

Are Marriages Made in Heaven? Part II.

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PAT: Good evening, friends! Welcome to The Overcomers Ministry. Tonight's story began about eighteen years ago. Father God introduced me to Dr. John Jenkins, who worked on the east coast as an educator for the National Council of Teachers of English. For three years, I strived to become a nationally recognized Teacher of English. Dr. Jenkins graded my videos and observed my progress. Then, Father God revealed to me that in His eternal plans for Dr. Jenkins, he was supposed to marry my principal. Long story short, I sent a front cover newspaper picture of my principal to him. Unknown to me was the fact that Dr. Jenkins had retired near the end of my three-year English course and the picture was sent to another NCTE office. So, being prompted by the Holy Spirit about two years later, I resent the picture and asked his replacement, Dr. Debra, to hand-carry the picture to Dr. Jenkins. She did.

In a vision, I saw Dr. Debra standing at his front door. She handed a large manila-colored envelope to him. Then, the Spirit of God revealed that Jenkins was soon to pass away, but the picture became confirmation to Jenkins that Father God heard his prayers and the visions he saw while praying was God-sent. I felt an overwhelming joy and peace settle in Jenkins heart as the vision ended.

About ten years later, on February 19, 2020, at about six-o'clock in the morning, I had another vision. Jesus asked me to record our conversation so that I would be able to share it with my Olelo friends on Honolulu Community Media in the future. Then, he explained....

Beginning of Vision.

JESUS: Pat, Catherine had an Out-of-Body experience and was taken to Heaven. She met Dr. Jenkins at the city gates. Now, they would like to talk with you and thank you for introducing them to each other indirectly.

PAT: Jesus, please allow me to place a Wall of Protection around all of us so no spirits of deception will be able to interfere in our conversation.

(My Prayer) Father, in the name of Jesus Christ, I plead the Blood of Jesus as a shield over us, and the White Curtain of Secrecy that covers us so no spirit-- human, saint, angel or demon-- can see, hear, or interfere in our communication with you. In Jesus Christ's name I pray, amen.

PAT: Hi Catherine and Dr. Jenkins! (I heard a chorus of two voices that responded to my greeting.) Then, Dr. Jenkins said,

John Jenkins (JJ): "Pat, call me John. My first name is John."

PAT: I smiled. You have one of my favorite names. I named my second son, John. Was my husband, Clayton, at the gates when Catherine arrived in Heaven?

Catherine Payne (CP): Catherine responded. "Yes, Pat. Clayton was at Heaven's gates at my arrival with your son John. I met him/them for the first time. Clayton seems to be a man that exudes Strength and Humility. I felt Obedience exuding from him. I felt honored that he took the time to greet me when I arrived. Sharon (my secretary) was also at the gates of heaven. I just hugged her... I was so glad to see her again. In heaven, we are not limited to being "prim and proper" as our principal-secretary relationship was on earth. Heaven is such a wonderful, free, and full of love home that I am a part of now.

Pat, thank you for sharing with me your desire to have John Jenkins and I meet (while you were working on your National Certification for Teachers). When I saw him for the first time, I felt such a kinship to him. My heart gladly welcomed his friendship. He remained with me throughout my tour of the Heavenly Kingdom. All new saints (that is what we are called in heaven) are given an introductory tour of it. My guardian angel and John remained with me even when other saints who arrived at heaven's gates about the same time parted and went in different directions partway through the tour.

I was mesmerized by the Library of Heaven. What a wonderful place to learn about God's universe. The books that come alive makes reading unnecessary. (Smile) The hugeness of the Library is amazing to me. Then, we were introduced to "chariots" or futuristic cars without roofs that are run on God's "power" instead of gasoline. What an experience we had going on our first trip to see how God created the universe and earth.

When my guardian angel took me to the Library and showed me the catalog of trips into the history of God’s universe and the Bible, John encouraged me to view the Creation Story. Agreeing with him, he pulled out a DVD and said, “This is the key to the chariot we will be riding.” Then, Chloe (my guardian angel) took us down a long hallway of doors. He opened one of them and there was a topless vehicle that he called “a chariot.” It was a four-seater. We settled into it and John slid the DVD Key into a slot in the dashboard of the chariot. The chariot noiselessly rose upward a few feet and we flew through the walls and ceiling of the Library. Chloe reminded me that we are spiritual beings, and we are not limited to walls of the structures in heaven. I nodded, but I was also completely amazed by the change of concepts in the heavenly planet. It was such a wonderful trip into outer space. I saw the creation of the universe like a humongous Fireworks Show similar to the ones we see on TV in New York, celebrating the beginning of the New Year.

PAT: WOW! Go on....

