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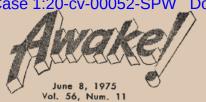
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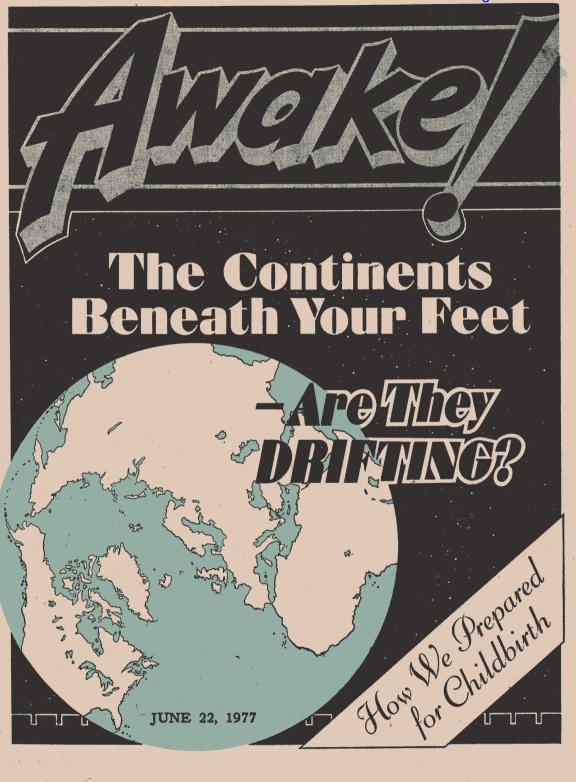
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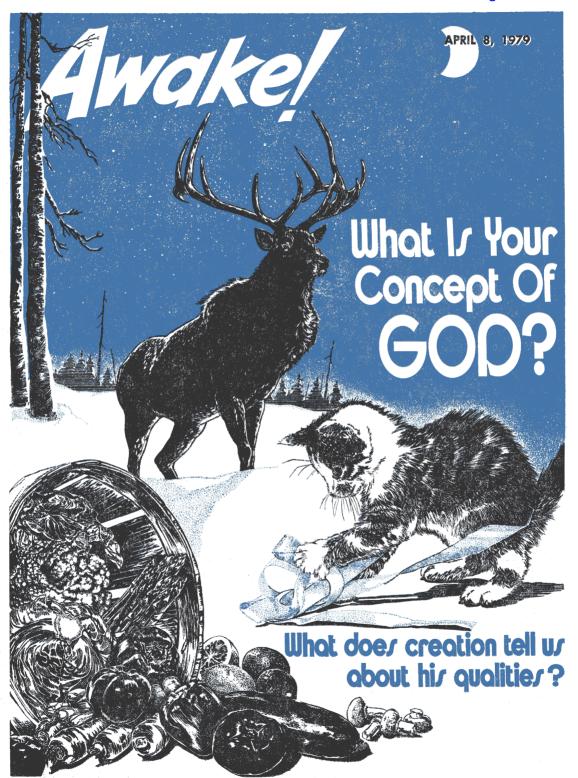
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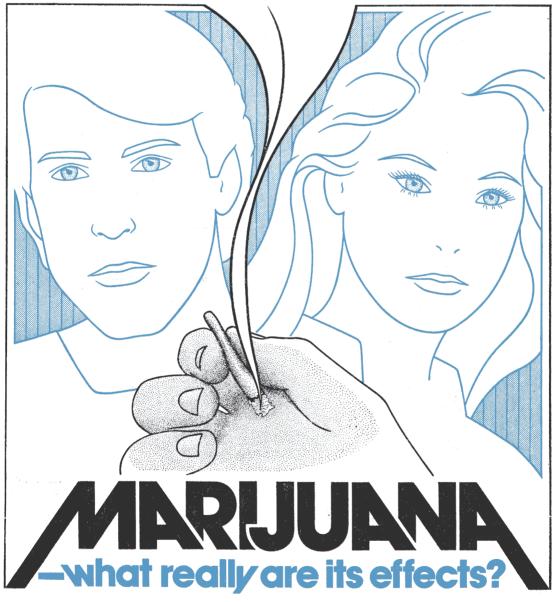
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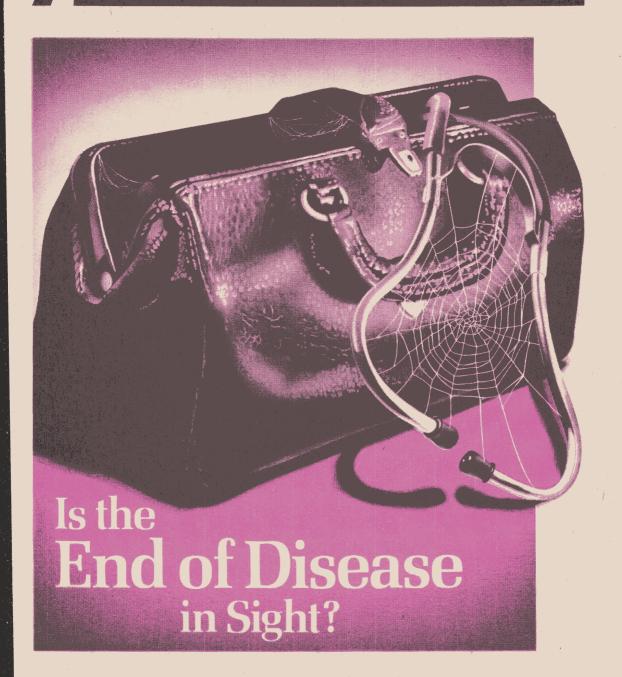
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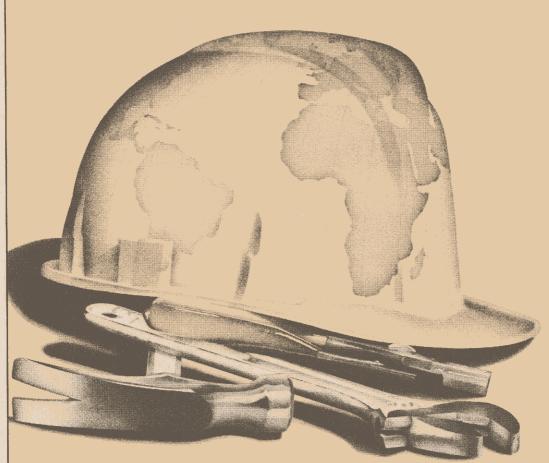
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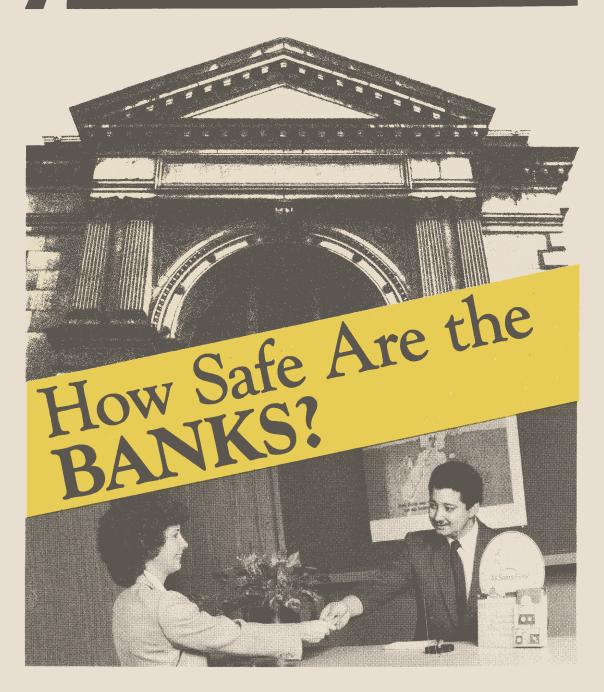
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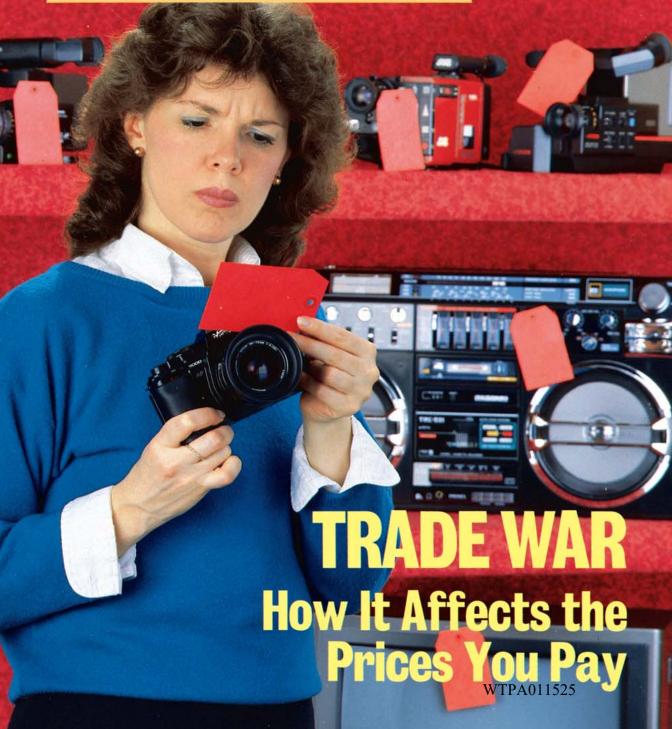
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August 1986. As a result, Japanese workers last year received the smallest wage increase in 31 years—an average of 4.5 percent. And unemployment reached 2.9 percent of the work force, the highest since 1953. It is feared that the rate "may worsen to 7%-8%," according to the chairman of the Japan Federation of Employers' Associations.

