

Have Faithy Will Travel - To Italy!

The Family is still going strong, despite the lies of backsliders!

Faithy & Juan's trip to Italy; written by Juan: Sept. Dear Dad & Maria, GBYI GIJNI WLY so much & keep you always in our prayers for the Lord to keep you healthy, inspired & in a safe situation!

WE ARRIVED ON A SUNDAY IN MASSA, ITALY, where Simon (U.S.), the V.S., picked us up, together with Neaman Gypsy (see pic). They took us to a small hotel where we stayed, as we felt it would be better for security as the Home here is the same house of 4 years ago & everyone knows it as a COG hang-out! Plus there was a big Communist celebration on the same square where the house is!

THE COMMUNISTS ARE BIG HERE IN ITALY & from being here we can really see how pretty soon they will take over as you said in the Letter "Fleel" Anyway, later that night Beji (the KQS) arrived, so we got a chance to meet him as we had never met before. Our first impression of him was that we liked him & he seemed to be a sweet, humble guy.

ON MONDAY WE HAD A MEETING WITH THE FAMILY OF NORTHERN ITALY. We were a little bit shocked, to say the least, at the amount of people that showed up for the gathering. There were 119 people total. There were 29 "knew" disciples & 11 different nationalities. There were 39 Italian adults & 14 Italian "knew" disciples, out of which the majority do not speak English.

IT REALLY IMPRESSED ON US THE URGENCY FOR THE LLIMM R., as even our



Neaman performing with the children!—Italy.

full-timers do not understand English! TG for the new LLIMM as we felt the potential here is tremendous!

THE MEETING LASTED FOR 6 HOURS, & most of the people present said that the meeting was a real answer to prayer to bring more unity, which seemed to be one of the greatest needs of the area.

EVERYONE SEEMED SURPRISED TO SEE THE LARGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE present & still serving the Lord & you despite the lies of our backsliders! TG, we have you, as all the kids mentioned that the only thing that kept them during this time of confusion was the Letters!

ALL THAT FLORENCE CROWD IS IN PRETTY BAD SHAPE, & they are going around telling lies about you & the Family. We heard that Italian Daniele & team were now smoking pot & doing cocaine regularly!—"Returning to their vomit!" (Pr. 26:11 & 2Pt. 2:22.)

WE ALSO HEARD AT THIS MEETING SOME COMMENTS

ABOUT RACHEL, as the community seems to be pretty upset with her & the kids feel it won't be long before Ludovico (her Fish) puts her out on the street. The community is saying that she is worse than a "Putana" as not even the animals forsake their children like she did! Lord help her!

(DAD: "I SAID MONTHS AGO THAT PERHAPS DRUGS would explain Rachel's peculiar personality change & very strange behaviour, that those rich high-society friends of the Italian dolce vita possibly got her into drugs & dependent upon them & willing to desert the Family & her husband & her children & the Lord.

(IF DANIELE WOULD DARE SUBVERT TIMOTHY WITH DRUGS, he was probably using drugs on Rachel during their long association together. This would also explain her dependency on her Fish because he could afford it & he could supply it, & her fading out of the picture without even a struggle. This

would really explain a lot. I wouldn't even be surprised if maybe even her doctors got her into drugs with the excuse of relieving her suffering from her various sicknesses & painful operations. That happens with a lot of people—Sad Dad, BUT PTL, MOST OF THE KIDS ARE STILL GOING ON, altho' many were affected by the foolish spirit of those "old" leaders. But TTL, many are seeing the light & becoming new creatures again!

FOR MANY WE FELT THE BEST SOLUTION WOULD BE TO LEAVE ITALY & go on to a new field. The movies & pictures we showed really seemed to inspire some to do so, & we have heard of a few that are planning to move along as soon as possible. TYJ!

THE MAIN TOPIC OF THE MEETING WAS "GO YE" & "NO LIT, NO LETTERS". Many people were really touched by the worldwide vision & to realise that we belong to the most beautiful family in the whole world! TYJ!—And you for making it all possible!

MAG NO. 5 WAS A GREAT BLESSING, & because of the little articles about drugs in the FN with quotes from Letters about what the Lord has to say on that subject, as many here in Italy were falling into that trap. It seemed to be a common thing for some people to do, & with the same old stupid reasoning that "it's no worse than wine"—the main excuse they used! We were wondering whether it was a common practice amongst the old "Italian School" of leaders, as all the chic people here in Italy seemed to be falling into that Cesspool! Lord help us!

FAITHY REALLY SOCKED IT TO 'EM BOTH BARRELS with the quote from "Questions From the Field" I TYJ!

Such a needed quote! Overall we felt the kids were really turned on with the meeting & we saw great potential, especially amongst the Italian nationals—GBT!

