



# RAUL'S KNIFE

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Have you already received Jesus and God's Spirit? Because if you have and are keeping a good communication with the Lord, He doesn't let you forget to pray for those whom you know that need it.

Do you love lost souls or don't you?-- That's the question! Do you pray for them?

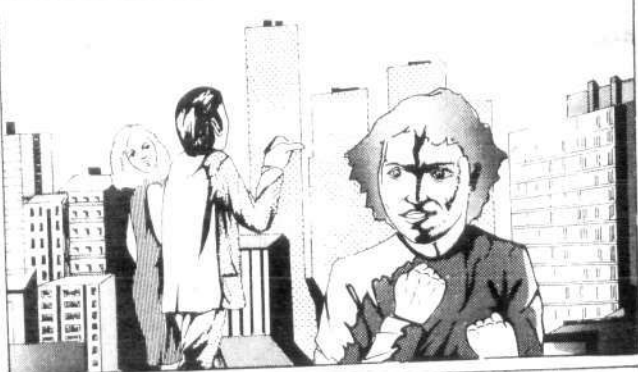


Like with Raul: We've known him for two years already, but since he received Jesus with us some weeks ago, we're responsible to pray for him, as he really needs our prayers.



You'd be surprised how much God depends on your prayers, how concerned you are and how interested you are. You're His hands, His feet, His eyes and His heart, and if you don't love them, God still loves them, but they'll suffer from your neglect. Because we'd forgotten to pray for Raul, the Lord had to remind us last night.

If we don't take care of the new converts they'll be like orphans. Even when orphans survive, they'll probably have a hard life, and quite often they grow up bitter against the World because nobody took care of them.



Prayer is powerful! When we pray things will happen and things will be different. But God said that many bad things happen to His people because they don't pray. Just like my mother told me about an incident that happened to an old missionary who was preaching in China in the pulpit. The communists had suddenly invaded the town, threw open the front door of the church and just mowed the people down with machine guns, including the preacher. A horrible, horrible massacre!



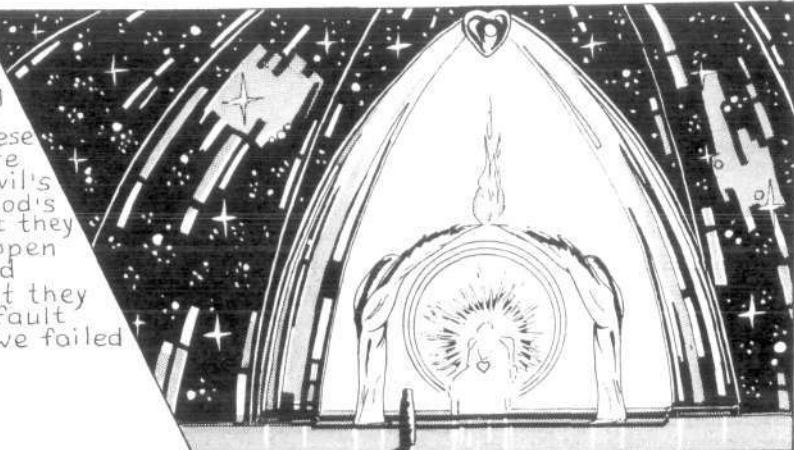
My mother got kind of angry with the Lord when she heard the news.

Why, Lord?

Because My people pray not for My missionaries!

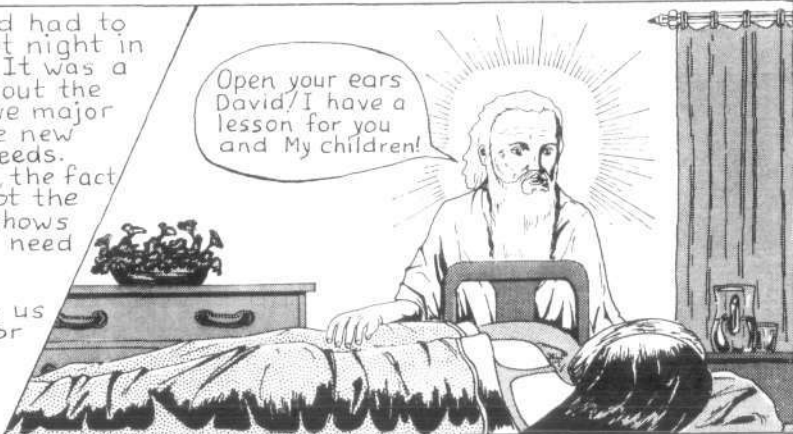
We're sometimes trying to blame God, but He's putting the responsibility on us!

When we get to Heaven we're going to find out a lot of these things were not the Devil's fault or God's fault that they didn't happen or they did happen, but they were our fault because we failed to pray.



So the Lord had to speak last night in my sleep. It was a lesson about the four or five major things the new convert needs. First of all, the fact that we got the message shows that they need **PRAYER!** God was reminding us to pray for Raul.

Open your ears David/I have a lesson for you and My children!



God said: "You know what you can do? You can trade the knife with Raul, because he shouldn't be carrying a knife!" The knife represents fear and hate toward his enemies. But you can trade it for what?—**LOVE!** Because love will cast out all his fears. (1 Jn 4:18)



"And then you can give him another bigger one so that he can get in the door without knocking." A bigger knife? That for sure means a sword! And what does a sword symbolise?

**THE WORD OF GOD!**

You need to give them the **WORD!** And what's the **DOOR?**  
**JESUS!** (Jn.10-9)



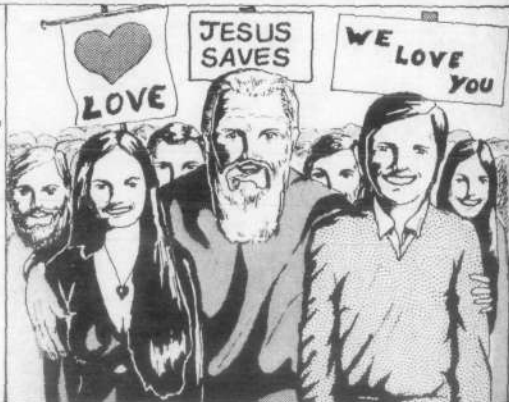
What's the house you get into when you receive Jesus? The Kingdom of God! All the people who already are there. So the next thing you need to give the new convert is:

**FELLOWSHIP!**

-That they may feel at home and know where they belong now.

**PRAYER, LOVE, THE WORD, JESUS** and **FELLOWSHIP** are the major things a new convert needs!

"He has a real fear in his eyes. Only when he is with us is he happy". Like Raul said, "Everytime I come to sit and listen to you I'm happy and have perfect peace". You see? Don't underestimate the power of God! If you're in contact with Him, people will feel it when in your presence. Look what a lesson the Lord gave us! How much do you love lost souls? Do you feel lost yourself? If so, come to God's Family. We have lots of love and happiness for you. We love you!



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