Result of Trade Imbalance

But why did the dollar shrink? Simply put, it was due to trade war in the very competitive world of international business. Some nations manage to export more goods than they import, resulting in a trade surplus. Canada, for example, has an annual trade surplus of \$18.6 billion, and Japan exported goods worth \$82.7 billion more than the goods it imported in 1986.

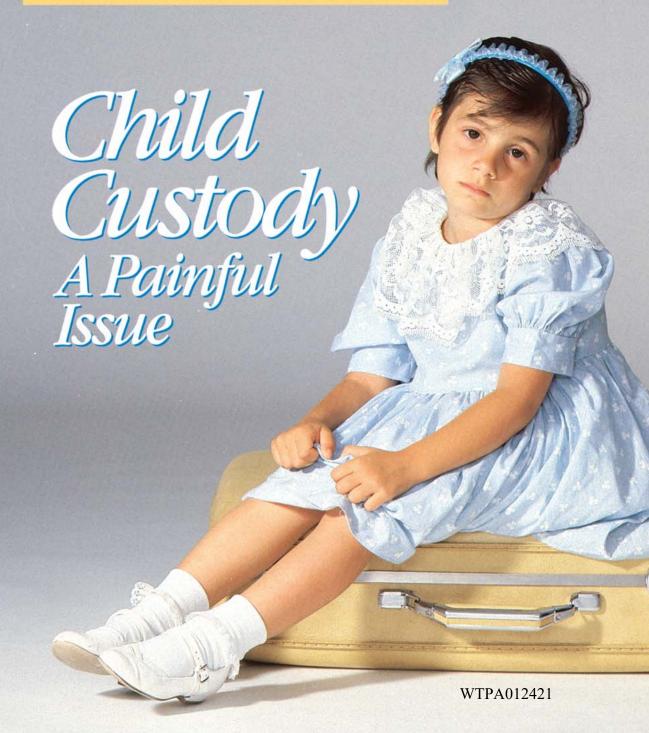
On the other hand, countries like the United States now import far more goods than they export. It is easy to see what this situation does to a country's economy. The resulting trade deficit creates serious unemployment problems and deals a blow to its economic stability.

Realizing that the economy of the world depends largely on the soundness of the U.S. economy, finance ministers and banking magnates of the five leading industrial nations met in September 1985 and agreed to depreciate the U.S. dollar against the major currencies of the world. The idea was that with the value of the dollar lower, goods from the United States would be cheaper and more competitive in other countries. This would boost U.S. exports. At home, demand for imported goods would decline, as these would now carry higher price tags. The net result, theoretically, would be to reduce the U.S. trade deficit.

Since the launching of the plan, the val-

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Child Custody Should Religion Be an Issue?

ARON "has love for the children and attempts to properly provide for them. However, her beliefs as a Jehovah's Witness come first, and by her actions and beliefs she is jeopardizing the health, welfare and best interests of the children."

This statement by a circuit court judge hit Karon like a thunderbolt. It meant that she had lost custody of her two small children—one an 11-month-old infant. Her husband, who before their divorce had taunted, "It's Jehovah's Witnesses or me!" now had custody. Karon could see her girls only every other weekend.

"My lawyer had assured me that my children could not be taken away from me because of my religion but that I had to be proved an unfit mother," explained Karon, a housewife in the state of Missouri, United States. "I was devastated." And no wonder, since undisputed testimony was presented

in court that she was a loving mother who 'regularly spent quality time with her girls.'

