

"Righteousness! -- Marches On!"

In these pages will be found Letters from the World of Business, Profession, Labor and Trade to FATHER DIVINE in Acknowledgment and Appreciation of His Peace Mission Movement, Also Some of HIS Wonderful Letters in Reply.

\$5000 Loan of 1928 Now Fully Repaid

Granbery, Marache & Lord
Members New York Stock Exchange
120 Broadway, New York
December 19, 1938

Dear Evernghim,

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter of December 17th enclosing check for \$250, being the final payment on the \$5,000 I loaned your Mother in 1928, and you can consider this letter as a receipt in full.

I appreciate very much your handling this matter for me so promptly, as the funds have been most useful at this time.

With best wishes to you for Christmas and the New Year, I remain

Most sincerely yours,
E. C. Granbery-B.

Mr. Evernghim Blake
40 Monroe Street
New York, N. Y.

Relief Money Repaid

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
Department of Charities
Los Angeles, California
February 14, 1939

RE: WILLIAM, Jacob & Julia
File No. 209558

Father Divine
20 W. 115th St.
New York, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

On February 11, 1939 we collected from a William Jacob, or Jacob William, of 1436 E. 27th Street, Los Angeles, California, the sum of \$154.55 which pays his account in full with the County of Los Angeles.

Mr. William informed us that due to your influence over your many subjects, they are paying up all their back debts and obligations. He asked us if we would be kind enough to inform you of the fact that he had paid up his account and we enclose receipted bill.

At this time the writer wishes to express his appreciation for the good work you are doing in helping so many thousands see the light.

Very truly yours,
DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES.
Collection Division
By H. D. Leaf

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STATEMENT

12 16 38 File No. 209558
Aid advanced to William, Jacob & Julia
Aid advanced by Bureau of Indigent Relief
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Case closed 9 26 34 Vernon
To County of Los Angeles Department of Charities
Collection Division
1048 Santes St., Los Angeles, Calif.
Date 2 1 34—9 30 34 Cash, groc., cloth., rent, milk \$154.55
PAID—2-11-39

H. D. Leaf,
Asst. Collector.

FATHER Expresses Appreciation

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Feb. 20, 1939 A.D.F.D.

Mr. H. D. Leaf
Asst. Collector
Department of Charities
Los Angeles, California

My dear Mr. Leaf:

I AM writing to advise I have received your letter of the 14th, acknowledging the voluntary refund of one hundred and fifty-four dollars and fifty-five cents paid back to the Department of Charities by one of MY followers, Mr. Jacob William, for which I AM appreciative.

In support of this act of Honesty I wish to say, Mr. William, as well as all others who received aid from the Welfares, are not required nor obligated to repay the amounts and services rendered them, for such is given gratis by the City. But that the Law of Righteousness upon which he stands, might be fulfilled from every angle expressible, he is following the command of Jesus, who declared: 'Render therefore unto Caesar the things which be Caesar's, and unto God the things which be God's.'

A discerning mind following the Works of MY Mission, can readily see the Foundation and the Structure of a Righteous Government in the making. They can observe a new world economic system rising into action, as well as the unfoldment of a great Co-operative Enterprise.

The counsel of the written Law that states: "the meek shall inherit the earth," has been taught by generations of teachers, preachers, educators and philosophers, but the wisdom it gives has not been followed by them. Instead of the present practices of grafters, profiteers, covetous dictators and all other tendencies of

or more years ago, have been returned to us, same having been received in this office today.

Yours very truly,

H. L. Margetts
Asst. General Manager.

CC—Miss Ruth H. Love,
1830 Springwood Avenue,
Neptune, New Jersey.

FATHER'S Reply

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February 14, 1939 A.D.F.D.

Mr. H. L. Margetts
Asst. General Manager
New York Central System
Michigan Central Terminal
Detroit, Michigan

My dear Mr. Margetts:—

I have received your letter of acknowledgment, giving evidence of the restitution of some stolen articles that were taken about eighteen years ago by one who is now a follower of Mine.

