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## **The Festival of Shelters** A Celebration for Love and Justice

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with Heather Bargeron  
preface by Dick Rustay

I read "The Festival of Shelters," Ed ... and I am chastened. When I got to the last page it said, "This book is not for sale." I was barking up the wrong tree to suggest it sell for 25 cents. I repent, and will accept your grace and mercy as well as that of God, the great love and forgiver.

I like the focus on living and acting in a way that interrupts our normal pattern as a gift to celebrate. The theme of interruption of our patterns is a key theme throughout, a theme I find challenging and helpful.

Your focus on interrupting the normal patterns becomes possible, as you suggest, because of the call of God to follow Jesus the interrupter and the interrupted.

Your focus on showing that Christ saves because of the way one behaves is also a challenge. And I have found this to be true for me as a mode of resistance to being domesticated. This gives the cost of discipleship the content of bearing the cross....

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