To visit her girls, Karon now had to travel to a city a hundred miles away. "Each time I left from the visits, my ex-husband's parents, who were keeping the girls, literally had to drag them off my legs so that I could go," recalled Karon. "They were kicking and screaming, 'Why can't we go home with you?' There were times I had to pull over on the roadside on the way home because of my tears and pray that Jehovah give me strength." Karon appealed to a higher court.

In a unanimous decision, the six judges of the Missouri Supreme Court gave her girls back to her. Appellate judge John Bardgett expressed the "firm conviction that the trial court was wrong" in concluding "that the members of the Jehovah's Witnesses religion, as a class and because of the tenets of

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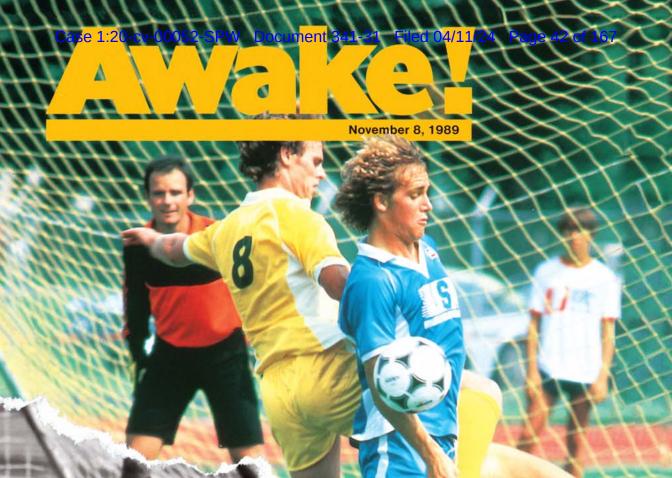
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Violence in Sports

Why the Increase?

PORT means health" is an old adage. In ancient times Greek doctors claimed that moderate sporting activity could bring good health.

Today, however, many sporting events are anything but healthy for either participants or spectators. Violence in sports has reached such proportions that an authoritative agency, the European Parliament, has approved a lengthy resolution "on vandalism and violence in sport." Alarmed by the ferocity of clashes before and after sporting events, both between the players and between the fans of opposing teams, the members of the European Parliament examined the phenomenon in its various features, its causes, and possible measures to stem it. What did they find, and what forms has violence in sports taken?

'A Widespread Phenomenon'

Soccer, the world's favorite sport, comes in for most of the criticism, but almost all other kinds of sport are involved in the problem. In 1988 violence flared during the European international soccer championships held in Germany. After a game involving their national team, British fans started a raging battle that ended up with wounded policemen, damaged property, and 300 persons arrested. After a victory of the Italian team during the same championships, three people died in a frenzy of enthusiasm.

In Britain infamous hooligans sow panic wherever they go, helping "to destroy the image of English football at home and abroad," as *The Guardian* said. And several times during one sports season, the Monday editions of

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coca paste and similar substances is common in many such lands. UN Secretary-General Javier Pérez de Cuéllar thus said that the problem of illicit trafficking in and abuse of drugs "presents as destructive a threat to present and coming generations as the plagues which swept many parts of the world in earlier ages."

The use of legal drugs, such as alcohol and tobacco, among youths also has many experts—and parents—worried. Reports the *UN Chronicle:* "Over the past 30 to 40 years, according to WHO [World Health Organiza-

tion], increasing percentages of children and adolescents have begun to drink alcohol; the quantities and frequency of consumption have increased; and the age at which drinking begins has declined."

Granted, only a minority of young people are depressed or engaging in self-destructive behavior. Worldwide, however, it still amounts to many millions who have severe problems. As we will next see, young people today are being exposed to stresses and pressures that are unique to the times we are living in.



The Challenges They Face

ESEARCH shows that the teen years are without a doubt among the most confusing and stressful times of life." So wrote Dr. Bettie B. Youngs in her book *Helping Your Teenager Deal With Stress*. In times past, youths had their hands full just being young. Nowadays, though, they must deal with both the travails of adolescence and the formidable adult pressures of life in the 1990's.

Wrote Dr. Herbert Friedman in *World Health* magazine: "The transition from child



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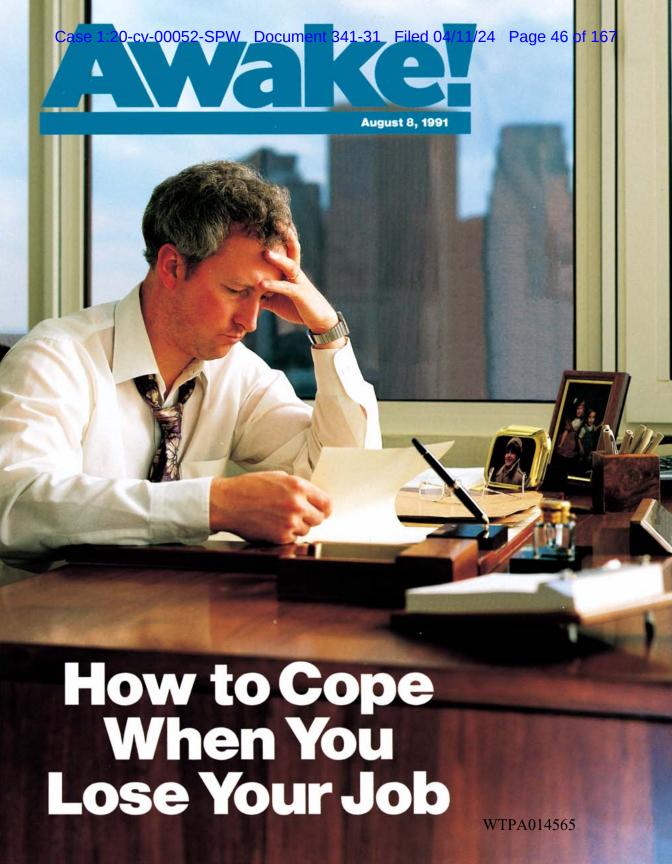
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number of white-collar workers also lost their jobs. "These are the economic icon jobs," said Dan Lacey, editor of the newsletter *Workplace Trends*, "the jobs that gave us the ability to buy a house in a nice neighborhood and drive two cars."

Many of those jobs were lost in the last few years. And the workers who were laid off found themselves, as *Newsweek* put it, "weighted down by mortgages, young families, big bills and an increasingly uncertain future."

What Are the Effects?

There is a twofold impact to all of this: Laid-off workers are hit both financially and emotionally. The financial strain is obvious. With less income, one's standard of living must be adjusted. And unemployment has an emotional effect as well.

For example, the outlook of young people toward job security changes. Sporadic employment becomes a normal, accepted way of life. *The Wall Street Journal* noted that off-and-on unemployment has turned many of Britain's youths into "permanent adolescents."

