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#420 – Day 638 – Thu May 31, 2018 – I gave some analogies of confrontations and dialogs on the world stage with national leaders. Of all the major tensions there is a notable exception as the leaders of North and South Korea have had multiple face-to-face meetings in the last few weeks. Others, such as our president, just raise the level of tension, but those two, who remain technically in a formally declared war, communicate. It is a remarkable difference compared to the US, UK, or Israel versus anyone else. Dialog is a marvelous thing.

I suggest this model is a good idea for the family. I don't think you will have any trouble finding that agreeable with the Scripture.

There was a remarkable meeting at the border between the two Koreas a few weeks ago with the two leaders. A short time later there was a second meeting. Isn't this a great model? All does not have to be resolved in the first dialog, but the first dialog must take place.

Please offer anything, with whatever terms you like, but open dialog.

I often dwell on Lamentations 3:21-23 "But this I call to mind, and therefore I have hope: The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases; his mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is your faithfulness." It is a conscious effort on our part to bring it to mind, but it is the Lord's faithfulness, not ours, that bring mercy. My petition to the Lord is daily and consistent for years that He will show His mercy to us. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#419 – Day 637 – Wed May 30, 2018 – Please, in whatever way you see fit, open communications between us just a crack. Do whatever is comfortable for you, but do something. You sent an email to me a couple weeks ago. Please do that or something like that again. Please do something where there is actual dialog. If you want to limit it by size or content, let me know. Just do something. Let our kids know that you are not the roadblock by showing the tiniest bit of courage to find out if what I say and write is true, that I only seek your good. That I offer reconciliation and not retribution. It has been many years, but that shouldn't matter. Our commitment, and the Lord's terms, are until death do us part. We are not dead yet. I love you!

#418 – Day 636 – Tue May 29, 2018 – I recorded again Mike Day who is one of gentlemen I have given my time to. He played his guitars for a small gathering and at 72, he remains very gifted. The thing I marvel at is how when he errs, he

recovers very well. Mike has his issues, but he remains a man created in the image of God. The videos I did for him are live at <a href="http://kozlowski.org/MikeDay">http://kozlowski.org/MikeDay</a>.

While I was at it, the "Naming Names" video is now also public at <u>http://kozlowski.org/2017-02-25</u>. The masking of names has been removed and I am in process of putting a bunch online to both pursue with vigor reconciliation with those that refuse to consider Matthew 5:24, and to set an example to others, which has already happened, that reconciliation has to be pursued, in obedience to the Lord, irrespective if the other party is willing or denies the Lord's command. This is what love does. Only by the grace of the Lord do I pursue this. I love you!

#417 – Day 635 – Mon May 28, 2018 – I just reread Friday's message below. Is the world that important that you would close all communications with a man who could write that? Do you understand what that means?

As the voicemail indicates the video from last year was edited to include the verses and is now public at: <u>http://kozlowski.org/2017-06-25+1</u>. I updated the title to "Benton Falls and a Serious look at Reconciliation". As with the message below, do you not see the Lord's blessing on the man who could have his live crushed and still show that much love? The evidence that you can grasp that the Lord has granted His grace to me is not that I have a certificate from an institution or have a large salary and give to a bunch of institutions, but after been crushed, being shown so much hate, that I still seek reconciliation. Is that what you want our kids to be protected from? Is the world that important that the Scripture can be ignored and our kids shielded from it? Remember, they are my kids too!

While they are not yet on the public site, consider reading the emails with your dad in June of 2017. Can you not see a man holding to love is shown in dollars, and right is determined by the collected opinion of the group he chooses? Do you not see how your husband brought up verse after verse and your dad continued to ignore them or simply state that he sees it differently but cannot back up his stand from Scripture? Do you not see in this your husband trying to love you, our kids, and your dad in this process by looking at the truth of Scripture and showing an effort to reconcile?

I am ridiculously busy right now, but I did put the one video online today. I am going public. I want the world to know that your husband, a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, after almost 6 years of being show such hate, continues to love his wife and kids, and his father-in-law, to pursue communications and reconciliation in obedience to the Lord. Why do you run from that? As stated in December, "The person who loves you is not your dad it is me!" (http://kozlowski.org/2017-12-02+1). I love you still!

#416 – Day 632 – Fri May 25, 2018 – You may have heard some of the news about the ACLU versus Amazon. Amazon is closely coupled to the government, most notably the CIA, and numerous police departments. They are obviously doing a lot of business and have been on a hiring spree. As has happened many times before, I have been one of the software developers that are contacted. The latest to me was to be flown up to Seattle for a multi-day interview and salaries are approaching \$200K, and bonus are offered. My suggestion is this is simply a larger version of the license plate reading software that your dad said I was wrong not to take because the government can be trusted. Do some study of democide. The US has been and continues to be guilty. Consider how the US makes agreements and then breaks them at their whim, such as the JCPOA, and agreements with North Korea. Remember, the Korean War never ended and we are still technically at war with them.

I so desire to teach my kids that there is something greater than a big salary, it is called love. In the two primary commands from the Lord, love is involved with both of them. My kids do not see love practiced and it concerns me greatly. Love communicates. Love forgives. Love reconciles. My kids see only obedience to the institution, but the Lord is secondary.

I will not take \$200K from Amazon or anyone else whose practices would make me inconstant with obedience to the Lord. I will not abandon those who do the same. That can't be said for others and they are the ones that teach my kids. Yes, I am angry and I believe it is a righteous anger. I want to show my kids verses like 2Ti 3:12 *"Indeed, all who*  *desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted*" and give them reason to obey anyway. That is what love does. A coward submits to the state over the Lord.

The offer remains on the table to pursue reconciliation. It would be great if it started with your dad, but he first must be a bold loving man. As I have stated often lately, I remain prepared to reconcile with you, and will not forgo the commitment we made to each other or the command of the Lord about marriage. However, I live without hope from you. But as Kierkegaard wrote:

"Never cease loving a person, and never give up hope for him, for even the prodigal son who had fallen most low, could still be saved; the bitterest enemy and also he who was your friend could again be your friend; love that has grown cold can kindle."

I take that with attitude toward your dad and you. I'm at the table. Please join me. I love you!

#415 – Day 631 – Thu May 24, 2018 – It is easy to observe how so many conflicts around the world are based on a refusal to communicate. It starts at the personal level and it is so apparent in my own family. These walls between us have to come down. I love you.

#414 – Day 630 – Wed May 23, 2018 – It was a much better day today as I get my weekly raw milk, butter, organic bananas, and stuff delivered. It would be great to share with you.

There has been dialog with Jack over the last few days. You can review it on the family site. I do think of him a lot and wonder what his relationship is with you, and our other kids. Your dad did make a comment about Jack, but considering it appears we do not regard the Scripture in the same way, I don't see why he wouldn't be more flexible as he already has shown with the Scripture.

On more than one occasion I have attempted to communicate more deeply with Jack, such as last year when he announce his new lifestyle and in the last week as we reviewed money. As I have studied in the last few years the Lord's commands about giving and tithing, in general I think I have become more generous, but also repented from the tithe as I now see, as others have argued, that all of the tithes are vanquished with the possible exception of the one in Deu14. The institutional church's strong-arm tactics about tithing is fraud and it appears we might be in the same realm with Jack. Of course dialog on this with others seeking to follow the Scripture is hard to come by within my family.

I did also ask about if our kids are being provided cellphones. In years past it was great to be able to communicate with you and it was a marvelous joy for me to hear your voice. However, what they were then and what they are now are very different. The spying and health effects are a concern, but the biggest is what it is doing to our culture. I don't want our kids to become minions and I have no reason they are being demonstrated anything else. I have no idea how much the people I love the most have been turned over to the world's ways, perhaps medicated, perhaps learning to be blind followers of the institutions. I want to point them to the Lord. Your dad once stated that they were getting good teaching. That is blatantly untrue. I'm struggling to know how to love my family, especially my wife.

#413 – Day 629 – Tue May 22, 2018 – I love you!

#412 – Day 628 – Mon May 21, 2018 – In the voicemail I quoted Mohammad Javad Zarif, the foreign minister of Iran who spoke at the CFR and stated "talking about each other not to each other". The analogy to us in striking and I contend is inappropriate for followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. Do you agree?

The email from Saturday is online at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2018-05-19+1</u>. I suggest it is very substantive and worthy of dialog. I love you!

#411 – Day 625 – Fri May 18, 2018 – Tomorrow marks 28 years of you and I being "one flesh" as the Lord defines. And as the Lord defines, I remain "one flesh" with you and you alone.

I pondered sending flowers again this year, but since it seems fruitless I didn't. So you may know my thoughts, I was planning on something like two red roses, nine white roses, three unopened roses, and four perhaps yellow. This was to represent you and me in red, our living kids in white, the ones we don't know as unopened, and the married in or grandkids as yellow. I thought that was a good idea. But I didn't think it would be received with the joy I have in mind. So out of discouragement, I did nothing.

Clearly was is emphatic in 1Co7:10-11 you don't subscribe to or have found something that supersedes it. Considering your dad's arguments are consistent with the Quran, I have some idea.

On the website I quote 1Co 4:10 in reference to the voicemails as it hits home to me. Do you see why?

Also, the first payment for next month has already been issued.

I remember the day 28 years ago with joy and remain faithful to my commitment to you and the Lord. I love you.

#410 – Day 624 – Thu May 17, 2018 – I'm still trying. I still love you.

#409 – Day 623 – Wed May 16, 2018 – While it was very short, I got an email from you today. <u>WOW</u>!!! In reading the words I could hear your voice and my heart felt the touch of your hand. It caused me a lot of disarray today as when the love of your life hints at communications and you don't know what to do to make it continue. With our 28<sup>th</sup> anniversary this weekend, I have been wondering what to think and what to do. How do I love the woman who does not love me back? How do I fulfill Ephesians 5:25 in obedience to the Lord? What can I do to break down the walls between us?

To know how long it has been since I got an email from you, I looked for the last one. You sent 2 in January of last year, so about 16 months ago. One was on money, but you did not respond to me. The other was about how you were ignoring me, and you did not respond to me. However, your dad did. You might consider reading it (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-01-11</u>). It has been online for a very long time. As stated in the voicemail, please look at what your dad wrote and what I wrote from the perspective of a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. Who showed following the Lord and who was concerned about money? (Mat\_6:24, Luk\_16:13)

I reminded you of the video from late last year: "**The person who loves you is not your dad it is me!**" <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-02+1</u>. I just watched it again and I stand by it. You wrote last year that you haven't watched the videos. I suggest what you will find in them is a sinful man attempting to follow the Lord. You will see that the events of the last many years have matured me greatly. I have learned much of the Scripture, how to follow more obediently, and how to love. Love communicates. Love reconciles. Please open your eyes to see that kind of love in the videos.

If you were feeling bad and someone offered you heroin to ease the pain, would you consider that wise and loving? When someone points you to the state and says you can get out of your marriage, ignoring the fact that the Scripture says otherwise (such as Mark 10, Romans 3, etc.) would you consider that wise and loving or more like the heroin dealer getting you hooked on the world's way? Please remember "**The person who loves you is not your dad it is me!**"

To also be clear, the money was sent early due to circumstances that I would be happy to discuss. There is no intention of increasing beyond what the state demands. I am going to do nothing to buy back your love. It will only be a shared love for the same Lord that will bring us reconciliation and then money questions can be discussed. I think that is reasonable and as always remain open to discussion.

I have no time for fluff. Perhaps that time will come. But for now, I must point you to the Lord and His ways. Love does not points you to the state (1Co6). Love points you to the Lord. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#408 – Day 622 – Tue May 15, 2018 – I wonder how much you think about our celebrating 28 years this Saturday. It is supposed to be a time of joy. I love you!

#407 – Day 621 – Mon May 14, 2018 – After a weekend of wondering what to do, how to love my wife and feeling helpless and clumsy I got great news this morning. My friend Chris, who is experiencing difficulties with the relationship with his wife, spent yesterday with a long visit with his mom, and then a long time with his family, <u>including his wife</u>. I have no doubt that it wasn't as clean an event as he would have liked, but the great celebration is that <u>it happened</u>. A glimmer of real hope. A hint of reconciliation. <u>These things happen</u>! I offer no barrier for it to happen in our family. Shall we give it a try?

In my agony and desire to love you well, I wrote you an email Sunday that I think might mean something to you assuming...

For your reference, the email, **"An email that you probably won't read. It hurts to know that"** is at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2018-05-13+2</u>.

#406 – Day 618 – Fri May 11, 2018 – I so want to point our kids to the real Lord. The one who commands His followers to reconcile and to love each other. Please, I ask again for you, as my wife committed she would, join me in loving our kids as the Lord defines. PLEASE! I love you.

#405 – Day 617 – Thu May 10, 2018 – This year I have had some communications with our 4 older kids. Some has been very good, others no so. However, the 5 younger ones have been kept from me for over a year and a half. Why? I love you!

#404 – Day 616 – Wed May 9, 2018 – I got my food delivery today and it included some great organic bananas from Mexico and a flat of strawberries, 8 quarts. About half have been prepared and are in the freezer and perhaps it will be in the morning before I'm finished. They add a lot to a smoothie, and all of my family is invited to join me for one, or more. This is my way of living out the "love your neighbor, buy local" idea from the ShofarCity project. Weekly Fig has done it and I am very pleased. Please consider joining me. I love you!

#403 – Day 615 – Tue May 8, 2018 – James 5:12 includes the *"let your 'yes' be yes and your 'no' be no"*. It seems our president, representing our nation to the world, is living out that our *"yes"* is literally not worth the paper it is written on. Our nation made an agreement, the JCPOA. All parties have lived up to that agreement. Our nation has just abandoned that agreement. The rest of the world has more evidence that the United States cannot be trusted to live up to an agreement. Our kids are being thrust into a world where their country is untrustworthy. How should they live?

Consider the PCA. They claim the Scripture as their authority. Challenge them on that, they go silent. Can they be trusted when they don't come to the table?

Consider your dad. He made an agreement with us about our marriage. He abandoned that agreement and turns to the Talmud before the Scripture for his rationalization. Can he be trusted? Unlike the institutions of government or religion, your dad is a man. The Lord offers His mercy to men, as He has done with me. Perhaps reconciliation with your dad could happen, but first he must lower the wall between us.

Consider you. We had an agreement. The verbal included "for better or worse" and "till death do us part". I suggest that is consistent with the Scripture. While I have failed you in many ways, I have not failed in my commitment to you, and you alone, as my wife. The Lord demands of us reconciliation. I'm ready. You have to lower the barrier. You have to make your yes be yes. You have an opportunity to show our kids how to live out reconciliation. I will continue to point them to this. Shall we together point them to the same source and example by living it?

Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#402 – Day 614 – Mon May 7, 2018 – The thing that has bothered me the most today is that I caught what appeared to be a \$100 theft of gas at a store today. It appears it now that it was the owner's doing, so not really theft, but the issue in my mind is why did the Lord open my eyes to this particular transaction? Why now? It is also a reminder that what I do gives me the power to love, and discussed in the last email, and protect the store owner, but the same tools can be used to control. This concerns me greatly, and I am trying to develop the tools to allow the owner to see his stuff, not outsiders to control him. It is a very hard line to walk, and right now I walk it alone with the Lord.

The timing is rather significant to me in that yesterday's emails discussed the interaction with your dad and the license plate reading software job that was presented to me that I declined. He said I was wrong and that he trusts the state. This turns my stomach. Remember those that called themselves my Christian brothers fired me for being a whistleblower. Those that call themselves my Christian brothers sent the police to my door to stop obeying the Lord. What will my Christian brothers do next? This is not a joyful thing to dwell on, especially if you are a student of history. Dorothy-Jane, as my brothers turn against me, remember I will not turn against you. I love you.

#401 – Day 611 – Fri May 4, 2018 – Several times this week and multiple times today issues came up at a store. One in particular stood out where there was some kind of water leak or puddle in a back room that got a lot of electronics wet. The store went down because power was turned off. When they took care of the water and plugged things back in, not all returned. It appears the issue is a simple coin battery in the machine that is used to keep things alive during power outages has failed. But without panic, and from roughly a hundred miles away I took care of it. It was not the effort a novice could do, as the RMS team could not. It gave me great joy that I could take care of this as I did and no one needed to know how complex it really was. It really was an act of love toward the store owner.

Other vendors would have required a service call to the store for several hundred dollars. I did it at home in my bare feet.

For years now I have wanted to impart the fundamentals of why things are the way they are with computers so that others can build on what I have learned. I have had direct communications with at least 7 guys who expressed interest. All fell away, most without the first substantial contact. Our culture is "tell me how to make a lot of money", but not "tell me why so I can be free".

Part of the reason I have essentially moved everything to the Kozlowski.org site is I want to build a library of the "why" issues with the hope that it will be useful to someone. I suggest this is consistent with Paul's command to Timothy. The primary targets are our kids. Perhaps one or more will want to know the whys in computers. More importantly, it remains my hope that all will want to know the whys about Christ. Again the Lord Jesus Christ not the pseudochristos or the pseudodelphos, pseudoprophētēs, pseudapostolos and pseudodidaskalos that are all around. Note the pattern in the words. I suggest it was on purpose to make it clear in Scripture.

I want to love my neighbor. I want to love my kids. I want to do that with my wife. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#400 – Day 610 – Thu May 3, 2018 – Well we reached 400 consecutive voicemails. I contend one of us is not following man's law, the Lord's command, or demonstrating love, to me and to our kids. Bummer. As I stated at call #300, if it gets to a thousand, I will continue. There is also a comment about payments in the voicemail. I love you!

#399 – Day 609 – Wed May 2, 2018 – I was about to call and suddenly noticed out of my front window that there were two deer in the yard. That didn't happen at Daybreak. It was a simple joy. It would have been marvelous to share it with you. A photo is attached that was taken after I step out the front door. That is the neighbor's car, not mine. I love you!

#398 – Day 608 – Tue May 1, 2018 – It has been a joy often to encourage other men to be obedient to the Lord when it comes to the relationship with their wives. Thus far it is not hard to find men who claim Christ but willing to abandon their wife. However, I am finding some, thus far few, but at least a few who will say that even with the flaws in their wives, and more importantly the flaws in themselves, they will live in obedience to the Lord and love their wives even when that is not returned.

Then there are the cases when there is an admission on the part of both, mutual forgiveness is offered, reconciliation occurs, and joy follows. I have seen it happen. My choice is to pursue that. Can you explain your choice to our kids? Can you do the same with the Lord? Reconciliation is still on the table. I love you!

#397 – Day 607 – Mon Apr 30, 2018 - The tone was a bit stronger today as I have long been concerned about what our kids will think in the future. Will they see that both their parents attempted to follow the Lord? I contend the only way they will see that is if there is confession, repentance and reconciliation. Otherwise the model that is set before them is that the Lord isn't real. The lord that their mom and granddad seem to follow allows for the ripping apart of Scripture to make it fit in the world's mold. I want them to know that the Lord that their dad follows is the sole authority, is very real, and has given specific commands to be obeyed. They will clearly see that both their mom and dad are flawed. It is my hope that they will also see that both their mom and dad pursued obedience to the Lord and not only their flawed dad.

I'm sorry, but 1Co7:11 puts the weight on you. Have you listened to your dad and twisted the meaning to make it worthless? Or do you see what it clearly states and are willing to work, as two broken people, and reconcile? Who loves our kids more? Yes, that is a tough set of questions. Remember the man you married. Don't you think he would love you by presenting to you the truth and offer grace to you?

About 2 years ago I did a video specifically to you, "**For your consideration response**", which was a reply to about the last thing you sent me. It hurt a lot to do that because you ripped the Scripture to shreds, as your dad did some months back with Matthew 19. The title and URL were added to the video and it is now at <u>http://kozlowski.org/2016-05-</u> <u>27+1</u>. There isn't a public link yet, as I ask you to remember that time when I attempted to love you. I love you still.

The first draft of this mentioned the 10 minute video "**The person who loves you is not your dad it is me!**" I just watched it as a review and it was a reminder of many things. I am now inspired to add the title and URL and put it at: <u>http://kozlowski.org/2017-12-02+1</u>. It should be there in an hour or so.

The video reminded me that your dad sent me a book as a PDF. As I stated, and it was honest, out of respect for him I read it. I responded to him, but as is too typical he left the table. Who loves you, the one who will contend from Scripture or the one who will hide from Scripture?