CP: Yes, Pat, in retrospect, I am finding out what it means to be truly FREE in spirit and soul without an earthly body. In heaven, I notice that nothing is hidden. For example, when I looked at John Jenkins for the first time, I felt his thoughts as he verbally welcomed me to Heaven. He was full of love and peace and joy... that amazed me. He could read my mind because in Heaven, the basic communication line is through what some people called “mental telepathy” in the 1960’s while I was in high school.

CP: On the heavenly planet, I have come to realize that NOTHING IS HIDDEN. You simply cannot lie... because whomever you are speaking to can read your mind and emotions. For example, I was embarrassed at first, because I was so attracted to John when I first met him at the gates of heaven. I thought, Wow. He is handsome...kind... gentle spirited... and loving. He truly is everything I imagined my “knight in shining armor” would be.

CP: Then, as we moved on, into the tour, he became a part of my little group (three of us). By the time we arrived in the Library, I knew that all the moments in time that you spoke of him and wrote me letters about him were true. He is the one

that God had chosen to be my life partner. GOD revealed this to you, and with all my heart, I hoped it would happen. But even though our connections were tangled by the enemy of our souls, it didn't change the "truth" of this godly plan for my life. By the time we were sitting next to each other in the chariot, watching the universe being created, the soul ties I felt between us convinced me that this relationship would last forever. Smile.

PAT: (Laughing softly) "Catherine, may I ask you a question?"

CP: Sure.

PAT: Have you both asked God the Father about this relationship? Do people get married in Heaven?

CP: (Giggling softly.) Yes, Pat, after the chariot trip, my guardian angel bid me farewell.

CP: John and I spent a long time talking ... walking through the gardens of Paradise.... We shared our life's story on earth to build a foundation of who we were. Our educational paths were similar... we were raised in loving family homes. His parents are from the Tribe of Levi. Therefore, his family line were the priests of the Temple of God in biblical times.

I noticed that we didn't have to think about how to say things, because "absolutely nothing is hidden" in our conversations. I think that is because we are speaking from our innermost beings—from our hearts. Another thing I noticed about Heaven is that there is no darkness or night-time as we know it on earth. Therefore, as we walked through the garden area, and shared our hearts with each other, time just flew by. We stopped at a Banquet Hall (BH), and John asked me to "have lunch" with him. We both had a salad and a fruit drink that was so delicious. It tasted like "pure sugar" fringed with spices that enhanced the drink. I had never tasted anything like it on earth. I saw vegetables and nuts and grains in the salad, but it carried the taste of roast beef or broiled fish in it. Every food that I enjoyed on earth seemed to be encompassed in that salad dish.

After an enjoyable conversation in the (BH), we walked out, and saw some lounge chairs under the trees nearby. We made ourselves comfortable by sitting in chairs that were placed side by side and facing the (BH) and walkways. We could observe people passing by... some came to share a meal with friends.... The distance between the (BH) and the trees we were sitting under was just right... not too close and not too far, so we could distinguish people we knew.

CP: Now, back to your question: Did we talk to God the Father about our relationship? John explained to me the difference between “time in heaven” and “time on earth.”

JJ: The Bible says,

Psalm 90:4

“To you [In your eyes], **a thousand** years is like the passing of **a day** [in God’s eyes] or like **a watch** [equals three hours of a sentinel duty] in the night.”

2 Peter 3:8

But do not forget [ignore] this one thing, dear friends [beloved]: To the Lord one **day** is like **a thousand** (earth) years, and **a thousand** years is like one **day**. **This means that [our perception of time is not the same as God’s. Ps. 90:4].**

Dr. J: Therefore, in God’s eyes, one day in Heaven is like the passing of 1000 years on earth. Let’s go to a window on the perimeter of heaven so we can see how much time has passed since you (Catherine) arrived.

CP: I was so shocked to find out that several weeks had passed since (I left) earth. Our conversation during the chariot trip and a walk through the gardens, and having a snack seemed to be about one or two hours.

So, John explained that our friendship in heaven may be conceived as a “year-long” relationship in God’s eyes. Long story short, after what seemed like several more hours of sharing our lives on earth with each other, we both agreed that we wanted to hear what God had to say about it.

CP: Pat, we went to see Jesus and asked Him what he thought we should do concerning our newly blossomed friendship. He listened to both of us. Then, He asked us whether we wanted to become “Companions” which is the same as “getting married on earth.” We both agreed. There was no doubt in my heart that this man was the right man for me. (I even surprised myself at how positive I was in my response to Jesus’ question.) So, a ceremony was arranged, and we exchanged our matrimony vows with Jesus as priest.