There are more deep-seated emotional implications for those who are laid off after years of steady employment. "When there's a layoff," said management psychologist Neil P. Lewis, "it's not just losing a paycheck, but

losing a bit of your self-concept."

In fact, psychologists have noted that the trauma of being laid off is similar to the trauma associated with the death of a loved one and with divorce. Initial shock gives way to anger, which in turn leads to grief and then acceptance. "Some people go through it all in two days," says Lewis. "Others take weeks and months."



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The End of **Economic Expansion?**

In the past year, fear of turbulent waters in the sea of finance has been reported worldwide. Consider several examples:

France: "The world is reaching the end of the longest period of economic expansion that it has ever known. . . . If European countries do not have much to fear in the short term. thanks to the boost provided by German reunification, they cannot expect to escape completely. . . . The markets have seen the danger coming."—Le Monde, Paris.

Brazil: A recession in the United States would "inevitably be transmitted and felt in the other industrialized countries and, as a result, would create greater restrictions for the growth of exports from the less-developed nations." —Fôlha de S. Paulo, São Paulo.

Britain: "The British economy, with its deeply rooted inflation, high interest rates, and slow growth, also appears uninviting."

-Financial Times, London.

Canada: "A lot fewer employers are looking for a lot fewer workers."—The Toronto Star.

Germany: "Parallels to the 1973 oil-price shock are already visible . . . as [are] signals of recession."—Neues Deutschland, Berlin.

Japan: "Land values are now like a hairtrigger bomb sitting at the heart of the world economy. If the bomb were allowed to go off and land prices fell, Japanese banks would implode as [loans] secured on Japanese land became next to worthless. This, in turn, would trigger a worldwide recession." —Australian Financial Review, Sydney.

However, the end of the Gulf War early in 1991 brought renewed hopes of an upturn in economic activity throughout the world. Still, it is evident that national economies are indeed fragile things, especially considering the enormous debt load that already burdens many countries.

The emotional toll is also seen in that those laid off become more susceptible to alcohol and drug abuse. Despair can even lead to family violence or breakup. "Those feelings have to go somewhere," stated Stephen Pilster-Pearson, director of employee assistance at the University of Wisconsin, U.S.A., "and one of those places, of course, is home."

In an even more tragic reaction, a universi-

ty graduate in Hong Kong chose to end his life after five years of unemployment. He stepped into the path of an oncoming train.

So when jobs are lost, more than the wallet is affected. Thus, it is imperative to see beyond the financial aspect of the problem. Highly charged emotions are involved, and families must pull together and unitedly work at solutions.

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I'd do without Atlantic City," she remarks. "This is our fun, you know, this is what we do."

For others, gambling is much more than mere amusement, an escape from everyday routine, or a hopeful stab at riches. In their case it is an important—if not essential—part of life.

"I'm a gambler because I enjoy the risk involved," explains Luciano, from Córdoba, Spain. "I'm not making excuses for myself," he adds, "but the fact is I was feeling depressed, and that is why I started playing bingo. Then I looked for other games of chance. You feel great when you have a pocketful of bills and are ready to play." Another habitual gambler, who had lost his job as a company director, was asked if he had ever considered giving up his vice. "Give it up?" he replied. "I couldn't do that. It's my living."

Although the motives may vary, gamblers are certainly not a minority group. To a greater or lesser extent, 3 out of 4 adult Americans gamble; the proportion in Spain, another country where gambling is endemic, is similar. And gambling

is big business. Only a few industrial corporations in the world have annual sales that exceed those generated by the lotteries in 39 countries.

Evidently, gambling's magic is potent. But is it a harmless enchantment, or does it harbor hidden dangers? An ancient proverb warns: "He that is hastening to gain riches will not remain innocent." (Proverbs 28:20) Is this true in the case of those who would be rich the gambling way?

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Bobby was found dead in a car parked on a north London street. Only 23 years of age, he had committed suicide.

The elderly man had been sleeping on the streets for some time before appearing at a welfare center. He was very weak, as he had not eaten for four days, nor had he taken his prescribed medicine for a heart condition.

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Many compulsive gamblers refuse to admit they have a problem, and family members often cover up for them to avoid the social stigma. But every day millions of households throughout the world face anguish and despair because of this destructive addiction.

Nobody knows how many compulsive gamblers there are. For the United States, ten million is considered a conservative estimate. The numbers are alarming and are escalating everywhere as gambling opportunities multiply in country after country. Compulsive gambling has been described as "the fastest growing addiction."

Many of the new addicts started off as casual gamblers who just wanted to "try their luck." Then they got swept along into the nightmare of gambling addiction.

When Gambling Gets Out Of Control

What changes casual gamblers into compulsive ones? The causes vary, but in one way or another, gamblers arrive at a point in their lives when they feel they cannot live without gambling. (See box on page 7.) Some discover in gambling an excitement that is missing in their lives. One gambler explained: "It doesn't really matter to me whether I win or lose. When I make a bet, especially if I wager more than those around me. I feel that I'm the most important person in the world. People respect me. I feel so excited!"

