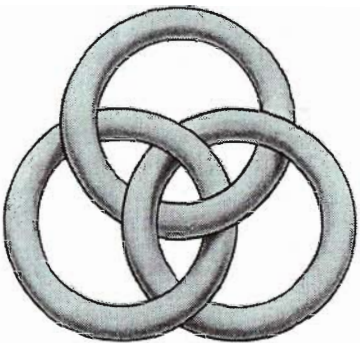


# A Time To Share The Joys of Fellowship In The Father's Family



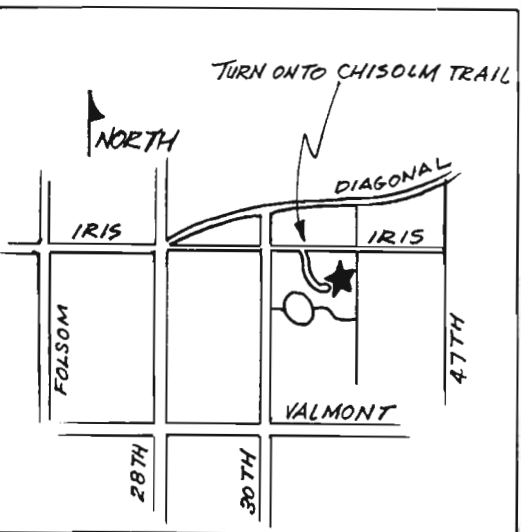
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What is the nature of childlike faith? How can we learn to more fully trust the Father?

Jesus was the model spiritual child. What childlike qualities do we see in his relationship with the Father?

Is our inner sharing spontaneous, self-forgetful, innocent? As we struggle through life, how often do we allow ourselves the comfort of our Father's tender embrace? How often do we open ourselves to the awesome inner touch of His love?

Sunday, April 27, 1986

Remington Post Clubhouse (See Map).

Gathering and Fellowship..... 10:45 am

Worship Service..... 11:00 am

Music, Interactive Sermon, Group Prayer and Worship

Fellowship Meal & Remembrance Supper..... 12:15 pm

**Fellowship Meal:** All are invited to a pot-luck meal after the worship service, a time for renewal of friendships and sharing fellowship as brothers and sisters in the Father's family. If you plan to attend please contact Shawna Hunt at 440-3353 to coordinate your contribution to the meal. At the conclusion of the meal we will have time to share remembrance of the Master's life and quiet communion with Him.

**Children's Fellowship:** Provisions for care and inspiration of children are being coordinated by Francyl Gawryn and Jeanette Guimond. Additional volunteers are welcome. A \$2.00 donation is requested from parents for each child, to help cover payment for teenage assistants and play materials. Teenagers wishing to work as assistants please contact Jeanette at 494-8493. Parents bringing children are asked to contact Francyl at 494-7577 at least one week before the service.

**Location:** Many thanks to Don Green and The URANTIA Book Club for securing a splendid location on the University of Colorado campus for our monthly gatherings. On April 27 we will again be at the Remington Post Clubhouse. But starting in May we will meet for worship at Old Main Hall and move to the nearby Alumni Center for our fellowship meal and remembrance supper. The University has, in the past few months, restored both of these buildings to their original turn of the century splendor. The aesthetic atmosphere is quite special. The Children's Fellowship will enjoy the stately trees and acres of lawn adjacent to Old Main, and will have access to nearby classrooms for use in poor weather. A map and directions to these locations will be included in next month's bulletin.

**Contributions:** All contributions go to covering practical costs of maintaining the worship service (monthly bulletin, copying and mailing, facility rental, meal supplies, materials for children's fellowship, etc.) Even the smallest contribution helps. Send checks to: Fellowship Worship Service, 315 Harvard Lane, Boulder, CO 80303 or drop your contribution into the donation box during the fellowship meal.

**Volunteers:** We would value your service contribution to this effort. If you feel moved to participate, please call Marvin Gawryn at 494-7577.

## "Living as the Father's child"

"During this year Joseph and Mary had trouble with Jesus about his prayers. He insisted on talking to his heavenly Father much as he would talk to Joseph, his earthly father. This departure from the more solemn and reverent modes of communication with Deity was a bit disconcerting to his parents, especially to his mother, but there was no persuading him to change; he would say his prayers just as he had been taught, after which he insisted on having, 'just a little talk with my Father in heaven.'" P. 1360\*

"His faith was not immature and credulous like that of a child, but in many ways it did resemble the unsuspecting trust of the child mind. Jesus trusted God much as the child trusts a parent. He had a profound confidence in the universe — just such a trust as the child has in its parental environment. Jesus' wholehearted faith in the fundamental goodness of the universe very much resembled the child's trust in the security of its earthly surroundings. He depended on the heavenly Father as a child leans upon its earthly parents, and his fervent faith never for a moment doubted the certainty of the heavenly Father's overcare." P. 2089\*

"Many of your brethren have minds which accept the theory of God while they spiritually fail to realize the presence of God. And that is just the reason why I have so often taught you that the Kingdom of Heaven can best be realized by acquiring the spiritual attitude of a sincere child. It is not the mental immaturity of the child that I commend to you but rather the spiritual simplicity of such an easy-believing and fully-trusting little one. It is not so important that you should know about the fact of God as that you should increasingly grow in the ability to feel the presence of God." P. 1733\*

"To come as a little child, to receive the bestowal of sonship as a gift; to submit to the doing of the Father's will without questioning and in the full confidence and genuine trustfulness of the Father's wisdom; to come into the kingdom free from prejudice and preconception; to be open-minded and teachable like an unspoiled child." P. 1861\*

"Nicodemus was accomplished in self-development, in self-restraint, and even in high moral qualities. He was refined, egoistic, and altruistic; but he did not know how to submit his will to the will of the divine Father as a little child is willing to submit to the guidance and leading of a wise and loving earthly father, thereby becoming in reality a son of God..." P. 1602\*