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LYRICS

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Album: Amazing LORD 'n' Life

*When they had twisted a crown of **thorns**, they put it on His [Jesus's] head, and a reed in His right hand. And they bowed the knee before Him and **mocked** Him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" Then they **spat** on Him, and took the reed and **struck** Him on the head. And when they had **mocked** Him, they...led Him away to be **CRUCIFIED**. --Matthew 27:29-31*

"...Jesus, the author and finisher of [our] faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame.... For consider Him who endured such hostility from sinners against Himself, lest you become weary and discouraged in your souls. "

-- Hebrews 12: 2a, 3. Verse 4:

"You have not yet resisted to bloodshed, striving against sin."

1

Two people hid under it. Smoke rolling in. DANGER! DANGER! Yet they believed, quite sincerely, Fire wouldn't come to bring them death.

2

I ran inside, saw them, yelled. FIRE IS COMING! DANGER! COME OUT! I'll lead you to safety. Please! Come on! You will surely die unless you come.

BRIDGE

I rolled under that old dresser. Hurt my shoulder, yet kept reaching on. Grabbed their legs. Smoke getting thick. They kicked me. STILL THEY HID. Beat me, hit at me, and cursed at me.

Yelled, "Mind your own business!" Spit at me.

Would not see Death coming.

Called me names: "**Prejudiced.**"

3

"You will die!" I cried to them. They spat, back, "Leave us the Hell alone.... It's our right to THINK what we want. Go away, we'll think what we want."

4

"Fire is coming!" I cried again. They mocked me: "Leave us the Hell alone.... It's our right to DO what we want. You're prejudiced and just plain wrong.

CHORUS PRAYER

What to do? Reality brings sure death when people won't believe.

Do we choose to walk away saying, "Hey we warned you." What do we say?

God, we pray: HELP YOUR CHURCH..... God help ME to speak only Truth.

Your Church chooses to speak of Your Way,

saying "God's word warns, with Love about hell."

Song Story.

Time line for this song:

1. I awoke with the dream exactly as described in this song, even to the antique dresser.
2. At 8:30, I went to gym and wrote the lyrics (all of them) in 1/2 hour on the elliptical machine.
3. At 11:15, I went to the church to pray at the altar as usual -- which I share, not to brag but to demonstrate the amazing wonders God has done from there. I asked God to give me great music for this song as yet more EVIDENCE that it is HIM gifting these songs... not me. After awhile I got off my knees and walked to the piano... a few moments after I wrote in my journal, "God, I haven't the SLIGHTEST idea for music for this song."
4. I sat at the piano at 12:05 and finished the song music at 12:30.
5. I came home and recorded all the main musical instrument tracks.... oboe, flute, clavichord, and of course piano. I typed the music sheet.
6. At 5:30 the professional studio J&T Productions recorded my vocals - singing and scriptures. Then did mixing. We finished in 90 minutes. Yes, some "filler" tracks still need to be done, and Claxton at Valley Worship and Praise Studio does lively bass and drums for me when I use live drums and need skills past my not so bad slide bass skills. But -- basically,
7. As I posted the song to the World Wide Web, I can truthfully say that GOD answered my prayers, providing this -- HIS -- song to HIS world in 16 hours. It's beyond me.