In the video I also mentioned that I asked your dad about the "**Scripture Alone**" book. He did not respond. Later I simply bought it for him and sent it to him. I got a delivery email from the shipper, but your dad did not acknowledge it. A couple weeks ago I lent my copy to Chris Prince. Sunday we did a hike and just before we started I read out loud the conclusion, which was only three pages. This is exactly what I asked your dad to do. Please consider getting the book from your dad and reading those few pages. As described, I take the Scripture seriously, and far more than ever before, because out of the Lord's grace I have matured. What happened to your dad? What is happening to you? What will happen to our kids?

Please read this day's email carefully. Please see in it the man who gave his heart to you. He was and remains flawed. He also loved and remains in love with you, and far more than any other walking the earth. Dorothy-Jane, your husband, as the Lord defines, loves you intensely.

#396 – Day 604 – Fri Apr 27, 2018 – Today I took about a 6 mile hike which is now modest for me. In my walk I specifically went almost exactly an extra mile that was not part of the objective for the walk, the bank, post office, and food, but in some sense was the priority. I went back to Daybreak Suites to visit some of the gentlemen I have had contact with in the past.

None of these gentlemen offer any depth of conversation nor can really do much for me, but I am compelled, as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, to visit these men, encourage these men, and fundamentally love these men.

One man spends his life in his motorized chair, but still has an engineering mind that functions well at over 80 years of age. The conversation are not deep, but he has expressed appreciation for my visits.

Another is the man I occasion drive for as he has a suspended license. He is a great musician and is a young 72, but alone and worth my time.

My primary interest is Rick, who I describe as clueless in many ways, but I see the Lord's grace upon him. We have touched lightly on theology, but his understanding seems only basic. However, not because of his history, but there is a sense in me that he is my brother in Christ. If there is at least one of the people I know from Daybreak that I suspect will stand before the Lord redeemed, it is Rick. I can't point to chapter and verse, nor can I show any evidence from his life, it is just a feeling.

He has seen only one of his five kids in the last few years, and that was only briefly. He has commented often, including today, about his appreciation for my visits. He alone was worth the extra mile. This is the model I want to set before my kids, as I contend that this is the model of a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ.

I spoke with three men today as an act of love. My desire remains to speak with three other men, Jim Cross, Render Caines, and Chris Bitterman, as an act of love toward reconciliation. While they have been informed and invited, thus far they have not replied. Perhaps Rick understands the Lord's grace better than these other three.

It was also pointed out in the voicemail that now that I am in a larger home, still a modest 1000 square feet, but I have room for others. It is my plan in the coming months to make at least one bedroom available for guests. As I repeat a lot to our kids, my home is your home. That remains true and I am trying to build a place that is inviting to them, as I remain their dad.

I'm in great health as my walk demonstrates. It is quite likely, considering that I have built myself up to this point, that I could out walk my kids over long distances. That challenge remains set before all. Any of my kids think they can beat their old-man walking the 8.4 mile Cleveland Greenway. I do it in under two hours. Can you?

My health indicates the likelihood that I will be available to my kids in the years to come. I want them to understand that I am preparing a place that is my home and office, but is inviting for guests. My kids are always invited.

Then there is my wife. As a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, I cannot turn from her, irrespective of her turning from me. She has been, is, and will always remain my one and only lady. My kids need to know that as that is the model I desire they follow. If you are a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, you have no other option. Please use the Scripture as your reference, not the Talmud or the wisdom of men.

#### I love you all, especially my wife!

#395 – Day 603 – Thu Apr 26, 2018 – I understand you don't love me, but I still love you because I am a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. I'm not giving up.

#394 – Day 602 – Wed Apr 25, 2018 – It is interesting to think that there was a conversation between a professor at UC Riverside and me in 1974 and I told him my goal was to understand how to build software that I could build other things on. I suggest this concept was the start of ShofarNexus. At that time the people I worked with were involved in secure communications for WWIII, but only two other people there were seriously interested in electronics, and only me when it came to basic communications and cryptography. After over 40 years, the course for me has been the same.

While ShofarNexus itself, under the name of ShofarMedia, really started in 1998, it has been used by many over the years, but has not yet hit a wide market. The big change has been that for really the first time I am working with someone else who is doing the marketing and fundraising, and doing so with diligence. Rapid OnSite is simply ShofarNexus with some added customization to interface with gas pumps and store controllers. There has been a serious effort by the larger players to keep us out. I relayed some of this that was expressed when Nirav was in Greensboro meeting with Gilbarco long ago.

But large companies make things complex and the individuals in those companies have a vested interest to keep it that way. Perhaps we are finally breaking though this roadblock. While that may make life easier in the coming months, my focus is still to protect the little guy, those who own one store. I do this because as I have matured as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, no other option is set before me. I must diligently pursue love, even when it costs me.

In the same way I will diligently pursue pointing out to our kids the real Lord and the joy, cost and value of following seriously in His ways. I will also proclaim loudly that I have been, remain, and commit to do so for the rest of my days, married to one, and only one lady. I will proclaim the command and the joy of reconciliation until my last breath. I think you know this is true.

This flawed man is continuing to pursue his wife. Please lower the barrier between us, and let's follow the Lord that I thought we shared together. I love you!

#393 – Day 601 – Tue Apr 24, 2018 – I drove my friend again in his truck to see his doctor. On the return he bought me a bottle of wine as a thank you, or for me a 4 day supply. I've changed, but my legs do better.

I also had a discussion on what it is to reconcile a marriage with another who is having issues. It is very clear that we are to love the Lord first, and then our family. Only then can we love our family well. The discussion is what to do when the wife does not share in that conviction. It was also clear that we are to love anyway. I think you know me well enough that my love for you has not faded and that our shared commitment to each other I will keep, even if you don't. I love you!

#392 – Day 600 – Mon Apr 23, 2018 – It's late. I have been helping out on a store hit by a bot that is wiping their modem. I'm tired. Have a good night. I think it would be better for both of us if we ended our night together, as we promised each other and the Lord. I love you!

#391 – Day 597 – Fri Apr 20, 2018 – Things continue their incremental development on software, including the platform for the Kozlowski.org site. Work is being done on the layout. I feel reasonably confident that I can have enough in place for my larger audience attempt by the end of the month. I'm disappointed, but not surprised, that Jim Cross, Render Caines, and Chris Bitterman do not find my effort to reconcile with them worthy of their time. Perhaps indeed we serve a different Lord. I hope not. But I will continue to study and attempt to live out what the Lord Jesus Christ calls His followers to do. Perhaps you would join me on that. I love you!

#390 – Day 596 – Thu Apr 19, 2018 – I watched a video from "The Fuel Project" out of England and I thought it was well done. I did a review of it that should be online tonight at <u>http://Kozlowski.org/2018-04-19+1</u>. It is titled "The Coming Summer | Episode 8 - Homosexuality Will Be Prevalent". It hits home a bit too strong. I hope you will find both wisdom and grace in my review. I will send it along to my family via email probably still tonight.

I closed with a reminder about the joy I am having with my local food and offered anyone of my family a meal.

#389 – Day 595 – Wed Apr 18, 2018 – It was a great afternoon when I had my first raw milk smoothie in many months. I was directed to a group out of Chattanooga, Weekly Fig, that picks up from local farmers and delivers to consumers. Does this remind you of the ShofarCity project? Someone, to my joy, made it work and they are overtly Christian. Dorothy-Jane, I would love to make you a smoothie. I love you!

#388 – Day 594 – Tue Apr 17, 2018 – A busy day, but it did includes some updates to the public site that should go online shortly. There is interaction from more than one on the weekend email, but not from the principles. My hope remains that will not continue and at least with one reconciliation will occur. What a delight that would be. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#387 – Day 593 – Mon Apr 16, 2018 – An email was sent last night with the subject "Going public, it begins. Please join me! Reconciliation is the only option for followers of the Lord Jesus Christ!" and can be found at http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2018-04-15+1. Today's phone call attempt was met with a mailbox full message, but I left one anyway. It is attached to this email and available at http://family.kozlowski.org/Voicemail-2018-04-16, as is the PDF of this email. Since there was no recording done by the phone provider, I felt free to record a longer message, almost 8 minutes.

Obviously I have no idea if the full mailbox is coincidence or on purpose due to last night's email, but considering the lack of response to the previous 386 voicemails, I'll send this to the entire list that was used last night.

If you follow a pseudochristos (Mat 24:24, Mar 13:22) please feel free to ignore this.

However, if you are a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, I ask you to please consider what your response should be to someone who has continually reached out to you and others for reconciliation? Can you honestly say that you have justification to ignore me? Can you say that there is something about me that deserves a year and a half of silence from my young kids, or almost 6 years from my wife? Do you say that I need to go away, get fixed, and come back, as one of you has? Do you have a higher calling than the Lord's command to reconcile? Do you bow your knee to man's law over the Lord's? Are you a resounding gong?

Do you fear me because I proclaim reconciliation? Some have. Should I expect the police at my door again due to my unwillingness to disobey the Lord's command to reconcile? Why stop there? Why not treat me as the protestant institutional church did to Fritz Erbe as I described in **"My Move and Reconciliation Plans**" last month that is now public at <a href="http://kozlowski.org/2018-03-25+1">http://kozlowski.org/2018-03-25+1</a>? Would you feel safer if I was stuck in a hold like was done to Erbe for 7 years by the institutional church? Consider the hole:



For me I am approaching 6 years in a virtual hole, does that make you feel secure? If not, do you need the protection of the state from a man trying to reconcile with you? If so, Detectives Gibbs and Blake may still be available. The first visit was actually cordial. But remember, there might have been a crime committed by those involved in that event. Do you want to explore that? Perhaps direct dialogue would be better?

Or perhaps you might agree with me that Matthew 5:24 applies to our situation and should be obeyed. If so, please remember that my goal is reconciliation and not to conquer. I seek restored relationships, as mutual followers of Christ, in celebration of His grace. <u>Care to join me</u>?

#386 – Day 590 – Fri Apr 13, 2018 – The conclusion of the voicemail is the most important. No matter what the cost, I love you!

#385 – Day 589 – Thu Apr 12, 2018 – I did about a 6 mile walk, including a stop at Cooke's for some food, and did it in under two hours. The evidence is clear that my health is good. How about my family? I think about what I ate in the past and what I do now, which I suggest is the largest part of my health improvements. I desire this for my family as my study has shown that eugenics is behind most of the garbage most eat, and profit is a great promoter for the hidden agenda. How do I influence my family to do well in this area? I don't know yet, but I will try. Even more, I will continue to pursue reconciliation. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#384 – Day 588 – Wed Apr 11, 2018 – My day started early when I informed that the new store in Tulsa was hit by ransomware. In this case it was an error on my part where I added a temporary user to the server to allow another party access to the pumps. It was an easy password and forgot to disable the account and we were broken into by a brute force attack. Bummer. However, Rapid OnSite (ShofarNexus) is designed for recovery, and in about an hour, before the store opened, we were running with no ransom paid. I suggest this is because of two characteristics in me that the Lord granted as His gifts. First over four decades of experience in the software arena helps.

Secondly, and I think more importantly, my mindset is to ask why more than asking how. Knowing why allows me to use that understanding to take on issues, including very serious ones, successfully, as demonstrated today.

As I deal with others in the software world, the tendency is to know how in order to make better money. I suggest knowing why is why things like my history with Tiato, New York Stock Exchange, Paramount/Crawford, and the contract jobs were so lucrative. But knowing why to follow the Lord is also a large part of why those collapsed.

I so very much desire for our kids to ask why, respectfully, and especially of the Lord, as Jacob did in Genesis 32. The model that is set before them is of a wimp (your dad) who refuses to examine the Scripture, or a coward (Chris Bitterman) who refuses communications, and whose institution calls the police on those who attempt obedience to the Lord. Is that tone harsh? Prove me wrong!

So what model are we going to point our kids toward? The model of do well in the world and compromise on Scripture, or follow the Lord with zeal and pay the price? I choose 'B'. What about you?

I love you!

#383 – Day 587 – Tue Apr 10, 2018 – Some of the videos now show up on the home page of Kozlowski.org. You might consider "My Move and Reconciliation Plans" (<u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-03-25+1</u>) as it spells out what I am doing, and names the people directly that I am trying to reconcile with.

The "Notebook Offer" is at <u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-04-03+1</u>.

"Reconciliation in Syria, why not in the US?" is at <u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-04-10+1</u>. You might find this interesting and is only 3 minutes. I did send it to some today via email.

Dorothy-Jane, My Lady, you more than anyone should know that I am a flawed man, but you also have stated to others that once convinced, I follow through. The Lord's command to reconcile is clear. The command is not shared by many around you, but it is unambiguous in the Scripture, as is the call to proclaim obedience to the Lord. Please join me in that. Let's show the model of reconciliation to our kids. I love you!

#382 – Day 586 – Mon Apr 9, 2018 – The weekend was productive, and included a good hike and lots of theology. The video ability has greatly improved in ShofarNexus and now some of the videos from the family site appear on Kozlowski.org. For example I have used the Happy Birthday video I did for Susanna to test with (<u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-04-07+1</u>). Of course I am also using the Happy Birthday video for my wife (<u>http://kozlowski.org/2017-12-08+1</u>) since that received great comments.

My rough plans are to take care of the technical issues in the next couple days, and improve the layout. By the end of the week I hope to have many videos in place and will announce to family and a few others that the videos are online, including <u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-04-07+2</u> and <u>http://kozlowski.org/2018-03-25+1</u>.

My efforts toward reconciliation continue. Care to join me? I love you!

#381 – Day 583 – Fri Apr 6, 2018 – My friend Chris Prince came for a visit and a hike today. He left with my copy of Scripture Alone. It seems I have greater chance of him reading it than the other copy I purchased for your dad. He and I discussed today yet again how we are two fallen men who believe in Scripture alone and attempt to live it. It would be my joy to find a similar relationship with your dad.

It was really rather remarkable to me today when during our hike I slipped on the muddy path we were on. I caught Chris' outreached hand with my right and the ground with my left, but my body got very near the ground but never hit. I know many my age or years younger that would have hit the ground hard. It was a big clue to me that I am, as I have claimed in the recent past, in the best physical shape I have ever been, perhaps in my entire life. Yesterday's 4 to 5 mile hike, including hills, was only about an hour and came back without fatigue. So it is a reminder that I will probably be available for a long time to come. But remember I have always belonged and will always belong to only one lady, my wife. I love you!

#380 – Day 582 – Thu Apr 5, 2018 – The new store in Oklahoma came up today but they are having mechanical problems with the pumps. We are now in four states, and only 46 to go, plus a lot of countries. The voicemail tells you a little about my dreams. I love you!

#379 – Day 581 – Web Apr 4, 2018 – I have been working today with those that traveled to Tulsa, Oklahoma to install a new store. Communications with the Rapid OnSite computer there is working fine, after some issues. Communications with the pumps is having a problem and we are waiting for others to resolve that. Note that it is communications that is the problem. Rapid OnSite, or ShofarNexus, has a large set of tools to enable clear communications, and diagnostics when things are going well. My desire is to do the same with others, especially family, because communications is vital for those who follow the Lord Jesus Christ. Don't you agree? I love you!

#378 – Day 580 – Tue Apr 3, 2018 – I had a wonderful Easter celebrating with the Leonards in the mountains and two gentlemen who are abandoned by their families at Daybreak.

Nirav is off to Oklahoma in his Tesla which drives by itself most of the time on the highway. We are installing a test store for a chain tomorrow and hopefully in the coming weeks that will seed many more.

My notebook failed and seems to have un-failed. So I made an offer. I love you!

#377 – Day 576 – Fri Mar 30, 2018 – The work on the website has picked up now that I have a better environment. Considering this Sunday is Easter it seems like a good time to let people know about the updates. Please remember, the Lord Jesus Christ came in to his creation, died on the cross, and we mark the anniversary of His resurrection this Sunday. Why did He come? To **RECONCILE** His elect to Himself. He has commanded us to follow in the model of reconciliation. Let's do it, shall we? I'm ready. I hope to express that more clearly this weekend in video form. I love you!

#376 – Day 575 – Thu Mar 29, 2018 – It was a joy today to interact with three abandoned men, who remain made in the image of God, and be able to show them that value by giving them hours of my time. I contend this is the universal call to a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. I also was on the radio again with David Tulis discussing the privacy issue. I think I am getting better at this, but as stated, far from polished. However, the depth of content is becoming noticeable. Because this is a model of encouragement to others to reconcile, I am working on making our reconciliation effort more widely known. Do you want to join me in that? I love you!

#375 – Day 574 – Wed Mar 28, 2018 – As I was leaving the message I reminded you that I am committed to you and you alone for all the days of my life, irrespective if you or I die first. I have repeatedly stated that neither of us is free until at least one of us is dead, as the Scripture makes clear, such as Mark 10. However, as Paul suggests but does not demand, I will remain the "husband of one wife" all the days of my life, even if you die and I have many years more. It is you and you alone. It always has been. It always will be. I want you and the world to know that. I love you!

#374 – Day 573 – Tue Mar 27, 2018 – The move has made my life much better as this place is seriously quieter and it is delightful. However, the notebook failure has been an issue. But it hasn't stopped me from continuing my reconciliation efforts. I did a video Sunday that I titled "My Move and Reconciliation Plans". I think it is clear and hopefully both an example to others, which is why it is planned to be public, and inviting to our kids to individually restore relationships. My guess is you see that as a threat. My hope you will find that as love. Dorothy-Jane, the reason I don't give up is because I really do love you!

#373 – Day 572 – Mon Mar 26, 2018 – The move is complete, but I did not have Internet until today. Add to that my notebook has failed after working well for about 2 years. It is my hope to get back on track over the next few days, including starting to deliver on my promise of Dec 31, 2017 to become more public. I am going to pursue reconciliation with all. Obviously that desire is not shared, but it is my hope that some eventually will. I also want my kids to see what a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ is commanded to do, as in reconcile.

Also note that I corrected some of the day counts below.

#372 – Day 561 – Thu Mar 15, 2018 – The move has begun. The first thing moved is your picture and ring. I'm going to keep the picture, but am happy to put the ring back where it belongs. I love you!

#371 – Day 560 – Wed Mar 14, 2018 – Deposit was made today and I should be moving tomorrow. Details on the move was emailed to the family (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2018-03-14+1</u>). You are invited!

#370 – Day 559 – Tue Mar 13, 2018 – The walk-oholic made a modest trip today to be helpful to a party who requested it, and during the trip I went to the new home and introduced myself to my neighbors. I am more than pleased to have a larger kitchen with new appliances as I have become a serious chef. I hope George will be pleased to know that. I do prepare meals for others, most notably my friend Chris Prince. Meals taste so much better shared. You are invited to join me. I will warn you that there will be a lot of garlic, onions, and tamari. But don't worry, there are no boxes or cans. I love you. When can you make it for a meal?

#369 – Day 558 – Mon Mar 12, 2018 – Do you see how much Nikki Haley is like Joseph Goebbels? A quick web search will show you that I'm not the only one who notices the similarities. This concerns me in that I don't know how much my family, the people I love, can see this. My guess is your dad doesn't, considering other conversations. It would be a joy to find out differently, but then again that requires communications. We live in the Fourth Reich. Are my kids being setup to be part of the modern Confessing Church or the Reich Church? Your dad has already offer a compromise on serving God and money (Mat\_6:24, Luk\_16:13). Don't you think I'm concerned? How can I love you better?

#368 – Day 555 – Fri Mar 9, 2018 – I looked at a new place to live today. I don't want to move because I'm not moving with you. Please read the email to your dad: <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2018-03-09+1</u>. I love you!

#367 – Day 554 – Thu Mar 8, 2018 – The book "Scripture Alone" is shown as delivered. I really hope your dad finds it useful and enlightening as I did. I again ask that he at least read the last chapter, and perhaps chapter 2. My recollection is that he did subscribe to the Scripture as his final authority, but clearly there is contradictory evidence on this. My desire remains a reconciled relationship with him.

I'm also excited to find that it appears raw milk will again be part of my diet in the near future. Besides the overall health improvements, it was clear that during the two years of drinking it I was losing weight, to the point that I started drinking 3 gallons a week to maintain my weight. I drink a lot less now of store-bought milk and it really doesn't taste as good, and weight has come back.

