"Thy statutes have been my songs in the house of my pilgrimage." Psalm 119:54

What of the house of our pilgrimage? Have we really considered it? Physicians often are as carpenters called upon to repair a house which has fallen into disrepair. Various specialists care for the plumbing, the electrical system, the floors, the plaster, the interior decor. The house can be in perfect repair but remains lifeless until it is lived in. The living in the house can be sterile and lifeless or fruitful and full of life depending upon attitudes and spirit.

So it is with our physical, emotional and spiritual temple--the house of our souls and spirits--our bodies. One can be a jogger, a weight lifter and have a perfect body and perfect body chemistries (10:4 calcium-phosphate ratio) (FBS of 100), normal cholesterol, triglycerides, BUN, alkaline phos, LDH, SGOT, and still be sick unto death mentally and spiritually.

Our pilgrimage, if it is filled with songs related to God and His statutes, will cause the body to exist in wholeness. "Surely goodness and mercy will follow me all the days of my life and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord (the house of my pilgrimage) forever." (Psalm 23:6).

When my house (my body) through faith in God becomes the house of the Lord, I have achieved wholeness which is an eternal state--and begins in the present life. Even death cannot limit or destroy the house of my pilgrimage. Death will bring about a modification for the better of my body-soul systems. The term death is that term applied to the process of psycho-somatic transformation. Actually the process commences long before death itself. Election to remain in the carnal mind is to decide to remain in the death system and to shun eternal life.

In the Christian sense it is of extreme importance to see our patients in the light of the logo-psycho-somatic. This is particularly true of the patient in the palliative care center (or Hospice) but is also true of all patients. When the doctor treats the patient only from the psycho-somatic point of view and fails to instruct him in spiritual development, he: (1) indicates that he believes the patient can be made well through psycho-somatic methodologies, (2) fails to treat the patient as a human being (since it is the spirit which makes man human), (3) fails to actually heal his patient in the deeper sense of healing, thus laying the patient open to further onslaughts of illness as he goes along in life.

We have begun to see that the time must come when we stop "treating" and "diagnosing" the patient and allow him to have comfort in ways in which he can be comforted (through music, art, love, companionship, prayer, Bible reading, meditating, writing, traveling, hearing tapes, praising God, etc). This can be done in or out of a palliative care center. It is a new kind of medical and nursing care: high personal, low technology care of the patient. Doubtless Hospice (or palliative care) represents the beginnings of a revolutionary breakthrough in patient care. Coming full circle, Medicine with all of its science and technology is about to rediscover the patient. We are beginning to put fragmented man together again, utilize all we have learned through experiment, through analysis, through case studies, through statistics, through all the disciplines of Medicine and psychiatry, as well as theology. Enlightened Hospice, which does not ignore Christian Healing, brings the minister and nurse as well as the family back into the healing team. In the future, there needs to be a greater cooperativeness on all levels of patient care than there has been in the past. This does not mean bringing in "prayer partners" to do the praying and spiritual counselling of patients. It does mean the development of spiritual empathy on the part of doctor and nurse so that the spiritual (eternal) lives of our patients are no longer ignored or set aside. It means coming to the realization that the enlightened minister who is truly
spiritual is seen as a fellow practitioner aiding in the healing of broken man. In Denver at the OSL meeting several years ago, I suggested the use of the "purple sheet" on the patient's chart for the priest-minister-(rabbi) to write his words on the thoughts he has regarding the patient on his rounds.

Years ago (1873) the American House of the Society of St. Margaret was established eventually leading to the establishment of the Children's Hospital of Boston. It is reported that the sea captain bringing the Scottish sisters from Aberdeen said as they were sailing into Boston harbor, "Now, Sisters, we have arrove".

We of CMF have barely begun. We have not arrived--but we have begun our course. May we truly begin to practice Christian Medicine, Nursing, and Psychiatry! We have set our course by the Star of Christ Jesus and are being led by His Holy Spirit. May we continue to follow His Star--His Wondrous Light!

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CMF OF CANADA FIFTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE
Toronto, Ont. -- Hotel Triumph Sheraton -- Sept. 17-19, 1982

The keynote speaker will be Dr. William Standish Reed, author of Healing The Whole Man--Mind, Body, Spirit. Saturday seminars for doctors and nurses will again be featured as well as talks by Mrs. Kay Reed. On Sunday morning, Dr. Reed will speak at the Church of the Nativity in Malvern, Scarborough, Ont., and in the evening at Islington Evangel Centre. For further details, call Mr. Bill Walker at 416/431-2442.

**NOTICE: ALL PHYSICIANS AND THEIR SPOUSES**
The Tenth International Conference on Logo-Psycho- somatic Medicine will be held OCTOBER 6-10, 1982.

MARK THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR!

