

Cristy Rosalyn Poulsen Humphrey

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Blessing given by Patriarch Abinadi Olsen upon the head of Cristy Rosalyn Poulsen Humphrey. Born July 22, 1899 at Orangeville, Emery Co., Utah. Daughter of Christian Poulsen and Margaret Beaver Luke.

Beloved sister Humphrey I administer this holy order of the Priesthood in the Sacred name of Jesus the Christ. Blessed art thou lovely daughter of Zion. Thy purity of life and purpose is written in Heaven. Because of thy obedience thou has escaped the pitfalls of youth and entered into an endless devine [sic] covenant with a favored son; even one of God's annointed. Thy vows are beautiful; thou art well begun. Look not back, go forward. God is waiting to bestow gracious gifts upon thee. Thou art an honored wife, eternal increase be thy portion.

Through the grace of God I seal upon thee a wealth of posterity. Thy lovable spirit will transmit to thine offspring thy gentle disposition and from primeval childhood, they be divinely impressed to love the beautiful, aye the revelations of the Lord. They with thine husband, shall perpetuate thy name and sweet memory forever.

Thou art a joy to thy noble immortal sire. He is praying for thee at the gates, of Heaven. Thou art a sweet comfort to thy mother conceived and born in sorrow and it is given thee to bless her widowed life during the afternoon of the twilight of life. O remember her great sacrifice for thee, forget her not when her temples will become whiter than the snowdrift, her mother face furrowed with time and care, when her knees totter with age. It is given thee to be a staff unto her and to sweeten her mortal life. Oh forget it not and God will remember thee and thine.

Thou shall be added upon. Thy basket full, thy cruse of oil running over. Earth will yield her strength for thy succor and many shall rejoice because of thy hospitality, rich and poor, bond and free. Neither turn away the stranger for it is given thee to entertain the angels, even just men made perfect.

Beautiful indeed are thy endowments. Thou hast not been shorn. Be liberal with the Lord. Eat no bread, neither wear ye garments that are not tithed.

Thou shall escape the day of burning. The angel of death will pass thee by.

Cristy, hidden treasures of knowledge hath been revealed unto thee, and a heritage in keeping, so far as made plain to thee, the Word of Wisdom. Howbeit there is yet much to be revealed unto thee that, will prepare thee for a higher more beautiful life.

Thy life is precious before the Lord. Howbeit, it shall be a life of sacrifice. Prepare thyself, sister, for it is given thee to lovingly embrace thy companion and wish him Godspeed to plead the cause of Zion both home and abroad, to prepare this generation for the coming of the Son of Man.

Oh, what a favored lot is thine. Time and language fails me. These blessings are the index to thy beautiful life and mission. God will reveal unto thee from day to day dreams by the sweet impress of his holy spirit. Thou shall be divinely guided. I do bless thee sister Cristy in the name of Jesus Christ with everything that is requisite for the accomplishment for thy sojourn in mortal walk.

Thy lineage is beautiful, yes divine. Thou art known among the fair daughters of Jacob. Thy name shall be written in due time among the daughters of Mother Eve as a mother in Israel. Joseph will own thee. Ephraim will claim thee for thou art an olive branch of his loins. See to it sister that you forget not thy lineage, even thy dead ancestors.

I seal upon thee the spirit of peace and commend thee unto God's keeping. Yea, I seal thee up unto eternal life to come forth in the morning of the first resurrection, to be crowned a queen and as princess unto the Most High God, and unto thy husband. Even so shall it be in Jesus ' name Amen.

Written and reported by Fred W. Reid.