I did mention about several conversations that I have had with other men about their wife or wives, and find only one who remains wholeheartedly committed to his wife, loves his wife, and is enamored with his wife. Obviously that is me, but then again there is Takotsubo cardiomyopathy.

It was a simple joy, but it was a joy to see the original Batmobile about 52 years after I saw it for the first time. It still looks in good shape. I did feel that the 10-year-old inside me is still there. My email with the photos is at <a href="http://Family.Kozlowski.org/Email-2018-03-08+1">http://Family.Kozlowski.org/Email-2018-03-08+1</a>.

I remain ever so much in love with you and committed to you alone.

#366 – Day 553 – Wed Mar 7, 2018 – Don't you think the size of this email is getting ridiculous? Perhaps we should try direct communication instead?

A bit of sharing of how the Leonards' extended family has seen some reconciliation recently, and how it was mentioned that a couple, after 25 years of separation, had their relationship restored. Perhaps we shouldn't wait that long. I'm willing. I love you!

#365 – Day 552 – Tue Mar 6, 2018 – "Scripture Alone" was reordered and now shipped. It should arrive Thursday. I love you!

#364 – Day 551 – Mon Mar 5, 2018 – An email and video was sent to your dad, you and others yesterday about the book, "Scripture Alone" that was sent to him. I have specifically asked him to read at least the last chapter. I contend that the "comfortable church" that is mentioned is the PCA. Please remember that I love you, our kids, and even your dad. Attempting to reconcile, attempting to point to the Scripture, not walking away but continuing to communicate is a clear demonstration of love. I pray that you will see that.

**#363 – Day 548 – Fri Mar 2, 2018 –** We live in a police state. Are our kids prepared to react in obedience to Christ in situations like I had today? Since they clearly do not have the model of obedience to Christ set before them, I have no hope they are being prepare to act as followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. Just like long ago discussions with your dad, it appears our kids are being taught to say "hail victory" and get along to get ahead. Remember he stated willingness for a compromise position on Matthew 6:24. I find none, because I find "Scripture Alone" to be the final authority. It is my hope our kids have a full understanding of John 16:33, and 2Timothy 3:12, and a desire to live in obedience to the Lord, before submission to the state. When they conflict, will they be prepared? You have no idea how much I love you and our kids.

#362 – Day 547 – Thu Mar 1, 2018 – I did question what is happening with our kids and their education, both currently and plans. You might recall that the state does require that I remain involved, but the state's decree, as with the Lord's decree seems to be ignored. This concerns me greatly. If you are offended at my remark, please consider is it because of what I said, or is it because it is indeed true?

The video that I mentioned is from October 29, 2017 "Zadok and my guys, ask WHY". I contend if we are to raise men rather than wimps, they will heed the concepts in the video. Do you agree? This is one of the videos I am considering to put on Distinctivist. Do you think I should? I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#361 – Day 546 – Wed Feb, 28, 2018 – Today was marvelous. The Lord's blessing to me was repeated in many different ways today. I was asked again to drive a friend to Chattanooga and literally went an extra mile or two to do things he didn't expect. It was a mutual blessing. In the morning I was able to respectfully encourage a man who was way out of his field and give him help while encouraging him as a man.

I also started the day by ordering the "Scripture Alone" book for your dad. As I stated to him, I watched the videos he linked me to out of respect for him. Some of the arguments given were from the Talmud and I asked if it is something he subscribes to. He has not answered and it concerns me greatly. He send me a PDF and again out of respect for him I read the whole thing. When I queried him on it from Scripture, he ran, again. I offered to buy him the book "Scripture Alone" as I have been reading it when I drive my friend and have to wait on him. I pointed out that when I read chapter two, it was something I could have written almost word-for-word. It has proven to be a marvelous book, and I do subscribe to Scripture alone as my authority. Clearly there is no evidence this is shared. However, in conversation with my friend Chris, I realized that I shouldn't just ask if your dad wants it, I should just send it. It is now ordered and should arrive soon.

I also spoke with a broken hearted young lady and it seems like with some others, I'm somewhat of a surrogate dad. I have developed a reputation of not offering fluff, but seriously proclaiming obedience to Christ and wrapping that in a lot of love and grace. A lesser subject was I asked her if you could ask why on issues, especially theology, at Lee University. She said there is no room for that there. It was Church of God doctrine, and no questions allowed. This is commonplace in the secular world, and clearly true in the pseudo-Christian world, in educational facilities and the institutional church. This concerns me for our kids. It appears they are being taught blind submission, or in Arabic "Islam". They are not being taught what Christ commands "agōnizomai". This concerns me greatly.

But even more, I was able to proclaim the Lord's definition of marriage and be able to do so with grace and point to the clear teaching in Scripture. This was a joy as she is a follower of Christ. But then about two hours later I was able to do the same to someone who is not a follower of Christ, but was still able to state that I was proclaiming but not imposing the Scripture and the Lord's definition of marriage. What a privilege. What a marvelous gift the Lord has given me this day.

It is a joy to correct and be corrected by reviewing the Scripture with others. It is a tremendous grief that Jim Cross, Render Caines, and Chris Bitterman, who are leaders in the PCA, will not do the same. I will continue to pursue reconciliation with them, as I remain, by the grace of the Lord, a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ.

A final joy. I also shared a picture on the wall of my wife, Dorothy-Jane Kozlowski, and was able to describe her with all sincerity as the most beautiful woman the Lord has ever created, and that I remain committed to her and her alone for all the days of my life. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#360 – Day 545 – Tue Feb 27, 2018 – For years now I haven't dealt with young kids. I have young kids. This is not by my choice.

#359 – Day 544 – Mon Feb 26, 2018 – I mentioned in the voicemail about how even men from India with a rather different culture still love their ladies. I still know the feeling.

Then there is the 3-year-old that I watched on Saturday (<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MEnucO7gdUw</u>). The comment about that he doesn't know his dad hit home hard. Please let Zadok know that I'm still here and I love him. This applies to Walter, Gloria-Jane, Susanna, and George. This hurts.

#358 – Fri Feb 23, 2018 – The message is to encourage my kids to press on in difficulty in obedience to the Lord. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#357 – Thu Feb 22, 2018 – A busy day, but I still want to set before you and our kids that obedience to the Lord demands that we reconcile. I remain at the table and ask you to join me. I love you.

#356 – Wed Feb 21, 2018 – A bit on why no call yesterday. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#355 – Mon Feb 19, 2018 – I was again invited to watch the dance "The Veil – The Store of Creation". I was invited by Eve and she looks good for her age! The dance was well done, the lighting and sound was overwhelming, and the theology was terrible. My argument is that the Quran has better theology than "The Veil", and both conflict with the Scripture. It is not an easy thing to offer constructive criticism, but as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, the command is clear. Running from this is not love, so I am going to try to encourage by pointing to the Scripture. I so desire to do this with your dad. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#354 – Fri Feb 16, 2018 – I spoke with ErikaLeigh for over 2 hours today and it was marvelous! There was also an interaction via email with Tirzah that spanned several emails. I don't know why this is happening, but I am very pleased. Others are welcome to join, including your dad, and most importantly you. In the Lord's definition of family, we remain so and reconciliation is commanded. Please consider joining the process. You would be welcomed with grace! I love YOU!

#353 – Thu Feb 15, 2018 – It was my delight and joy to receive an email from Tirzah today. While I am very pleased, the timing causes me to wonder since two weeks ago I got a call from ErikaLeigh. Please remember that I am not trying to separate our kids from you but to reconcile with our kids and you. You might recall that I stated some years back in reference to issues that were transpiring between you and Julia that my priority was reconciliation between the two of you and I was willing to sacrifice me for that. That remains true today, but I don't know where things stand. So I will fully pursue reconciliation with all, including ErikaLeigh, Tirzah, Julia, our other kids, born and married in, your dad, and most importantly you. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#352 – Wed Feb 14, 2018 – My Lady, happy Valentine's Day! Attached is a longer message than normal. The article I spoke of that we sent to me is at: <u>http://www.thedailysheeple.com/watch-sheriffs-look-like-clowns-bragging-about-dozens-of-raids-for-entirely-legal-hemp-cbd\_022018</u>. Nirav and a new gentleman, Ronak, are scheduled to have lunch with me tomorrow. He will probably cause another stack of staring eyes as he will probably come in his Tesla again. When the doors open, it gets noticed. Once they leave, I might go to the local health food store and buy another bottle of CBD oil, just to make the statement, even though I have 2. I have become a bit more outspoken on this. I have a friend who is provided prescription hard drugs for the effects of Agent Orange, a product of Monsanto/Bayer, because the more effective THC is illegal in this state. These are the same people that protect me from buying raw milk locally, and I have seen my weight go up in the months I have been off it. It concerns me. But the state, like the intuitional church is more interested in power than love. So I will speak out all the more, in an effort to love and be obedient to the Lord. This includes proclaiming the Lord's command to reconcile. Dorothy-Jane, my Valentine, I love you!

#351 – Tue Feb 13, 2018 – I mentioned the "Marriage Reassured" tagline on a billboard from a bank and wondered why the institutional church does not subscribe to that idea. Also mentioned was the discussion I had Sunday about the video I did for Distinctivist on February 1 about Social Security. It made my friend uncomfortable. It is like being a prolife advocate and suggesting to the institutional church that we should obey the Lord's first commandment He gave in Genesis 1. Oh, but that must be out of date. I'm trying to live as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. You are invited to join me. I love you!

#350 – Mon Feb 12, 2018 – The discussion about Abraham came from: Gen 12:10 Abram and Sarai in Egypt, Gen 20 Abraham and Abimelech, and Gen 26:7 Isaac and Abimelech. The Lord has demonstrated marvelous mercy in these cases and can again today. I'm committed to this, but I don't know if my wife is. I do love her anyway.

#349 – Fri Feb 9, 2018 – A busy day. Spent hours in a courtroom as an act of love to a friend. I had a conversation with a man I just met in the parking lot for 3 hours, most on the Scripture. What a joy.

#348 – Thu Feb 8, 2018 – Questions about George. I love you both!

#347 – Wed Feb 7, 2018 – My evening meal was in celebration of some joys in software development, but it wasn't shared. It would be great to do so with you. You remain invited. I love you!

#346 – Tue Feb 6, 2018 – I had a very busy day and I'm exhausted. I am most pleased that the Lord has given me much to do and the ability to do it. I remain desirous of reconciliation with all. Any takers? Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#### #345 – Mon Feb 5, 2018 – The verses I read today:

James 3 "<sup>13</sup>Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. <sup>14</sup>But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. <sup>15</sup>This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. <sup>16</sup>For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. <sup>17</sup>But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. <sup>18</sup>And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace."

#344 – Fri Feb 2, 2018 – It was a great joy to speak with ErikaLeigh yesterday. I will bask in that joy and skip the rest for now. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#343 – Thu Feb 1, 2018 - I mentioned the joy of having a good friend, a Christian brother, reminded you of what happened on my 40th birthday, invited you to join me for salmon and campaign or butter bread. I was then discussing the video "Obedience to Christ or Social Security" that I'm putting on Distinctivist.com tonight (hopefully). In that process, ErikaLeigh called. What a joy that was. Perhaps you would consider it too. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#### #342 – Wed Jan 31, 2018 - 3 points today:

1: I quickly mentioned that I sent a detailed email to the team in India asking for improved communications. I was polite and direct. These people are at least culturally Hindu, and my guess is at least one is serious about the faith. This morning I got a detailed and again polite response. It was followed with a 40 minute phone call that included shared laughter and an agreement that we need to communicate better as we are seeking a common goal.

Why has it taken over 5 years to get a response from the leadership of the institutional church? I don't know about the Hindu community, but for the Christian reconciliation is a command. Why don't those who claim to profess Christ, also live Christ's commands?

2: It was really surprising to find that the Syrian government has a reconciliation ministry. This is a secular state with Alawite, Sunni, Christian, and others forming the society. I was completely unaware of this effort within the country until yesterday. The state, with the apparent embrace of the populous have offered forgiveness to those who repent of their involvement, voluntary or otherwise, with ISIS. The numbers that have been returned to the Syrian society now exceeds 65,000. This sounds like reconciliation. Why doesn't the Christian community embrace this, considering it is the Lord's command?

3: I have a point to make that should be obvious tomorrow as it is a notable day for me. An article is being written for the Distinctivist.com site and my plan is to share it with my list for the family.Kozlowski.org site. This is the first of many I plan to do but not on the family site, but to a wider audience.

#341 – Tue Jan 30, 2018 – As expressed, this is my attempt to be upfront with my plans. The audience should grow significantly, as in orders of magnitude, in February. It is my desire to contend from Scripture, as the Lord commands, openly, clearly, and boldly. My objective is reconciliation. I will not stop and I think you know that. Dorothy-Jane, My Lady, I love you!

#340 – Mon Jan 29, 2018 - At this number of unanswered calls, I'm guessing you don't like me. Dorothy-Jane, I remain wholeheartedly in love with you and committed to you.

#339 – Fri Jan 26, 2018 – I was reminded of you a lot today, including checking on a declined credit card at a store with the name "Dorothy J something". Then I came across the photo of you and I at our wedding rehearsal. Do you remember when one fellow said it could have been me, and you said "but it's not!" with enthusiasm? My enthusiasm for you remains. Dorothy-Jane I love you!

#338 – Thu Jan 25, 2018 – I was checking on George with hope that his day went well. I also asked about Julia since for a while things were good. What happened with Julia and Isaac? It is my hope that the relationship with George will flourish in the near term. Dorothy-Jane I love you!

#337 – Wed Jan 24, 2018 – Happy Birthday George! It would be a joy to celebrate life with you! I have set before you in the voicemail some more information about my plans to continue to pursue reconciliation. I love you George. I love your siblings George. I love your mom George!

#336 – Tue Jan 23, 2018 – George's upcoming day should include a cart sent from his dad with a BD in it. I hope he, and his siblings find the "A bit of my history - You cannot serve God and money" video interesting, encouraging, and a bit of a guild for their lives. Perhaps even my wife will either find out things she did not know, which might really be true because some of the new details about my relationship with Ray Kassar was only learned in the last few years. I love you all, and I hope it is clear that my reconciliation efforts continue to grow.

#335 – Mon Jan 22, 2018 – Besides the hikes mentioned, Sunday I made a couple of really good steaks. We also had a wonderful mix of onion, bacon, and potatoes. You can simply assume it also had a lot of garlic. I think my skills in cooking have improved. It would be a joy to share that with my family, all or part. Also because of some discouragement today, I wondered again what you do when issues arise. Please remember that I hold nothing against you and will be available to you as desired. I love you.

#334 – Fri Jan 19, 2018 – Yesterday and today I some difficulties with communications with the team in India. This caused some issues with closing some of the gas sales. They simply assumed things and went on without asking and what I was doing was radically different than what they expected. I spent the whole day doing more documentation of what I have to make this clear and reduce problems like this in the future. In the process of doing this I have learned a lot about how to communicate more clearly. My desire is to use this in communicating the Lord's command to reconcile with my family, extended family, and institutional church leadership. I will press on with this as I remain a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ and very much in love with my wife!

#333 – Thu Jan 18, 2018 – Today I drove a gentleman to Hixson via Bonnie Oaks. This is the same gentleman who I picked up from prison many weeks ago and still does not have his license back. While I don't have a clear idea where you lived years ago, I did think a lot of you driving down that road.

Nirav and I had our first conversation since his return from New Zealand. He stated that it is a place I would enjoy and suggested that I meet the India team there for a face-to-face dialog. Sounds like a good idea. Would you join me?

#332 – Wed Jan 17, 2018 – I had a busy and fairly productive day. I still have a few things to do, so I kept it quick. I love you!

#331 – Tue Jan 16, 2018 – I had a good conversation with David Tulis tonight. I'm not the only one who sees the unwillingness of the PCA and others to defend they Scripture they claim to follow. This is most unfortunate. However, I will still pursue reconciliation. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#330 – Mon Jan 15, 2018 – Nirav has returned from his vacation with his family in New Zeeland. I assume we will resync in the next few days. It would be great to take a month long vacation with my family. I still have hope.

#329 – Fri Jan 12, 2018 – An update to the gas pump software I thought would take about 2 days instead took two weeks. I do have a reputation of not getting time estimates right. Fortunately, it goes both long and short, remember Volvo. So I hope to be back in full force in my reconciliation effort this weekend. Perhaps you will join me? I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#328 – Thu Jan 11, 2018 – In case you are interested, the recent fires in California would have been seen from where I grew up. The mudslides of recent days in Montecito is where my grandmother lived for a while. My mom also worked at the Biltmore for a while when I was perhaps 8 years old. I have no desire to return.

A neighbor has the flu and I noticed a report about how bad the flu is this year is that people should get their shot. I haven't had one since I was in the Air Force and even then I skipped some. I think it is mostly due to my diet, but I simply don't get sick anymore. I know I'm not totally immune, but there hasn't been anything including a running nose in years. I have no doubt the amount of garlic I consume is a good part of it. One gentleman here has given me the name of "Garlic John". I wonder about my family. It is my hope that they too eat good food and do not succumb to the medical nightmare system. While I know it was ineffective in the past, I do not consent to my kids having flu shots. I love them too much. I love my wife also!

#327 – Wed Jan 10, 2018 – I asked about child abuse. I also asked if you consider reconciliation a possibility. Then I asked if my kids are in a Christian home. If so it seems name only. Followers of the Lord Jesus Christ follow the Lord Jesus Christ. Do you understand the issue here?

#326 – Tue Jan 9, 2018 – You have no idea of how much I miss you.

#325 – Mon Jan 8, 2018 – Today is my dad's 98<sup>th</sup> birthday. He lived to be 2 months shy of his 90<sup>th</sup> birthday. You met him while he was in his early 70s. If my Greenway walk yesterday is any indication, I might outdo him. Although a broken heart does not help that goal. But they can heal!

My friend Chris brought a couple filet mignons for us to enjoy Saturday. The conversation was better than the food, as we so often discuss the Scripture in depth. We both noted a radical increase in us in our striving to know, love, and be obedient to the Lord as we are having difficulties with our ladies. The question was raised what would change if reconciliation occurred. My suggestion is that I would not suddenly compromise. A good example might be the day we were visited by the state with a police escort in body armor. You might recall I did not back down then in an effort to protect my family. Well the police still come to my door, this time directly on behalf of the institutional church. I still politely do not back down. The difference is I know more why not to. I trust, since it is clear that the Lord holds me and I don't hold Him, that the future will be a closer walk with the Lord even as new difficulties arise. Isn't that the way you expected this sinful man to be? Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#324 – Fri Jan 5, 2018 – George has become a focus as his birthday is a few weeks away. As mentioned in the voicemail in just over a year the possibility might open up for him and me to communicate directly. If that transpires, he might bring back to others a lot of information about how I have been trying to reconcile the family. I wonder if he knows. As suggested, I also wonder how much we have a poisoning of the well. It is my hope to break down the walls between us before next year. Lord willing, that will transpire. Lord willing it will be to your joy. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#323 – Thu Jan 4, 2018 – The video I mentioned is "Setting the Record Straight: Dr. Michael Brown Our Special Guest" (<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=g0P6ljKUsXo</u>). Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#322 – Wed Jan 3, 2018 – My plan is to use the October 31, 2017 visit by the local police on behalf of an institutional church representative as a way to explain hopefully more clearly the issues at hand. I need to reach my kids to point them to the real Lord Jesus Christ, and it seems the tool for that was handed to me. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#321 – Tue Jan 2, 2018 – I watched a video today from RT that brought a lot of joy and followed up with a video of my own: "Children of War 95 • Please, never stop doing what you are doing" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2018-01-02+1</u>). While it seemed like they were successful in about a half dozen, to find out today that they have returned 95 children was a real delight to hear. So I added a bit to my "Children of War" section (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Children of War</u>). For these 95, they have defied the odds and are home. I spoke in my "Young Earth Creation" video about how the Lord defied the odds in the six days of creation (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-25+1</u>). It is my hope and prayer that the Lord will defy the odds and bring reconciliation to our family. Toward that goal I will "never stop doing what <u>I'm</u> are doing". I love my wife!

#320 – Mon Jan 1, 2018 – I'm still here. I'm not giving up.

