

## #37 So, You've Got Problems?

So you've got problems? Well join the crowd.  
And what might they be? Let's name them out loud.  
There's never enough time and much want for money.  
But I'll tell you some more that aren't at all funny.

When there's **sickness** and **death** and **hurt all around** us  
It's amazing the things we find for reasons to cuss.  
**"I don't have enough"** or **"That should have been mine"**.  
When we don't get our way, how often we wine

And act like a child who hasn't grown up,  
Like two people getting married but still need a pre-nup.  
There's a lack of true love there, of faith and of trust.  
And if a relationship isn't protected, like iron, it will rust.

But the biggest problem you've hinted at I can see  
Is that **you don't know exactly who you're supposed to be.**  
You haven't figured out why you were born  
And why your heart - in two - has been torn.

The thing you call a family  
Is **not one in the eyes of the God.** As far as I can see  
It's a man's version, what **YOU** think is **O.K...**  
Even though you never had a Wedding Day.

How do expect for things to go right  
When you don't know how to resolve a fight?  
*One that starts because of selfishness*  
*By you or her, **or both**, I would guess.*

I'll tell you what you need to do  
Is to seek Godly counsel to see you through.  
It can be found in people like me.  
Or better yet...get down on your knee

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And ask God for forgiveness and wisdom from Him  
And confess to Him that you are in sin.  
And ask Him to guide you, let Him show you the way  
So you can start honoring His holiness today.

You've told me you believe in our Lord Jesus Christ.  
Do you believe Him now that your heart's been cut up and diced?  
Do you believe He cares and has a way to repair  
Your "so called" family? Do you have the faith to even dare?

### **To trust in Him one hundred percent**

And try to understand just exactly what He meant  
When He commanded you to "**study to show yourself approved**",  
**So when TODAY'S Judgment Day comes** you won't stay removed

From His ever drawing presence and love for you sent from heaven  
Because you preferred to fill your life & thoughts with self-rising leaven?  
**Have you studied enough to know what I've just said?**  
**Or are too many of Satan's deceptions still filling your head?**

This poem for you is getting a little long  
But the message it's conveying must be strong  
**To help you see God's plan for you in your life.**  
First of all, **The BEST** for you **isn't** a girlfriend, but a **wife!**

My friend, I've been exactly where you are today  
That's why God has given me the guidance to say  
Please take the time to humble yourself  
And get Godly counsel from someone who's been there...like myself!

I'd hate to see the Devil win  
By persuading you to continue in sin  
**By telling you to make excuses and hide**  
Because **that's why** he was removed from heaven - **it's called PRIDE!**

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### **AND PRIDE IS EXACTLY THE OPPOSITE OF HUMILITY**

And a life where you do what you want is not how God wants you to be.

**He wants you to sacrifice yourself like Christ did  
For the benefit of others; *like maybe...your kids!***

The most important responsibility you've got now to do  
Is to **BE THERE *EVERY* DAY** for them and see this thing through.  
Because excuses won't cut it, and they'll feel lost  
If their daddy on earth doesn't properly evaluate the cost.

Now it won't be real easy...repentance never is.

**You'll reap what you sow, Will you follow your mind or His?**  
One will bring trouble, and pain, and sorrow, and strife  
And **the other will too**, but **He'll give you a new life**

Where He'll give you **The Comforter** to help get you through  
The tough times you'll have, **but your perspective will be new**  
**When** you put **your** needs **after** God's, your wife's, and your offspring's;  
**You'll experience the joy that following His wisdom brings!**

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