning
Searing my flesh to the bone

But fear not for I am never alone
I have worms that live
deep down my bones
Calling them home

They burrow inside
To painfully hide
From the tide
I beg to die

When the current goes away
It's time for the demons to play
Little Imps who look like chimps
Through the coffin holes,
they stab me with spears
Saying that this will be, for a million years

They also say, don't bother to Pray
For it's much too late, to change your fate
You should have gone to Sunday school
And learned that JESUS is the golden rule

You also soon fear in hell,... the dinner bells
They take us out at feeding time
Get in line, they yell, in hell
Fresh meat, Let's eat !

My flesh is dinner for two
Upon me demons do chew
But what is worse than that
Is being living dinner
To bats, snakes, and rats

Oh,.. we are often,
Boiled in oil.

One of the hardest things that we each must face
Are of the warnings that we all had of this place
satan re-plays them from our memories
Just to add to our misery

GOD the Father, CHRIST the SON, and The HOLY SPIRIT

Each had sent to me many servants that I did not heed
I ignored their warnings and I ignored their pleas
Now it is too late for me,... damned forever in eternity
All because,
I would not believe, in anything sight unseen

If this is YOU,... and you feel this way too
You will not accept anything that you can not see
I have just one question ? You prove to me,
That you Love,... your family

Remember that I will not believe
If it can not be held or touched
That is the only way, your love I will trust
You may feel a fool I would be
Not to believe, your family, you do Love

Well it is the same thing for GOD up above
HE gives us all we need,... sight unseen
You know that HE does,... Just believe

My mother used to take me to church
But what is much worse
Is I once had a front row seat
When another, the devil, did he meet

Let me explain, sorry I forget his name
In my Doctor's office I once gave a man a test
Upon a tread mill trying to stress
His heart, which promptly came apart

It was cardiac, a full attack
He died right there upon my floor
We revived him two times, perhaps more
As he came alive, every time
He cried, please save me, I'm in hell !

He survived, for he made it back alive
He was a powerful CEO, but as his tears flowed
He screamed what it was that he did now know
In "Faith",... he was unashamed to show
He screamed it over and over

JESUS is GOD !!
JESUS is GOD !!

Like a fool
I played it cool
Ignoring my own ears and eyes
I did not want to believe, so I denied

Ironically I once too had a sudden heart attack
I almost died but the Lord sent me back
To change my circumstance
Another chance I lost
My soul later in death was my cost

I used to get mad and have fits
Saying that all church people were hypocrites
Now look at what my disbelief has cost
My soul to Hell forever is lost

Up until now,... I have only told you about me
Let me try how,... to describe the others I see
But first before I forget,

Some of the most unfortunate human beings
Are those whom I have never seen

Part of their Lamentation is isolation
Many are held, In open cells, high up upon the walls
Often the new arrivals trying to die will take a fall

It is safe to suffice,
That they will never make that same mistake twice
Because the evil ones for days
Dance gleefully around their broken living remains
Until they are finally restored, to be tortured some more

They say the devil is so horrifyingly insane
That he personally tortures the perversely deranged
satan knows that his time is short, that it won't last
Into the lake of fire, he too, is to be cast

So he does as much damage as he can do
Before he finally is through

But what gives the devil the most joy
Is when he gets to destroy
“ Preachers and Teachers “
Who have lost their Way, and never found it again

By falling away, themselves to Hell they did send
For once helping to Save other souls
Their punishment in Hell is seven fold

i am also glad that I do know why
The demons rush to the auction to buy
The foolish ones who traded their souls
For fame and glory or silver and gold

They have a demented wedding ceremony
That is most un-holy
The winning bidder then takes their prize

Like a bride,
They scream and yell,
As they are dragged to the lower pits of hell
Never to be seen again
From where their fates never end

I have seen Hells giant beating heart
Up through it, loathsome bad luck departs
The heart of hell does give birth
It pumps evil up upon the earth

But worst of all is the total despair
You can just feel it in the air
If only someone could care
Even in Hells flames you feel cold and alone

Separated forever from GOD and HIS HOLY Home

Every once in a while, with keys in HIS hands
JESUS walks by, like HE has a plan
i cry out to HIM,... but always without fail
It is too no avail,... HE says with tears on HIS face
Your judgment is set, because you refused MY Grace