#319 – Fri Dec 29, 2017 – I mentioned a story I viewed on RT: "**Forgotten in Hell: Half of Yazidis abducted by ISIS still** missing" <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3CvTJ\_VDWrY</u>. Besides the brutality of what ISIS has done to so many thousands, I marveled at the willingness of some men in Iraq who were willing to do the very risky effort of recovering some from slavery. They have my respect. This is something I don't think I have the gift to do. However, what they are dealing with, ISIS, is a cult of Islam. A cult can be brutal, even when they are a cult of a religion whose basis is untrue. Christianity is true, and I fully believe this, am willing to contend for it, and am attempting to live as someone who follows the Lord Jesus Christ. Christianity has its cults also, and one of them is the PCA. My evidence is the shunning and the refusal to contend on the Scripture or follow their own doctrine decided by the General Assembly.

I described in 2016 how I was going to be more public in my effort to reconcile with my family and others. In 2017 that happened in earnest. My plan for 2018 is to refine and expand my efforts with the goal of reconciling with all. The four primary men involved, Jim Cross, Render Caines, Chris Bitterman and myself are no longer in the early years of life. Perhaps one or more of us will not survive 2018. This was mentioned in the close of the "Naming Names" video (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-02-25</u>). Since time is fleeting, I will make every effort to reconcile with the three others before, like John Painter in the video, we take our last breath.

The brutality of ISIS is horrific, and the men who rescue some use cunning, deception, and a lot of money, often their own. While I believe they do a loving thing, my technique is very different. My reference is the Scripture. My effort is very open (Galatians 2:14). The Lord commands reconciliation (Matthew 5:24) and I will pursue that wholeheartedly. My effort will be bold and clear (Eph 6:19 "parrhēsia") with the full embrace of Acts 4:29. I already have had a taste of that when religious leadership sent the police to my door (consider all of Acts 4).

I took a 5 mile hike today to run errands and only just over an hour was travel time. Considering the way I walk, the way I eat, and my complete non-involvement with the medical community, I might easily outlive the other three. Considering what I do, that might not be true. However, I trust my life and my soul in the hands of a gracious Lord. I am far more willing to pursue love with boldness. This is the model I want to set before my kids.

If my wife wanted a man who could make a lot of money with computers, she did marry a man who could do that. But I also had additional goals. If my wife married a man who wanted to strive to know and follow the Lord, she might want to relook at the fellow she married. He is far less pursing the money, and far more pursuing the Lord. Perhaps she will find that attractive? Perhaps she will remember the commitment we made to each other? Perhaps someone will show her from Scripture that the state does not end marriage, but only death. I have tried. At this moment I am alive. I remain available to Dorothy-Jane Kozlowski only and for all the days of my life. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#318 – Thu Dec 28, 2017 – What I saw in the Old City of Mosel, the former headquarters of Abū Bakr al-Baghdadi, after the total devastation is someone rebuilding. Unlike the eastern part of the city, which includes Nineveh which has a large Christian community, and was less impacted, the Old City in the west is totally destroyed and is virtually universally Moslem. So if a follower of Mohammad is willing to rebuild after such devastation, what do you think a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ should do. I'm trying to rebuild a family. Others are welcome to join me, most especially my wife. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#317 – Wed Dec 27, 2017 – I wonder if I will be forgotten too. (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-19</u>)

#316 – Tue Dec 26, 2017 – This is some notes on my plans to let you know upfront. The videos mention: "Young Earth Creation" <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-25+1</u>
"Love, Cowardice, Boldness; A Waterboarding Offer" <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-17</u>
"Naming Names" <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-02-25</u> - <u>http://distinctivist.com/2017-02-25</u>

#315 – Fri Dec 22, 2017 – As has happened so often before a deal involving RapidRMS in the 8 figure area has been delayed as one party was removed from Wayne due to theft. I would rather press on with much smaller figures but in obedience to the Lord. In the same way I spoke to day with John Painter's widow, from the "Naming Names" video

(<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-02-25</u>). She is hurting and did say "you don't date do you?" Of course I don't date anyone but my wife as I remain a married man, by the Lord's definition and not the state or the Talmud. I want my kids to know that. I want my kids to follow the model that their dad is demonstrating in his attempt to communicate, reconcile, and remain faithful to his wife. Dorothy-Jane, your husband, me, loves you!

#314 – Thu Dec 21, 2017 – There is a real concern in me to prepare our kids to be known as the "Ugly American" and this image is again growing strong outside of the US. However, I am more concerned for them to live like a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ and than to be an American. I will continue to try for reconciliation in order to set that model before our kids.

I did mention the "Children of War" series I did and added a new link to yet another child today. The details are at <a href="http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Children\_of\_War">http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Children\_of\_War</a>. For whatever reason Syria has my heart, but I have kept watch on Mosul and Chibok. Back in May I spoke of Chibok and the release of some (<a href="http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-05-">http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-05-</a>. There was a particular man who I watch an interview with and really felt his joy with his daughter. If you look at him it is obvious he looks nothing like me, but watching the interview I saw a man who I feel confident is my brother. I desire to have a similar joy. I desire also to soon feel that same sense that my father-in-law in my brother.



#313 – Wed Dec 20, 2017 – I'm working out thoughts on how to make a constant effort to request individual responses to emails to our kids. I understand that they will be blocked, but the library will be online and I will point many to it. This is simply another way to get past the blockage to communications and reconciliation. I'm telling you this upfront since I want to demonstrate that I am not looking at you as an enemy, but the lady I love that I need to reach and reconcile with. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#312 – Tue Dec 19, 2017 – The voicemail is perhaps the most important yet. I'll let it speak for itself. But I will remind you that the man who loves you is not your dad, but me. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#311 – Mon Dec 18, 2017 – The "Happy Birthday My Lady - Broken Together" video has had a lot of interest and that fascinates me. Your dad's veiled threat via email to cut off even further communications is a disappointment, but unfortunately not a surprise. As I pointed out, I have become very public to get past the "Great Firewall of Lexington" to get to him, our kids, and you that there is a "broken hearted old man, basking in the grace of the Lord" who is pursuing reconciliation. I will not stop until my last breath.

A slight paraphrase of Daniel 3:17-18 "If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the furnace of blazing fire, or a broken heart, which is about the same thing; and He will deliver us out of your hand, O king and Great Firewall of Lexington. But even if He does not, let it be known to you, O king, that we are not going to serve your gods or worship the golden image that you have set up, or stop following the Lord's command to <u>reconcile with you</u>."

#310 – Fri Dec 15, 2017 – Eventually our kids will know more about my efforts to reconcile with you and communicate with them. It remains my hope that we will be celebrating with them a reconciled relationship rather than a refusal

# to do so. Let's demonstrate to our kids what the Lord's grace is all about and how it is demonstrated. Please offer a suggestion of how we can start.

#309 – Thu Dec 14, 2017 – This is really ridiculous. You might recall that I have nine kids, and they are the same as yours. I haven't spoken with them in over a year and you seem to be the barrier, in spite of the Lord's commands and also the state's. Please offer a suggestion how I can talk with my kids. I need to point them to the Lord, and His ways about reconciliation, obedience to parents, and marriage ends only with death. I love you. Please open the door to reconciliation.

#308 – Wed Dec 13, 2017 – Do you remember when you actually meant "I would love to call you back". Let's follow Jesus Christ and reconcile. Sound like a good idea. I'm willing. Are you?

#307 – Tue Dec 12, 2017 – The weather makes it a definite maybe, but there is hope that this weekend we will hike Big Frog Mountain. 5 miles out, ½ mile up, 5 miles back, ½ mile down. Sounds like fun. Anyone want to join us? Please suggest any way that we can open the door to my communicating with our kids. The Lord demands it. The state allows it. But you deny it. This is gone way beyond rational, or loving. Please offer some suggestions. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#306 – Mon Dec 11, 2017 – I remain so much in love with you and it is ripping me apart.

#305 – Fri Dec 8, 2017 – Happy Birthday My Lady! It is my hope and prayer that you have had a wonderful day and our kids especially brought you joy! My 92 second video has been received well by others, and I hope you find joy in it and still have a bit of love for the man who made it. <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-08+1</u> I love you, I love you, I love you!

#304 – Thu Dec 7, 2017 – It would be nice to know if Jack and been embraced or abandoned. I cannot embrace his deeds, but I will not abandon him and that was made clear to him. I think you will find that true about my attitude toward you and your dad. Dorothy-Jane, your husband loves you!

#303 – Wed Dec 6, 2017 – This is my last night in Ducktown. The Leonards return sometime Thursday. It has been a troubling week, but I still love you.

#302 – Tue Dec 5, 2017 – My Concern is growing. I don't know what to do yet to love you well, but I will continue to pursue reconciliation.

#301 – Mon Dec 4, 2017 – I thought I wouldn't call for a few days as I am in Ducktown for a few nights, however the dialog with Jack made it imperative. I had a conversation about the video titled "The person who loves you is not your dad it is me!" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-12-02+1</u>) and my emphasis on that was noted. It seems clear that it also applied to our kids. If we are to ever reconcile, it seems now is a good time to start. I love you!

#300 – Fri Dec 1, 2017 – I still love to hear your voice, even though it is now the same recording 300 times. It is still the woman I love and remain committed to.

#299 – Thu Nov 30, 2017 – I got you a birthday card today. It really hurt. I am so much in love with you and miss you intensely. Dorothy-Jane, I love you and remain committed to you alone for all the days of my life.

#298 – Wed Nov 29, 2017 – Please allow our kids to see the "Deceived by the truth" video that was sent to you. It is online at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-11-29+1</u> and public at <u>http://distinctivist.com/2017-11-29</u>. I'm really pleased with it. Please consider the offers of the books. I love you!

#297 – Tue Nov 28, 2017 – Now more than ever I find it an honor that someone would want me to use their truck to drive them to the dentist since their license is suspended. I am finding where I can give of me and the only return that they can offer is their friendship. In that I receive the greater gift and have found a joy that I never really knew.

#### The great concern of today was the email interaction with your dad. Please read it

(http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-11-28+1). Please remember our past as I was a pro-life activist. Remember that my focus was the truth as an act of love. I hope you remember that. What has happened is a maturing in me, and a greater understanding of who the Lord is, what obedience to Him is, and what it is to really love. Love does not let his wife think that turning to the state is OK, that the state's decree overrides the Lord, but that we remain bound as one. Your dad is dead wrong on this and refuses to address the Scripture that I contend is clear. It disgusts me that he points to a man who points to the Talmud and give it the same weight of the Scripture. Why not use the Quran too? He probably won't since at least the Quran honors Jesus Christ, while the Talmud considers Him burning in hell. I hope you understand my concern. I hope you will soon see that the man that loves you as the Lord commands is me, and not your dad. It remains my hope that he and I will still reconcile, but first we must seek the same Lord.

I remain with no other model than a broken hearted old man basking the grace of the Lord. Do you want to be "Broken Together?"

#296 – Mon Nov 27, 2017 – Perhaps a door has opened with your dad. I will pursue it fully. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#295 – Fri Nov 24, 2017 – I did celebrate Thanksgiving as a group of five, which is much better than alone. The review of last Sunday's email/video was interesting. I would like to share that with you as I have with others. Please allow me to repeat again that I will not stop my pursuit of reconciliation until my last breath, and I remain ever so much in love with you.

#294 – Wed Nov 22, 2017 – The Leonards have invited me to Ducktown tomorrow, so I might not be back to call. The gentleman who I picked up from prison last week is allowing me to use his truck for the drive as I still have no desire to acquire another vehicle. My continued striving to reconcile with you will continue unabated, as my love for you remains as strong as ever.

#293 – Tue Nov 21, 2017 – I was told today that "Sometimes you just need to let go" by Aunt Lauretta. As a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, I have not option to let go of my wife. Because of my love for her and our kids, I can't let go. I will attempt, until my dying day, to reconcile with all. Who is willing to be first? Dorothy-Jane, I hope it will be you! I love you

#292 – Mon Nov 20, 2017 – Because my effort to reconcile with you has been seen by many others, it was a high honor today to be told that another man thought it good to "love his wife like John loves Dorothy-Jane". It is seen by others. Perhaps one day, Lord willing, it will be seen and acted on by you. I do love you!

#291 – Fri Nov 17, 2017 – You have no idea how much I'm in love with you!

#290 – Thu Nov 16, 2017 – The visit from the representative from Wayne in Texas did come for lunch and we had sushi again with another ride in the Tesla. What it seemed like was a man sold out to the world. I'm afraid from the little interaction I have had with your dad and the lack of interaction with others, there is no difference in North Carolina, and my kids are being setup for a horrible existence. However, I am also aware of the Lord's grace. His grace is meant to be shared. I'm willing. Is anyone else?

#289 – Wed Nov 15, 2017 – My trip to Jasper, TN went well. Can anyone around you defend from Scripture that the Lord does not call someone to be put in prison? I want my kids to be able to do so. I want my kids to be willing to deal with people who are in prison. I want them to know how to love.

#288 – Tue Nov 14, 2017 – As mentioned, because I am picking up a gentlemen as he is being released from prison tomorrow, there may be a possibility that I will be late on my return, but probably not. This is just to let you know why I might miss the call tomorrow. The obvious question is would that be a relief? Dorothy-Jane, please give me a clue as to what I can do to communicate with you. I love you. You have said you loved me in the past. Is it still true?

#287 – Mon Nov 13, 2017 – Happy Birthday Walter! I do miss you. Today's voicemail did not record, but your happy birthday message did (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-11-13+1</u>).

#286 – Fri Nov 10, 2017 – Do you think about me at all anymore? I think of you only fondly. Please break down the barrier between us. I love you!

#285 – Thu Nov 9, 2017 – I spent some time today on the phone with Saurin as he was involved in installing a new store in Birmingham. It was a reminder. Dorothy-Jane, I still really love you!

#284 – Wed Nov 8, 2017 - I had an interesting ride in a Tesla today, but found all the more I have no interest in cars anymore. Walking is wonderful. Nirav, Saurin and I had sushi for lunch and it was great to be with Indian guys in a Japanese restaurant. They picked up from me a computer for the first store in Alabama, Birmingham of course, which is to be installed tomorrow. The afternoon also had an email from your dad. Please ask him to stop with the insults and let's act as brothers and reconcile first.

#283 – Tue Nov 7, 2017 – Yes, Mr. Cross, I made a mistake. I have apologized. Can we reconcile?

#282 – Mon Nov 6, 2017 – I did have some dialog with your dad today and he indicated that the source of the police visit to me, which I claim was simply an act of intimidation, was Chris Bitterman. This is discouraging that a man who assumedly stands before my family in Sunday morning proclaiming the Scripture does not live the Scripture. Should I point to Matthew 23 again? Feel free to inform Chris that I am indeed a threat to him; not physical, but with the Scripture which he seems to run and hide from. However, I still desire with him, as with your dad, to reconcile as brothers. You see, I remain a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, and will continue to pursue reconciliation with all these men, and the lady of my life. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#281 – Fri Nov 3, 2017 - Things have been a bit overwhelming in the last few days, so Gloria-Jane's birthday card was not sent until yesterday, but it was sent. She is still a 6-year-old in my mind since that is the last I saw her. I pray her 12th years is marvelous!

#280 – Thu Nov 2, 2017 – Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#279 – Wed Nov 1, 2017 – I was contacted by a representative of the state, or the "unrighteous" as 1Co6:1 terms it, and did the respectful follow up. No response has been returned. It remains my guess that this is simply intimidation since I don't think you can find a law that has been violated, and you have too much to lose if this goes forward. I am working on documenting this at <a href="http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Unrighteous">http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Unrighteous</a>. You also have been informed that I was on the radio in Chattanooga today and this was discussed (<a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WDQ36QcTEWo">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WDQ36QcTEWo</a>). However, you have a lot to gain if you consider 1Co7:11 and follow in what the Lord demands and I have asked for. My commitment to you is unwavering, and my desire to reconcile with you and your dad remains ever present. Please consider it. I suggest it would be good for you, our kids, your dad, and of course me. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#278 – Tue Oct 31, 2017 – An interesting day. It appears you, your dad, or someone involved with Meadowview contacted the sheriff to send the local sheriff to visit me to advise me to stop harassing my wife and the church, which I assume was Meadowview. There is a problem here, besides another ignoring of 1Co6. No written documentation was provided. The call I made to Detective Blake in Davidson County at 8:18 this morning was not returned. It is my current assumption that this is simply an attempt to intimidate since, as the voicemail indicates, there is little to stand on for the accusation. I'll be frank and let you know that I don't think you will pursue this more fully since you are the one in violation of the state's mandate that I can speak with my kids at least twice a week. Over a year of attempts to reach our kids does not seem in compliance with the state. Ignore the state, let's follow the Scripture. We are called by the Lord to reconcile, especially as husband and wife. Please lower the barrier between us. As to the institutional church, I will continue to take them to task with the Scripture, as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ is called to do. This is love, not harassment. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#277 – Mon Oct 30, 2017 – I want to talk with my now six-year-old son. For his entire year as a five-year-old you did not let me speak with him. WHY? I do love you!

#276 – Tue Oct 24, 2017 – The "cabin" we are scheduled to be at is called "Down by the riverside" (<u>http://www.blueskycabinrentals.com/property/down-by-the-riverside</u>). Not bad for free. It should be a few days of food, hiking, serious theological discussions, and probably a lot of laughs. I would rather do this with you. I probably will not call again until Monday. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#275 – Mon Oct 23, 2017 – The plan is for me to be at a cabin on a river from Wednesday to Sunday. I probably will not be making calls during those days. My love for you will remain during that time. I will probably be the chef for most of the time as my skill level has increased. I so much want to share that with you! Hungry? I love you.

#274 – Fri Oct 20, 2017 – Over a year ago I did "**For your consideration response**" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2016-05-</u>27+1). It was an act of love then, and my actions now are no different. Dorothy-Jane, my wife, My Lady, I love you! I will love you to my dying breath.

#273 - Thu Oct 19, 2017 - I want to talk with my kids!

#272 – Wed Oct 18, 2017 – Skype was down yesterday, so no call. I said in the voicemail "the model of love continues to pursue reconciliation." I like that thought. I am committed to it. I love you!

#271 – Mon Oct 16, 2017 – Obviously I am disappointed that you dad left the conversation again. I tried to give him a couple days to return, but since he did not, the conversation (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-10-16+1</u>), and a follow up video is online (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-10-16+1</u>). You know I will not stop because I love you and I am a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ who commands me to love you. Please open dialog. Please make a suggestion on how we can. I love YOU!

#270 – Fri Oct 13, 2017 – Emails with your dad continued today. I'm pleased he stayed on longer than before and hope it continues. However, as I spoke, I will remain relentless in my effort to reconcile. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#269 – Thu Oct 12, 2017 – The trip to Georgia went well yesterday. Then there is the email from your dad. I love YOU!

#268 – Tue Oct 10, 2017 – Nirav made a presentation today in Atlanta and did a superb job. I'm guessing he will be busy tonight and I will hear tomorrow. I might not be calling tomorrow as I am scheduled to be in Georgia and might not be back at a reasonable time. I love you anyway!

#267 – Mon Oct 9, 2017 - Why is the institutional church leadership with doctorates afraid to contend with the Scripture? Why doesn't your dad? Are they afraid of the Scripture or the Lord? The Lord commands reconciliation between brothers, why is this being denied when Scripture is presented? I sent a video to Walter and Zadok yesterday, "Walter, Zadok, be strong and courageous" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-10-08</u>). It is being kept from them? Do you want to protect them from the Scripture and the Lord? Are you being pointed to another gospel? I'm really concerned for my family and it is amplified by some of the responses I have received. As the video stated, I will respond in love. As a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, I have no other option. I wish that was shared. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#266 – Fri Oct 6, 2017 – First the sad news, my milk lady is retiring. When this week's supply is gone, I'm in a tough spot. The thought of using pasteurized and homogenized milk makes my stomach nauseated. – Second, the gas pump project is at a major threshold. Nirav is making a presentation in front of thousands on Tuesday in Atlanta, mostly investors. There is the concern of being swallowed up and discarded or tainted. My desire is to server the mom-and-pop shop, and not the corporate giants. I would rather walk away from this than be a corporate cog, which I contend is not love. I wonder if you would agree. I love you!

