

## Christy - Disc Three (This DVD is recorded on both sides)

*God's firm foundation stands, bearing this seal: "The Lord knows those who are His," and, "Let everyone who names the name of the Lord depart from iniquity." 2 Timothy 2:19 ESV*

*Once the master of the house has risen and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and to knock at the door, saying, 'Lord, open to us,' then he will answer you, 'I do not know where you come from.' Then you will begin to say, 'We ate and drank in your presence, and you taught in our streets.' But he will say, 'I tell you I do not know where you come from. Depart from me, all you workers of evil!' Luke 13:25-27 ESV*

When Lundy was sick, possibly dying of malnutrition, Neil advised that keeping Lundy at the mission would be asking for trouble. David and Christy both believed that he should stay, but Christy said that sometimes she hated Lundy for what he did when he burned the school. Miss Alice replied that hate was what started feuding. In feuds, hatred was passed down from generation to generation between families. Hatred always does the most damage to the person who holds bitterness inside. Do you hold bitterness against anyone?

David proposed to Christy, but when his sister planned to marry a man that she had been corresponding with from a newspaper ad, David believed it was his responsibility to stop the marriage. Christy confronted him asking why he thought it was ok for the two of them to marry without asking Christy's family, but David wouldn't allow Ida to make the decision for herself. Many people live with a double standard, expecting others to do things their way, but not allowing anyone to advise them. Do you listen to advice from others?

Even though Christy told David that she wasn't ready to get married yet, when David's old friend, a beautiful young singer, arrived in Cutter Gap, Christy was jealous. Christy thought she would dislike the lovely young woman from David's past but in the end they became good friends.

Have you ever had a wrong first impression of someone and later became friends?

Rob Allen entered an essay contest. He didn't win, but one of the judges was so impressed with his writing that he offered Rob a college scholarship if he could pass the entrance exam. Rob's father was angry at Christy for putting ideas into the boy's head. Rob was torn between wanting to go to college and helping his family. In the end he chose to be with family saying he wasn't ready to leave the Gap yet. Sometimes it is hard to decide what path we want to take. If you have a difficult decision, pray about it.

When the children said they were scared of ghosts, Christy said that ghosts were superstitions and asked why they were afraid of them when none of them had ever seen one. Zady replied that she'd never seen the devil but the pastor said they should be afraid of him. Christy replied that was different since it was in the Bible. Zady concluded that if God said something that it wasn't a superstition even if you couldn't see it. What are some things that we can't see and yet we know they are real? (electricity, the wind, etc.)

When Christy traveled with Miss Alice to Freedom Kentucky, Christy was frightened when the Ku Klux Klan descended on the settlement. Christy had never seen such intense hatred towards people who had done nothing wrong. When Daniel returned with Miss Alice and Christy to Cutter Gap, people shunned him there also.

How would you feel if people shunned you or hated you because of the color of your skin?

*Dear Lord, there are many choices in front of us every day. We have many opportunities to choose between right and wrong. Don't let us hate and destroy with unkind thoughts, words, and actions. Help us choose what is right. Take away our selfishness and insecurities. Teach us how to live to Your glory and our good. Bless and keep us for Jesus' sake, Amen.*