

Testimony: The Gift of My Accident

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Trust, for there isn't a suffering I permit that will not bring you into the union of love I desire. 7/9/12

Through the gift of my accident, God brought me to experience the joy and power of living cloistered in Mary's Heart. But first, I had to abandon myself to God's Will and accept being completely dependent. This total dependence on others made me understand with greater clarity how God desires me to be dependent on Him for everything, a total abandonment of myself, totally His, to live Tutus Tuus through Mary, with Mary, and in Mary.

These truths of desiring to be dependent on God and totally His have been with me for many years and growing in my daily life through the years of living the *Simple Path*. Yet, I began to sense deep in my soul that God was working powerfully within me as I began to spend day after day hours in the chapel in silence and prayer. I spent hours reading in sequence the messages in our book, *God's Hidden Victim Souls*. Every message brought me to REMEMBER, to receive the voice of God guiding, preparing, and blessing me in a new, more profound way. God seemed to be working powerfully in my heart through every message, yet I can not tell you exactly what was happening.

I entered a profound union with Mary in this cloister and participated as your spiritual mother in the Celebration at Georgia but in a different way. I could not socialize with my community, nor walk, and, therefore, go here and there, nor serve anyone, yet I was more present than ever. In this most beautiful state of silence, I could be in continuous prayer with Mary for all my spiritual sons and daughters, those in Georgia and elsewhere.

The last paragraph from our Lord's message on 4/28/23 came to my memory:

Remain in the deep silence of God's embrace in perfect trust in the God who loves you, praying for the conversion of sinners and the salvation of so many in danger of hell, and your God who remains faithful to the cry of the poor will bless your prayers. This must now become your daily life.

This message from the Lord was given to me two weeks before my accident.

The Lord was allowing me the opportunity, through my accident, to live *in the deep silence of God's embrace, praying for the conversion of sinners and the salvation of so many in danger of hell*. Despite the physical pain, I was experiencing overwhelming joy and peace. The daily physical pain in my foot also made me meditate on Jesus' feet, pierced by a nail. This little pain in my foot was enough to bring me into deep contemplation on Jesus' agony focused on His feet. I found myself daily kneeling with Mary at the foot of the Cross, kissing and caressing the feet of my Spouse. Love and gratitude overflowed from my heart. I could not stop thanking God for the gift I was receiving and the opportunity to participate in Jesus' crucifixion, even though my pain

was a minute particle compared to Jesus' agony. Yet the words of our Lord to us echoed in my heart:

Your hidden life takes on the same power as My hidden life because we are no longer two but ONE. These are My living hosts. In this union of love, you enter and live in the realm of God. Through Me, with Me, and in Me, your most ordinary life is the power of God. Your thoughts, words, deeds, but most especially your tears and sorrows of heart, possess the power of God to bless the world. Your hidden life not seen by anyone is seen by God, and through Me, with Me, and in Me, He blesses many. Your life as ONE with My Eucharistic life moves beyond time and space. 7/5/12

I also became keenly aware that my suffering of heart was so much harder and more painful than the physical suffering of my foot. The words from Jesus to Blessed Conchita contained in our *Simple Path* came to my memory:

My external Passion lasted but a few hours. It was like a gentle dew, a comfort for the other Passion, terribly cruel, which tortured ceaselessly My soul! (p.138)

Then the Lord allowed the rest of my cloistered time to be centered in the interior pain of my heart, my long-suffering. He allowed this suffering to escalate, and I entered such intense grief that I began to feel my heart hardening. This scared me and brought me to tears before the Lord to ask, "Why can I not love in Your pure sorrow?" I immediately remembered Jesus' words on long-suffering from 4/11/23:

My little one, you each have been given by God a long-suffering by which God desires to make you His saints of the end times. Through the grace of long-suffering, you are perfected in love if you allow the Spirit to bring into the light of your conscience the darkness that lives in each of your hearts. This process of purification through long-suffering is needed to become God's saints that possess His power to defeat Satan and his principalities.

Abandon yourselves to Me in your long and daily sufferings.
Depend solely on Me to lead and guide you and ***trust totally*** in the God who loves you and desires to envelop you in His glory.