#265 – Thu Oct 5, 2017 – I cancelled the rent-a-car for this weekend. I'm pleased. I don't like to get into cars anymore. I again commented on "agonizomai", to struggle or contend. It is an act of love and I desire to do so with your dad, and of course you.

#264 – Wed Oct 4, 2017 – Again I ask for your suggestions on how we can open a dialog. It looks like I will have a busy weekend with a new store that uses a new brand of pumps. However, I still plan on sending my email. This time it will probably be Saturday for the email to have it in the hands of those who will be attending an institutional church. I love you!

#263 – Tue Oct 3, 2017 – I said what is necessary in the voicemail. Please offer suggestions on how to open dialog. I love you.

#262 – Mon Oct 2, 2017 – Think about the crowd you see on Sunday morning at Meadowview. Consider that the crowd that has received the "Challenge to Covenant Presbyterian Church" video is a good bit larger than that. I'm trying to break down the barrier between you and me, and between our kids and me. It is my contention this is consistent with Scripture, and there was a bunch mentioned in the video. Is there any error? Is anyone willing to point it out? If there isn't an error, then who are you serving? I'm not playing at this. The Lord's commands are clear, and reconciliation is at the top of the list. I'm seeing brothers, especially your dad. **I'm not you enemy, but the one who is fighting for you! I love you!** 

#261 – Fri Sep 29, 2017 – The voicemail mentions where I saw a bumper sticker with "I love my husband" on it. I also mention Chris Bitterman's sticker of long ago with "I love my wife". I don't have a car for a sticker, but I love the Lord. This is because the Lord has shown His love to me, and therefore I love my wife. So for both you and Chris, is your love base on circumstances, or the Lord? I love you, irrespective of you. I will not turn from you. I think you have known that to be true for decades. It is true today.

#260 – Thu Sep 28, 2017 – I am continuing to get emails since the list has been broadened. The recent ones have ignored what I write and simply offer innuendo. I will continue because love does not give up. I love you Dorothy-Jane.

#259 – Wed Sep 27, 2017 – Last Sunday a lot of the Cross Clan was added to the email list. More than one has responded. In general it seems like they could have been written by your dad. It is innuendo, but no one has yet address the Scripture I have set forth. Are they scared of the Scripture? If not, why have they not addressed it? If I am wrong, why aren't they like others who have corrected me from Scripture? Especially to your dad, if you claim to follow the Scripture, why aren't you living it? What I see is actions of cowards. It remains my prayer that my brothers will come to the table as the Lord states clearly, such as the often mentioned Matthew 5:24. Dorothy-Jane, My Lady, I love you, and I hope you see my fight for you and our kids will not abate.

#258 – Tue Sep 26, 2017 – Do you recall when you coined the phrase "Abortion of the heart"? Do you not see "divorce of the heart" being lived out? Do you not see that the Scripture is clear and the person who is trying to love you and defend you is me, your husband! Please remember from last year when I quoted: "Who really loves him, the one who will tell him the truth or the one who excuses it?" You can find it at: "Ethnic Gnosticism and the Gospel" (http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2016-03-22 and http://family.kozlowski.org/2016-03-22+4). I love you!

#257 – Mon Sep 25, 2017 - If I have ever produced a voicemail that summarizes things well, it was this one. I love you intensely! #256 – Fri Sep 22, 2017 – Two points were made in the voicemail. First, I remain 100% committed to you alone for the rest of my life. Even if you die, it is you alone. I want the world to know my commitment to you! Second, I am very concerned that our kids will soon find themselves in the tyrant country of the world. We are the Fourth Reich. I don't want them to embrace that. One day we will fall, and they may see it. As their dad, I want to prepare them to contend well in this world as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. Beyond question, since those around them are clearly afraid of following the Scripture, I will do what I can to proclaim to them the real Lord and not the institution charade that is set before them. I love them. I love you even more!

#255 – Thu Sep 21, 2017 – I consider myself officially a crazy person since I walked the Greenway again today. My week total is over 45 miles. I am preparing for the weekend email. I think I will start with point by point issues with your dad, because I am trying to reconcile with him as well as you. One of us is at the table attempting to follow Matthew 5:24. Why aren't others who claim the Lord Jesus Christ also there with me?

### #254 – Wed Sep 20, 2017 – I made some notes about my Greenway walks at:

<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Health,Greenway</u>. I am encouraged at my progress and am pleased to have a reasonable goal for the year, 5MPH, which is a bit more than last year's 4MPH goal. I think this will be doable. 6MPH may not be, but it can be something realistic but unlikely to pursue later. The point is I'm healthy and living my commitment to attempt to live to 90. I'm also living my commitment to you. I love you!

#253 – Tue Sep 19, 2017 – It was a joy to have my first direct phone call initiated by my reconciliation emails. This encourages me. Please look at the man you willingly married, he is still pursuing you and trying to shout that fact to the world! More of the world knows and they are willing to share it with others. – In case you are interested, I have been troubled for some time that I have been referring to the boy in the orange chair, and the beheaded 12-year-old. A while back I realized what I was doing wrong; I wasn't using their names. I do now! Omran Daqneesh, Abdullah Issa; human beings created in the image of God. <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-19</u>. The video is only 97 seconds. I think you might find that pro-life advocate in it.

#252 – Mon Sep 18, 2017 – The voicemail recording was started late, sorry. My Pseudo Marathon was great (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-17+2</u>). I hope you are encouraged. My broadcast email now includes a video. I hope you see I am taking this seriously and I am trying to reconcile. Please join me. I love you!

#251 – Fri Sep 15, 2017 – It might not have been a good idea to first review the "<u>Torture, Pastors, Elders, and</u> <u>Reconciliation</u>" video before I called. However, I have been thinking how to refine my strategy and sending the video this Sunday seems like a good idea. Again, I'm not playing at this. All I can surmise is that my wife has been deceived, my children have been kidnaped and are being indoctrinated in Christianity of the world. This concerns me. This is torture. I will respond in love. Contending from Scripture is love. Dorothy-Jane, I love you!

#250 – Thu Sep 14, 2017 – The mentioned video, "**Torture, Pastors, Elders, and Reconciliation**" is at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-14+1</u>. I hope you understand my point and see my love and the Lord's grace. I love you and remain fully committed to you alone. I'm not giving up.

#249 – Wed Sep 13, 2017 – A man who doesn't love his wife wouldn't pursue her like I pursue you. Please understand that I love you. I hope you know that by now.

#248 – Tue Sep 12, 2017 – The video mentioned in the voicemail is at <u>http://distinctivist.com/2017-04-30</u>. While it wasn't mentioned in the voicemail, I have spoken much of **Omran Daqneesh**, the boy in the orange chair, or the ambulance boy in Syria. I set before your dad a challenged based on RT's challenge to CNN (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Omran</u>). While obviously nothing has come of it, in the process I also wanted to know the name of the beheaded 12-year-old that I have mention frequently but did not know his name. He is **Abdullah Issa**. The image of him a few moments before he was beheaded in the back of a pickup truck is seared into my mind. Now that I know his name, he is also no longer just a photo, but a person to me; a human being created in the image of God. At least some of the execution party are funded by my government. You can tell your dad this is one of the litany of reasons I don't trust the government. We don't agree on this.

#247 – Fri Sep 8, 2017 – You were sent an email "What you win them with is what you win them to" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-09-08+1</u>). I think you will find it encouraging if we are indeed attempting to follow the same Lord. I was wrong on my pursuit of the world. I hope you will again take my hand as we pursue the Lord. I love you Dorothy-Jane!

#246 – Thu Sep 7, 2017 – This has been a day where there were many opportunities to encourage others. As has been my theme for a long time, encouragement is not "have a nice day, but be strong and courageous; follow the Lord!" I desire to do so with my family, and even your dad. One of my great encouragements is that I get to love you, even from far off. Dorothy-Jane, My Lady, I love you!

#245 – Wed Sep 6, 2017 – This morning I did perhaps the best video thus far, "Jim Cross and the least of these" (http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-06+1). I really want you, our kids, and your dad to watch it. I hope you can see that there is love behind it, for you, for our kids, and even your dad. Please don't reject my love. I dealt with a Mormon tonight and I could not help but think about Proverb 26:4-5 ("*Answer not a fool according to his folly, lest you be like him yourself. Answer a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own eyes.*"). I suggest this can be summarized by saying there is no way to win with a fool. I don't think your dad, or you are fools. I think you are misled. I think that pride is keeping you from communicating with me. I understand pride. It is ingrained in me. I am trying to shed it and I hope you can see that in the videos, emails, and voicemails. I am a foul man, but I am the one you married, and I remain here. Please break down the walls between us. The ones that are truly being hurt here are you, your dad, and our kids and grandkids. Please, let's talk. I have a lot of confession to do, but none about my love or commitment to you and you alone. I love you! – I'm sending a copy of today's email to a few of our kids. They need to understand that I am trying to love you! Let's love them together!

#244 – Tue Sep 5, 2017 – Please, Please, Please take careful note that I am not trying to belittle your dad but reconcile with him. Please read all of our email today and not just what you can find that looks bad (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-09-05+1</u>). Love contends (Lev 19:17). Contention needs to be done with gentleness and respect (1Pe3:15), but also it must be based on the truth. Your dad offered a reference that is not creditable, and I offer the Scripture. I want to share the Scripture with him, not innuendo. Perhaps we can do that together also! I love you!

#243 – Mon Sep 4, 2017 – Please consider "Jim Cross and the Hajj" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-09-03+1</u>). I hope you will find more love in that and obedience to the Lord and His Scripture than the email I got from your dad "Is Dorothy-Jane my wife, and adulteress, or dead?" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-09-04+1</u>). I love you, in spite of you. #242 – Fri Sep 1, 2017 – I'm grateful for the interaction since last Sunday, but disappointed that thus far it appears institutional church leadership, your dad, and you don't think I got Matthew 5:24 right, or they don't care. I can only guess since no one informs me. While a "theology hike" is scheduled for Sunday, you should still expect an email that evening. I love you and our kids.

#241 – Thu Aug 31, 2017 – A reminder from last Sunday's email: "However, be it understood that I am not playing at this, but making a vigorous and public attempt to communicate and reconcile." Expect another next Sunday. Perhaps we can dialog first. I remain ever so much in love with my wife!

#240 – Wed Aug 30, 2017 – I was a bit distracted today as I again attempted to show love toward another man, about a year my senior, who is in terrible health. This is Rick, who I mentioned on Aug 18. I see hope for Rick, perhaps in health, perhaps in family. What a joy to attempt to encourage that hope. Again this is the model I want to set before my kids. It hurts that they are shielded from it. -- There is some discussion going on, but not yet with family or church leadership. Salvo 2 is being prepared. I love my wife and children. I'm not going to stop trying to reconcile with them.

#239 – Tue Aug 29, 2017 – The recording is missing the beginning. Oops! A third installment of "Children of War" is online at <a href="http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-08-29+1">http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-08-29+1</a>. It is shorter than the others. I made offers and set a challenge for anyone to point out a single error in the three videos of my description of history, current events, and Scripture. Love would correct me where I am wrong. Am I wrong? – Dialogs are happening about the site. There appears to be at least one other person who is hurting. Shall we start the healing process?

#238 – Mon Aug 28, 2017 – By now you know directly or indirectly that a lot of emails were sent yesterday. Please lower the barrier between us, as our commitment to each other and the Lord we made 27 years ago stipulates. Perhaps a surrogate, such as your dad, would be willing to get on the phone with me to work out how communications can restart. As I stated in the email, I'm not playing at this. You know I will not try using the state or the institutional church, but deal directly with the people who have been involved in the past, which includes people in the institutional church. I contend this is in keeping with Scripture, which is in keeping with love. Dorothy-Jane, I really love you. My Lady, I love you, I love you!

#237 – Fri Aug 25, 2017 – The latest video from RT on "Children of War" again was a great joy. The saga, plus my input is at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Saga,Children\_of\_War</u>. I think I'm ready for this weekend. You should remember my pro-life effort were both bold and clumsy. I think you will find I am bolder, less clumsy, more solid on Scripture, and more intense on grace. I know that I am setting myself of for great joy or great heartbreak, but I also know that I can't stand still. I love you. I am so intensely in love with you!

#236 – Thu Aug 24, 2017 – My plans for this weekend are because I am in love with you. Please see it that way! I'm striving for a reconciled family, fully or partially. I love you!

#235 – Wed Aug 23, 2017 – "Naming Names" is now at <a href="http://distinctivist.com/2017-02-25">http://distinctivist.com/2017-02-25</a> in the <a href="http://distinctivist.com/Reconcile">http://distinctivist.com/Reconcile</a> area. I think it will grow. A brief glimpse of John Painter's drawings was included and it is my hope it is respectful to him. I took a 10 mile fast hike this hot and humid morning, but I have had three smoothies to finish my day. That was a delight.

#234 – Tue Aug 22, 2017 – I had another opportunity to encourage today. I so desire to do the same with my family, especially my wife. I'm going to try.

#233 – Mon Aug 21, 2017 – Yesterday's email, "Events and plans" is online at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/Email-2017-</u> <u>08-20</u>. I hope you see my love for you in it. Today the "Reconcile" video is now on Distinctivist at <u>http://distinctivist.com/2016-09-08</u>. I love you!

#232 – Fri Aug 18, 2017 – I did a video this morning, "Children of War 2" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-08-18+1</u>), because I was very encourage about what is happening to at least 3 kids in Mosul, Iraq. It was a great joy to practice what I proclaimed in the video and encouraged another man a few minutes ago. He is about a year older than me, but already has great-grandchildren that he has never seen. I proclaimed to him the Scriptural arguments for contending, forgiving and reconciling. I speak with this man often and usually see a dejected old man. Today I saw his eyes light up as we discussed reconciliation with his family. It was a great joy to encourage him in that way and see the life in him. Please pray for Rick.

#231 – Thu Aug 17, 2017 – It was busy but interesting today. A store in Chattanooga was seeing their pumps randomly being authorized with no one doing it. It latterly was the Russians. The commands came from Moscow. However, it wasn't malicious, but simply the Yandex web crawler, the Russian version of Google. A very small error on my part let them in. It was odd, but interesting. All is well now. I desire to find the cure for us!

#230 – Wed Aug 16, 2017 – I have had a bit of interaction with Jack and desire to know about him. I guess this is as far as it will go. I love him and you!

#229 – Tue Aug 15, 2017 – Do you remember when we shared a love for the Lord and each other? Please know that my love for the Lord and you has only grown stronger.

#228 – Mon Aug 14, 2017 – I'm back from the mountains and all seems to have gone well. The Leonards returned from Pennsylvania with an 81-year-old step-dad to allow him to live the rest of his days with them. This is a great model of love and I am so very glad that I could be a small part in making this happen. During the last weekend, I did a video "**Children of War**" (http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-08-12+1) that has had a significant impact. Then I asked the difficult question in "Are you my wife, an adulteress, or dead?" (http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-08-13+1). It was really hard to do that. You offer me no hope, but I still hope in the Lord. Our kids need to know that hope. Our kids will most likely find the appeals I have made via emails, videos, and the website, to reconcile our family. It is my desire they look back on that as a difficult time and celebrate our reconciliation. As I have pointed out in the past, what they may think and feel in the future if there is no reconciliation concerns me. I love them. Please let's love them together. Let's love them with the Lord's truth by showing our obedience to the Lord before them with love. Let's show them forgiveness. Let's show them reconciliation. Let's show them love!

#227 – Fri Aug 4, 2017 – I spent my first night in the mountains last night and about a week to go. I like the quiet, but I would rather not be alone. It would be a joy to have my wife with me. While I am comfortable, it is not my home. But I do this because that is what love does. I must repeat that this is the model I want to set before our kids. The photo is the long driveway with the house in the background. Please join me. I love you!



#226 – Wed Aug 2, 2017 – It is obvious that the firewall is not really doing its job but simply is off and letting nothing through. I am going to set before our kids a model of love and what it is to pursue reconciliation. I sent the video link today of what I did last year, and I should be doing the same tomorrow. I'll probably skip the call attempt as I should be spending the evening with friends who actually communicate with me. While I am in the mountains I will be finalizing my version of the 95 Thesis. The number will not match, but it is an attack against the institution that denies the Lord. The family site is on a separate server whose sole function is the one site. I am taking this seriously, as what is happening is offensive and cruel. I am going to respond in love and do so loudly. I know you won't look, but the volume of material already on the family site is very large. Your dad was sent an offer that he, as before, did not acknowledge. I am trying to reconcile with him too, but he simply refuses to review Mat 5:24, but rather define it in his way without challenge. So I press on to reconcile with him. My wife and kids are worth the effort. Please allow me to love you! I am doing this publicly so our kids have a role model of what it is to love.

#225 – Tue Aug 1, 2017 – The emails sent today will probably be the last before I send to the "Naming Names" list. I will probably keep you up to date via voicemails. There might be another dialog on the <a href="http://distinctivist.com/2017-07-04">http://distinctivist.com/2017-07-04</a> video as a follow-up to today's dialog. Perhaps you can share in a prayer for the Lord's blessing on the couple. While I am making a strong effort to restore my family, no hope is being offered by you or your dad. However, my effort is in obedience to the Lord and out of love for you. It has been my joy that our saga has been used by the Lord to encourage several others. I hope you will find joy in that. My effort will remain to restore all or part of my family. I will be thankful for any part. Consider what a blessing it would be if you were included in that. Your dad's silence indicates that he does not agree with my exposition of Mat 5:24. Obviously it is the Lord alone who is the final arbiter, but it will be set before others in keeping with 1Ti 5:20. As stated, my effort will stop with death. For the moment I will press in as an act of love.

#224 – Mon Jul 31, 2017 – One video was added to Distinctivist (<u>http://distinctivist.com/2017-04-27</u>) because it is a short message I want my kids to know about. Some information about the week's plans and the announcement of <u>http://family.kozlowski.org</u> are in the voicemail. I am going to push hard, because I love you.

#223 – Fri Jul, 2017 – If your desire is to rip me apart, you are succeeding. However, I remain ever so much in love with you. I'm spending about a week in the mountains next week. It would be great to do that with you. I love you!

#222 – Thu Jul 27, 2017 – I so much want to speak with you. I love you.

#221 – Wed Jul 26, 2017 – The video mentioned in the email is at <u>http://distinctivist.com/2016-03-12</u>, the "Do not compromise" from last year. Some streaming issues have been fixed and I am very pleased. Timing of the expanded

release is described in the voicemail. Having the photos with the videos does bring some life to the site. I hope you will find it useful and see the man who is trying to love you and reconcile with you! I love you.

#220 – Tue Jul 25, 2017 – The voicemail is a review of things, like Scripture, which I understand is not applicable in North Carolina. However, I remain follower of the Lord Jesus Christ, and as He commands I will contend for the faith, which is an act of love. The one I love the most remains my wife. Perhaps one day it will be noticed again. My love for you as a great as ever.

#219 – Mon Jul, 24, 2017 – I'm very pleased to report that the first video is now public on Disticintivist.com (<u>http://distinctivist.com/2017-07-04</u>). This is "Isaac - My Encouragement" which is already at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-07-04+2</u>. However, this is edited. You will find the link to the video is always present, and then things like verse quotes also appear. I'm pleased how it came out and would enjoy your comments. I did this one first because there is a young couple here that I am also trying to encourage. He is a bit weak, and as the Lord commands, I am trying to encourage him. It would be my joy if the Lord uses it in that way.

#218 – Fri Jul 21, 2017 – Operator error on my part, I pushed record at the end of the voicemail. So nothing is attached. However, I was again emphatic that I am pursuing reconciliation with my wife and children; that I will be relentless; and I won't stop until we reconcile or one of us is dead. I'm in good health, so I don't think that will happen to me any time soon unless it is inflicted. Tomorrow is the farmer's market, so a 6 mile hike on a rather warm day, but I will do it early. It would be a joy to do it with my family. The offer is there. I love you!

#217 – Thu Jul 20, 2017 – What happened to the love you showed me in the past? I still love you.

#216 – Wed Jul 19, 2017 – The voicemail has comments about the James White / Yasir Qadhi issue and questions about if I am a heretic in pursuing reconciliation? I follow the Lord of grace. Do you? I love my wife!

