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## Words of Life

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## **America Has Fallen From Grace**

It's early morning and God spoke to me saying these awesome words, "America has fallen from grace." We sing the song, "America the beautiful, God shed His grace on thee." His grace covers a multitude of sins. The word itself means unwarranted favor. Do not be shocked if God turns us into a country more destitute than a third world country. We have left the God that founded America — we have lost the sheer joy of working for a living, of community living, of preferring others more than self. Working from sunup to sundown was the norm when our country was young. We've lost the sense of community.

We've lost the sense of caring for those who are homeless. We do not need homeless shelters if we all open our homes to the homeless.

Take them in, give them a good meal and bed to sleep on and send them on their way. If they are the type that works for a living, God will provide work for them. Let us be givers instead of takers.

Perhaps some of these scriptures will become a reality — not just words written on a piece of paper — it is more blessed to give than receive. If you take in the homeless, the destitute, you'll be fulfilling the scripture, what I've done to the least of the brethren I've done to Christ. Let us make the written word the logos of the word, which means, the living word. God is life — He's not just words written on a piece of paper.

God is going to make us so we really are a nation undivided, all helping one another with the fruit of it, "with liberty and justice for all". However, these things don't come except by a big wave of humility with much pain and suffering.

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