

POEMS OF THE MONTH

പ്രതികരണശേഷി

-സൈമൺ സഖറിയ

ഏല്ലാം കണ്ടിട്ടും മിണ്ടാത്തവൻ–
മൂകസാക്ഷി
എല്ലാം കണ്ടു ഗ്രഹിക്കുന്നവൻ–
ദ്ക്സാക്ഷി
പ്രതികരിക്കാൻ തോന്നിക്കുന്നതു–
മനസാക്ഷി
പ്രതികരിക്കാൻ ധൈര്യമുള്ളവൻ–
ധീരസാക്ഷി
പൊരുതി സത്യം തെളിയിക്കുന്നവൻ–
വീരസാക്ഷി
പൊരുതി മരിക്കുന്നവൻ ദിവ്യൻ–
രക്സൂസാക്ഷി!

POEM

READING: WINTER

BY NATHANIEL JOHN 2nd GRADE UNIVERSITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL HE'S COLD

HE LIKES

SNOWFLAKES AND SNOWMEN

AND HOT CHOCOLATE

AND CHRI STMAS

HE GUZZLES HOT DRINKS

HE SKATES

HE STAYS UP LATE

DIGGING IN THE SNOW



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"We are the world" By: Anna John (9yrs)

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NEWS FROM THE CHANNELS



<u>Channels of Glory –</u> <u>Letter from Dr. Simon Zachariah</u>

For this September Newsletter, I want to take a theme: "Provider." Because of the dwindling funds, I was a little apprehensive about the coming months. But God the "Provider" was faithful enough to pour His Grace and Mercy into our 'Channels' so that we can be a blessing to many. Even though we have experienced his unfailing love and providence in the past, we still find it difficult to trust Him for our daily needs. In our day to day life, we all know the importance of trusting friends who are very faithful. In the same way, we expect others to trust us when we stay faithful to our friends. Many a time we tell everyone around us "Trust me"...But are you brave enough to open your mouth when your eyes are closed in front of your friend? If not, it evidently shows that you do not trust them. When we find one whom we can trust, we introduce them to our friends, and say, "You can trust him, he wouldn't change his word." It is very heart breaking for a person, when others do not trust his word. Since God is faithful from the beginning of the world, it is so disappointing for Him if we do not trust Him. God expects us to trust Him, just like a baby trusts its mother. If you trust some one, you will obey him. In the same way, God expects us to trust Him and we have to prove our trust by obeying Him. So it is important to obey God's words, rather than just praising God, or just saying big things about God. All God wants from us is to obey Him. If we do not obey Him, He can not do what He has promised. God has promised us that He will bless us and provide everything needed for us. But since we do not trust His word, we are not obeying Him. Recently I heard an illustration: This man went to heaven and while one angel was giving him a tour through the golden streets of heaven, he saw some rooms with people's names on the doors. The angel ignored him when he asked whose names they were. Finally at one door this man saw his own name. This time he insisted that he know why his name was on that door and they were passing it by. Finally the angel opened the door and to his astonishments he saw so many boxes of various sizes with his name on it. When he asked, the angel replied "These are the answers of your prayers. Some contain God's Grace, and others God's blessings. Then he asked: "Then why I did not receive them at the right time?" The angel told him to read the street address carefully. They all read "Faith Street." "All God's believers are supposed to live on "Faith Street". But you

were not there when these packets were arriving. So they all returned to the sender," The angel continued. Many times we preach that we live on "Faith Street," but we are living somewhere else. God is still sending the answers to our prayers. Let us stay on Faith Street and receive His blessings and grace and use it for His Glory.

Many of the young people are completing their education and sending me thanking letters by e-mail. At the same time, many people are spreading the word out about our organization and asking for educational support. Our financial support and comforting words go a long way for these desperate families.

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