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Dear Brother Little:

I have just received the March issue of the American Protest and it has given me a spiritual uplift and "shot in the arm" that I constantly need, in these days when so many Christians are trying to cry on someone else's shoulder and bewail their fate because their television set has broken down or the heater in their car won't work!

Your article in the center section of the last issue, "To Save Souls From Catastrophe, A Revival, God's Bomb, is needed--25,000 Miles of All Night Prayer." That's what we want and may God use it to arouse people, Christians, across the country and the world.

I'm convinced that revival is coming. I'm looking for the latter rain, as well as the former. I'm looking for the fulfillment of God's Word, because His Word can always be relied upon, "In the last days I will pour out My Spirit upon all flesh---Call upon me and I will answer thee and show thee great and mighty things which thou knowest not." I refuse, absolutely and forthright to join that vast multitude of crying, weeping, timid, murmuring saints, who think all a Christian has to do or can do in these days is to fold his hands (or wring them) and wait for the coming of the Lord, because the apostasy is here--nothing can be done. Shame on every one of us. This is just exactly the time when God has worked mightily in the past and He hasn't changed one single bit from the days of Elijah on Carmel, or Paul before the Sanhedrin, or Savonarola in Florence, or Luther at Wittenberg, or Wesley in darkest England, and He's just the same God today.

Keep looking UP and ever Valiant for the Truth as it is in Christ Jesus, no matter WHAT comes or WHAT the cost.

Faithfully yours,

David Otis Fuller

Luke 11:13
I John 5:20
DOF:pc

"ONLY ONE LIFE, 'TWILL SOON BE PAST, ONLY WHAT'S DONE FOR CHRIST WILL LAST"

This letter, reproduced above, was sent to us by one of our faithful prayer partners. It is encouraging to receive pertinent comment about the spiritual quality of The American Protest.

IF YOU ARE AFRAID OF CRITICISM, THEN YOU WILL NEVER DO ANYTHING!

WHAT IS the VALUE of ECUMENICALISM?

(meaning A Whole, World-Wide, Universal Church — See also article on pages 14-15.)

WHEN THE ECUMENICAL COUNCIL OF ROME SERVES BUT TO DIVIDE!

By Jack Odom, Fort Bragg, Calif.

According to Roman Catholic officials in charge of promoting the so-called "Ecumenical Council," one of its purposes is to align the outmoded, medieval machinery of the Roman Catholic church with modern life. If so, there are a number of vital questions that demand honest and straightforward answers:

1 If the Council is seriously concerned about Christian unity, will it relax its ruthless segregation policy which builds a wall around the Roman Catholic people to separate them from their Protestant friends and neighbors? There is no Protestant organization or activity that does not have its Roman Catholic counterpart. This obnoxious policy of segregation extends even to the cemetery.

2 Will the Council do anything about Roman Catholic persecution of Protestant minorities in such Roman Catholic-dominated countries as Spain, Italy and Colombia? A Pope-dominated puppet government in Spain carries on a campaign of terrorism, atrocities and discrimination against non-Roman Catholics with the full knowledge and blessing of the Pope who could stop it with one word if he had any desire to do so. (Millions of dollars of American tax money is given to Spain to help carry on this campaign of intolerance.)

3 Will the Roman Catholic laity be given any voice in the ownership, use or control of the billions of dollars worth of Roman Catholic property which they were forced to pay for? So far the only role of the poor Roman Catholic laymen is to "pay and obey". Seemingly no one is interested in improving their lowly status.

4 Will the Council revise its discriminatory "mixed-marriage" contract which outrages our American principle of freedom of religion by forcing the Protestant party to such a marriage to sell his unborn children into the Roman Catholic church?

5 Will the Council make any changes in Roman Catholic marriage annulment procedures by which wealthy and influential Roman Catholics can get annulments and remarry with a minimum of delay, while poorer Roman Catholics seeking to dissolve a hopeless marriage are subject to delays and "investigations" that sometimes last for years?

6 Will the Council bring up to date the outmoded and unrealistic Roman Catholic view on birth control which results in millions of unwanted, neglected and underprivileged children? Bachelor priests of the Roman Catholic church practice 100 percent birth control by not getting married at all while at the same time encouraging their followers to have more children than they can raise properly in order to increase the membership of the Roman Catholic church.

MILLIONS OF PEOPLE ARE AWAITING THE ANSWERS.