

Lucy's selected writings  
for personal prayer/meditation  
following her

*Preparing  
for  
Love Incarnate*

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## All Around Me

Ahhh ... traces of my Beloved are everywhere ...  
surrounding me,  
caressing me,  
enfolding me,  
enticing me ...

To notice Him,  
to yield to Him,  
to go with Him to where He lies down at noon.

To follow His movements,  
match stride with His steps,  
catching up to the swift, sure intent He displays  
now here, now there ...

Oh, my heart, be aware!  
Ever yearn and so sense His appearing,  
abounding in even most desolate places.

Goodness waits to delight the child ...  
and joy is born again.

## *"Mary" . . . That is Your Name*

*John 10:2-3 Matthew 12:46-50 Isaiah 43:1b*

I would have you to know the nature of the name which I bestow upon you now. Mother of My flesh, I clothe you in Mine. Mother of My devotion, I clothe you in Mine. Mother of My desire, I clothe you in Mine. Mother of My need, I clothe you with Mine.<sup>1</sup>

Child of learning, I teach you My ways. Child of love, I share Mine with you. Child of devotion, I enflame you with Mine. Child of mourning, I charge you with life.<sup>2</sup>

Sister of joy, I infuse you with Mine. Sister of priests, I enclose you with Me. Sister of friendship, I envelope your tears. Sister of mercy, I give you My tears.<sup>3</sup>

Cherished beloved, daughter of God, married in heaven's bright angel paths trod. Loving reminder of all the price paid, cherished redeemed one, you share all My days.<sup>4</sup>

Blessed redeemed one, My saved one art thou. If ever I loved thee, beloved, 'tis now!

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<sup>1</sup>as *Mary, mother of Jesus*: Luke 1:26-56; 24:36-43, I Cor. 15:35-54 *Amp.*, II Cor. 5:1-9 *Amp.*, Luke 24:49 *Amp.*, Phil. 2:1-11, I Peter 5:5-7, Matt. 25:35-40

<sup>2</sup> as *Mary, sister of Martha, also as Mary Magdalene*: Luke 10:38-42, John 12:1-9, Matt. 26:6-13, John 20

<sup>3</sup>as *Miriam, sister of Moses and Aaron*: Ex. 15:20-21, John 15:12, Ex. 40:12-15, Lev. 16, Ex. 25:22; 33:11a, 17b, John 15:15

<sup>4</sup> Isa. 54-55, Eph. 5, Isa. 61:10

# The Birthing

(of one's particular ministry for God)

Luke 1 Isaiah 66:9

Oh, how I love thee, My sister, My spouse! How I delight to look upon you, bone of My bone, flesh of My flesh. How subtle are your beauties, My beloved, how intricately woven together. Shades of meaning skip gently from My mind to yours. I delight in your reception of My words to you. They are light to those around you. They are life to those who find them. They are the beginnings of Myself to be imbedded into them and grow. Place them, beloved, where they can be received.<sup>1</sup>

Sweet darling of Mine, I am being birthed in you now. I have seen the agonies of your soul as you have been constrained for this time. I have also seen the transcending delights and cherishings of your heart as you have dared to look forward to this child of promise. And now the time is come. The crowning is upon you – greatest time of glory, greatest time of pain – and a man child is born into the world!<sup>2</sup>

Swaddle him, nestle him in your arms. Caress him, nurture him, enjoy him, let him rest. The beauties of young motherhood are upon you.

I take pride in the fruit of your womb. I take pride in the fruit of My loins. I delight with you in this moment of triumph. Oh, My beloved, bone of My bone, flesh of My flesh, this is the outcome of our tender union. This is new life born of our life flows. We have brought a child into the world.<sup>3</sup>

And he is the child of promise. Many will look upon him and be glad. He shall prophesy My words to the people. He shall lead many to My truth and many shall be born into the kingdom because of him. He shall be lifted up for all the world to see. He shall save his people from their sins. He shall be like unto Me, the Most High, yea, even the Most High because I am the one born from you this day.<sup>4</sup>

Fear not what men may say of Him. Ye know in your heart what I have told you concerning Him and ye stand fast in that knowledge in the hour of temptation.

Ye are much concerned of the matters of the day. I say unto you, beloved wife, take your rest. Nourish the Child. Let Me see to the affairs of the day. Don't even bother yourself to think what needs doing. I have been here long enough to know what needs doing – and, beloved, I will see to their accomplishing. Ponder sweetly what has taken place – its beginnings unto this place – and cherish My deep love for you . . . and the depths of our union, communion that is sweeter day by day.

Oh, I love thee most deeply, My love. You are My joy, My “completion.” Without you I ached. With you I soar. Oh, beloved, My darling. This day My love cries out within Me seeking release . . . and I know it in your eyes.

Hush now and rest.<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Eph. 5:22-32, S. Sol. 7, Ps. 45:10-17, Matt. 13:52 Amp., Isa. 55:10-13, Eccl. 11:1-6 Amp., Isa. 32:20 Amp.

<sup>2</sup> Gal. 4:19, Ps. 126:5-6, Luke 12:50 Amp., II Cor. 5:11-20; 4:1-7; 3:4-6 Amp., Luke 2:6-7a, II Cor. 6:1-11 Amp.

<sup>3</sup> Isa. 66:6-14 Amp., Rom. 7:4, Luke 1:35, Isa. 53:10-11 Amp., Ps. 113:5-9 Amp., Isa. 54:1, John 15:1-16 Amp.

<sup>4</sup> Luke 1:13-17, Mark 1:2-11, John 1:14, 17-18, Matt. 1:20-21, Luke 1:30-33, Matt. 12:50

<sup>5</sup> Luke 2:51b, Ps. 27:14, Hab. 2:2-3; 3:17-19 Amp., Luke 1:46-55, Zeph. 3:17

# THE PLACE OF BURNINGS

*Matthew 3:11   Luke 12:49   Isaiah 33:13-17*

You have conceived delight again, child. You have the life of the Son afresh within you. You are partaker of His union now for new endeavors, new tasks, new accomplishments. They are of Him. They are from Him. They are to Him. Yea, they are He, Himself.

Take to yourself the moments of cherishing. Rest in the bliss of your union. Take Him to your side and love Him in holy adoration and be cleansed continually with the fire He has placed within you.

It is My holy fire. It is the fire of passionate burnings ... which ignites the inner man to pant for the Spirit's righteous yearnings and actions. It is the consuming flame that burns ardently with the face of the Beloved in full view: the eyes of deity ablaze with love, with splendid intention, magnificent purpose, majestic sovereignty.

The fire eats at your innards, engulfing desires you otherwise could forget ... desires that rush now to meet the tongues of fire, then lay expended in their wake. No charring remains. Instead, fertility springs forth ... renewed, extended. New life has formed ... to become apparent, more so day by day. Development is sure. He Who began the good work in you will see to its accomplishment. Shall He cause to bring forth and shut the womb on the day of delivery? Nay, for this Procreator, Master of all, moves with great precision to bring fully to the birth that which He has fathered - and you shall both rejoice, saith the Lord, in the potential fruit of your womb.

Rejoice even now, oh daughter of Zion, for the Almighty has looked upon you with favor and has yet again entrusted you with the issues of His life. You shall not be found wanting in any good thing and for every good work you shall be fully equipped and supplied.

Ponder yet awhile what has come to your understanding this day and rejoice that, once again, you hold a "child of promise" within your very frame. He shall, indeed, rise up and call you blessed ... for this new work, as the others, shall praise you in the city gates - and the King of your heart shall be honored and receive glory.

*Luke 1:26-56   Proverbs 31:10-31*