#215 – Tue Jul 18, 2017 – I know it will be difficult the first time someone answers the phone. Please email me about your thoughts on how we can make that happen. There is also some discussion on the James White - Yasir Qadhi dialog.

#214 – Mon Jul 17, 2017 – I did come up to speed with my new video editing tools and the July 4, 2017 video to Isaac has been edited as described in the voicemail. "Naming Names" and others will be next. I'm working on the layout for the public display on Distinctivist.com. I am making public the videos that may be useful to others, those I deal with directly and anyone else who would find them. Especially the ones on reconciliation, health, Syria, and Islam will probably be on Distinctivist.com in the next month. It would be great to have you a part of this.

#213 – Fri Jul 14, 2017 – Today's email dialogs were less than ideal. I'll leave the rest to the voicemail. I love you.

#212 – Thu Jul 13, 2017 – As I was preparing this I was listening to and singing along with "The Power of the Cross". It was a song that meant a lot to me in the summer of 2012 as my life had fallen apart. I actually sent an email to Stuart Townend, the lyricist, and got a response from a secretary, where I thanked him for the wonderful words and what it meant to me in a time of difficulty. It was an amazing day. It was a day to share. I'm sorry you were not a part. I'll leave the details to the voicemail. I do so very much love you!

#211 – Wed Jul 12, 2017 – As stated, it appears I must assume my wife and kids have been captured by a cult or cult mentality since the unwillingness to review the Scripture and try to follow it together is rejected. I am very concerned what it will be like for our kids when they grow up and find that their dad pursued reconciliation and their mom, willingly or unwillingly, refused. Five years of no serious conversation is past the point of ridiculous. I don't want to get to a year without speaking with my kids. The family site is being viewed. I'm guessing that will increase as announced to the "Naming Names" list, and all the more with the full list. Please let's not go there. I want a relationship with my kids, and right now they are kidnapped. I remain in love with my wife. It is time to fight all the harder for her. I love you!

#210 – Tue Jul 11, 2017 – I think of you with joy.

#209 – Mon Jul 10, 2017 – There are things to celebrate and things to pray for on the business front. It sure would be a joy to do this with my family. There was great insight offered from 20<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> century authors, and of course the Scripture during a long conversation yesterday. There has been a lot or correction and repentance in the last years as I hope I see more clearly what it is to bow before the Lord. This has been gained with much dialog. My family sits before a monologue and applies that same technique in their relationship with me. This is most unfortunate and not an act of love. I will continue to appeal in love for love.

#208 – Fri Jul 7, 2017 – We are at over 200 unanswered phone calls. If that were to change it will be hard. Do you have any suggestions or terms that would allow that to change?

#207 – Thu Jul 6, 2017 – An update was done to a previous video, "RT vs CNN 2" (<u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-07-</u> <u>06</u>). From that: "*Believe me, we won't let this go.*" I am trying to restore all or part of my family. Please join me.

#206 – Wed Jul 5, 2017 – The <u>http://Family.Kozlowski.org</u> site appears to have had issues with some of the videos. It has been updated. A video for Isaac is at <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-07-04+2</u> and I hope our other guys will find it helpful.

#205 – Tue Jul 4, 2017 – The Kierkegaardian dialectic that I mention can be read about at <a href="http://www.hccentral.com/eller2/part6c.html">http://www.hccentral.com/eller2/part6c.html</a>. I love you. I desire to share at the depth I had today with my family. Our kids are worth it.

#204 – Mon Jul 3, 2017 – I had a delightful conversation with a gentlemen from Mexico that has been an acquaintance for a few years. I am finding a much greater depth and joy in my attempts to love my neighbors as myself. Is this what you are trying to keep from our kids?

#203 – Fri Jun 30, 2017 – Please forward the birthday card to Tirzah. I still love her too. Please let me remind you again of the video "Preparing our kids to contend" <u>http://family.kozlowski.org/2017-06-29+2</u>. I hope you will find my love in it. As mentioned, we are past the tipping point. The family site is live and growing quickly. It is slowly being shared with others, and I plan on sharing it broadly as another attempt to reach my kids, and reconcile with my wife. This is a lot of wasted time and energy that could be much better spent on direct communications, which I contend (a loving word in Scripture that is apparently and offense to your dad) is obedience to the Lord and what love does. **Please join me in loving our family**.

#202 – Thu Jun 29, 2017 - It is really disappointing that your dad and I are not having a focused conversation, but scattered in different directions. I keep referencing Scripture without direct reply. When he brings up a verse and I dwell on it, he just moves on. This is not reasoning together, as the Lord models to us (Isa 1:18). He brought up George's surgery and my refusal to give consent. I stated I would not bring it up again. However, it if it being held against me, we can dwell there. Beside the blatant violation of parental authority, I think I can contend well that it was probably a wrong decision for the health of our son. Do we need to go there? There is a lot of work going into the family site. Since your dad is suggesting just moving on, and I can't, it looks like what has started must now be driven to completion and made very public. I stated that I wanted to avoid links in emails since that would start the web-crawlers. The site is at <u>http://Family.Kozlowski.org</u>. You have Google and Microsoft accounts. This email was scraped by them both.

#201 – Wed Jun 28, 2017 – My voicemail concluded with "take my hand and let's do this together". You might remember we did that a lot in the past. I'm still available. I'm still studying Gal2:14, and 1Ti5:20. Martin Luther used a single document hammered a church door, which apparently was a common practice at the time. You might remember that in 1988, and unnamed group pseudo-hammered (taped) messages to the door at Christ Community Church. They made the bulletin for several weeks. It was me who did the taping. Now I will use the Internet. I don't think the issues will make a bulletin, but they will reach a wider audience. If nothing else, perhaps "so that the rest may stand in fear" (1Ti5:20). I love you and am trying to breakthrough to you and our kids.

#200 – Tue Jun 27, 2017 – It is not clear what it will take to remind you that your husband loves you and seeks reconciliation as the Lord demands. You can see my love for you in the way I contend with your dad. Look at the recent videos and I think you will find solid arguments from Scripture with a focus on reconciliation and grace toward him. The response thus far has been limited to two two-sentence emails. This is not what I would call serious dialog. I don't feel any hope from you, but I will pursue you as long as I don't know the door is closed. Love does that. I will do what I can to break past the barriers to get to my kids. They are being taught the world and not Lord. I am going to try to change that. Again, that is what love does.

#199 – Mon Jun 26, 2017 – As we approach almost 5 years, it is time to become more relentless in pursuit of reconciliation. The family website is the tool that I will use. The audience has grown, which encourages me. Your dad actually responded twice in the last couple days. Only one sentence responses, but a response no less. Please lower the barrier between us. Allow me to speak to my kids. Let's show love, mercy, and grace between us. Let's set that before our kids. Dorothy-Jane, I love you, and I am not giving up on you!

#198 – Fri Jun 23, 2017 – I have been pleased at what is online and the response. So you know my plans, or at least desires, all of the videos that I have produced should be on the family site soon. There are a lot, so it takes time. The framework is now in place to allow grouping of things, such as by related person or subject, so they can be browsed. While I was previously considering it, there is no barrier to view the site, and all you need to know is the URL. I have not put it in email to at least postpone being noticed by web crawlers. However, it is being used and I am more than willing for it to be shared and actually have encouraged it. I was considering working on edited versions of some of the videos to put them on public sites this weekend, but now two hikes are scheduled, so it may be delayed. I am going to continue to push for reconciliation and the breaking down of walls between us. It is my hope your dad will consider being the first, and following the command in Matthew 5 that has been discussed frequently. I am planning to be louder in my proclamation of grace and reconciliation. It is my request that your dad, who claims the same Lord, will proclaim grace and reconciliation with me.

#197 – Thu Jun 22, 2017 – As you should be aware from an earlier email today, a whole lot of stuff is online for listening and viewing. I have asked repeatedly for years for communications and the response has been less than kind. It is my hope to proclaim reconciliation, as the Lord requires, and do so loudly, as the apostle Paul demonstrated. Please join me at the table.

#196 – Wed Jun 21, 2017 – The "First date plus 28 years" video is online. I am trying to be in the habit of adding at least one per day. Please feel free to share them.

#195 – Tue Jun 20, 2017 – I'm pleased that the voicemails are now showing up online. It may take a while as my plate is very full, but at least I will keep up with the new ones. Two videos are included, "Reconcile" and "Naming Names". The user interface needs a lot of work, but the two are there if anyone wants to download them. It should be clear that I am trying to push hard to reopen the door of communications. There should be no question that I am available. I ask for others to come to the table. This is what love does.

#194 – Mon Jun 19, 2017 – Last night I was delighted to hear Charlotte in the background, and converse with Julia and Isaac. The conversation with Isaac was good and frank. It is my hope to continue that and for the depth of conversation to increase. Isaac has talked about the role models that were set before him and how hard it is to do differently. This is what is being set before the rest of my kids. My desire remains to see that change. I'm at the table. Do you want to join me?

#193 – Fri Jun 16, 2017 – The US Army killed a father and 2 of his 12 children in Afghanistan today. Sounds a lot like what the institutional church and state has attempted with our family. However, we still walk the earth. Mercy is still available to us. Shall we accept it?

#192 – Thu Jun 15, 2017 – 28 years ago at about this time our lives changed as we share the first of many dates together. It was and remains a joy to me to consider those times. I really love you!

#191 – Wed Jun 14, 2017 – As I mentioned in the voicemail, I was able to offer encouragement in a loving way today and it remains a role model I desire to set before our kids. Don't you think that is a good idea? I love YOU!

#190 – Tue Jun 13, 2017 – It has been a busy day, including a 6 mile walk to the farmers market. It is a joy. It would be great to share. I still love you,

#189 – Mon Jun 12, 2017 – The website is online to hold all of our family video, audio, and emails. It is described in the voicemail for the reasons given in the voicemail. The site is live. I am thinking though a bit of layout and will probably have the voicemails online first. Then will come the videos. It will probably take a few days as I am going to try to make things easily findable by subject matter or person. As mentioned in the voicemail some of the videos will be on a more public site, like Kozlowski.org or Distinctivist.com. However, I will first edit them to include links in the video. In particular the "Naming Names" video will have the names dropped out. However, I will make an effort to promote that one in particular because the reviews I have share the idea that it is a good role model for reconciliation. I welcome dialog on this. I love you and will continue to pursue reconciliation.

#188 – Fri Jun 9, 2017 – As the voicemail described, I spent over an hour contending with a Mormon who attempted to argue from popularity while I attempted to argue from Scripture. He would often bring in an irrelevant subject, offer popular opinion, or simply belittle me. Through these experiences I believe I have matured in how I interact with people, such as my often quoted 1Peter3:15 "with gentleness and respect", and keeping the focus on the Scripture and the Scripture's author. I desire to prepare my kids for this as the world they are headed into is being prepared with "safe zones", but the requirements are to bow down to a non-God. The role model set before my kids is opposite to 1Peter3:15. This needs to change. Let's do so with love.

#187 – Thu Jun 8, 2017 - RT vs CNN. The attached video, the separate email and video, and this note should make it clear that I am pursuing reconciliation. The response continues to be silence. To be clear there are many videos that are generic and I plan to put on the Distinctivist.com site. Others, in particular the "Naming Names" video I think is helpful beyond our family and will first edit to drop out the name, but also put it online. To those involved and those who know my family, the raw videos should be available. Since I get no feedback, this seems the rational next step. Agreed?

#186 – Tue Jun 7, 2017 – The voicemail today described in detail how I feel. It appears I did not record it. Perhaps that was the Lord's gift. I will give it some thought and prayer. I remain a hurting man and see no love from those I love. However, it is clear I must respond in love, as I do believe I did in the voicemail. Love includes clarity. Silence is not clear.

#185 – Tue Jun 6, 2017 – Putin vs MSNBC – No email was sent. Voicemail is available

#184 – Mon Jun 5, 2017 – I sent a long email to a lot of people yesterday, and no surprise there was no response thus far. However, I remain hopeful. Perhaps it will be seen as coming from someone guided by James 5:19-20. I used the tank man analogy in the voicemail. Just as many years later the Chinese Communist Party still rules China, in years to come the institutional church will also remain just as strong. The objective is not to defeat the monster, but just like the home churches in China, to strive for obedience to the Lord and to do so with love. Perhaps one day we will share that.

#183 – Fri Jun 2, 2017 – Reconciliation is still on the table with you, your dad, and of course our kids. As I am now often saying, the Lord demands it, and I ask for it. I love you!

#182 – Thu Jun 1, 2017 – A characteristic of a cult is the refusal to contend on their reference, the Scripture. My family is in a cult, and for that I will contend. No matter how long it takes, as long as I am able, I will pursue reconciliation with any and all of my family, especially my wife. Love does no less.

#181 – Wed May 31, 2017 – I don't know if it was a technical glitch or a change of policy, but as you can hear there was no opportunity to leave a voicemail. However, it is attached. I will assume it was a glitch and try again tomorrow. You see, I still love you!

#180 – Tue May 30, 2017 – It was a great joy to walk for miles in the woods yesterday. Not only was the walk good, so was the talk as we encouraged each other to refine our understanding and following of the Lord. Why does that idea seem to scare you and your dad to the point you also shield our kids from obedience to the Lord to obey their parents, which includes me? I love you. Love includes correction. We both need it. It must start with communications. Please let's start!

#179 – Fri May 26, 2017 – Since there is no interaction, I want to make it clear that I am very concerned about how our children are being educated. Besides the obvious model set before them that the Scripture does not matter in particular cases, and it applies to state law also, such as my ability to communicate with my kids and remain involved in medical and educational concerns. As your dad would know that I would state, it appears my kids are being trained to be cowards groveling at the foot of the institution and not followers of the Lord. I continue to offer evidence. Shielding my wife and kids from me is not an act of love. Please lower the barrier. I am trying to love you all.

#178 – Thu May 25, 2017 – It was a great model of mercy and a willingness to offer and accept it today with the team in India. Why don't we practice it together? I remain willing. I love you!

#177 – Wed May 24, 2017 – I really want to reconcile with you, your dad, your brother, our kids, and anyone else. Why won't you let me?

#176 – Tue May 23, 2017 – I still love you.

#175 – Mon May 22, 2017 – Obviously I skipped Friday because it was a bit of a trial that day. The weekend was wonderful and I was encouraged to attempt yet again to reconcile with your dad. Thus far there has been no response, but I remain willing. The conversation I had today with a gentleman here was also wonderful and encouraging. Saturday Chris Prince commented about some of our interaction with others and he stated that he is not as outgoing as I am. I pointed out that this is not my nature, but is due to a willingness and an attempt to practice it as an act of love toward others. I saw the fruit of that this weekend and again today. Sharing grace is wonderful and I desire to do it with my wife, kids, and Jim Cross. It takes both parties. I love you.

#174 – Thu May 18, 2017 – After I left the voicemail I talked with Nirav. I told him that I might not be very available tomorrow due to emotional issues. He stated that he, being a workaholic, has noticed stress in his marriage and is making some effort to remediate that. Perhaps you would consider that also? I hope you got the package today and share the primary videos with our kids. I hope you also see the love that is in them. I might take another Greenway walk tomorrow morning. Since I have well exceeded my goal of a sub-hour walk in each direction, I think I might work toward walking a marathon. If I walk the Greenway three times, plus the walk to the Greenway, it is a bit more than a marathon. I will probably need to step into this a bit at a time, so perhaps one and half round trips tomorrow. Care to join me?

#173 – Wed May 17, 2017 – Besides the people mentioned in the voicemail, the plan for tomorrow is to make the next step to a meeting with a much younger man and take a serious look with him at the Scripture. His wife is endorsing this and knows that I'm not offering fluff, but an intense look at the Scripture. These opportunities continue to arise and I do seem to have built a reputation of someone who will contend in depth and graciously with the Scripture. Many run. Some have celebrated with me the joy of the grace of the Lord. I would like to do that with your dad. The widow of the man who died that I mentioned in the "Naming Names" video told me again how she took my advice and told her husband that she stands with him irrespective of him. Considering she is repeating that yet again a couple months after his death, I think it was a big deal. Perhaps we could share a similar joy and have time to live it. I love you!

#172 – Tue May 16, 2017 – The tablet was put in the mail today and you should have it Thursday. In particular I ask that you watch and share with our kids: "Kozlowski-2017-05-14;Mother's Day", "Kozlowski-2017-02-25;Naming Names" and

"Kozlowski-2017-04-29; Jim Cross Invitation". Perhaps soon you will see in them and in me how much you are loved by me.

#171 – Mon May 15, 2017 – I got a great photo of Charlotte today. It is my hope and prayer that you are enjoying her.

#170 – Fri May 12, 2017 – It remains my hope and prayer that the roses bring you joy well into next week and perhaps remind you of me, your husband, the one that is reaching out to you with grace. Would it be a remarkable blessing to our kids to see reconciliation lived out in front of them? I ask for that. I love you. Happy Mother's Day!

#169 – Thu May 11, 2017 – It was a wonderful day and I hope you would be pleased that I was the pro-life activist again and offered grace. I love you.

#168 – Wed May 10, 2017 – I'm now in a state of wondering...

#167 – Tue May 9, 2017 – Nirav was in Lexington today. Details in the voicemail. I love you!

#166 – Mon May 8, 2017 – Another conversation today, this time focused on eschatology and King James. However, my push was toward understanding Scripture to know how to be obedient to the Lord. In the same way attending Meadowview means nothing. Obedience to the Lord is what counts. Reconciliation is His command, and my request. Please.

#165 – Fri May 5, 2017 – One of the gifts the Lord has given me lately is to be extremely busy. I spend time with several men who are simply counting the cars that go by and effectively just waiting to die. The Lord has given me purpose, and for that I am grateful. Part of that purpose is to love those who count cars. Part is to work in defense of the mom and pop convenience stores. Part is to love my family. The first two seem to be readily accepted. The third currently has issues. Perhaps that doesn't have to be.

#164 – Thu May 4, 2017 – The India trip may be back on as it was discussed today. I still don't want to go alone. There is only one person I desire to go with me.

#163 – Wed May 3, 2017 – The normal offers are in the voicemail and a question of concern. I still love you!

#162 – Tue May 2, 2017 – An email and video exchange happened a few days ago between your dad and me. It appears that your dad was attempting a surface conversation, but as a follower of the Lord Jesus Christ I had to go a bit deeper in order to be obedient to the Lord and offer love to your dad in the form of offering truth from Scripture and an open hand for reconciliation. Thus far I have only received silence. I still pursue reconciliation with him and you. It required bidirectional communications. Until that happens, I will continue to offer my end. I still love you!

#161 – Mon May 1, 2017 – The store went online and had a few hiccups, but we seem to be doing fine. Another Tennessee store is supposed to go online next week and perhaps some in Florida very soon.

Sunday morning was also a great joy in that I started at about 7am and made my 10 mile hike, including the 8.4 miles on the Greenway and I did make the goal of less than an hour each way. It appears I am very healthy now. I hope you find that good news. It would be great to share, as it was and remains my commitment. I still love you!

#160 – Fri Apr 28, 2017 – The store down the street from Covenant Presbyterian is to be installed this Sunday, after an almost three week delay. Even now all the equipment has not arrived, but we are doing it anyway. Some details are in the voicemail. It would be great to share it with you. I still love you!

#159 – Thu Apr 27, 2017 – I talked with two women today with varying degrees of joy in their marriage. The common issue is a husband who is unwilling to communicate with his wife. Have you notice that the opposite is true in our case. Would you please open the door of communications with me! As I have pointed out repeatedly, the Lord demands it and I request it. Please! I love you!

#158 – Wed Apr 26, 2017 – I expressed my concern about the health of my family and shared the joy of my own. It would be nice to do so directly. I do love you!

#157 – Tue Apr 25, 2017 – Back in January I offered George \$200 but he did not take the offer. I said I would otherwise use it for myself, but I didn't. However, the M-Audio speakers that I have had for a long time finally bit the dust. One afternoon I was hearing what I first thought was hail and then almost loud knocking at the door. It was the amplifier in the speakers saying goodbye and offering a fragrant aroma. My friend Chris took me to the Guitar Center in Chattanooga to get new ones, and they were out of stock, but were ordered. They arrived here today and it really brings joy to have good sound. The first song played was "In Christ Alone" from the Oak Mountain rendition. It was great. Perhaps I will do "Broken Together" soon. Perhaps we should listen together? I would enjoy that!