Religious Research Association 1982 Meeting. "One of the marks of an evangelical scholar is that he/she has remained invested in everyday practical faith. The RRA is a chance for us to be good scholars at the same time that we continue to profess our allegiance to Christ. In the RRA evangelicals will find a fellowship of believers who know how to ask hard questions and think seriously about theoretical matters. We should welcome all such persons who want to combine their faith with their science. Evangelicals are needed in this group if only to bear witness to the validity that which they study." H. Newton Malony, Professor of Psychology at Fuller Theological Seminary. For further information write to Lorraine D'Antonio, Box U-68A, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT 06268.

Comments on Previous Newsletter Article by Christian Medical Student. "As you said, we thirst so lightly for Him--and yet still He thirsts so immeasurably for those who will love Him, simply love Him for Himself, not for what He does or gives, but because He Himself so loves us, is so beautiful, so merciful, so faithful, so holy, so worthy. His thirst remains unassuaged. I long to be set aflame with a love that responds to that which burns in Him, to cry out with David, 'Draw me, O Lord, and I will run after Thee.'"

Excerpt from The London Daily News Bureau

LONDON: British doctors who advertise for "Christian" partners are likely to face prosecution following a ruling by the Commission for Racial Equality. The commission has decided that a court would declare such advertisements unlawful because "to be a Christian is not essential in order to be an effective doctor". As a result any reference to Christians in advertisements in the medical magazine "Pulse" is being removed. The commission decision was described as "ludicrous" by Dr. Robert Trent, a Coventry GP whose advertisement in "Pulse" for a "third partner. Partners share Christian beliefs", has been altered. The commission claimed such advertisements could deter Jews or Hindus from applying and that they could be discriminatory under the Race Relations Act. Dr. Trent said: "They are assuming only white people are Christians. All colours are Christian."
FINANCES OF CMF INTERNATIONAL

It costs approximately $2,082 to mail out the Christian Medical Foundation newsletter to a mailing list of 21,000. As a result of these postal increases, the newsletter is now being printed bi-monthly. Please prayerfully consider making a regular tax deductible gift of $5 to $10 per month to CMF. For those of you in Canada, please send your contributions to CMF of Canada, P.O. Box 377, West Hill, Ont. M1E 4Y9.

Thank you to all who have contributed to assist in the cost of this newsletter. God bless you!

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CHRISTIAN PHYSICIANS WANTED

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M.Ed in Community Counseling graduate desires position as Christian COUNSELOR.

PSYCHIATRISTS for Woodland Hills Hospital to be opened 6/1/82. Serves population of approximately 350,000 in Monroe-West Monroe (northern Louisiana). Currently 3 psychiatric physicians in the area.

Christian PSYCHIATRIST to take over 14 year old practice.

Christian PEDIATRICIAN, FAMILY PRACTITIONER, or INTERNIST to join developing Internal Medicine practice in eastern Virginia.

Christian OB/GYN to join well-established multi-specialty group in Irving, TX. Located in prime growth area between Dallas and Ft. Worth. Hospital adjacent to office.

Spirit-filled CHIROPRACTOR, Gonstead practitioner, for associate and eventually to buy practice.

PSYCHIATRIST, desiring private practice in Pensacola, FL with ministers in individual, marriage, family and group therapy. Located near hospital and psychiatric facility. Ministers are members of Amer. Assoc. for Marriage & Family Therapy and Doctorates in Psychology & Counseling.

Christian PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT desires employment with Christian physician or hospital. Excellent clinical experience.

Master's level COUNSELLORS and FAMILY THERAPIST with Christian practice for ambulatory program.

Spirit-filled HOSPITAL CHAPLAIN seeking position. Graduate of Trinity Episcopal School for Ministry. Completed 4 quarters of Clinical Pastoral Education.

Christian NURSE desires to work in Christian facility, practice within 3 hrs. of Lake Okeechobee.

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MONTHLY HAPPENINGS NOTICE

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DAILY PRAYERS AT 1 PM IN THE CMF CHAPEL. EVERYONE WELCOME!

AUGUST 1982

The weekly TUESDAY AUXILIARY MEETINGS will be cancelled for the month of August.
There are no SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS scheduled for the month of August.
The DAYTONA STATION MEETING is cancelled for the month of August.

SEPTEMBER 1982

EVERY TUESDAY-- 10 AM, Ladies' Bible Study and Sandwich Luncheon. (PLEASE BRING A SANDWICH IF YOU PLAN TO STAY FOR LUNCH. Only beverages will be served). Kay speaks at 10:30 AM, Dr. Reed at 1 PM, healing service at 2 PM.
SEPTEMBER 17-19-- Dr. and Kay CMF of Canada Fifth Annual Conference. Contact: Mr. Bill Walker at 416/431-2442.
SEPTEMBER 17-- Dr. Reed will be interviewed on 100 Huntley Street. Contact: Crossroads Christian Communications, Inc., 100 Huntley St., Toronto, Ont., M4Y 2L1.
SEPTEMBER 25-- Daytona CMF Station Meeting, First Presbyterian Church, 620 S. Grandview Ave., Daytona Beach, FL, 7:30 PM.

