Dearest Becky, December 7, 1974

Enclosed is David's prayer for Elaine—"The Wizard of Ahs!"—The Heartcry of the Fisherman!—For Ellie in Wonderland!—Love, Maria:

2. (DEAREST ELAINE, THIS IS A LOVING PRAYER DAVID PRAYED FOR YOU in the middle of the night when he was asleep, and I wrote it down for you. Hope it helps you see how much we both love you—and especially how much Jesus loves you! We believe you'll understand. God bless and keep you with His love. We love you!—Maria.) [Note: Elaine was our English housekeeper.]

3. I'VE BEEN WORKING SO HARD TO LOVE ELAINE!—Everyday, even when I was tired and sick. Will you tell her when I'm gone that I really loved her? You know I love you most of all, Honey. She's a little hard to love. She's a little hard 'cause she's had so many hard trials.

4. SHE'S LOOKING FOR REAL STRONG LOVE—love that will love her anyway. I don't even like her bad self: It's hard and brittle! But her soft little girl self needs me very much.

5. JESUS, HELP ME TO HELP THE LITTLE GIRL THAT NEEDS ME SO MUCH!

6. WHEN I TAKE HER IN MY ARMS AND LOVE HER, SHE LIKES IT! So many people hurt her and disappointed her and made her hard she had to get tough to take it. And she's tried to help so many people, but she didn't know enough of Jesus to know it was Jesus they needed.

7. JESUS, HELP ME TO SHOW HER YOU LOVE HER, to do something for her to show her You love her even when nobody else loves her. We bring her back to life. (David speaks here in another language.) Thank You Jesus, thank You for touching her with Thy magic love to bring back the little girl of Wonderland, Lord, to make her to believe again in miracles and to wonder in Wonderland!

8. THANK YOU, LORD JESUS, THAT SHE LOVES YOUR OLD FATHER DAVID. Help her to see and believe and love. Help me to bring her out and show her Your love. Are you eating your yogurt, Honey? Why are you sniffling? (Maria: It's my tears.) She cries too. She's so lost in Wonderland! She's trying to find the way. I have to take her by the hand, Honey, 'cause

9. I'M THE WIZARD OF AHS!—and ahs!—and ahs!—and all the ahs there ever was, and I have to lead her back. That "ah" is a strange expression, like one of awe—or also that you comprehend something. That's what I do for the kids. It's really almost an expression of satisfaction, like the light dawns at last!

10. I SHOW THEM THE WAY so they can understand. I have to ask her,
What can I do to make you happy? What can I do to love you? You know what?—If I give her everything I have, she's worth it!—One soul is worth it! One immortal soul is worth all my love—my body, my money, everything!

11. I'D GIVE HER MY LIFE—you know?—If I could just win her to Jesus and help her know how much Jesus loves her! If she could just know Jesus! I have to give her that book so she can read it—about Jesus—maybe she can read that one with Jerusalem covers, but her eyes are tired.

12. SOMETIMES SHE'S BEEN AWFUL HARD and mean and cruel 'cause she was hurt so bad she wanted to hurt people. She even wanted to kill 'em! But I don't care—I love her! If she wants to kill me, she can kill me! I love her so much, like Jesus loved people, Who fed them and helped them and tried to save them, but they killed Him.

13. I'M GOING TO GIVE HER MY LIFE and if she wants to kill it, she can kill it. It's a very tender precious thing, 'cause I'm giving her my heart and she knows it.

14. OH, DAVID LOVES THE LOST and would give them suck from his bosom, give them his life and his flesh that he might save the Children of his Father!

15. O, JESUS, HELP HER TO BELIEVE IN YOU, Jesus, through me, Jesus! Help me to love her with Your love, Jesus! O Jesus, help me to take her in Your arms of love! Help her to know it is Your arms and Your love! Help her, O God, to know how much You love her! Help her, Jesus!

16. HOW WAS SHE LAST NIGHT? (Maria: She was sleeping.) I guess she's all right if she's sleeping. (Maria: Who has she wanted to kill?) People she loved and who were mean to her. It's hard for her when they're mean to her when she loves them so much, and it's true, they didn't deserve it (her love).

17. BUT I LOVE HER and I give her my heart even if she wants to kill me. She can kill me if she wants to, but she'll know I loved her, just like Jesus. O, my God, help her to hear the voice of her father!

18. HELP HER, O GOD, TO YIELD TO THAT LOVE OF ALL LOVES IN HER DAVID! Help me to cuddle her in my arms. Help her to need me. You did it, Jesus. You showed me, Lord, she needed my love. Please help her to need me, Lord! I love You, Jesus! You made me, Father. I love you, Jesus!

19. YOU MADE ME, JESUS, TO POUR OUT THE WATERS OF YOUR LOVE TO YOUR CHILDREN. Help them to receive it. Please, please, help Elaine to receive my love, to know my love! I love You, Jesus! I love you, Ellie! I love you, Sweet Baby! Please take my love!

20. SHE CAN TAKE IT IN HER HANDS if she wants it, you know? Help her to need You, Jesus. Help her to know nobody else loves her as much as You do. Help her to know how much You love her, Lord.

21. I LAY MY LIFE, THE LIFE OF JESUS, AT HER FEET.—She can pick me up and cuddle and kiss me and love me, or she can kick me, do whatever she wants to do—I still love her! She's not easy to love. She's a little bit hard to love, 'cause she's been a little bit hard.

22. BUT THE LITTLE GIRL IS STILL THERE, MY LITTLE ELLIE THAT JESUS LOVES is still there. She's there sometimes. Sometimes she's an old hard woman that's hurt and hates, but I think I can help resurrect the real Ellie, the little pretty little girl in the white veil and with the little book. (He saw a vision of her confirmation.)

23. JESUS HELP ME! Do you know what I mean? OK? Is that all right with you, Honey? Want me to save Ellie? I love you, Sweet Baby? Do you love her? Would you give your life for her like Jesus did and
like I've been doing, when I'm so tired and so sick and nigh unto death?

24. I STILL GIVE MYSELF FOR HER! I don't know: I don't know if she loves me that much, but at least she's been loved by someone who really loved her and gave his life for her. We've got to tell her, we have to command her to sit down and listen to the voice of God on the tapes first.

25. TELL HER, "ELLIE, I LOVE YOU and I want you to love me and you must listen to my words. If you love me, you'll keep my commandments". Honey, you must go to sleep now. Thank you, Honey, you're so good to me. Thank you so much. (David sleeps, but a few minutes later stirs and says:)

26. SHE NEEDS JESUS' LOVE so she can love the way she really wants to love. Wish I could show her the kind of love she needs. I'm trying, but I'm not very good at it. I need her, too!