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Our Master Speaks On Our Identification with Him

"I have paid so much indemnity, and the people of the world receive the benefit from this suffering and merit. Even though I have gone through such difficult ways, you can go an easy way.

"I have inherited the mission and the work, and succeed Jesus in this work. I am fulfilling what Jesus left undone. Therefore, the grateful heart feels gratitude to the Father for what the Father has done for the Son.

"The restoration of the world is your work because it is my work. God wants you to be one with me. Identify yourself with me, with Jesus, with Moses. But the present is more important. This is the fastest way to grow spiritually, to identify yourself with God and with the One who is with Him."

Master Speaks on Vicarious Atonement

"We have two purposes in our life. One is the purpose of our own lives. The other is the purpose of our lives in relation to others, to our family, our nation or the whole world.

"For instance, in Jesus' case, he had the purpose of his own life as well as the purpose of the whole world. His death not only ended His own life, but ended His influence on the whole world. So when one who has the greater mission for the whole world than just himself - suppose he fails in his mission, or makes some mistake, then his mistakes affect the whole world.

"If there is no vicarious atonement, then there is no sense in believing in Jesus. You cannot escape the results of that which you cause. But someone who loves you and prays for you can help you.

"It is human nature to be proud of your good ancestors. Why?

Because you receive the inheritance from them. If you have good ancestors, so much you receive good elements by nature. We cannot be isolated from our background. Also what we do affects our offspring. So it says in the Bible, the father's sins will be visited upon the children to the third and fourth generations. It is also said, 'I will reward your descendats'. All this is true."

The Wind And I

The breeze plays its way through life;
The wind works, enjoying what it can.
The breeze rustles through the world of nature;
The wind blows, challenging her strength.
The breeze tickles the tree tops;
The wind carves the ancient canyon.
The breeze whispers in a wooded grove;
The wind howls at the angry sea.
The breeze lifts the autumn leaves;
The wind carries the mighty eagle.
The breeze accepts its chosen path;
The wind defies and goes its own way.
The breeze surrenders to its fate;
The wind fights for its purpose.
The breeze has many friends;
The wind lives life alone.
But we will win the world--
The wind and I-

-Dianne A. Pitts-

The Adventure of Being a Wife

by Ruth Stafford Peale

As a minister's wife, the author was asked to speak occasionally to church groups and women's clubs. Thirty-six years of being a wife have utterly convinced her that no job, no hobby, no activity on earth can compare with the drama and exhilaration of living with a man, loving him, doing your best to understand his infinitely complex mechanism and helping to make it hum and sing and soar the way it was designed to do.

It is not easy. It takes skill and selflessness. Here

are some suggestions the author makes:

1. Study your man, as if he were a stranger and rare and fascinating animal - which indeed he is!

- Study him ceaselessly, because he will be constantly changing.
- Take pride in his strengths and achievements, but analyze his areas of weakness, too.
- Beyond the first charm, confidence, and brilliance you have to confront his uncertainties and inadequacies.
- Don't be dismayed or disillusioned when you discover these aspects of him.

2. Respect his work. When you marry a man, you also marry his job. At times you may even feel that the job comes before you.

3. Learn the tricky and challenging art of absorption. A lot of unsuccessful wives seem to regard themselves as divinely appointed receiving stations for love. They are constantly concerned with how much attention and affection they are getting. Certainly a wife is entitled to love and loyalty. But she also has to be ready to absorb irritability on the part of her husband at times, flashes of displaced anger, discontent with his own performance. These things have to find an outlet somewhere.

4. Remember: Even when a man becomes successful, and knows it, some hidden, sensitive, unsure part of him continues to need the unquestioning support and loyalty of a loving woman. Perhaps it is a remnant in him of the little boy who once turned to his mother for reassurance.

5. Practice the art of listening. Most men desperately need a sounding board against which to test ideas, hopes, dreams, ambitions, problems, inner conflicts that they can not resolve alone. They need a feminine listener, one to whom they can confide their innermost thoughts and feelings without fear of ridicule or rejection.

- Creative listening involves response, communication, exchange of ideas. But there are times also when a wife has to be silent, has to bite her tongue, hold back the sharp word that will turn an argument into a fight, or a bad situation into a worse one.
- The author thinks that a man's job basically is to tame the world; a wife's job is to control herself and indirectly her husband.

6. Let him know that you need him.

- The admission of your need of his love will work miracles where no amount of anger can.

7. Use your talents.

Marriage need not limit your horizons. If you have a gift for design, or photography, or decorating, writing poetry - any talent at all - do not let it gather dust; use it to expand your marriage.

8. There are many small common sense DO's as well as DON'TS. Expand and develop the art of sharing - not just the big, serious things, but the little, delightful things: the book you are reading, the joke that you hear and hoard for him, the sunset you call him out to watch, the entrancing, unbelievable thing your three year old said. Even shared exasperation can be fun!

9. Perhaps the simplest and most inclusive of all rules for successful wives is this:

*Try to please your husband.

