

XII. HOMOSEXUAL HOTLINE TURNS COLD

This editor, in his research on homosexuality, came across a phone number which offered Christian counsel for homosexuals. Not knowing if the number was still in use, he called and introduced himself. Finding the person on the other end a Christian, he requested permission to publish their number for those who might call needing help. Permission was readily granted. This editor then followed up his long distance call with a letter to the given box number thanking them for permission. A letter came immediately back 3/7/78 stating, "Dear Mr. Branson: Thank you for your letter of March 2, 1978 and the enclosed samples of Alert Sheet.... It is our determination... to not be included... in your various publications.... Thank you for complying with our request." This return letter identified that the number this editor had called was none other than Melodyland Charismatic Center. In our letter we had asked them about their stand, along with another question. They did not bother to answer either of our questions we kindly wrote to them. While we are glad not to publish their "help" number, their attitude proved quite interesting. They at first seemed happy for us to send people to them for help, and gave us their permission until after they received samples of our Christian material. These Christians then reversed their word and at this time do not want us to send persons seeking help to them. We ask ourselves, how is it that some Christians seem to have such a distaste for fundamental truth that they refuse to let their light shine for Christ? Please, Melodyland, don't let us cause you to stumble on your Christian testimony and lose your spirit, not to speak of your word. As you wish! In compliance with their written reversal of their word, if you need help or Christian counsel, **DO NOT** call Melodyland Charismatic Center! (Keep in mind that this editor did not know with whom he originally was dealing with, therefore the above situation.)

XIII. HOMOSEXUAL "CHRISTIANS" IN CONCLUSION

Having read the words of various major denominations and 'Christians', maybe you can now better answer the original question, "Christian Homosexuals: Are They For Real?" We realize that much has been said that perhaps greatly shocks you, that Christendom has gone so far down the drain. Be sure to read Alert Sheet #20 entitled, "THE HORRORS OF A HOMOSEXUAL AMERICA" which you may find even more shocking! The grace of God be upon all who love and maintain the truth.

Footnotes:

- * 1. Christianity Today 2/24/78
- * 2. Plains Baptist Challenger 8/77
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- * 4. Good Neighbors, Box 73, Clovis, Ca.
- * 5. Walnut Kernel 3/10/71
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- * 7. Los Angeles Times 5/7/75
- * 8. The Detroit News 6/14/74
- * 9. The Evangel 1/75
- * 10. Christian News 8/20/73 quoting RNS 8/9/73
- * 11. The Witness 1/78
- * 12. Christian News 4/28/75
- * 13. Chicago Daily News
- * 14. Rocky Mountain News 6/30/74 (UPI)
- * 15. Blu - Print 11/25/75
- * 16. Grace Fundamental Church Bulletin 5/9/76
- * 17. Los Angeles Herald Examiner 1/23/78 (NYTNS)
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- * 19. Christian News 3/3/75 which also quotes from Lutherans Concerned for Gay People 6/17/74
- * 20. Christianity Today 3/12/76
- * 21. Pasadena Star News 9/14/76

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