WE ALSO GOT TO SPEND TIME WITH THE YUGOSLAVIAN TEAM that had come for the meeting. Their testimonies of how they are reaching the Yugoslavians that come to Italy to shop, with the lit is super encouraging! They are building up a mailing list & are working on translations to be able to reach the people thru' the mail.

THEY HAVE A FEW TEAMS INSIDE YUGOSLAVIA also, & some of the teams from Italy go in periodically on faith trips to take in lit & the new wine! They all seemed very happy & inspired about what they are doing! Getting out the message of the Lord is really blessing them financially to the point that they give regular gifts to the Italian LLIMM & help with their support—GBT!

THAT NIGHT WE MADE A STOP TO VISIT JEREMY SPENCER & family. They had all attended the meeting the day before & Faithy really felt a burden for him as he saw him as a drowning man. He had told Faithy how ashamed he was of the album they had recorded in L.A. & that he really believed in the Letter "Hard Rock Bands" & that is why he had made a Comic about it & sent it for approval.—Also a letter of apology to Dad! (DAD: GBT!)

HE REALLY SEEMED SINCERE about his feelings & mentioned that his best success in the Family has not been with bands but he has a desire to work with children's material, & maybe helping

"Music With Meaning"! HE MENTIONED HE HAD KIND OF BACKSLIDED because of his music & now he was seeing the effect on his children who were not doing well. He really seemed like he wanted to follow the Lord & you!

HE SHARED SOME VERY REVEALING & SAD NEWS ABOUT TIMOTHY & his association with Daniele. He mentioned to us that he personally had been smoking dope & doing cocaine with them while visiting Daniele's villa & doing a recording of a song for a skit that Daniele was working on.

JEREMY SAID THAT TIMOTHY & DANIELE JUST SAT AROUND THE TV for hours smoking dope & playing their games such as tennis, football or things like that for hours every day. They stayed up late most nights & woke up late & did the same type of thing every day. They heard from Angela that she is getting tired of seeing them do the same thing every day.

THEN JEREMY ALSO MENTIONED THAT THEIR THEME OF CONVERSATION was very weird as they just got doped up & then discussed for hours how they were going to beat each other in the games they were going to play later on. IT JUST REALLY PUT THE FEAR OF THE LORD in our hearts to see how far gone you can be if you just stop believing & accepting the truth. May the Lord help us never to be like that!

JEREMY ALSO MENTIONED THAT TIMOTHY, altho' never accusing Dad about anything, just sits there & lets Daniele give all different types of lies about the Family & Dad. When talking about backsliders, Timothy always talks symbols.

thetically about them & says that they could have been treated in a different way, & that you have to see their point of view.—Like excusing himself for his own sins!

IT WAS VERY SAD TO HEAR SUCH NEWS, but at the same time revealing to see how right on Dad was about Tim. We would love to see the RD we read while visiting you printed, as it was so right about him.—That was "The Timothy Revelation".

SORRY FOR SAYING THIS, but it would be so on the ball for the whole world to read what the Lord had said about him long before he left. We pray that this news will not be discouraging, but inspiring to see how right the Lord was about him. So sad that he gave up such a priceless crown & blessing to go back & do nothing. Really shows us how we need to stay so close to our Shepherd & the Word!—And we pray he'll come back!

ON THURSDAY WE ARRIVED IN ROME where we had a meeting of a total of 69 people, of which 18 were "knew" disciples of 9 different nationalities!

AS IN MASSA, WE WERE SO HAPPY TO SEE THE KIDS GOING ON, & some of the new fruit that is coming in, TYJ! We are growing much faster & better than before! TYJ! Italian Angelo & his beautiful wife Sara (see pic) helped Faithy lead the inspiration, TYJ!

EVERYONE SEEMED HAPPY & INSPIRED with the meeting. Again, there were some who are getting their bags ready & should be on the road soon. We also found that a large number of people were camping out, & the Letters on the subject have been a tremendous blessing to all, TYJ! They love the Camping Series & many have mentioned that they already have been a tremendous help & blessing.



Italian Angelo, happy in his life for Jesus!

ON FRIDAY WE MET WITH ANGELO & SARA who are going to Switzerland as they have a contract to sing in a cafe there for about 6 months! They shared with us different experiences they had before & after the RNR under Rachel & Emanuele. Angelo mentioned that E. has sent him a letter via E.'s lawyer demanding that Angelo repay E. the sum of 5 million lire for the investments that were made in the Rome Disco while Angelo was acting as manager. Poor E., we hear he is almost crazy & very lonely.



Some of the precious Italian national disciples!—(l-r) Samuele, Renato (new disciple), Luca, Deborah, Naomi, Matteo, baby Ivan, Fiamma.

ty. How awful to be out of God's will! TTL we have you to keep us on the right track!