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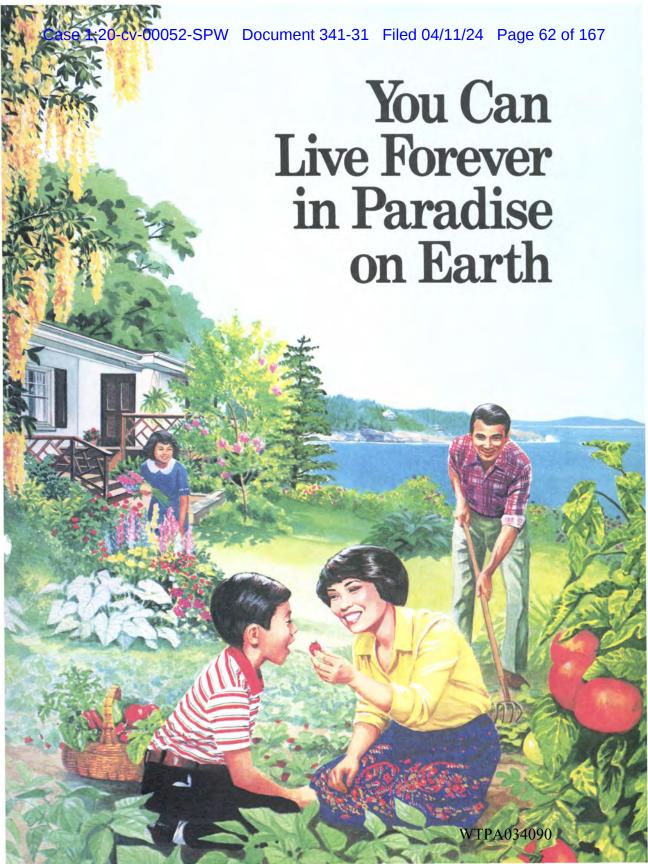
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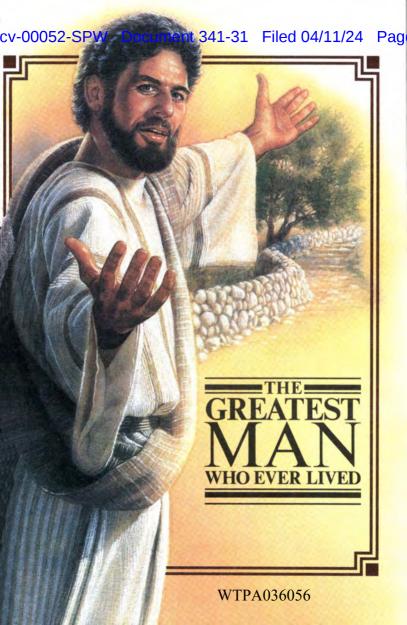
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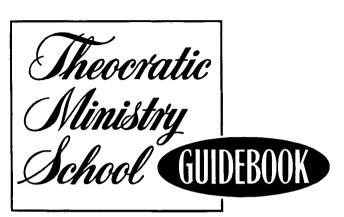
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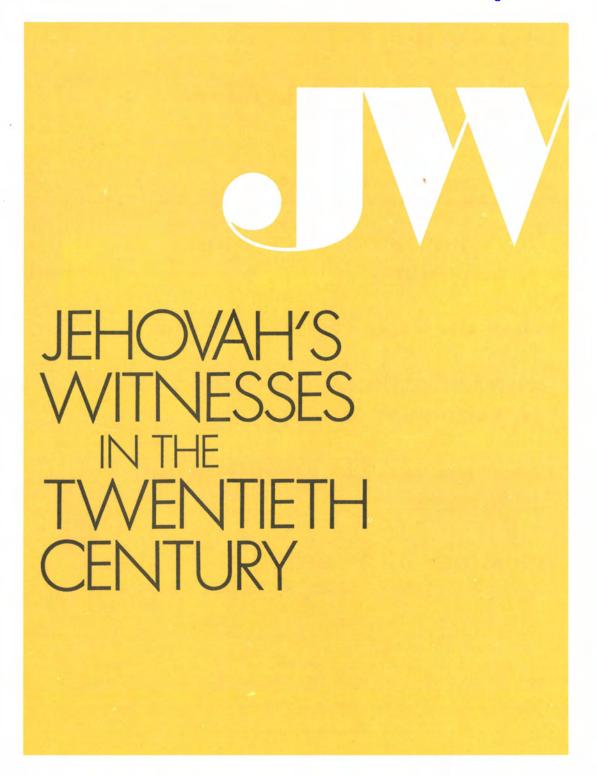
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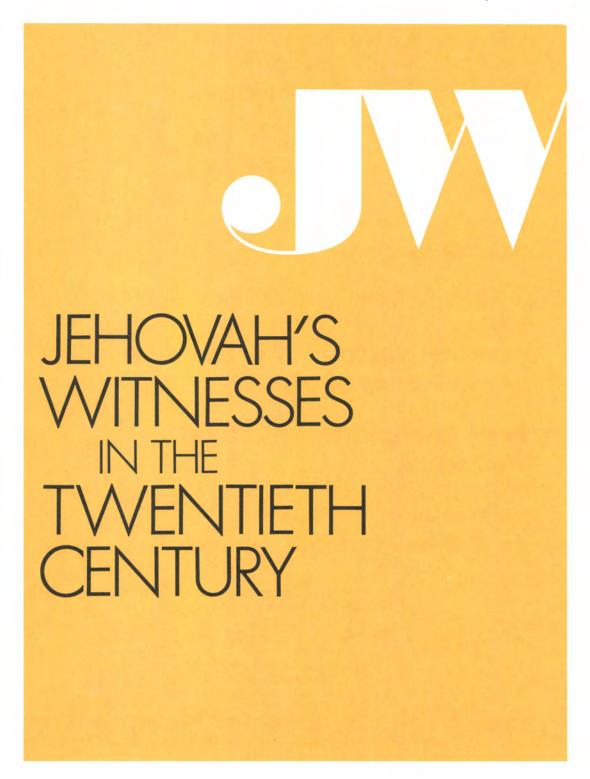
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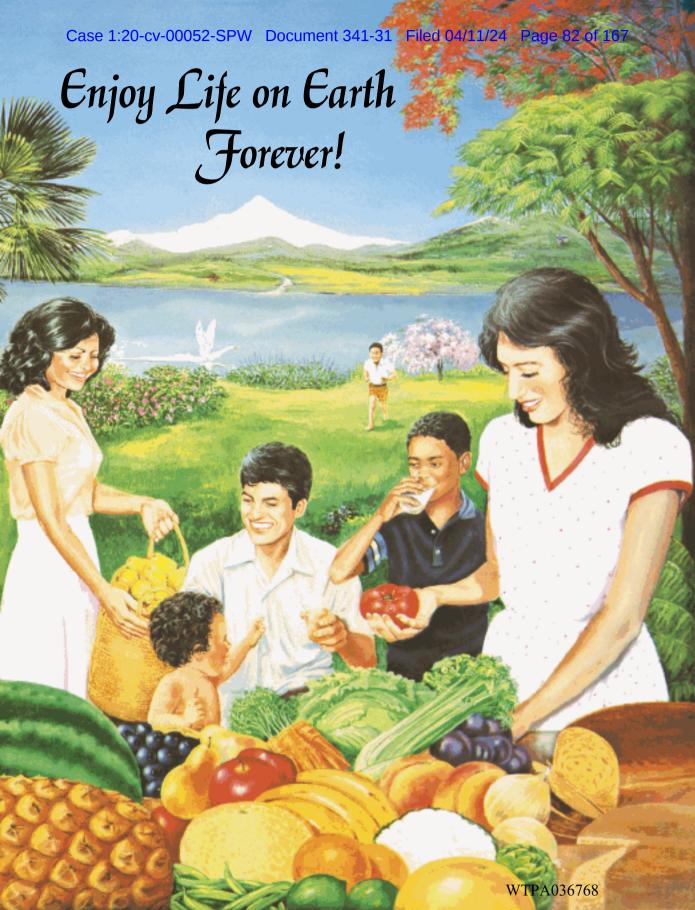
