

Praying and fasting for 7 days at the Washington DC Holy Ground - Day 3

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Day 3 complete and into day 4. I think that's right. Anyway, it's Wednesday evening. And again, I do want to thank everyone for your likes and comments. They are incredibly helpful.

Getting back to those blessings associated with external adoptions, and full disclosure here -- these blessing are all interrelated -- to comfort Heavenly Parent's Heart.

The suffering of orphans in the world today is I just have no words for it. There was a documentary in 1995 on the "dying rooms" in China which shows a little girl, Mei Ming, in an orphanage who had been left to die of hunger and thirst all alone by herself. She could not even cry because of her dehydration. The orphanage staff let the other kids go into her room each day and report back as to whether she was still alive so they would know when to remove her body. This was/is the situation in countries where one child per family policies were in place and collided with strong cultural preferences for male children. If the infant daughters didn't make it to the orphanages, they could often be heard in the sewers. If you have the heart to watch the program, query "The Dying Rooms -- Documentary from 1995" on YouTube.

The situation has supposedly improved recently as China has removed the one-child policy. But I'm not convinced. I cannot imagine Mei Ming's suffering and the grief to God's Heart. I recently reread Father's sermon "A Return to Tears." After watching the documentary, tears are not even a challenge. The problem is how to stop sobbing. And when I think of our own family, I quickly realized that my youngest son, Adrian, was in a similar situation in Ecuador, a country not even on the list regard the one child policy. As mentioned yesterday, he was found outdoors and abandoned at four or five days old, dehydrated and with pneumonia. Then it all hits close to home.

Our members could make such a difference by adopting and comfort God's Heart in the process. Please, during Holy Week, get together as a family, talk about it and pray about it. Is there a place in your home and in your heart for another child? No pressure. The answer and the correct one could well be no. But what if it could be yes? What if

Either way, the purpose of my condition would be fulfilled and thank you. Let's talk tomorrow....