



First night of changing his own bed
--with difficulty!

getting tough about it. There is an instant of decision that he has to make even in his subconscious when he wets the bed. They are not involuntary muscles! He has to make a decision! If he has to change the bed & his clothes himself one or two times that ought to make him stop, no matter how hard it is. Let him know that it is very, very bad!

30. "LET HIM KNOW THAT YOU ARE NOT GOING TO ACCEPT IT & THAT YOU ARE GOING TO GET ON WITH ABOUT IT ALL." He must have seen those other kids there wet the bed & then the parents not do anything about it, but just changed the sheets as if it's all right, & they have accepted it. So he thinks now that it is all right, too. Before he goes to sleep you have to give him a stiff talking to & let him know that it is bad!"

39. "PRAYS: 'LORD, THIS IS A SERIOUS THING ABOUT DAVID'S WETTING THE BED. He could get badly sick & all wet & cold & everything, & it's very uncomfortable & he has to get up in the middle of the night & change all his clothes & the bedding & everything all night."

40. "I REBUKE THIS THING IN JESUS' NAME!!" We ask Thee to just touch his little mind & give him a strong will to defeat

the Devil & fight it, Lord, & make a good decision to get up & go to the toilet. In Jesus' name, I rebuke it! In the Name of Jesus we ask Thee, Lord, to deliver him & to help him to be a good boy & to get up & go to the toilet & not wet the bed, in Jesus' name. Hallelujah! TYU! Amen."

41. "(LATER TO DAVID:) 'AND TRY HARD, OK? ALL RIGHT?'" (Maria: Fight the good fight of faith, OK? And kill Goliath. You want to kill a giant? A big giant, huh?) (David: No, it's a little giant.) (Maria: A little giant. So you can kill him in the power of the Lord!

42. "COMPARED TO WHAT HE IS, HE'S A PRETTY BIG GIANT!" (David: ...He's a little giant.) "Well, bedwetting is a pretty big giant!! (M: Daddy says he's a big giant.) "It's a pretty big, bad giant to get you & the bed wet every night." (Maria: Well, you can be like little David, huh?--And kill Goliath!)"

43. ALL THESE MEASURES WE PUT INTO EFFECT IMMEDIATELY AFTER DAD'S TALK & VERY BEAUTIFUL PRAYER WITH US, claiming the victory through faith! Just that afternoon then I warned David before nap that he must not wet or he will wear diapers, David woke wet, crying in his nap that day & told me, "The Devil came to me in my dreams, but I rebuked him in Jesus' name & he went away!" Dad said later that this shows how spiritual the problem really is!



Still dazed & asleep, he tries to change wet bed himself now!

44. FOLLOWING DADDY'S COUNSEL WHEN DAVID WET, I SOMETIMES TWICE IN THE NIGHT, I'D TOLD TO CHANGE HIS OWN BEDDING himself, but was so whiney, groggy & totally dazed & just plain "not there", he couldn't follow through on instructions & had to wuss him on the bottom several times to follow through with what we were saying! A few times when we'd wake him to potty at night he wouldn't even make it unless he'd shoot pee all over the room & it was too just making matters even more difficult. We were always praying & rebuking the Enemy before every sleep time & continually praying with him & pottying him throughout the night.

45. AFTER STRUGGLING THROUGH SUCH A HARD NIGHT'S SLEEP, WAKING UP TO CHANGE HIMSELF & HIS OWN BED ETC., DAVID OFTEN SLEPT IN THE NEXT DAY TILL 12:00 NOON! Of course I had to bathe him first thing in the morning, including washing his hair & drying it which always took up a great deal of our day & became a rather frustrated routine for all.

46. I WROTE IN A NOTE TO DAD & MARIA EXPLAINING THE SITUATION: "I really don't see where he gets all this liquid to wet himself so thoroughly, all the way up to wet his pillow & hair, & what has grasped his mind to this sudden defiance & even lying in his own wet bed without waking?? When I mentioned that he might have to start wearing diapers soon, he cried at the very thought. I mean, there's only so much threatening you can do till when it continues, you have to spank or use the diapers or follow through with actual punishment! I'm just not sure what to deprive him of that relates to the bedwetting--or should it relate? Deprivation of his toys? All snacks? Or something he looks forward to? So all this to say we are desperately in prayer & it seems it's up to David to go on the attack. I've even tried to recall the exact conversations made on our trip about bedwetting, comments & all to see what he registered in his mind about it. Thank you for your prayers & please let us know if there's anything more I should be doing. Love always, Your Sara."--(And Jesus did answer our prayer, as He promised!)

47. WE TRIED TO KEEP A VICTORIOUS ATTITUDE ABOUT IT AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE, BUT YET THE ENEMY'S CONDEMNATION WAS SO HEAVY it was hard to even keep the victory for long before another battle would hit us smack in the face. I was encouraging David one time to keep fighting, that

we're all really learning to be fighters, when he answered "All except Techi." I asked why, & he said "Because Techi wets the bed!"--Strange he would put that in the present tense, when Techi was not even born yet! We were memorising Ephesians 6 during this time as well as more & more Scriptures on fighting the good fight of faith, etc.

48. IT WAS THE MORNING OF THE 22ND OF JANUARY THAT DAD & MARIA TALKED TO ME OVER THE INTERCOM, ASKING SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ABOUT HOW DAVID SLEPT THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT: "Is David sleeping in the same type bed as he's used to having before? The same type of blankets, pajamas & all?" Daddy asked, "Has he undergone specific changes in his sleeping habits or bedding?" (No.) Daddy continued,

49. "YOU KNOW, THERE REALLY IS SOMETHING TO THOSE TALISMANS!" I had a peculiar vision last night of Maeva's photo falling out of that radio box we opened. That photo is like a zombi doll. I saw it fall out of that radio box in a very weird way, sort of floating out onto the ground. That picture seems to have a bad spirit & I was desperately praying in the night about why Dito was wetting his bed when disturbed. You all get out of bed so many times to take him potty.

50. "ANIMISM IS NOT A SUPERSTITION. THERE IS SOMETHING TO IT ABOUT THOSE EVIL SPIRITS & DOLLS & IDOLS. That's why God abolished them because He hated them so much. If not anything else, it's the psychological association of wetting the bed with him, almost like wetting the bed is a link with those kids. He sort of misses them. Warn David tonight that he'll wear diapers if he wets again & we'd better really pray if we don't want him in diapers until he's six years old, like Mick & Maeve!" (*Dictionary definition of animism: "Attribution of soul to inanimate objects & natural phenomena.")--Spirits!

51. HE WET AT NAP, SO THIS WAS HIS FIRST NIGHT TO START WEARING DIAPERS TO BED. He actually didn't seem to mind after all, even though he had cried about the mention of them earlier, but rather looked to them as a relief that at least he wasn't waking up soaking wet from head to toe & didn't have to weather the baths in the cold mornings as he was used to doing already.

52. THAT SAME NIGHT AT THE DINNER TABLE, JUST AFTER I'D REALLY EXHORTED DAVID & SERMONISED HIM ABOUT HOW BAD IT IS TO WET, HE BRAGGED TO MOMMY & DADDY before the whole dinner table, "I wet my bed to-