



ALM's Ministries International, Inc.

The Ministry That Keeps on Giving ...

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True Love in Forgiveness

This message is for all of those who having fallen and are bordering on bitterness. Bitterness not due to the fact that you have fallen; but due to the fact that those whom you love, and that you thought loved you have abandoned you in the time of your greatest need. As a child of God I am reminded of a number of truths. The first truth is that we are called to forgive.

"And be ye kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you." **Ephesians 4:32**

We are instructed that vengeance belongs to God.

"Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but rather give place unto wrath: for it is written, vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord." **Romans 12:19**

We are told to take the wrong.

"Now therefore there is utterly a fault among you, because you go to law one with another..." **1 Corinthians 6:7**

We are told to forget our rights, to forgo our liberties.

"We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves." **Romans 15:1**

These can all be very tall orders. It can cause the child of God to endure much pain. The scripture gives the sum of this as one of the great commands that is to love one another. I have learned that love means not

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just to give up our rights and/or liberty. Love means to retain all of our obligations and all of our responsibilities, while giving up our rights.

Our example is none other than the Lord Jesus Christ, who gave up His home in glory, where the streets are paved with gold, only to be born in an animal stable and placed in a feeding trough. He relinquished His transcendent freedom to be imprisoned in human flesh. He gave up His right to defend Himself knowing that He (unlike us) had done no wrong. Christ submitted to enduring physical pain, humiliation, isolation and abandonment understanding that He had only ministered to the needs of the sick, hungry and oppressed and had legions of angels waiting on His command to help. He showed us all that He loved us by giving up His rights and His liberties, while retaining His responsibilities to save us and now He is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

Check the scripture

1. *Ephesians 4:32*
2. *Romans 12:19*
3. *Romans 15:1*

This is just something to think about when we are pressed down by the pains of this world. We are called to look like Jesus. We are called to love like Jesus. If we should lose our lives for Christ's sake, we shall gain life. Jesus is coming and His reward is with Him.

If no one has told you yet today please allow me to be the first to say that I love you all and you can't do a thing about it.

Serving Christ

Andre' L. McGuire

Ministry Needs

Praise God:

I believe as God said, He will supply our need according to His riches in glory. That you might be made aware of those present needs please find listed below the needs of ALM's Ministry International, Inc. as we know them.

It is my intention to fulfill the ministry God has placed in my heart. I am prayerful that God would touch those whom He has anointed to be a blessing or participant in this ministry. I have nearly completed the business plan inclusive of a blueprint of the facility wherein the halfway house would be located. If God has so ordained it would be a blessing to receive your assistance in the development of this ministry. Please contact us in the event God has led you to assist and/or forward this to any which you believe may through prayer be interested in assisting in the following areas:

- Prayer
- Secure 501 C3
- Assist in completion of business plan

- a. Cost Analysis
- b. Secure Financing and/or Grant Writer
- c. Staff Development

- Web Site Development (concept provided)
- Typeset manuscripts and/or secure publisher or agent for manuscripts
- Secure copyright of manuscript(s)
- Prayer

I do thank you for having taken the time to review this information. I pray that God will open your heart to being a blessing to his kingdom by assisting in the development of this ministry.

Donations

The word of **God** admonishes us to owe no man anything except love. Therefore, we have made it possible for our visiting friends to assist us in maintaining our facility and our web presence by sowing seed into this ministry. All finances received are tax deductible and will be used for general ministry support if it is not specifically designated. We thank you in advance for your cheerful gift in support of ALM's Ministries, International, Inc.