It is the Work of MY Mission to inculcate the qualities of Honesty, Peace, Righteousness and Brotherly Love within the hearts of men universally, that a Spiritual Reformation might lift the world from its bondage and from the deplorable conditions found in all fields of human society today.

In consideration of the hundreds of millions following ME and this Light and Teaching, this is the birth of a New Nation, for this number have been transformed mentally and Spiritually unto Righteousness, Justice and Truth and they no longer live unto sin, vice and crime.

The above mentioned experience of reparation is a sample and an example of this Principle. If the aim and purpose of an individual is built upon Honesty and Faith in God, every deed and every action will be governed accordingly.

It is for this cause that I continue to stress the thought, as it is with an individual, so can it be with a nation and with all nations collectively. If the Spirit of Righteousness predominates in the lives of men, as it has been with the increasing millions in these last few years, so can it predominate in the whole world.

This Spiritual Reformation is indeed the Redemption of mankind, for no other reform method or system of men, whether political, sociological, or any other educational theory, has brought about this Peace and Security that you see demonstrated thru this Spiritual Administration of Righteousness, Justice and Truth.

Thus you see, the Truth is made practical, it is made scientific, it is made real, even as it is first instilled within the consciousness of men, as being termed a Spiritual awakening within them.

With best wishes to you, desiring that you might be as I AM, this leaves ME Well, Healthy, Joyful, Peaceful, Lively, Loving, Successful, Prosperous and Happy in Spirit, Body and Mind and in every organ, muscle,

sinew, joint, limb, vein and bone and even in every atom, fibre and cell of MY Bodily Form.

Respectfully and Sincere, I AM

REV. M. J. DIVINE

MJ.D. (Better known as FATHER DIVINE)

Post Office Authorities Receive FATHER'S Letter on "Peace Stamp"

PEACE

February 15, 1939 A.D.F.D.

SPECIAL DELIVERY, REGISTERED MAIL,
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Post Office Authorities, and
General Postmaster of New Brunswick
New Brunswick, New Jersey.

Dear Sirs:

I write as I wish to advise there is some person, or persons under your jurisdiction, or immediate department, who are malicious, prejudiced and antagonistic to Righteousness, Justice and Truth in violation to the Constitution of the Government of this Country, by which you and all who are concerned, are protected.

They have endeavored to maliciously and prejudicially refuse to mail letters from your department because of the Peace Stamps being stuck on the left hand, lower corner of the letter being mailed from your department.

This Peace Stamp carries a message I sent to President Roosevelt and to the European dictators as a message of Peace to all nations, and also carries a message of the Government itself, under which we are living and are supported and protected, by the President of the United States of America.

I do hereby request the honor of your office and those who are concerned, to immediately see to it that such an attack will not be repeated against the Peace of the world and the Salvation of all mankind, again.

Individually I say, the person or persons who are the authors of such an attack against Righteousness in an attempt to disfranchise the citizens of our Great Country without due process of Law, according to the requirements of the Constitution, they are destroying their own Peace, Life, Liberty and even the pursuit of their own Happiness. For that which they desire to do to others and to the Work of Righteousness as advocated by President Roosevelt and Myself to the dictators of Europe on this Peace Stamp, they are psychologically, mentally and Spiritually destroying their own Peace and Happiness internally, and in and under their own jurisdiction concerning themselves and their own personal affairs.

"For that which a man soweth he must also reap," for "it is not by power," neither can it be done or will it be done "by might, but by the Spirit of God," declares He Who writes this letter. Thoughts and desires and even wishes of any type, they are all as chickens; they come home to roost. They return to the one from whence they have gone and it is all done by the Spirit and by the mind of the individual and individuals who are concerned. It cannot be, and it is not done by the hand nor the power of man.

