



A TOUCH CAN MAKE THE DIFFERENCE

As we look ahead to the special days of Thanksgiving, Christmas and another New Year, I pray we look with a Thankful Heart and Loving Spirit. Just remember this. The poorest person in America is wealthier and better off than two thirds of the people in the rest of the world. As we continue to look with our thankful hearts, don't forget to focus your gaze on the *Touch Of The Master's Hand* on your life. **His Touch** brought forth **His Salvation** through **His Son**. Jesus has never ceased from giving us His Loving touch throughout our life journey. When He first touched me, I received a feeling of forgiveness for my past and hope for my future. It's interesting as to just how powerful a simple touch of love is in a person's life.

The prisoner at the Kentucky State Reformatory in LaGrange, Kentucky attended my chapel services on several occasions. He always sat in the back row away from fellow inmates. I had the opportunity to talk to him, but had never really shared Christ on a personal basis. There was a problem I had. He wasn't the type of individual that even I wanted to be around. He had a skin disease which produced a sickening odor - His face was disfigured - He had a hideous personality - Rude in his conversations, to say the least - Obnoxious in every personal trait. Then, wouldn't you know it, God convicted him of his sins during a chapel service. He walked down the aisle and knelt at the altar to pray. Without hesitation other Christian Inmates came forward, knelt, and stood beside him. They laid hands on him and prayed for God's Mercy. He wept uncontrollably.

Later he was given the opportunity to share his personal testimony. He told the story of what his childhood was like growing up with such body disfigurement and odor. He said he could not remember ever being touched by anyone. So when he came to Christ, and all the other Christians ***touched*** him, he could not control his emotions. It wasn't until after the touch from other Christians, that he, for the first time in his life, felt loved.

Please take time during this season of thankfulness to greet someone with the *Touch of The Love of Christ*. I promise you that someone is longing for that touch.

“JUST BE CAREFUL WITH THE COVID STUFF”

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