#156 – Mon Apr 24, 2017 – In order to allow our kids to know that their dad is trying in any way he can, I have started to record the voicemails. I understand you delete them without listening. Perhaps others will be interested. I welcome reconciliation, and I am trying to open the door.

#155 – Fri Apr 21, 2017 – A reminder that I sent a video that I did and linked to a video: "'My heart is broken': Survivors of evacuation massacre on blast aftermath" <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mr\_B2uUDRD4</u>. The email included a photo from the video that reminded me of Tirzah. I still love my family.

#154 – Thu Apr 20, 2017

#153 – Wed Apr 19, 2017 – Life has become very busy. Nirav sold 7 new stores this week, and is working on a contract for 800. That would be a living. Do you want to join me?

#152 – Tue Apr 18, 2017 – Today was very busy. I had an unexpected visit from a friend with health issues. My attitude about this is a bit different than before since the last time something like this happened some weeks ago, that person died. This was the impetus of the "Naming Names" video I sent in February. There was no response from North Carolina, but there was response. I still desire to share the Lord's mercy and grace with my family. I remain available, and the offers made in the video stand.

#151 – Mon Apr 17, 2017 – Your absence in my life is really hurting today. I have no idea if you are also hurting or finding joy in the circumstances. Please let me know.

#150 – Fri Apr 14, 2017 – I miss you all the more today. I wonder if you miss me.

#149 – Thu Apr 13, 2017 – As mentioned on the voicemail, the equipment was ordered today for the store on East Brainerd. This concerns me because of proximity. I would love to talk to you about it. I would simply love to talk with you. I also watched the "Broken Together" music video again. Would you please consider it with me!

#148 – Wed Apr 12, 2017 – Your next payment was scheduled today for next week. Is that all I mean to you now? All I can offer is forgiveness to you. Do you want it?

#147 – Tue Apr 11, 2017 – Since I can only assume that you did not hear the voicemail of today, the funds I sent to Isaac and Julia, instead of making the trip there, were returned today. Julia closed her account and therefore the funds were returned. It was very encouraging to hear that their joining of funds is just one more outward indication that they are one. Do you remember those days? I was asked to reconsider the trip. It is ripping me apart.

#146 – Mon Apr 10, 2017 – Obviously we are well beyond ridiculous in unanswered phone calls. Therefore I will amplify my efforts to reconcile my family as described in the attached video. I welcome dialog on options.

#145 – Fri Apr 7, 2017 – Please let Susanna know that I was thinking about her today and miss her. I hope she got her card. I love her and desire to hear from her. She needs to know that.

#144 – Thu Apr 6, 2017 – You might have notice that the voicemails I am leaving are a bit longer than simply my request to speak with our kids. For well over two decades I have intensely enjoyed our conversations. It seems the only thing I can do is to leave you a voicemail that you delete. Irrespective of you, I still love you, as commanded by the Lord and because I still think you are gorgeous! The message got a little extra long and I got a beep, so I don't know if I was cut off. Let me remind you of the conclusion: I still love you and pursue reconciliation. You might have heard this from me before, once or several hundred times. I want you to know, without doubt, that I am pursuing reconciliation with you. I want our kids, now and in years to come, to know their dad is and will continue to pursue reconciliation with you. I want those around you to know that I am pursuing reconciliation with you. I don't know how you and those around you explain to our kids and each other how you and those around you reject reconciliation in defiance of the Lord's command. <u>I again set before you the option that remains, let our future be where we can both stand before our kids, and the world, and demonstrate how after a long gap, mercy prevailed and reconciliation occurred. Will you please, for our kids, for you, and for me, pursue that with me!</u>

#143 – Wed Apr 5, 2017 – Buy the grace of the Lord, I'm still here, I'm still pursuing reconciliation, and I remain open to you, our kids, and extended family. Any takers?

#142 – Tue Apr 4, 2017 – The day started early and has been busy. In all of it, I still love you and miss you. Please, let our kids speak with their dad. Let them fulfill Exo 20:12 and Eph 6:1. Or does that no longer matter to

you? Unfortunately the answer is clear. However, just as I have received the Lord's mercy, I pray His mercy will be shown to you and our kids. My door remains open to you all.

#141 – Mon Apr 3, 2017 – I heard from Julia and things seem to be good with Charlotte, or as I continue to suggest, MY Charlotte. I hope you will find joy and be a great support to our new grandchild. I love you still!

#140 – Fri Mar 31, 2017 – We are looking good for the show next week in Texas at Wayne. People are traveling tomorrow and Sunday, bringing a booth and a bunch of equipment. I will be here and keeping my eye on things online. I am well aware that we could have another event like ITMA in 1991 where technically we showed well but backroom issues and innuendos did not help us. Our competition offer gas stations equipment for several thousand dollars. Our offering runs on a \$100 router. The replacement rate domestically is over 10,000 units a year. Time several thousand dollars, there is a lot of money to lose if the gas stations no longer have to make that purchase. Do you think the competition will play fair? Remember, when you build a better mousetrap, you competition will disparage, regulate, and crush you. Please keep us all in your prayers.

#139 – Thu Mar 30, 2017 – As in the past when I attempted to outdo the technical prowess of large corporations, there were huge breakthroughs this week. More demos come tomorrow and the big show in Texas starts Monday. There were some serious challenges, but by the grace of the Lord, they have been overcome. However, I celebrate that alone. I still love you. Perhaps you would consider praying for the remaining few days of preparation going well.

#138 – Wed Mar 29, 2017 – Would you please tell me specifically what I can do to get you to answer the phone! Please remember that those young people around you are my kids too! I love them almost as much as I love you!

#137 – Tue Mar 28, 2017 – I've had an exhausting day, but I still love you. Please answer the phone!

#136 – Mon Mar 27, 2017 – I'm guessing the video I sent to Isaac and Julia last weekend brought relief to my family and extended family. Well perhaps all, but Isaac and Julia. I did get an encouraging response from both of them. I desire to share encouragement with you. Would you please let me!

#135 - Fri Mar 24, 2017 - I really miss you. Do you remember when that mattered?

#134 – Thu Mar 23, 2017 – I still think about how you told me that your mom challenged you before we started dating that you needed to be willing to commit fully. The impression you left is that you did. The reality is otherwise, but then we both have had our failings. Please consider the idea of offering each other mercy. I hold nothing against you. Please open the door of communications with me! I still love you!

#133 – Wed Mar 22, 2017 – Please let ErikaLeigh, or I guess it is Erika, know that her dad did wish her a happy birthday. I have no idea about her life now, but do continue to pray for her, Brent, and Leo. A card was sent to the PO Box.

#132 – Tue Mar 21, 2017 – Please remember that I have been trying and been open to communicating with you and reconciling with you for almost 5 years, but there is nothing similar from you. You say that you are trying to protect our

kids. Are you protecting them from following the Lord's commands? Are you protecting them from their dad trying to proclaim that reconciliation is the Lord's command?

Luke 12 starts with "<sup>1</sup>In the meantime, when so many thousands of the people had gathered together that they were trampling one another, he began to say to his disciples first, "Beware of the leaven of the Pharisees, which is hypocrisy. <sup>2</sup>Nothing is covered up that will not be revealed, or hidden that will not be known. <sup>3</sup>Therefore whatever you have said in the dark shall be heard in the light, and what you have whispered in private rooms shall be proclaimed on the housetops.

<sup>4</sup>"I tell you, my friends, do not fear those who kill the body, and after that have nothing more that they can do. <sup>5</sup>But I will warn you whom to fear: fear him who, after he has killed, has authority to cast into hell. Yes, I tell you, fear him!"

I'm afraid you and our kids are trying to be part of the "thousands of the people had gathered together that they were trampling one another". Why don't we all fear the Lord instead? Remember "fear" is "phobeo", which meaning includes "to reverence, venerate, to treat with deference or reverential obedience". Why don't we together proclaim reconciliation from the housetops? Why don't we show our kids that obedience to the Lord is not based on institutional schools, institutional medicine, institutional churches, institutional sports, **but love**!

The message to my family is currently being hidden, but you know in time it will be revealed that the dad wholeheartedly pursued reconciliation. Please let's let them also celebrate that the mom did too!

#131 – Mon Mar 20, 2017 – I'm still here. I'm still trying to reconcile with all, including both Jim Crosses, my kids, and my wife. The Lord commands it. Anyone else willing?

#130 – Fri Mar 17, 2017 – As Charlotte's debut approaches, please encourage both Julia and Isaac. Encourage them to stand together. Encourage them to trust the Lord rather than institutional medicine. Encourage Isaac to love and protect his wife and child and remember he is in charge and not medical staff. Encourage them both to be wise and loving.

#129 – Thu Mar 16, 2017 – The important part of the voicemail today is that whenever you are ready to communicate with me, I am here. There are no barriers setup by me. Feel free, and I will do what I can to work with you. I think you already know that. I love you!

#128 – Wed Mar 15, 2017 – I was both encouraged and discouraged by the interaction with your dad today. I was encouraged that he did communicate with me. I was discouraged that we continue to talk past each other. I challenged him on his following of the Scripture and he appears to take it as a question of his salvation. That was not implied. Unwillingness to contend on Scripture suggests the serving of a false god, but it also can simply be a weakness, like we all have, to not address Scripture head on. Again I would point to the "Naming Names" video as a confession of that weakness in myself and the joy of being challenged by Scripture as an act of love. I remain desirous of that. I do believe if your dad will come to the table and pursue reconciliation with me, as I often point out is the command in Matthew 5, it will be a great joy for all and may lead to much celebration. Reconciliation requires serious dialog. Stating that the other party does not listen, while that other party has produced a lot of emails and videos showing the opposite does not show a willingness to follow Matthew 5. But as I have been slow on things and then repented, perhaps we can all do more of the same together.

#127 – Tue Mar 14, 2017 – Would you please let me know what I can do to open the door of communications with extended family, our kids, and you?

#126 – Mon Mar 13, 2017 – Since you probably did not hear the voicemail today a new store was agreed upon today. I am nervous about it since it is a mile east of Covenant Presbyterian Church. I hope you also celebrate with me the photo of Julia that I sent yesterday. The attached video explains a bit more. I still love you!

#125 – Fri Mar 10, 2017 – The phone call I was on before I called you was in reference to a demo of RapidRMS controlling Wayne pumps in 3 weeks. I was informed that they paid the \$20K to be there and all that is left if for me to deliver. It is remarkable that others have enough confidence in me to invest that kind of money, but my family won't even invest in a phone call. Perhaps there is a consistency here that the call of money is louder than the call of the Lord. I still love you.

#124 – Thu Mar 9, 2017 – As I said in the voicemail, I know that the first call will be difficult and there is probably a lot of nervousness about it. Please let's offer each other grace and speak with love. I remain willing. Also as I said, reconciliation is the Lord's command and I will not back down from it. It remain on the table. That is what love does.

#123 – Wed Mar 8, 2017 – I still like hearing your voice. Would you please share it with me directly!

#122 – Tue Mar 7, 2017 – My call was late tonight as I was on the phone preparing for a conference call tomorrow. You should remember when we were in Europe how much a phone call cost us. Now we spend hours in conference calls between Tennessee, Georgia, and India. For our kids this may seem like nothing out of the norm. I sure would like to expose them to the wonder of speaking with people on literally the other side of the world. I would like them to have an idea of not only the language issues we face, but the cultural ones. Our world is full of hate toward those who are different than us. Please allow me to demonstrate to them how to love others, especially those not like us.

#121 – Mon Mar 6, 2017 – I heard tonight from my friend Chris that he had a conversation with his granddaughter and she said that her parents are going to live together again. There has been some issues between them and divorce papers were filed twice, but again it appears mercy is being applied. They don't celebrate Christ in a real way, but still have that mercy. I thought we do celebrate Christ. I thought those around you celebrate Christ. Why am I the only one pursuing reconciliation? I remain unwaveringly committed to pursue reconciliation, because I celebrate Christ, the real one, Kurios, Yahweh, not the artificial thing found in the institution. Would you please join me in that! I still love you!

#120 – Fri Mar 3, 2017 – There was a time where we shared the idea of following the Lord and proclaiming to our kids to do the same. Clearly that is not shared today, but it remains my hope it will be shared again. Please review with them Exo 20:12, Deu 5:16, Eph 6:1, Eph 5:33, 1Co 7:11. I love you!

#119 – Thu Mar 2, 2017 – I'm a bit discouraged. It would sure be great to speak with you. I still love you.

#118 – Wed Mar 1, 2017 – Yes this hurts.

#117 – Tue Feb 28, 2017 – I do pray that one day you will know how much you are loved by your husband. At least one child does.

#116 – Mon Feb 27, 2017 – I still love you.

#115 – Fri Feb 24, 2017- I made a 10 minute video on Feb 22 that I suggest was a credible challenge to my family and extended family. Thus far only one response. I would be more than welcoming of others. Should I make it public beyond our family?

#114 – Thu Feb 23, 2017 – I was a bit late tonight because I spent almost an hour with a gentleman who is a couple years older than me but in poor health. My focus and my goal was to encourage him, which is a remarkable change in me compared to what you might remember. I have studied 1Peter3:15, the "gentleness and respect" part, and have made a concerted effort to put it into practice. I would like to try this with my family. Please be willing!

#113 – Mon Feb 20, 2017 – There has been a lot of pressure over the last many days as well as the ripple effects of several deaths. I could really use a hug from my wife. I am scheduled to travel again tomorrow, so I probably will not attempt to call. Please let me know when we can actually talk!

#112 – Fri Feb 17, 2017 – There have been many events in my life over the past week and more than one today that I would love to share with you. Beyond my ache to share me with you, I so very much miss you sharing you with me. I no longer know any of the simply joys and struggles of your day, let alone the major issues. I am here and remain ready to resume some or all of the relationship we committed to the Lord we would do all the days of our lives. I love you!

#111 – Thu Feb 16, 2017 – Please remember that those kids around you are also my kids. I desire to speak with them. Would you please let me know how that can be arranged? I still love you!

#110 – Wed Feb 15, 2017 – As I said in the voicemail if no one will inform me of what to do to reconcile with you then I can only guess. My source if the Scripture and that is what I am trying to follow. Please help me understand what to do!

#109 – Tue Feb 14, 2017 – Happy Valentine's Day. I still love you!

#108 – Mon Feb 13, 2017 – I had an interesting weekend including the sharing of a meal at the home of a Hindu family. These are the kinds of experiences I would like to share with my kids to prepare them for their future. Having a solid trust in the Lord and some understanding of the Scripture made the evening both comfortable and a delight. Then I returned and the following day I found out the death of a friend from his wife. I sent an email about this. These are the times it would be wonderful to have my wife at my side.

#107 – Thu Feb 9, 2017 – I will be out of town for a couple days so I won't plan on making calls. I love and will continue to pursue reconciliation in obedience to Christ, and out of love for you and our kids.

#106 – Wed Feb 8, 2017 – You really don't know how much I love you.

#105 – Tue Feb 7, 2017 – I take by assumption that you do not share in the mutual love we committed to. Please know that I still love you.

#104 – Mon Feb 6, 2017 – I got the video from Julia with Charlotte moving in her belly. It brought me joy and I hope you share that. I love you. I desire to love Charlotte with you.

#103 – Fri Feb 3, 2017 – I really don't understand if the issue is money why what was sent is returned, and what other was offer is ignored, yet I remain bad in your eyes. I'm still here and still, in obedience to the Lord, seeking reconciliation. I love you!

#102 – Thu Feb 2, 2017 – I'm still here. I'm still trying to reconcile. Please consider it. I love you.

#101 – Tue Jan 31, 2017 – There was a bit of hope when your dad responded to me, but as is the norm, the Scriptural arguments I presented did not take hold. I'll keep trying. That is what love does. I hope you will one day soon share that.

#100 – Mon Jan 30, 2017 – I'm not really surprised, but I am disappointed that we are now at 100 unanswered calls. Since you hung up on me Thursday I have been struggling all the more. I heard you directly for a moment and even that second and a half was a joy to me. I'm not going to give up. I love you! Did you expect anything less from the man you married?

#99 – Fri Jan 27, 2017 - Genesis 2:18 "It is not good for the man to be alone;" I'm really feeling that right now. I still love you!

## #98 – Thu Jan 26, 2017 – It was an amazing moment to hear your voice directly for just two words. <u>Do you really hate</u> <u>me that much</u> that you would so quickly hang up on me? I guess we will simply call this another of the unanswered calls. I still love you and will pursue reconciliation with you and our kids, or at least some of you.

#97 – Wed Jan 25, 2017 – Please check your PayPal account as there is \$100 for Jack. I'm assuming you will keep me wondering if George got the card, and the offer for \$200. I did not use any for myself, as originally planned. \$100 was sent to Jack to show that I want to take seriously returning to him the funds. The other \$100 will go as two gifts to others. I still love you and am pursuing reconciliation with all or any part of my family, most notably my wife!

#96 – Tue Jan 24, 2017 – Since it is George's birthday and there has been no response I will take that as a decline of my offer for \$200. However, I am left wondering if it is because of George or if the offer was kept from him. Would you be willing to let me know?

#95 – Mon Jan 23, 2017 – Please remember the offer made to George. So it will not hang over my head perpetually, I did put a time limit of tomorrow and it remains my desire that he will follow through. <u>Does he know?</u>

#94 – Fri Jan 20, 2017 – I'm assuming George has his card. I'm assuming you have the response to your email to me. I welcome dialog. I love you and will continue to pursue a reconciled family, fully or partially. I pray you are a part of that reconciliation! I love you!

#93 - Thu Jan 19, 2017 – It was encouraging to receive an email from your dad yesterday and you today. Both were responded to. The responses solicited dialog. Would you please consider it? I love you!

#92 - Wed Jan 18, 2017 -

#91 – Tue Jan 17, 2017 – I had an hour long conversation with Jack today. It is my desire to love him well, and I would very much welcome doing that together with you. Would you please consider it? George's card did go in the mail today. It includes the \$200 offer to him. The offer is dependent on his response. Please allow him to make the response. I do love you and miss you!

#90 Mon Jan 16, 2017 – There was a long delay before your voicemail began and then it was in the middle. It gave me hope that I would hear a live voice, but alas not. Please note that there is an offer before George. It would be great to get a response soon.

#89 Fri Jan 13, 2017 – The message I left stated that I have something for George and plan on putting it in the mail this weekend. We hope to have another "theology hike" tomorrow. Who needs pulpit and pew? You are invited. I really like you and will continue to heal our relationship.

#88 Thu Jan 12, 2017 – It was a long day. We brought a new store up yesterday and had problems. The same problem showed up on a store that has been running for months. The problem was obvious, but because it was obvious, I couldn't see it. The problem between us is obvious. Perhaps dialog will help us see it. Please consider it! I love you!

#87 Wed Jan 11, 2017 – I was pleased to receive an email from you today. Even in those few words I still see your tone, the tone I miss so much. I hope you see in the response to you and the response to your dad that I am pursuing you wholeheartedly, and with love and grace. Please lower the barrier between us.

#86 Mon Jan 9, 2017 – Nirav returned from CES in Las Vegas and we were on the phone until about 7:30, so that is why I was late. The results of his trip brought up some questions that I desire feedback on. The question is in the attached video and I welcome anyone's response.

#85 Fri Jan 6, 2017 – My assumption is that you don't listen to my voicemails. I also assume you won't watch the attached video. However, I still love you and remain available to you and you alone.

#84 Thu Jan 5, 2017 – I guess you still don't understand how much I still love you, miss you, and am striving for a restored family. Please share that goal. It is what is required to love our kids and the Lord. Don't you agree?

#83 Wed Jan 4, 2017 – I see pictures of you and our kids often throughout the day. Would you please consider sending more! I think they are a bit older than I remember. I also would like to see you again. You have my heart.

#82 Tue Jan 3, 2017 – I hope the video I sent today makes it clear that I am trying to meet the promise I made to you to be there for you always, and that I found a lot of joy today. It would make my joy complete to share this with you and our family. I am asking again for it because I really love you!

#81 Mon Jan 2, 2017 – Even if you never want to see me again, would you at least consider reconciling with me? I remain so very much in love with you!

#80 Sat Dec 31, 2016 – It is the last hours of the year and there was a hope in me to speak with any one of my kids before the year ends. My wife said no. Bummer. I will try again next year, which isn't much of a wait now. I love you, and I love our kids.

