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To: Linda Shelton

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Linda you only can blame yourself. Remember I begged you to drop the Dr. as I knew where these bad decisions would lead you. I told you along with John L. that continuing in this relationship with this man would lead to the destruction of your marriage and your ministry.

I believe that you thought you could have your cake and eat it too, even though I told you that you could not.

You had the false impression nothing could happen to Linda Shelton, because you had so many fans. You believed falsely, that people would support you regardless of the fact that you were ignoring counsel and the board would never have the nerve to let you go as you believed the ministry would go down the tubes.

Remember all the times I warned you that if you didn't stop that everything that happened to you would happen.

No, I didn't make it happen. You did!

I even gave you illustrations that when you tell Nathan that if he continues using drugs that it eventually will destroy him.

When you make that statement, it doesn't mean that you are going to destroy him. It means that you are spiritually and physically smart enough and can see more clearly down the road than he can. You cringe as you see him disobedient to God's word and have to watch him destroy himself. Because he is involved in the sin, he can't see down the road. You can see, because you are looking from a distance.

Everyone who counseled you, including me, saw what you were doing to yourself. You were too emotionally involved with the Dr. to see the damage this relationship was doing to you and to see that he was a snake in the grass who wanted to put you in a position that you are in now. Where you have become totally dependent on him. Where he, because of this relationship with him, has alienated you from all your old friends, husband and ministry. Remember, he is a professional counselor. He has known all along where this road was leading you. He orchestrated this whole thing so that he could have your love and your loyalty. His end result was to have you physically as well. He was too cunning and smart for you. You let him destroy your marriage and ministry by his "perfect" words for hours at a time.

Linda, everyone saw it coming but you. Even the Nazarene counselors told you he was a snake in the grass when the very first time he invited you to go to his condo in Florida without me. As a professional he knew this was wrong.

One has to hand in to him, he, with Satan's help by knowing your weaknesses, has pulled off the greatest deception of any "bright light" in the SDA church since it's inception.

May God open your eyes before it is forever too late.

While I disagree totally with you, I love you with all my heart. But even though you love Nathan, you have been helpless to save him because he either does not know the sin he is in, or he chooses to live in denial.

All you can do is pray for him. At this point all I can do is to continue to pray for you.

That's why I've chosen to quit communicating with you or see you anymore. I'm only doing what your actions tell me that you want. And by the way, you have not learned forgiveness yet. No one would treat someone the way you've treated me since our divorce if you've forgiven them. I Linda have forgiven you. Look at all the things I have done for you since our divorce. The Lord told me just to love you. But now, I have been released of loving you at a close range. I can love you from a distance, while we each go on with our new lives.

You don't need to answer this.



Love is forever!

Dan

ps. May you have a happy birthday next week.

If you choose to give me your home phone # in the future, I'll view it as an attempt to a least having an open door to having as friendly a relationship under the circumstances as possible. Of course, as you know, I can get your phone number through other sources for less than \$50.00. I am not trying to get your number to call you, It's just that your phone number was part of my fleece.