I hope this will give you information concerning the malicious and prejudiced minds of those who are concerned, and I AM sure you will take cognizance of this message, that the Spirit of God might work harmoniously for all who might be interested, for the Spirit of God will work harmoniously with those who are in harmony with the Prince of Peace, who has said, "My Peace I give unto thee, My Peace I leave with thee," even as said our late Pope Pius the 11th—the very last word he spoke, "Peace," that Peace might abide with all mankind.

I AM sure if this is considered, all who are interested will be Blessed accordingly and will be even as I AM, for this leaves ME Well, Healthy, Joyful, Peaceful, Lively, Loving, Successful, Prosperous and Happy in Spirit, Body and Mind and in every organ, muscle, sinew, joint, limb, vein and bone and even in every atom, fibre and cell of MY Bodily Form.

Respectfully and Sincere, I AM

REV. M. J. DIVINE

MJD.r

(Better known as FATHER DIVINE)

FATHER Writes Hospital Heads Concerning "The New Day"

PEACE

Feb. 13, 1939 A.D.F.D.

To the Department of Hospitals, the City and State of New York, to the chief officials, to the chief executives and other officials, to the superintendents and those who are in charge:

May I request the honor of your office to grant the distribution of My Message as published in The New Day weekly magazine to your patients and to those in your department, for the advancement of moral betterment, to increase their aspirations and courage and faith, to lift their vibrations, desires and mentalities above the physical existing conditions among them, that they might have something to read in accord with MY Teaching to attract their attentions in a different direction, other than the physical ailments and complaints with which they are suffering?

By this they will have something of a unique nature to read as literature, to keep their minds lifted above the ailing, physical and mental conditions; that they and all who are concerned may be even as I AM, for this leaves ME Well, Healthy, Joyful, Peaceful, Lively, Loving, Successful, Prosperous and Happy in Spirit, Body and Mind and in every organ, muscle, sinew, joint, limb, vein and bone and even in every atom, fibre and cell of MY Bodily Form.

Respectfully and Sincere, I AM

REV. M. J. DIVINE.

MJD.r

(Better known as FATHER DIVINE).

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We Thank You, FATHER

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LOST AND FOUND

FATHER DIVINE PEACE MISSION

36 West 123rd Street -:- Phone: HARlem 7-8124
Call at this number to obtain lost and found articles.

Envelope containing \$2.00 found, 129th St. and Madison Ave., Jan. 30th.

Man's Ring found, Peace Grocery Store, 26 W. 115th St., Jan. 26th.

\$5.00 found, 200 W. 115th St., December 12th.

Keys in leather folder found, Lenox and 5th Aves., December 11th.

Two small black change purses found, 156-158 West 126th St., last two weeks.

Fountain pen found, 116th St. & Lenox Ave., Dec. 4th.

Small black pocketbook found, 115th St. & Madison Ave., contains change.

\$1.00 found, 140th St., Jan. 13th.

\$1.00 found, 171st St., Bronx, Dec. 30th.

\$1.00 found, 22 Clayton St., Newark, N. J., before Jan. 16th.

\$1.39 found, Artist's Colony, Milton (Father Divine's Peace Mission.) 5c found in house.

\$3.00 found, 368 Madison St., Brooklyn, before Feb. 5th

Man's wallet, containing small sum of money and identification cards bearing name, Albert J. Battiste, found, 1887-1889 Madison Avenue, week of Feb. 1st.

Lady's bar pin with diamonds found. Address and date not given, presumably in one of the Peace Mission Extensions.

A blue change purse containing sum of money found in Peace Grocery Store, 26 W. 115th St., Jan. 18th.

Lady's watch found, cor. 41 S. Central Ave., Los Angeles, California. Inquire 3216 S. Central Ave.—C. L. Nelson.

Other articles, such as spool of crocheting thread for gimp, necklace, brooches, fancy pins, handkerchiefs, and loose change found, 156 and 158 W. 126th St., recently.

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I Thank You, FATHER

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