#79 Fri Dec 30, 2016 – Last year in October my calls started going unanswered. It hurt so much that after a while I gave up for the rest of the year. My discouragement level was so high that I even questioned if I would survive to the end of the year. Well the end of 2016 is now at hand. There have only been a handful of calls this year with some of our kids. I brought up reconciliation in the last call and it seem that was the offense. However, this time I have kept up my attempts to call with the mindset that love will not give up or walk away. 79 straight calls going to voicemail and ignored, but I continue to try.

It is my desire to set before my wife and kids a model of grace, perseverance, grace, love, grace, reconciliation, grace, and a whole lot of grace. What is in the heart of those who reject grace?

Julia and I had a delightful email conversation today. Part was in reference to Isaac, my son-in-law, whom I love like my other sons. Let me quote a paragraph:

The second issue is that he has been willing to communicate openly with me. I have reached out to Brent and my other biological kids, but the response is silence. I'm afraid it is hereditary since Jim Cross, Sr. states that he wants to reconcile with me but is unwilling to communicate. The polite way to say this is that it is a non sequitur. What we find in Scripture is "pseustēs" or liar (1Jo 2:4). It seems his kids, specifically Jim Jr. and my wife, follow in his footsteps and they are leading your siblings in the same way. This really hurts and I don't want my kids to see this model before them, but there seems little I can do.

My assumption is that things will be said there why I am wrong, but no dialog will occur, which I suggest proves my point. I contend the Scripture demonstrates that the elect contend, the cowardly take there ball and run home. The run model set before my kids by those around them. The contend-model is what I am setting before them or you. Contention is an act of love. Christ demonstrates that. James 5 ends with that. I am trying to live that. Contention is not an effort to prove that I am right, but to pursue together the truth. Anyone willing?

Please remember the evidence I presented, that I am happy to review, is that what was set before us at Covenant Presbyterian, Meadowview, and extended family is the work of a cult. Denying the clear commands of Scripture, denying even denominational doctrine, keeping those who would address you with Scripture from you, ignoring questions, and shunning is clear evidence that their lord is not the Lord ("kurios", "Yahweh"). My concern has little to do with them, but with you and our kids. The Lord's command to you is clear and starts with reconciliation. Pushing away the man you committed your life to says to the Lord that your ways are better than His and gives license to our kids to follow in your footsteps. I think you know this is not a good idea. This is not loving to our kids, but a delusion.

I love you. I love seeing your face and hearing your voice. I love the warmth of your hand in mine. However, right now I remain in a battle. The family I love is under attack by deceivers and now is not the time for polite platitudes, but for contention. Remember the model we see in Scripture. The disciples were timid and afraid all the way up to the resurrection. Once they went through the trials, grief, and abandonment of Christ at the crucifixion and saw the

resurrected Christ they became bold as a lion. While I wasn't there, in many ways I have lived a lot of similarities. I was timid, I abandoned Him when you left me and I had nothing, but then the Lord showed His grace to me. Like the wimpy apostles who became uncompromising followers of the Lord, there has been a radical change in me. I don't pursue the world like I did with you. I seek to know all the more Christ and Him crucified (1Co 2:2). I contend with others, not to get them to see me, but to seek with me the Lord and His ways. It is full of grief, but the subtle joys along the way make it all worth it. This is the model I want to set before my wife and kids. I want to remind our kids that the Lord's promise to His elect is tribulation (John 16:33), persecution (2Tim 3:12), and Him, with emphasis on Him!

There seems to be two kinds of people in the church, the wide-road-Christian, and the elect. Or the cowardly and the elect. As far as I understand the Scripture and election, I must treat all as the elect, since it is the Lord alone that has made that choice, and offer earnest contention ("epagonizomai" Jud 4) as commanded in Mat 28:19. I especially want my kids to know Christ and His ways. How the Lord offered us reconciliation ("apokatallasso") and we are to follow in our limited way also with reconciliation ("katallasso" and "diallasso"). For me to give up on you and them is to deny the Lord and His commandments. I'm not giving up. The Lord has shown His love to me by not abandoning me in my foolishness. As the husband who is commanded to love his wife as Christ loved the church (Eph 5:25), I cannot and will not abandon you.

Please, let's not reach five years without communications and reconciliation. I remain at the table and offer you an invitation to join me. <u>I really love you</u>!

#78 Thu Dec 29, 2016 – In the video I sent you today I stated that while I was internally in turmoil, someone commented to me how I reflected such joy. I wish I had the words to express to you how that made me feel. To reflect the Lord's grace in my life while feeling an internal agony is a gift I cherish. However, it is you who can remove that agony. I ask again for that. I need you.

#77 Wed Dec 28, 2016 – Please remember that my commitment to you that I made on May 19, 1990 was "for better or worse". My commitment stands. I'm here. I desire reconciliation. I ask again that you consider it. I love you!

#76 Tue Dec 27, 2016 – I studied "astorgos" from 2Tim3:3 and Rom 1:31. I have grown to embrace the idea that the "end times" started around the crucifixion, so it is now and not a future date. These verses are lived out in our family and I don't think I am the only one feeling it. I pray the Lord's plan is to offer an unusual grace. I am willing to offer what I can. I love you.

#75 Mon Dec 26, 2016 – I spent yesterday in Ducktown at the Leonard's home with the Bowmans, who you haven't met. Russell Bowman has been struggling with various cancer issues. We were together last year and I attempted to encourage him them. Since I heard it was well received, I did a far more concerted effort this year. It was a lot of, let's not look to the left or the right but look at Christ. The conversation was great and mutually encouraging. We found mutual joy on many things but when a particular issue came up the response was less favorable. It was reminiscent of Acts 19 and Artemis of the Ephesians. However, we offered mutual grace and decided it need more review at another time and then continued our celebration. With a disagreement, we still continued in our joy of fellowship. This is a great model. I desire to share it with others. My Lady, I so very much love you!

#74 Fri Dec 23, 2016 – Please remember what we celebrate on Christmas. It is the Lord who entered His creation in order to reconcile His elect to himself. Please let's set before our kids this meaning of Christmas, reconciliation not lighting trees or physical gifts. Let our kids see that we are both followers of the Lord Jesus Christ, and not Santa Christ. To do otherwise is to withhold love to our kids. Please follow the reconcile command to you in 1Co7:11, the "katallasso" that I described in detail on Sep 8, 2016. As I have stated repeatedly, the Lord commands you as the wife

to reconcile with your husband, me. However, I only ask for that. I ask in obedience to the Lord and because I still remain so very much in love with you. You may never know how much I still love you, but I will continue to set before you, our kids, and the world that I love you and will not turn from you. I love you, I love you, I love you!

Thu Dec 22, 2016 – Please remind our kids that their dad still love them and their mom.

Wed Dec 21, 2016 – Please lower the barrier before the year is out. Let is start 2017 with a shared joy. I still love you!

Tue Dec 20, 2016 – I'm a bit troubled today, but I still love you and desire reconciliation. Please lower the barrier between us.

Mon Dec 19, 2016 – Would you please consider letting our kids talk to their dad for Christmas. Perhaps you can specify the time. I still love you and will speak of reconciliation in obedience to the Lord which I hope still agree with.

Fri Dec 16, 2016 – It will be uncomfortable at first, but it really is time for me to speak with my kids. Please allow that. In spite of the hurt, I still really love you!

Thu Dec 15, 2016 – I want to speak with my kids. You want funds from me but do not allow communications with my kids. If I can't be a part of their life, why should I send funds? That is a serious question. Irrespective of what has happened, I still love you and desire reconciliation.

Wed Dec 14, 2016 – Last year it really hurt when you refused to answer my calls. I gave up in December since it was causing a lot of grief to me. This year I won't give up. Perhaps I have been hardened. More likely it is a desire to reach at least some of my family. It is my hope that there still is a bit of love for me out there. There is a lot of love from my family in me, especially my wife. Grace demand reconciliation. Please consider it.

Tue Dec 13, 2016 – It has been months and it really is time to allow the dad to speak with his kids. I would really appreciate it. Also for your reference, Nirav is scheduled to travel to Greensboro Wednesday for a meeting Thursday at Gilbarco, a place I am familiar with. I interviewed there in 1980, about the same time I interviewed at NCR in Easley, SC. I am not going this trip, but may in the future.

Mon Dec 12, 2016 – I did my Greenway walk again and shaved off another second from my time. There is still a bit more to beat the hour goal. On the way I found some new graffiti under a bridge. I'll send you the photo separately. I love you and still desire to speak with my kids. Please let me know why you are cutting me off from them.

Fri Dec 9, 2016 – It has again been months since I have spoken to my kids. I want to do so. I am their dad. Please answer the phone so I may do so. I love you all!

Thu Dec 8, 2016 – Happy Birthday!

Wed Dec 7, 2016 – May the Lord grant you a wonderful day tomorrow. I would like to share it with you. Perhaps next year?

Mon Dec 5, 2016 – It rained all day yesterday and we had a few hours today when it didn't. So I made the trip and enjoyed a short walk and just barely got back as it was starting to rain. But I did get your card in the mail. You see I still am so very much in love with my wife. I don't know any other way to show it right now, so the card is in the mail. It is my hope and prayer that you will find my love for you and my obedience to the Lord in it. May the Lord grant us soon shared celebrations again!

Fri Dec 2, 2016 – There are days that I miss you, and there are days that I miss you a lot. Today was the latter. I really desire that you would remove the barrier between us. You are so very much loved by your husband, that is me.

Thu Dec 1, 2016 – Yesterday was great when I spoke with Julia and mostly Isaac for about an hour. Today started very well also when I spoke for an hour with Jack. This has been very encouraging and I desire to speak with others. I got the photo of our grandchild today also. She looks like ours, doesn't she? Today also marks the beginning of a third way for me to start using cannabis. I have had many in depth discussions on the matter, including two today, but it seems I still remain the only one that wears it. There are remarkable joys and opportunities at hand, but they mean little unless shared. I still desire that as I still am so very much in love with you!

Wed Nov 30, 2016 – I'm off for a walk to get food. It has been a bit rainy. I sure would enjoy you coming alone with me. Please consider it for the future. I still love you! I still desire to talk with our kids.

Tue Nov 29, 2016 – Jack and your dad should have received the flash drives. It is my hope that you will see my love in them. There is particular care for Jack.

Mon Nov 28, 2016 – Please look for a card sent to Jack containing a flash drive with a video explaining the definition of marriage. It is relevant to a recent discussion I had with him that I am more than willing to continue with. A similar device was sent to your dad which includes a video specifically challenging him on his stand that he agrees that the Lord commands us to reconcile but he also refuses communications. As I have stated in a recent video that the scariest thing to do is to present a case from Scripture. People run. I will stand with the Lord and contend as He commands. I thought this was one of the things you liked about me. I think if you view the recent videos, you will see that my presentation still needs work, but the content has gained remarkably over the years. Isn't this a good thing?

Fri Nov 25, 2016 – I really wonder what our kids know. Do they know that their dad is trying to reflect the Lord's grace that he has received to his wife and kids? Please consider again my offer to show our mutual obedience to the Lord by mutually offering and receiving forgiveness and grace from each other. Do you not think this would be good for our kids? I still love you!

Wed Nov 23, 2016 – Yet another day and another unanswered call. I still love you and our kids. I will not call tomorrow. I will be thankful tomorrow for the joy the Lord has given me with you. I pray you share that joy.

Tue Nov 22, 2016 – It has been really hard for the last week and a half. Sunday had a strong reminder of how much I miss you. I had a 90 minute call today that demonstrated yet again that wonderful things are at hand if I just pursue it. I have to constantly confess to the Lord that I have no drive and it is hard to care. It is obedience only that drives me and of late it has been a bit weak. Would you please consider speaking with me? We used to do it for hours with joy. I desire that again.

Mon Nov 21, 2016 – I really did not think you would not answer the phone for this long. I do love you even when my heart remains broken.

Fri Nov 18, 2016 – Well we made it half way to 100 straight unanswered calls. It is my hope we don't make it all the way. Tomorrow is our semi-anniversary and as last year I'm not taking it well. Perhaps you are having the same issue. Maybe we need to work this out. Would you please consider it. I love you!

Thu Nov 17, 2016 – It has been well over 2 months of calls that have gone unanswered. There are also no responses to this email. I guess we don't share the meaning of 1Co13. I love you anyway.

Wed Nov 16, 2016 – I really wonder what you tell our kids why for two months you refuse to answer the phone. Do they know? You know that one day they will know. Wouldn't it be best for them to find out from us together after we have reconciled. Shall we start on that together? My offer remains to do so. Please consider it. I love you!

Tue Nov 15, 2016 – I got Walter's letter today. Please thank Walter. An email was sent to him, and the video will follow. I still love you all!

Mon Nov 14, 2016 – I did not attempt to call today. I did send a video to your dad and copied it to many others. It has been a bit of a frustration to me today. What I got from your dad today was a bunch of generalizations of how bad I am and therefore he doesn't have to communicate with me or reconcile. I hope you and our kids see that my response in the video was strong, consistent with Scripture, and full of grace. May the Lord grant us the joy of reconciliation! I remain open and willing.

Fri Nov 11, 2016 – An email was sent for Walter about his card and his birthday. Please forward it to him. I still desire a conversation. Would you please consider a response! I do love my family.

Thu Nov 10, 2016 – We had a 3+ our meeting this afternoon that I would love to share with you. I really miss you!

Wed Nov 9, 2016 – I missed yesterday due to issues here. It was my joy to speak with Jack today. I desire to love him well and he has an issue. Do you want toward loving him well together?

Mon Nov 7, 2016 – A quick response was sent to your email from Saturday that I got this morning. I am trying to communicate with you since I do love you!

Fri Nov 4, 2016 – I'm still here and desire to communicate with my kids and my wife. I love you all.

Thu Nov 3, 2016 – Happy Birthday Gloria-Jane. One of the things I have learned from your card and the one for Zadok, is that the coated cards do not work well with my pen. However, I hope you had a wonderful day. Considering this was call #41 and Gloria-Jane's birthday, it we my hope that it would be answered. Remember 41 is the number given to Judah Ben-Hur. As in the story, it remains my hope for the Lord's gift of reconciliation in our family.

Wed Nov 2, 2016 – Considering the amount of time that has passed since the last call and the number of unanswered calls, I'm sure it will be uncomfortable for all parties to finally converse again. If you "WANT" to work with me, then please consider doing so by restoring communications. I promise only gentleness and love on my part. Reconciliation remains my goal.

Tue Nov 1, 2016 – Since I have heard nothing about participating in the gift for Gloria-Jane only a card was sent today. Like Zadok's card it does contain a USB drive. This one is a bit smaller, but does have a happy birthday message for our girl.

Mon Oct 31, 2016 – Thanks again for the photos I received today. They brought much joy to my life. Since I have heard nothing on the gerbil question for Gloria-Jane, I will plan on sending the card I have tomorrow. I love you all. Also a correction on Friday's comment. It was the fourth anniversary of going to the state and a month past the second anniversary of the other court document, which I again point to the Scripture that indicates it means nothing.

Fri Oct 28, 2016 – I do pray that Zadok has a wonderful weekend. It would be nice to know if he got the card and what you did about the bike. There are many details about the bike on the "Kozlowski-2016-10-24;Birthdays and reconciliation" video on the USB drive. I'd like to know what you think about it. I will also not plan on calling this weekend. Sunday marks the second anniversary of the woman I remain one with turning to the state rather than the Lord. I pray that one day we will share mutual repentance and reconciliation. I really do love you!

Thu Oct 27, 2016 – In case you didn't listen to today's voicemail, I asked if you would take a picture of Zadok getting the mail like you did in the past with Walter. It would be an encouragement and I would really like one right now. Thanks. I love you!

Wed Oct 26, 2016 – Obviously there was no answer yet again. I can only assume an exception has been found for Eph 6:1. A card was sent to Zadok today. Please let him know so he can look forward to it. It is not empty.

Tue Oct 25, 2016 – A video was sent today for Zadok, the rest of our kids, and you. It is my hope you will see it. A USB drive will be in the mail perhaps tomorrow. I hope you can see my love and the grace behind it.

Mon Oct 24, 2016 – Thank you for the picture from Zadok today. I'm assuming your firewalls will prevent you from getting my emails of today. However, I still love you!

Fri Oct 21, 2016 – Since I have heard nothing I am assuming you are not inviting participation in the gifts for Gloria-Jane and Zadok. I plan on sending cards starting this weekend. Also the trade show in Atlanta ended today. Since I did not have to go, and mostly because Isaac and Julia have already been sanctioned by the state, I will not be on my way there this weekend.

Thu Oct 20, 2016 – Since I assume you still do not listen to my voicemails, I mentioned that there was a day when we would talk on the phone for hours. We shared that joy. I desire that again. I ask for it.

Wed Oct 19, 2016 – I'm guessing there is no interest in pursuing the gerbil kit or bike together at this time. I will send cards at least. I love you and remain open to reconciliation.

Tue Oct 18, 2016 – I still love you. I still desire reconciliation. I pray that the reconciliation desire is shared.

Mon Oct 17, 2016 – There was a bit of encouragement when your dad spoke with me on the phone and I got one serious email from your brother. However, both have again gone silent for over 3 weeks. Perhaps one day someone will be willing to explain why I seem to be persona-non-grata. It seems that the discussion of the Scriptural reference about reconciliation was only agreed on in word but not deed. Yes, I am disappointed. I still love my family.

Fri Oct 14, 2016 – Thanks for the photos. Please send more. I would also enjoy speaking with our kids. Dads like to do that.

Thu Oct 13, 2016 – I know it has become difficult to even consider answering the phone, but I still ask that you do. I love you all and will continue to try.

Wed Oct 12, 2016 – I do see that I tied Gloria-Jane's request to Susanna's. That was a mistake and I'm sorry. It seems that four years of absence can cause confusion.

I do see that gerbil kits range from \$30 to \$300, and bikes also vary even more. I am more than happy to help as would be right, so what is right?

I have sent things to our kids and the response has been mostly silence. I have asked if they were interested in things, and the response has been silence. I have asked if there is any desire to point them to the Lord as a priority, but again there is an absence of communications. So what would be different here if I sent funds or products?

I am pursing reconciliation. Do I have to blindly send money first while having no hope offered for any communications? Please let me know.

The picture I got of you and Julia is great. I remain enamored with you!

Tue Oct 11, 2016 – I hope you understand I am concerned that I got an email from you today that you sent Saturday with information about Susanna. There was a thanks, she wants more, but a remaining unwillingness to communicate directly. Perhaps you should gather our children and read Luke 17:12-19. It is not the healing but the thanks from verse 16 that should be noted.

Mon Oct 10, 2016 - I stated more than once in the past that if you really want to hurt me keep silent. My wife has essentially kept silent and it seems that our kids are following in her lead for the most part. However, I remain in love with all of my family and will continue to pursue reconciliation without retribution.

Events were planned for October 8, 2016. Did they transpire? Did Susanna receive the funds? Is she going to send pictures?

Thu Oct 6, 2016 – I did respond to Susanna's email and hoped someone would pick up the phone. This appears to be a situation where you have not because you ask but don't allow a response.

Wed Oct 5, 2016 – It is my hope and prayer that you will all prepare well for the celebration this Saturday. May you find joy in it and be a mutual blessing to Isaac and Julia.

It has now been many weeks and a lot of emails without response. I desire to speak with my kids. Please stop denying me that wonderful joy. I will pursue reconciliation until the day I die. Please work with me on this!

I often think about what it is like as the phone rings while you and our kids do not answer it. Do you know that there is a man who loves you all on the other end?

It has been almost a year since our kids and I had regular calls. I desire that again!

In obedience to the Lord rather than man (Acts 5:29), I seek reconciliation with my wife (1Co7:11).

In obedience to the Lord rather than man (Acts 5:29), I seek to teach our kids about the Lord (Deu 6).

I ask that our kids speak with me (Eph 6:1).

I will call again. Please work with me toward obedience to the Lord via reconciliation.

I love you!

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Email: John@Kozlowski.org • Phone: (423) 716-6432 Kozlowski.org • Distinctivist.com • ShofarNexus.com Fear God and keep his commandments, for this is the whole duty of man. Ecclesiastes 12:13