That was all the Savior said to me
For " i am " lost for all of eternity
i was lost thinking about all i will suffer
When " Peace be still " i heard HIM say to another

You see I have only myself to blame
For my existence in eternal flame
Then I hatched a plan, on the day that I learned
That the demons get their orders, in jars that don't burn
I could sneak a message inside, and in turn

Let the lava flow carry it away,...
Then maybe up through a volcano one day
So when no-one looked,... I took
A torture spike, some parchment, and a jar
Fearing that I would not get too far
But to my coffin, actually make it I did
Quickly I slipping the items under the lid

So you can take it from me
Hell is not a good place to be
Please listen to my tale of woe, hoping to show
That is where you ARE going to go
If JESUS CHRIST,.. YOU do not know !

Shall i not fall
By my foolish pride
Which causeth mine stumble
But rather doth live my life humble

Tithes

Today's question
Is also a lesson
Why must I tithe ?
After all I work so hard
For all of my dimes

Well guess what
To provide for you
GOD has to work hard too

Now let's be fair, shall we compare

To have lights you pay for power
So maybe by the hour
GOD should charge for the sun
That HE gives freely to everyone

Many pay their city to pump H₂O
But did you forget
That it is from GOD, that water flows

So please remember that
It is HIS Love for us
That is actually on tap

Oh and do not forget the air
That you need to breathe
Made fresh daily,
By the Lord using HIS trees

In return all that HE asks
Is that;
We each only give our fair share
So HE can continue to provide
For all that HE does care

GOD tells us life is a test
JESUS calls us to do our best
So trust the HOLY SPIRIT can do
Great things as HE Wills through you

GOD knows the true feelings of your heart.

GOD knows every thought of your mind.

GOD knows the essence of your soul.

GOD knows exactly who you are.

Everything you are.

Everything you have been.

And everything you will ever be.

Because HE made you.

To know HIM begins,

by accepting HIM.

Here's how :

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THE SINNERS PRAYER

This is a Prayer that you say to GOD when you understand that you are a sinner and in need of a Savior, a redeemer to GOD. That Savior is JESUS, who is the CHRIST.

John 3:16 (New International Version)

16”For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

John 10:9 (New International Version)

I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved.

John 14:6 (King James Version)

I am the way, the truth, and the life:
no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

Romans 10:9-10 (New Living Translation)

If you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. 10 For it is by believing in your heart that you are made right with God, and it is by confessing with your mouth that you are saved.

Heavenly Father,

I come to you in prayer asking for the forgiveness of my Sins.
I confess with my mouth and believe with my heart that
Jesus is your Son, And that he died on the Cross
at Calvary that I might be forgiven and have
Eternal Life in the Kingdom of Heaven.

Father, I believe that Jesus rose from the dead
and I ask you right now to come in to my life and be
my personal Lord and Savior. I repent of my Sins and
will Worship you all the day's of my Life!. Because your
word is truth, I confess with my mouth that I am Born Again
and Cleansed by the Blood of Jesus! In Jesus Name,...Amen.

One Last Time (In Rhyme)

The world was lost to Sin
We were each doomed to an awful end
It made GOD frown, so JESUS came down
With GOD'S Love from Heaven above
GOD sent His only SON, for everyone

With Faith in JESUS we are Born Again
Our Savior, Wonderful Counselor, and Our friend
HE came to Save each & every one of us
So in JESUS CHRIST, you can put your trust

All that you have to do is believe
Then your sins HE will relieve
Then you will fully receive

The HOLY SPIRIT to guide your ways
We also gain in Heaven perfect eternal life
Without pain, worry, trouble, or strife

We must choose,... win or lose
Which shall it be,... for eternity
Joy or sorrow,... for all your tomorrows

Believe and receive
Get and Let
GOD

Until we meet again
My dear reading friend
May GOD keep you
Safe in all that you do
In JESUS Holy name
Amen

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“My grace is sufficient for you,
for my power is made perfect in weakness. ”
2nd Corinthians 12:9B NIV

Merciful Father to you i Pray
For i am only a single heartbeat away
Of becoming merely a memory

So i Thank- You for all of my todays
And i Praise You for all of my tomorrows

But most importantly, is eternally
Grateful shall i ever be
To You Forever, for remembering me

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