-Does he like neatness?

-Does he like friends around him?

*Learn to entertain.

-Is his job a stressful one?

*Make his home an oasis of quietness in a noisy world.

-Does he want you around? Be available.

-This kind of concern is an expression of love, and it is impossible to give it without having it reflected back to you.

"To love and to cherish, till death us do part..."
this is the great soul-satisfying role of a wife. Never make the mistake of thinking it a secondary role.

The author concludes by saying:

"Where the ship of matrimony is concerned, your husband may be the Motor, but you are the Rudder - and it is the rudder that determines where the ship will go!"

(Source: June, 1966 Readers Digest)

Hidden Secrets of Success in Business

by J. C. Penney

Mr. J. C. Penney, ninety-one years old, is a short and stout white-haired man with a little white mustache who wears bow ties and \$3.20 shirts that are sold in the 1,669 stores that bear his name.

Two days a week he comes to the office from his New York apartment to work as a member of the board of directors of the J.C. Penney Company. He keeps three secretaries busy reading correspondence to him and taking down his answers.

He will be ninety-one years old on September 6, and he was asked if there were any principles that he had learned that might be applicable to a young man going into business today.

"My mother worked with a prayer on her lips, 'Lord have mercy upon me, a sinner!' I didn't know what that meant. I didn't see how that hard-working woman could have time to be a sinner. It took years and years for me to learn the meaning of that. But that prayer has had an influence on my life and it is having it today and it will until I breathe my last breath."

Mr. J. C. Penney continued his advice for the young men today as follows:

1. "Pick a good wife.
If a man doesn't have the support of his wife--her backing--if she is not a good wife and mother, why what is the future of her husband worth?"
2. "Don't look at the salary of a job; look for the opportunity in it."
3. "Shun liquor.
I haven't had my first cocktail, and now that I am 91, I think I'll stick it out."

(Source: United Press International, by M. M. Feissilber)

Portland, Oregon

Esther Carroll

I continued the second half of my vacation by traveling to the Northwest.

I contacted a minister in Bremerton, Washington whom I had known several years ago. He left the Assembly of God church and is attending a Presbyterian church. He is waiting for a door to open for his ministry. Besides his degree in

theology, he has a degree in economics, engineering and physics. He is interested in combining religion and science. He is quite interested in what I told him and wants to read the material I mail to him. They are very well-educated and cultured people and would be a tremendous asset for our work.

I talked again to Bill Nelson, the private detective, in Seattle. Dianne had given him material to read and we talked on many deep principles. He is very interested and will get together for a weekly study with Dianne.

I followed up on a contact of Terre's in Canada. She would like to have us mail her some material to study.

I also met a Yugoslavian-Jewish business man, George Popovich, in Canada. His religious background is Jewish-Greek orthodox. His wife is Catholic but not too dogmatic. He likes Billy Graham and is now studying the Mormon faith which he finds interesting. He has very little use for religion or religious people. He despises hypocrisy and feels we, as individuals, are complete and must answer to ourselves. He is a very dynamic man as well; and he owns several businesses and does a lot of export and import business.

I finished my vacation witnessing with Dianne in Seattle. Our training session was this week. Because only a few people could come this weekend, we didn't have a regular training session but instead we spent Saturday at Mr. Rainier and Sunday at the Science Museum. Dianne and David made another visit to the artist, Mrs. Sibley and they are progressing in this.

U. C. Campus, Berkeley

Terre Hall

The week of September 5th we did not set up the table at the south gate of the campus. We have had such a tremendous response from our exhibit that it was necessary to spend that time following through on the many people interested in our movement. Wednesday and Friday I spent a couple hours on the campus at the student union and International House talking individually with people I had not met before.

Monday, September 12th and Wednesday, September 14th, Mrs. David Kim and I set up our table on the sidewalk at Bancroft Way in our usual place. We acquired the names of several more people that are interested in hearing the Divine Principles.

The result from our campus work has been very good. I have found many prepared people in Berkeley. The next few weeks will be a time of following through on new contacts and teaching those that have received Divine Principle material.

Brief News Reels:

Clearfield, Utah

Mr. David Kim arrived at Salt Lake City, Utah on September 3rd, by United Airline, to undertake Clearfield Job Corps counseling assignment. He has been receiving "Staff Training Session" for two weeks. He is one of nearly 400 professionals working in the center. He is staying in a bachelor's apartment in the center. Soon nearly 1,200 corpsmen from all over the United States will be enrolled to receive job skills and special training.

Mr. Kim has started witnessing in Salt Lake City where in the past four families held regular meetings and now Father's work must be begun again in this city.

We hope that soon new children will be found in this city in which money, prayer, energy and time were invested in the past.

To My Master

Two loves have I
 My God and you.
Two loves have I
 Both of you are good and true.

I need no longer roam
 My heart has found its' home
In you, my heart now
 Finds rest and eternal peace.

by Marie Laux