I understood that there is a condition for me to become God's saint through this long-suffering—I must allow the Spirit to bring to my conscience the darkness that remains in my heart. I understood that the intense grief our Lord was permitting was to bring me deeper into my heart to undergo greater purification. I welcomed this grace with open arms, abandoned myself to my suffering, and depended on Him to lead me as I asked the key question, "Why?"

Early the next morning, I received the illumination from the Holy Spirit. My heart was hardening because I lacked faith and hope; I did not BELIEVE that God would bring back to life the dead hearts (message from 6/15/12). I had to go deeper, as the Lord taught me in the *Simple Path*, so I began to ask, "Why don't I believe after all the love, words, and experiences you have given me?" And this question, too, was answered as I spent hours before the Blessed Sacrament.

The Spirit brought me to the message from our Blessed Mother on 12/8/22. I immediately knew where the Spirit was taking me. That was the message in which our Blessed Mother said:

My beloved daughter, this coming year, will be blessed with God's justice as the entire world will experience the purge of fire.

The Lord had always used words like “in the horizon” or “soon,” but for the first time, Mary was telling me “this coming year.” I doubted, and the Lord took me even deeper to see that FEAR was the root of my lack of faith and doubt. Fear based on my ego of looking foolish if the fire doesn't come this year and people stop to believe all the words He has spoken to me.

Immediately I opened my journal and began reading the message from 5/8/23 on fear:

My little one, fear is a great obstacle to faith. Fear is an obstacle to love. Fear is the consequence of original sin—they (Adam and Eve) hid. Fear in the hearts of all men and women comes from the distortion of the truth of who God is. I came into the world sent by My Father to penetrate this evil with the truth. I came to reveal the truth that Abba is Love. Yes, My little one, the love that is both mercy and justice, for He is the Father.

In the garden, before original sin, Adam and Eve never feared, for they lived in the truth of Abba's love. They lived in perfect joy and peace in the innocence of the children of God. Fear is the consequence of sin.

(My Lord, I've lived all my life in fear. Please help me.)

The human will must choose to act in trust and always speak the truth, for fear, since it is rooted in self, brings a soul to hide and remain silent in the face of lies and deception. This is why I am now bringing you to know God's love as Justice. Divine love can never remain indifferent nor silent to the deception of Satan. That is why I confronted with just anger the Pharisees because Satan's evil was working through them and causing great harm to the people of God. Truth must always confront lies. Justice lived through Me, as one with the Father, always brings to light the darkness Satan wants to keep hidden. Those who choose to live for God and die to self will speak My truth and, therefore, be hated on My account.

My little one, I am perfecting My little mustard seed in Love. Be at peace, for you will become My martyrs of love.

The words from our Lord, *The human will must choose to act in trust and always speak the truth, for fear, since it is rooted in self, brings a soul to hide and remain silent*, were my guiding Light. Fear made me avoid these words from our Blessed Mother and hide. I confronted my fear as I looked at Jesus in the Eucharist and made the CHOICE to TRUST in the words from our Lady and Jesus and speak the TRUTH of what God has given me. As I read Mary's message again and then Jesus' message, also on the fire, from 4/28/23, my heart was filled with zeal and courage.

I again was led to ponder what the Lord has spoken to me throughout the years concerning His words:

Be attentive to the words I speak to your heart; be obedient... Respond, My little one, with all the passion of your life. 12/11/13

Do not be afraid to proclaim from the housetops the words I speak in the recesses of your heart, for those who have pure hearts will hear My voice and follow Me, but the obstinate will perish. 6/27/16

Continue to proclaim from the housetops the words I have spoken to you throughout the years, for they hold the wisdom of God for the salvation of the world. 8/15/21

You, my daughter, will need to wield the sword of righteousness contained in the words I speak to you without fear but consumed in God's holy anger for love to triumph. 11/14/22

But it is not only I who has to be faithful to His voice but also each of you:

Tell My family (LC) to pray for greater faith to believe in the words I have spoken (I understood His messages to us). If My words remain in your hearts, you will persevere through the many trials predestined for you to suffer for the glory of God and the salvation of countless souls. 3/14/19

Cry with Me, for the multitudes are not ready for the great shake-up. Life, as you know it, is about to cease to exist. There will be much wailing, lamentations throughout all your streets. Remain in Me as one with Me in perfect trust and hope, for your God who loves you will not disappoint you.