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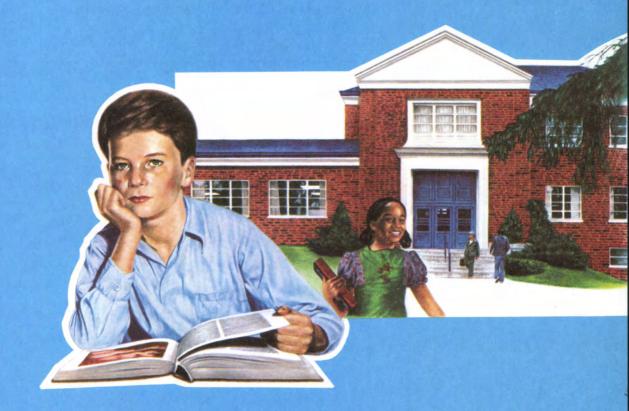
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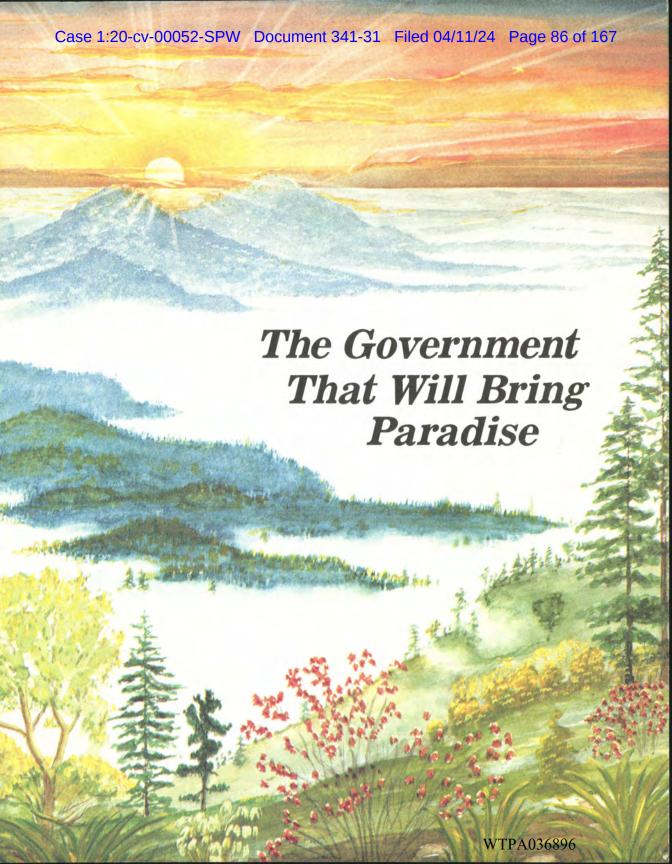
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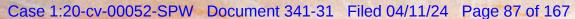
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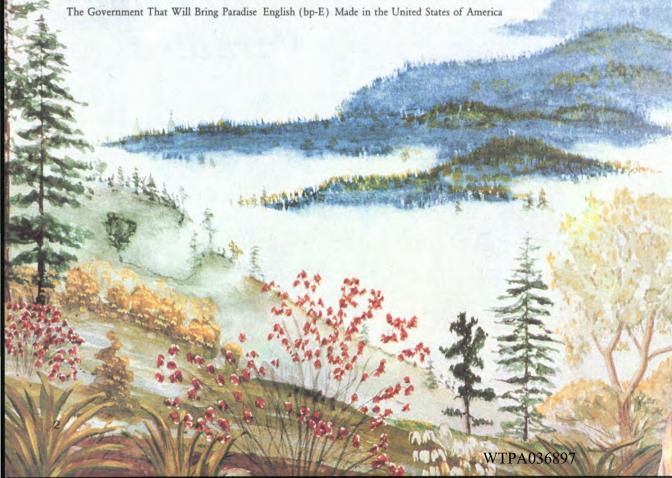
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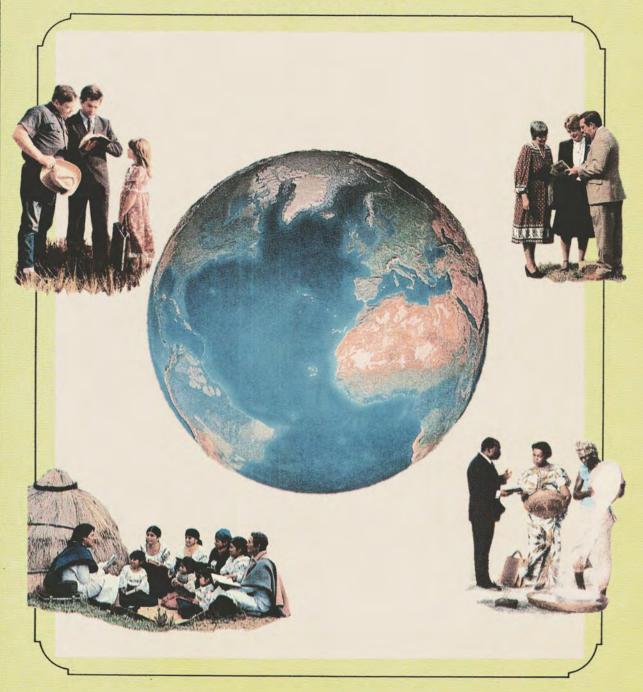
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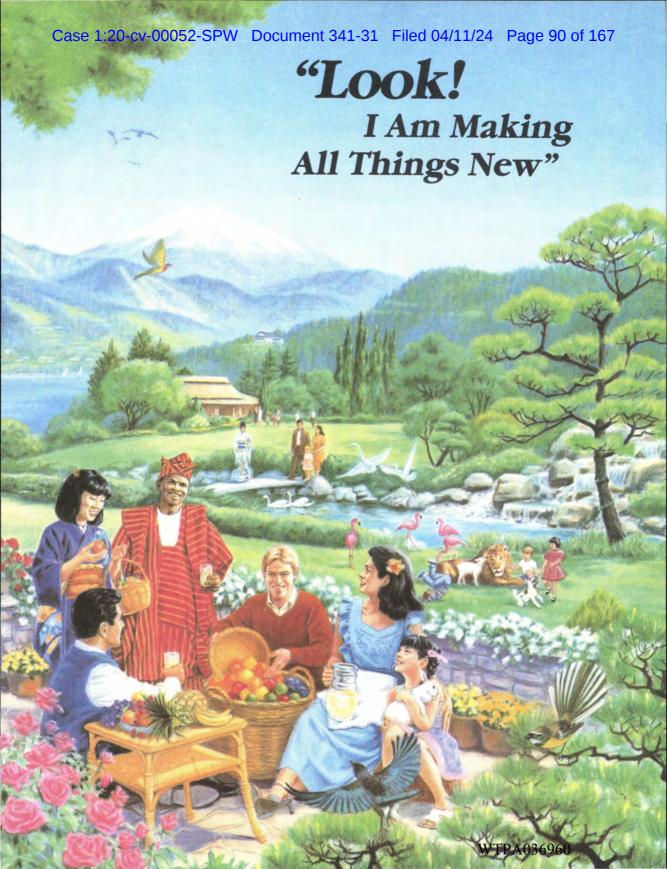