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HEALING THE WHOLE MAN--MIND, BODY, SPIRIT, by William Standish Reed, M.D. Published by Fleming Revell Power Books, the book is available through CMF or your local book store. If you contact CMF for a copy, please send $3.95 a copy plus postage and handling of $2.00 (U.S.) or $4.95 a copy plus $2.00 (Canada).

CMF CASSETTE TAPES -- This month we are featuring a very special tape " Anchored In Jesus" by Dr. William Standish Reed. If you would like to obtain this cassette, please specify tape #5641B and send a check for $3.50 plus $1.00 postage and handling.

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CHRISTIAN PHYSICIANS WANTED, Continued

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Nazareth hospital needs
Christian OB/GYN. Modern
maternity unit. Salary
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travel expenses.

PLEASE CONTACT

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"My children, you have seen what I have been able to do through a few of those who have truly trusted in Me, and through their prayers and their yieldingness unto Me I have laid a Foundation. And now I am looking to you, My children, to yield unto the sweet influences of the Spirit, My Spirit, Whom you have within you, that ye will yield completely to Him and that ye will also cleanse yourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and soul, to perfect holiness in the fear of God. This is your building. You have given it to Me. I have given it back to you that ye may use it for the up-building of My Church, for the purifying and the sanctifying of My children. God will use you, but ye must be clean. 0 be ye clean, ye that bear the vessels of the Lord, for I cannot use any tainted vessel. I must teach you, My children. Come out from among that which is not of Myself, and I will be a Father unto you and ye shall be My sons and My daughters, as ye give yourselves to the leading of the Holy Spirit of God. A work must be done here. It has begun and now I look to you. Disappoint Me not. Yea My children, seek to get into your chamber and there commune with Me, that I may speak to you and tell you what your part is in this work. I seek prayer warriors; I seek intercessors for this work, for there is a work to be done not only here, but world-wide, for this work shall reach from nation to nation, because I have ordained it. Thus saith the Lord."

Excerpt From Letter by OB/GYN Physician Regarding Abortion

"How is it possible to make someone realize this is a moral and spiritual problem—not medical? I feel that as long as he 'looks through the glass darkly', there is no way for him to comprehend, and that we need to pray for and concentrate our efforts on the salvation of our pro-abortion adversaries. Until that time the line of battle will be drawn at humanism vs. Christianity and the sanctity of human life will remain secondary in importance to the quality of human life."

THOUGHTS TO INSPIRE

"The Holy Spirit creates the conditions of prayer. He sanctifies desire and directs it into the will of God so that we desire what God will give. That is how it comes to pass that if we delight ourselves in the Lord, He will give us the desires of our heart."

--Samuel Chadwick

"Domestic happiness depends upon the ability to overlook."

--R. L. Smith

MEDICAL ECONOMICS Article

The May 24, 1982 issue of the Medical Economics magazine features an informative three page article about Dr. Wm. Standish Reed and Christian Medical Foundation, entitled "Physicians Treat, God Heals". Comments by other CMF physicians around the country are also quoted in this interesting article which starts on page 198.
Letter from a Doctor in a Communist Country

"As I remember it, about thirty years ago, there were many missionaries dispatched to China from some countries. They devoted themselves to the Christian cause in preaching, educating and curing and other religious activities. During the war time, they set up refuges for protecting local Chinese people from the insult and slaughter by invaders. So, many lives and souls were saved. I know some of them who worked in Young Chow, Soochow and Shanghai. Whether they are still alive or passed away I don't know, but all the noble spirit and loyalty deserves respect and memory. In Mid-1950's, most of the churches, if not all, were closed down. One might imagine what happened to those who trusted and loved Him! It is in my recollection that the golden test which often strengthens and encourages us is: "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him that loved us." (Romans 8:35,37). Taking the medical profession as my career along these previous years, I realize that there is nothing more important than spiritual refreshment and advancing medical knowledge and skill as well. The situation is all-round improving steadily and intrinsically in our country now. Some churches restored. One might enjoy the freedom of belief, as the newspaper reports. The air remains to be feverish. We'd rather look forward to the hopeful future than to recall the griefs of the past.

Although I am not able to go to United States now and meet you there, I am sure the earthly remoteness does never separate us from each other in Jesus Christ, and the fraternal relationship between you and us cemented by His love lasts forever. I'll be extremely happy if you or any other Christian physicians tour China and meet us here someday.

The best song I love and remember--

I come to the garden alone,
  While the dew is still on the roses,
And the voice I hear coming to my ear,
  The Son of God discloses.
He walks with me and He talks with me,
  And He tells me that I am His own.
And the joy we share as we tarry there,
  None other has ever known."

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