Call my little mustard seed to prepare for the first wave of God's justice that will touch the world very soon. Prepare through prayer and silence, holding fast to the words I have spoken to you. 4/28/23

Those words from our Lord strengthened me to move through my fear and to hold tight to the sword of the mission He has given me. I was filled with great zeal to proclaim the words of our Lord and Mother and felt ready to receive criticism, allow my reputation to be shattered, and even be hated for speaking the truth. Through Maria Hickein's spiritual accompaniment, the Holy Spirit filled me with love and courage to move forward and remain steadfast even if the fire weren't to come this year. I prayed for my community also to receive the love and courage to be faithful to the voice of God guiding and forming you.

I want to end my testimony with the Gospel passage from John 21:15-19 that the Spirit convicted me with a month before my accident, and that has remained in my heart through this month of silence and prayer.

When they had finished breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon, son of John, do you love me more than these?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my lambs." 16 A second time he said to him, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" He said to him, "Yes, Lord; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him,

“Tend my sheep.” 17 He said to him the third time, “Simon, son of John, do you love me?” Peter felt hurt because he said to him the third time, “Do you love me?” And he said to him, “Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you.” Jesus said to him, “Feed my sheep.

The Lord was asking me three times, “Lourdes, do you love me?” because I, too, have denied Him. On Wednesday of Holy Week, 4/5/23, the Lord said:

I wait in Abba's grief for your repentance. I wait for each of you to say, "It is I" (Mt. 26:25), "I have betrayed You; I have been unfaithful to You; I have betrayed You, for I have loved myself before You, my God."

These weeks of stillness, inability to walk, and intense silence and prayer have been a time of being purified in the fire of the Holy Spirit in the Sacred Heart of Jesus. I have repented with tears as my beloved Spouse has revealed the darkness of my fears and my lack of faith and hope. This purification by fire has strengthened me to complete His mission to feed each of you and the Church with the pure milk of His words.

John 21, beginning with verse 18, continues:

Very truly, I tell you, when you were younger, you used to fasten your own belt and to go wherever you wished. But when you grow old, you will stretch out your hands, and someone else will fasten a belt around you and take you where you do not wish to go.” 19 After this he said to him, “Follow me.”

The Lord has taken me from being independent, self-centered, controlling, and set on my desires, expectations, and goals to the circumcision of my heart to be TOTALLY DEPENDENT on Him, my beloved Abba. He has taken me to the most challenging place for a human being, the depth of my heart, to discover the person I've become that I am not. I have had to open wide my arms representing total vulnerability, and expose myself, naked, before my Lord. Yet this openness also reveals a heart open to receiving the love of God. For many days I began praying before the Blessed Sacrament with my arms open wide to my Beloved. He continues to call me to follow Him to the Cross to be martyred as one with Him, for Jesus lived both the white and red martyrdom, and I am honored to have entered the martyrdom of the heart through the *Simple Path* the Lord has been guiding me through. If He is also preparing me for the red martyrdom, both crowns, I welcome it and trust that He will provide the graces I need to remain faithful.

12/28/14

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Some saints received the stigmata with the physical pain of the nail wounds, but ALL My saints were crucified to Me through My nails mystically. The mystical crucifixion is no less real and painful as the physical one, just as the white martyrdom is no less real and painful as the red martyrdom. Unity in the Holy Trinity is the fruit of becoming one with Me in My crucifixion, for this is perfect love. The ecstasy of the love of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit transforms the pain into the Sword of the Spirit that pierces the darkness

of Satan. This union of Love is achieved by few because of a lack of perseverance and selfless love. One saint that becomes one in My crucified love has the power to transform an entire society. I am raising up My saints for the decisive times at hand to fight My holy war and usher in the era of peace.