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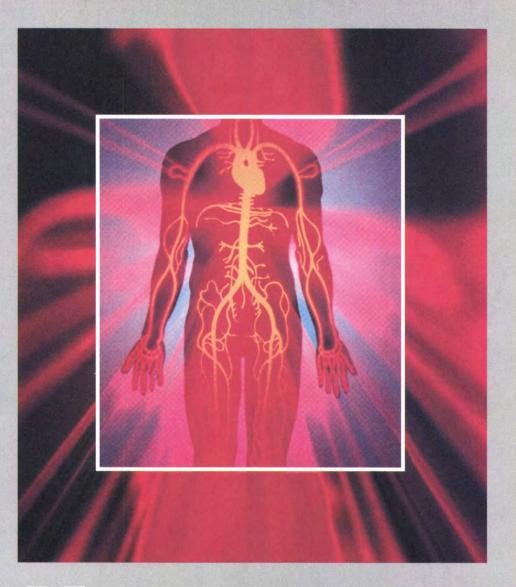
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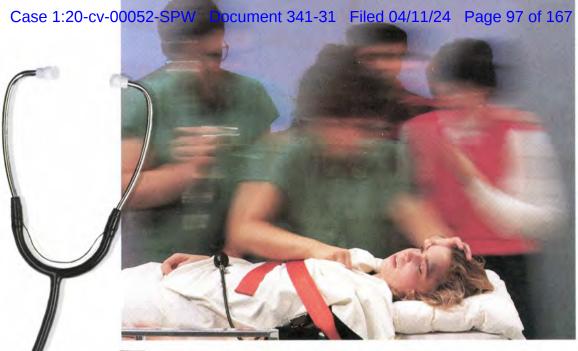
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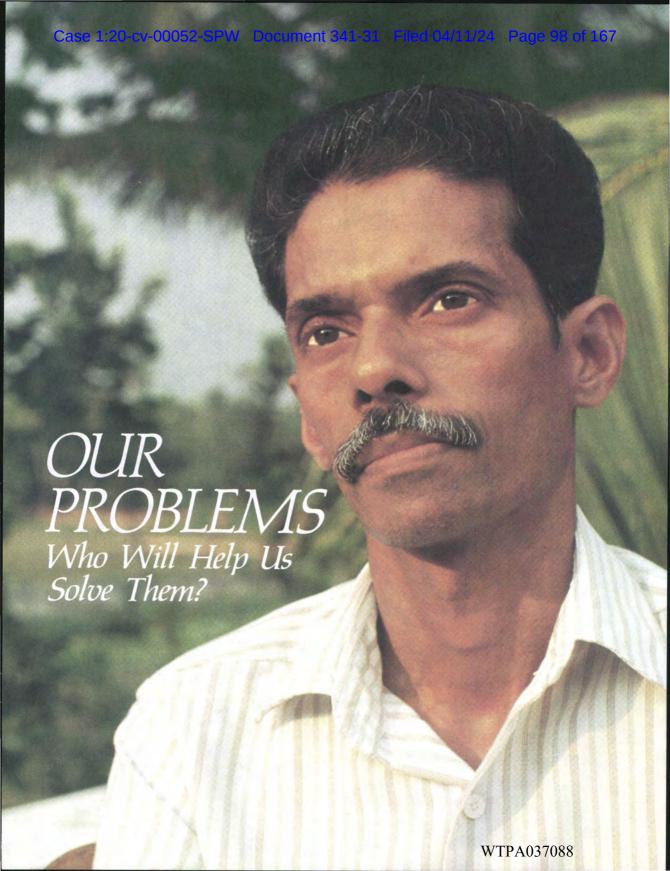
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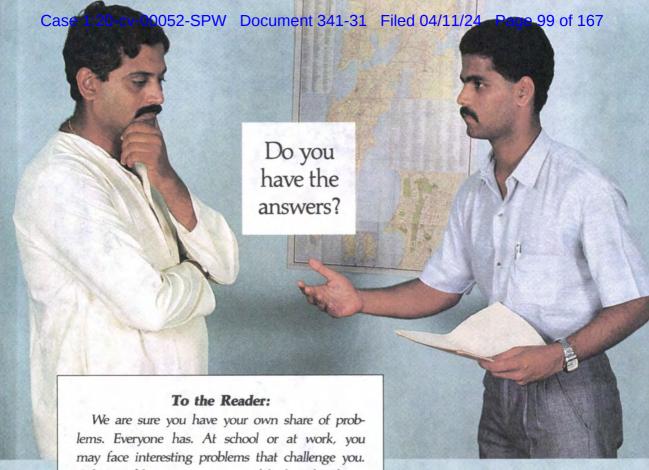
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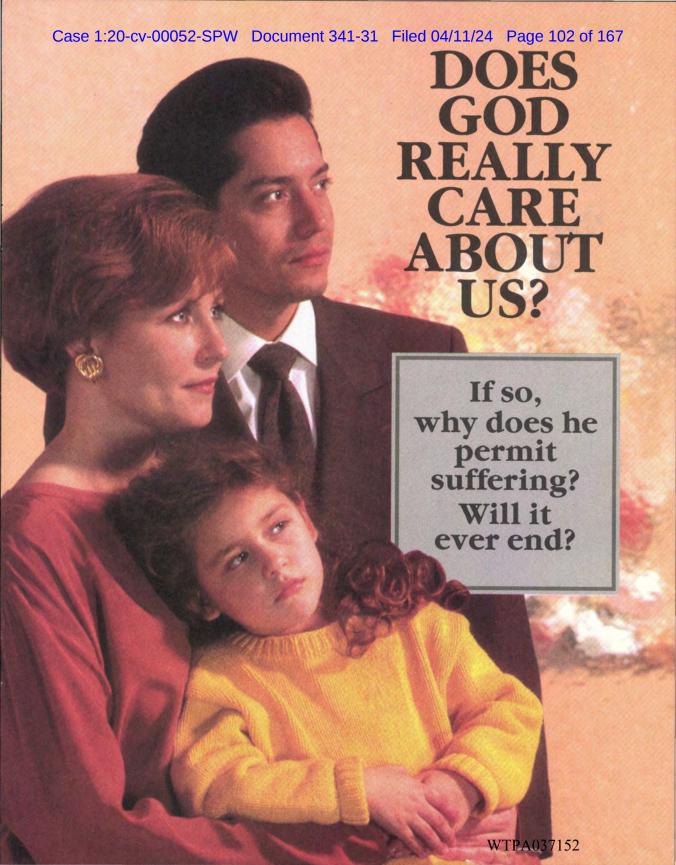
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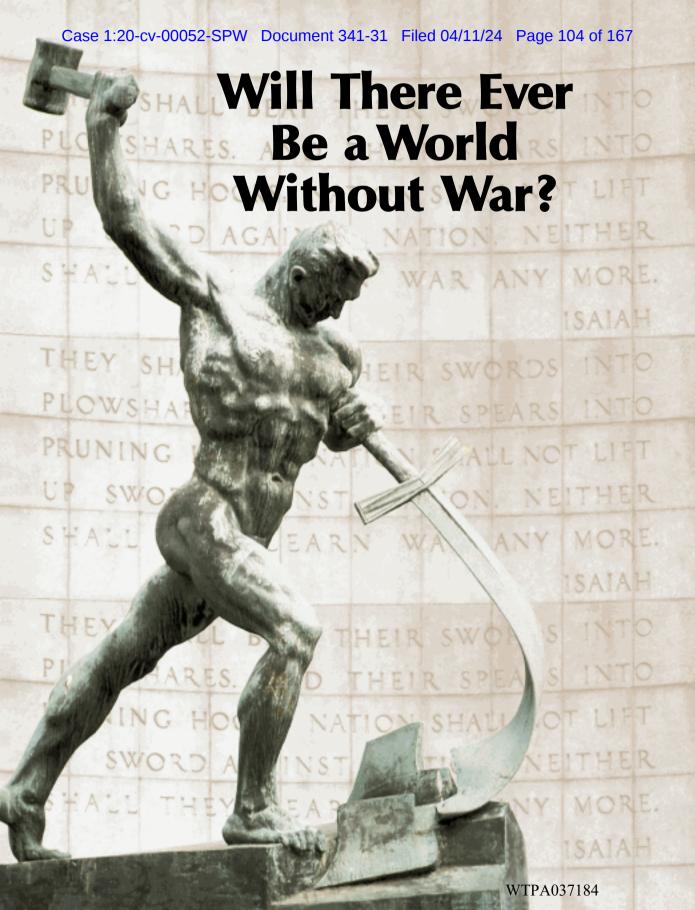