CP: Pat, I wanted to thank you for the “blessed hope” you gave me through our years as colleagues in Farrington High School. I was so blessed when you shared Dr. Jenkins with me in my office during your break period. I never gave up that dream, even when we didn’t meet because of complications that arose caused by the difference in the time zones that separated us.

Then, during the past weeks on earth, you spoke to me in a dream and told me that Dr. Jenkins was looking forward to my arrival in heaven. Pat, I wept with joy when I opened my eyes and felt that it wasn’t a dream.

PAT: It wasn’t a dream, Catherine. The Holy Spirit brought you to my mind while I was still awake in bed. He asked me to pray for you—

When Jesus told me that you were soon going to Heaven and He wanted you to know that Dr. Jenkins would be waiting at Heaven’s gates for your arrival, I gladly prayed for you and spoke to you... sharing the truth that Dr. Jenkins has been waiting for over ten years for your arrival in heaven. Smile.)

CP: Pat, I have always kept you close to my heart, even though we had a principal-teacher relationship. Thank you, Pat, for being a “voice of love and hope” in my life. For your faith to step up into my life, I will always be grateful. I also love you, Pat. I have felt like you were my “spiritual sister” who always appeared when I needed to “hear from heaven.” Thank you.

John and I have been praying for you and your ministry since I arrived. We will continue to do that until we meet again here in the Heavenly Kingdom. Don’t allow the enemy to frustrate you with lies. Those thoughts are truly just that—LIES. I see that you will soon have a partner to work with in The Overcomers ministry. Smile. Keep your mind “up” for that is where TRUE Joy and Peace are found. God bless you, my sister. We love you very much.

JESUS: Pat, you may include this message on your website. All of these messages that you are receiving will bless many on earth who are seeking for the truth. Do not keep it hidden. It is meant to be shared in these “Last Days” on earth.

PAT: Thank you, Lord Jesus, for such a blessing as this message has been to me. I will be obedient and willingly do all I can to bring Father's plans for my life to fruition. Thank you, LORD.

The End.

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**Prologue:** Almost four years later, on February 11, 2024, 6:15 in the morning, I was aroused from sleep by the soft, still voice of the Spirit of God saying, "Pat, John and Catherine wish to speak to you."

I was surprised to hear their names, yet it still took me almost fifteen minutes to become fully awakened. A splash of cool water completed the job. Smile.

**Pat:** Oh, my goodness! Catherine and John, how are you both?

**CP:** Pat, I love you so much. Every time I look at John, I am so thankful that you stepped out of the "wall" created by man and reached out to me.

My life on earth was seen as a successful person. But, here in heaven, all my dreams of love and marriage has become a reality.

**Pat:** Catherine, are you still alive on earth?

**CP:** Yes, Pat, but I am in a comatose state in a hospice. Soon my body will pass away, and I will be a permanent "saint" of the Kingdom of God. Smile.

**PAT.** That sounds so gloriously wonderful, Catherine.

**PAT:** How are you doing, John? I am so - so - so glad that we made that final connection with Catherine's picture before you were called home.

**JJ:** Oh, yes, Pat. Nothing can replace the "greatest joy and thankfulness" I felt when I looked at Catherine's picture. I thought, Wow! She is my dream! Pat, when I saw Catherine's picture for the first time, my heart just filled with love, joy, thankfulness to God for keeping His promise to me. You see, I never married because I knew God had someone special for me. He kept reminding me throughout my life that I would meet her before I left earth. I kept thinking that God meant that I or "we" would pass away early in our lives. But never did I think that I would meet her through a picture sent to me by someone I never met during my lifetime on earth. Smile.

Therefore, I had the time to watch Catherine for about twelve years from the windows of heaven before she was brought to heaven. I think that in God's mercy and love, he saw how "lonely" we were for each other. After our first meeting, which you are now reading, we were allowed to communicate through dreams. But it will be the most glorious day when we are connected with our resurrected body and become "whole" like Jesus was during his last 40 days on earth. Smile.

**Pat:** Yes! I totally am looking forward to that day--the resurrection of saints which many call the "Rapture" day. Smile. [

**Catherine:** Pat, I can see that you are exhausted. So let us say farewell for just a moment until we meet again. Thank you, Pat, for being so faithful in obeying all that God has asked you to do on earth. I am sure it has brought others to God. Smile.

**Pat:** Thank you, Catherine. I have always had a high regard, respect and love for you and John Jenkins. Thank you, Lord, for granting me this time of communing with Catherine and John. Thank you, Catherine for blessing me with this special moment in time. Smile.

**JJ:** You take care, Pat. Good-bye for now until we meet again.

The End 6:44 AM.