

#18 A HOLY Marriage

A holy marriage is one that comes
From our Father *in heaven leading His* chosen ones
Together from different walks of life
To join together a man and a wife.

But I've got serious troubles in mind;
I'm wondering if mine is really that kind
From all the thoughts that come my way
While enduring my marriage day to day.

I'm aware that the Devil is alive and well.
From what I'm writing it's not hard to tell
That he's the Master of Confusion.
I'm wondering if my marriage is but an illusion.

I study Gods' word to try and find
Comfort and hope so that I don't walk blind
In my *daily struggles concerning the things*
That devoting myself to someone else brings.

Now this next thought that I need to write
Is the one that causes the hardest fight;
Which is: how do I balance between the two...
When one makes me happy and the other one blue?

My first concern is that I'll be of Christs' bride.
But here comes the kicker: does that border on pride
When I think of *myself* and *my* eternal life
As more important than my humanly wife?

I know the God puts us all to the test...
That's why I continue to give it my best;
Because I have a duty to my wife and child...
To lead them in truth and not let them grow wild.

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But here's where it really gets hard for me;
That my life's but a shadow of what it's suppose to be.
I want to be holy...be an example to all...
Show Christ lives within me so that others might answer His call.

I'm the "Light of the world" when Christ's light shines through me.
I'll walk into darkness so that others might see
That through His strength & compassion...that's far greater than mine...
I will overcome all problems that come down the line.

Now here's where I need His guidance right now;
I want both to succeed but I don't know how.
My walk with Him and my family on Earth
For us all to develop enough to accomplish Spiritual birth.

We've all been conceived and are in development stage.
Right now my marriage is rough; I'd like to turn the page
To where we start seeing things eye to eye;
To live for each other and to ourselves...just die!

For the Spirit of Love is to give of oneself.

To care for your partner is to bring yourself health.

As the other one grows and matures in Christ;
You'll be doing exactly what the Bible advised.

Already I feel better after just writing these words.
I hope my wife doesn't think this advice is just for the birds.
But for her and all others that might read these verses
Who need to get out from under some curses.

Because a curse is the opposite of a heavenly blessing;
Which we all will receive when we start confessing
Our weaknesses and failures in honesty to our partners in love
And decide together as one to find guidance from above!!!

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