



Davidito on sunny Swiss summer day!

1. IT WAS AN UNMISTAKEABLE, TROUBLING SYMPTOM when during the night of June 7th Davidito cried out in his sleep a few times, then woke very fussy to go potty. --We knew then that he was probably feeling sick. It always gets us prayin' when he has a restless night's sleep as if he's battling in the Spirit & needs our prayerful intercession.

2. WHEN DAVID TRIED TO GET UP THE NEXT MORNING, he told us he had a bad headache & felt dizzy, so returned to bed feeling feverish. Little children are such "fighters" that you know they must be feeling pretty sick to have to lie in bed all day!

3. WE WONDERED AT FIRST IF THE CAUSE of his sickness was perhaps being overexposed to the sun the day before, but when Daddy prayed about it, he got that it was an attack of the Enemy! Just the previous night the adults had read together the new Letter & revelation of "The Endtime Witnesses!" (Letter No.707) & right away Davidito came

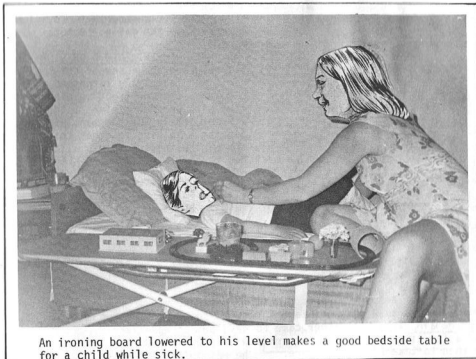
down with a high fever that recurred all the next day!

4. DAD SAID HE IS ALWAYS HESITANT ABOUT PUBLISHING LETTERS ABOUT DAVIDITO, because he's afraid the Devil will then strongly attack him in some way. We sure saw what a great spiritual attack it was & had united desperate prayer for him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord! (James 5:14-16.) Little David realised we really meant business, & were "expecting miracles", as he had himself recently witnessed Daddy's recovery from a serious illness through the same Scriptural precedence!

5. THE DAY HE WAS SICK MOMMY & DADDY CAME IN TO PRAY FOR HIM, & Mommy gave him a nice little red heart candle for a gift. Davidito said, "Oh, took Alfred! We can light this when we love up Sara!" Staff members Sue, Richard, Path & Ana also came in for little visits at his sickbed throughout the day, & even though he was really tired, he just couldn't sleep, so would show them his car park & take advantage of all the attention.

6. EVEN WHEN HE'S SICK, HE'S SO MUCH LIKE DADDY: David still spoke politely to the others & was so strong in trying to resist a murmuring attitude. I should have known better, but because the curtains in the room were open, the bright sunlight bothered his weakened eyes, so David suggested, "Why don't we pull the curtains together?" Then when we asked if the way we pulled them was OK, he said, "Well, maybe a little more would be better, thank you!"

7. HE RESTED IN BED ALL DAY LONG, & for some reason, David refused not only to eat, but even drink, & also go potty! We kept trying to convince him to drink liquids, but he insisted first on having a straw to drink from. Thank God Sue called in from a shopping trip in town, (calling in before coming home is a very helpful "rule" in our house); so we asked her to please bring lots of drinking straws for David. She did, & he finally willingly drank meat broth, apple juice, & later, cream soups with yeast added. He also went potty when needed, & we



An ironing board lowered to his level makes a good bedside table for a child while sick.

kept a small potty right near the bed so he wouldn't get chilled making long walks to the bathroom.

8. A HELPFUL TIP FOR THE CHILD'S SICKBED: We lowered the adjustable ironing board to the side of his bed at his eye level, so that we could put his food tray closeby. He also displayed his cars & toys alongside him there while he lay in bed.

9. ALTHOUGH THE FEVER PERSISTED ALL DAY, it only got dangerously high two or three times, when David would become very fearful & tense, screaming out in fear, almost hysterical! We'd immediately lay on hands again in prayer, which comforted him greatly, as he heard our desperate prayers rebuking the Enemy, as well as the Scriptures we claimed for his healing & deliverance. He never did get soaked with sweat, as is common when a fever breaks, but we were careful to dress him in warm long-sleeved pajamas & keep him covered to prevent his getting chilled when so feverish.

10. THANK GOD WE DO HAVE THE POWER OF

HEALING through His Spirit & Word, for many little children can become delirious & therefore very fearful of the overwhelming feeling of high fever in the body. They must be very closely attended at times of illness accompanied by fever, & drink liquids whenever possible to replenish the body's loss of fluid through perspiration.

11. A FEVER USUALLY INDICATES INFECTION, although most childcare books explain that the degree of fever does not necessarily indicate the seriousness of a child's condition. Children can be very ill without even having a rise in temperature, on the other hand, may have a very high fever without being seriously ill. Young children, because the heat-regulating centers in their brains are immature, tend to sometimes be subject to temperature increases for very little reason.

12. THE RISE OR FALL IN TEMPERATURE is only one symptom that must be seen in relation to any other symptoms of illness that are present. It is also necessary to observe how the child