ON SATURDAY WE MET WITH SIMON & MARIA, THE V.S., who have just finished visiting the entire area. We learned more about how the Family was doing & how they felt the Family was just getting back on their feet after the stumble it had suffered because of R&E.

THEY SAID THEY FELT OUR MEETINGS WERE A BLESSING, as they brought everyone face-to-face. It seemed after R&E that no one trusted anyone & all had kind of gone independent, but now they prayed things were going to be working out better, DV.—Real shepherds! TTL! Really helped put Italy back together! GBT!

WE HAD LUNCH AT THE HOME OF A PRECIOUS COUPLE who are now part of the Family, as one of our guys FF'ed the wife & is now living with them. This couple got married 10 years ago but their marriage was a failure so that 4 years ago they decided to live just as friends & roommates & not as husband & wife. Because of family pressures & their traditions they could not get separated.

ABOUT 15 YEARS AGO A BOY FROM THE FAMILY met her litnessing & started to witness to her & later FF'ed her. As the relationship grew, he then started to witness to the husband, & he also got saved! Later on he moved into their apartment & started living-in with her as his mate!

THE 3 SEEM VERY HAPPY WITH THEIR SITUATION & she has even begun to love her ex-husband sexually, something she had not done for the past 4 years! "Real love never fails!" TYJ!

ALSO WE HAVE SPENT TIME WITH BEPI who has been with us visiting & we have been able to know him better. He seems like a very faithful guy who has a great love for

the Lord & you & the sheep & is trying to do his best.—GBT! PTL!—A real grass-roots!—Just needs more training in administration etc.! Hopie should write reports & help more in communication! WLY & PRAY FOR YOU! Thank you for being so beautiful & loving & merciful with us! Lots of love to Davidito & Techi & all your beautiful household. In the love of Jesus & David, yours always, Juan & Faithy.

P.S. THANKS FOR THE VERSE, Hab. 2:4, it really helped! PTL! Stephen David talked to me on the phone & really is so proud! Perhaps we'll find out more from Adria today, DV! Thanks for your help & prayers.

AN ITALIAN BROTHER HERE IN ROME WENT TO THE EMBASSY OF OUR FRIEND down South & asked for help, a passport & money! (He had been a radical red, so the Italian Government won't give him a passport!) That was 3 months ago.

NOW HE JUST GOT AN ANSWER from them & an interview with someone close to G. who just arrived from there to help the students take over the Embassy!—He gave this brother, Daniel, \$400 & asked if he could work for them in setting up a mailing list, take classes in Arabic & teach English to the students etc., & take Islamic classes!! They'll give him an apartment & help in exchange.

Out From The Cesspool!

Samson's hard-hitting answer to a letter from Stephen David!

From Samson & Ara; India: Dear Dad & Maria, WLY BOTH SO MUCH & THANK YOU from the depths of our hearts for your faithfulness to the Lord in passing on to us the Words He's given you for this day & age.

ENCLOSED IS A LETTER FROM STEPHEN DAVID I received a few days ago, which we felt was rather divisive. At first I felt to ignore it & not write back, but then I felt I just couldn't say nothing, so I've written back to set the record straight.

IT WAS NOT ONLY THE DIVISIVENESS OF THE LETTER that blew our minds, but the total contradiction to many of the recent Letters such as NRS, "Maltese Double-cross" & "Son of Sam". I've also enclosed my reply to him.

IF YOU FEEL HIS LETTER & MINE PUBLISHED TO-

GETHER would help Stephen or others from getting affected by their divisiveness, you are welcome to publish it. Lord have His way! We love you both so much & are happy to be free from that former cesspool to go on to do the Lord's will. Love forever in your loving service, Samson & Ara.

Stephen's letter to Samson: Dear Samson & Ara & family, GOD BLESS & KEEP YOU. How are you doing? We used to really enjoy your little pioneer newsletters which we'd receive from you every so often—like some of these enclosed! We hope you will still do one of your travels, experiences in pioneering & lessons etc.—also along with some pics.

WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU & the rest of the Family would benefit greatly from your wealth of exper-

ience in foreign fields. You are indeed tried & proven missionaries & much needed as there are very few like you in the Family—real leaders.

"ONCE A PIONEER, ALWAYS A PIONEER"—LIKE US! We keep moving. Maybe you should get a caravan or van for you & your family to be mobile—Gospel Gypsy Pirates! It's almost the only way to stay free from that "Blood-suckin' System"! Keep rollin'. Why not—Dad teaches it.—Where are the Rechabites of Jer. 35. Who says we all gotta live in Flats! (Flat-landers!-Hal)

DON'T GET DISCOURAGED—you've probably finished your job in that area for a while & God has something new 4 U 2 pioneers. We've had our problems with some of the old Chain leadership too & lies they told about us in the FN. But we KGFG—