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December 28, 1967

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Walker  
P. O. Box 333  
Claypool, Arizona

Dear brother and sister Walker:

How very thoughtful of you to reply to my letter on behalf of Camp Shiloh. It was so kind of you to write telling of the many things you are involved in, and the wonderful works you have supported down through the years. For all of this, I know that many hundreds of people are grateful.

I am deeply distressed about the copper mine strikes. I send you my very best regards and prayers for your physical and spiritual well-being. Your situation is totally understandable.

Fraternally yours,

John Allen Chalk  
Radio Speaker

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Dec. 18 - 1967

Dear Brother Chalk:

We received your nice kind letter a day or so ago. In Reply to your kind letter, me + my wife wish to say, we enjoyed a reading your kind letter, and we would ~~for~~ enjoyed the letter, a lot better if we was <sup>able to</sup> help these worthy causes. But the union with about 50,000 copper workers are out on strike, and have been ever since July 15 - 1967 and we do not see any stoppage of the strike yet. We hope that the strike will end pretty soon, so business will get back in Arizona +

The other Four Copper States  
to Normal. Which mostly  
depends on Copper. There Has  
Been several Families, Who Had  
to move away on account of the  
strike, and some that have moved  
a way, do not plan on moving back  
here. And what I can hear  
I think that is the same  
all over the state of Arizona  
and the other four Copper  
states. Me + my wife once lived  
on a good farm close to Vernon Texas.  
and enjoyed farm life real well.  
We wish it would have been, where  
we could have continued to  
live on the farm, but we did not  
get to live there. While Me + my wife  
lived close to Vernon Texas, we attend-  
ed worship there.

We have lived in Calif. for two years & tried to help as much as we was able to while we lived in Calif. Conserving Church Warship. And We Have Been a Living Here in Arizona for several years, <sup>too</sup> And we Hope & Pray If It is the Good Lord's Will that we live & Do this or that to Count down to get to work at the Copper Mines, till I retire on a fair Pinchion from the Copper Co. & too Me & My Wife Both Draw Our social security. If we do that, we hope to make Our Home In Arizona, after I retire. We Hope that this strike will not last too Much Longers And Me & My Wife Hope that we Can stay Here & not Have to Moore from Here on account of the strike.

since we have been a living  
here in Arizona. We have tried  
to help both congregations at  
Globe Ariz. + The congregation at  
Miami Ariz. With our contribution  
Each Lord's Day, of the Lord's  
Body. And we bought \$1200 <sup>00</sup>/<sub>xx</sub>  
worth of Church Bonds to help  
the Miami congregation, when me +  
my wife attend worship services  
The Miami congregation with what  
me + my wife bought, have completed  
a nice addition to the church  
building for class rooms. And  
too me + my wife have contribute  
to the work of the orphan home  
at Facatia when the  
Facatia orphan home was  
asking for help, and this  
work was at that time under  
the direction of the Brown Field  
congregation, The Lord's Body in  
Tulsa.

We Help in this Worthy Cause, for several years. We Have Been sending a Dollar or two to Camp. by Low, Tipton Home at Tipton Oklahoma, World's Radio, <sup>This is each month for each place.</sup> + Have sent when we were able to Sunny Dale Home in Phoenix Ariz. We Have Help taken care of our two nieces from Babies up to 11 year old while their mother was not able to take care of them, on account of their mother ill health.

The two nieces of our, Lived with my wife + I till they were 11 years old. Both of these nieces, are member of the Lords Body. And continue to go to worship. In which my wife and I are real gratefull, to the good Lord for helping

us, raise them, While They  
Lived With us In Our Home.  
Me + My Wife Try to Be good  
to Elderly Folks, Because  
We Know that is our Duty  
As Children of God. My wife  
does Ironing for a Lady  
a member of the Lord's Body  
In Miami Ariz, who is crippled  
up with Arth. Each week, and  
she does not charge this sister  
a cent for this, There are several  
children that Lives with Her.  
she is getting sep in age too.  
And They are Common People, Her  
Husband is a poor man who work  
for Wages. He Has offered to Pay  
us for Helping His wife, But  
we told Him that we did it  
as a Good Deed. And if any  
one got the Glory, we wanted



The good Lord to get the glory.  
Brother Chalk, I Hope that you  
Will understand why We are  
Not able to Help any more. It is  
not that We do not want to Help or  
Be selfish. But We are not  
able, It makes Me + My Wife sad  
When We read in the Firm -  
Foundation Paper, About so  
Much Worthy Cause, concern-  
ing the Work of Many Congrega-  
tion, who needs Money to carry on  
the Work of the Lord's Body here  
and there. I some time wish  
If I am not a sinner, to  
wish that Me + My Wife were  
rich in money, so we could do  
a lot more than I Have mentioned  
Here in this letter to you. I  
Believe we can safely say this  
If we were rich in money, we would

see that -8- The Lord's  
Body would Be Carried on  
A Big Way + The Poor that  
Was in real need, too the  
reasonable Number of Poor People  
would Be made Comfort By  
Lending Them A Helping Hand.  
Brother Chalk We Hope that you  
will not feel like we are  
making our Brag, of what me +  
my wife Have done since we  
Lived in Texas, Calif. + Arizona.  
Concerning Christian Good  
Works. We was glad we could do  
that much. We wish that we were  
a lot more able, so we could  
keep the Cause of the Lord's  
Body grow like it should.  
We enjoy a Hearing you Bring  
Fine Gospel Sermons over the  
K. J. K. O. Radio Station  
Transcribed On Each Lord's

Day Morning at 8:35 - A.M.  
Here Between Globe Ariz. and  
Miami Ariz. of the → Herald  
of Truth. And I try to get  
up early enough to see the  
T. V. Program of the Herald of  
Truth, over Channel 12 - From  
Phoenix Ariz. at 6:00 - A.M.  
Each Monday Morning. And I  
shure do. Enjoy a seeing it. I  
Wish we was plenty able to  
also help with this fine  
T. V. Program, if we were, we would  
help. On Sunday Morning at  
7:30 - A.M. we watch the T. V.  
Program sponsored by 12 Conger-  
gations of the Lords Body from the  
Valley In Phoenix, Tempe, Mesa,  
and Chandler, also, Buck Eye  
Ariz. and Prescott Ariz. Name  
of this T. V. Program is we shall  
know - the Truth.

We shure do enjoy all the Programs that I Have mentioned Here in this letter. Keep up All this Good Work.

I Hope you will not get too tire some a reading this Long letter. And We Hope any of these good Works concerning the Lords Body will not suffer for Help or money.

Brother Chalk, I will tell you my age, I Am 56 years old and I was 56 - Dec. 8 - 1967 - My Wife was 52 years old at the 3<sup>rd</sup> of Nov. 1967.

Y Our Brother + Sister  
In Christ.

Mrs. + Mrs. A. D. Walker.

P.S. We Have a sticker of the Herald of Truth. Pasted on the Back of our Ford car.