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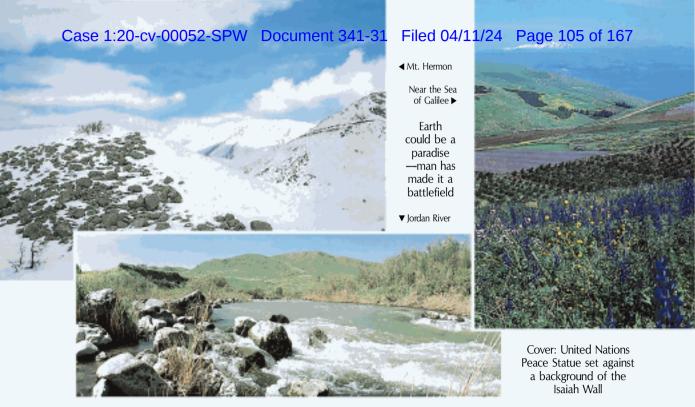
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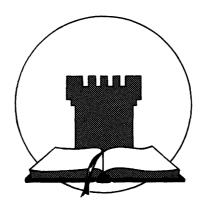
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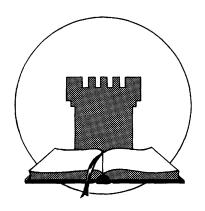
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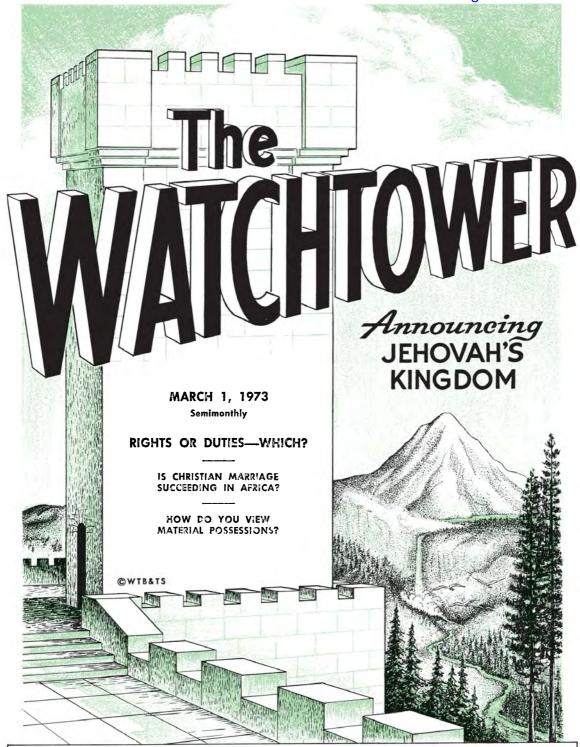
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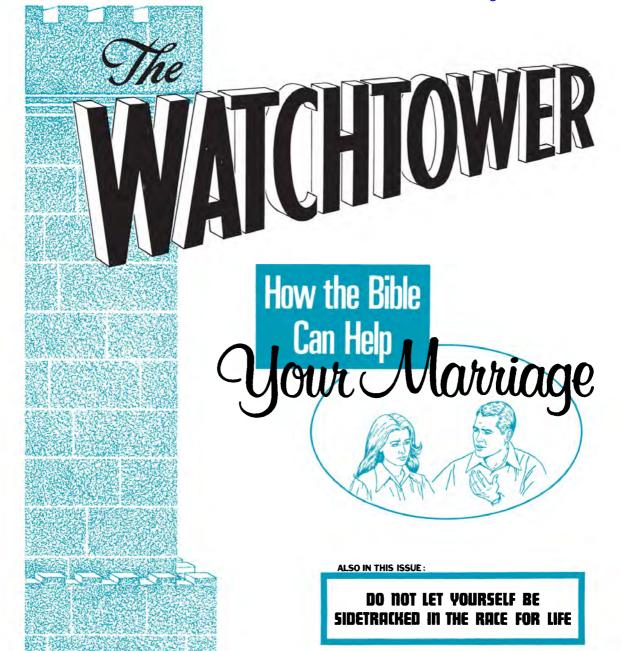
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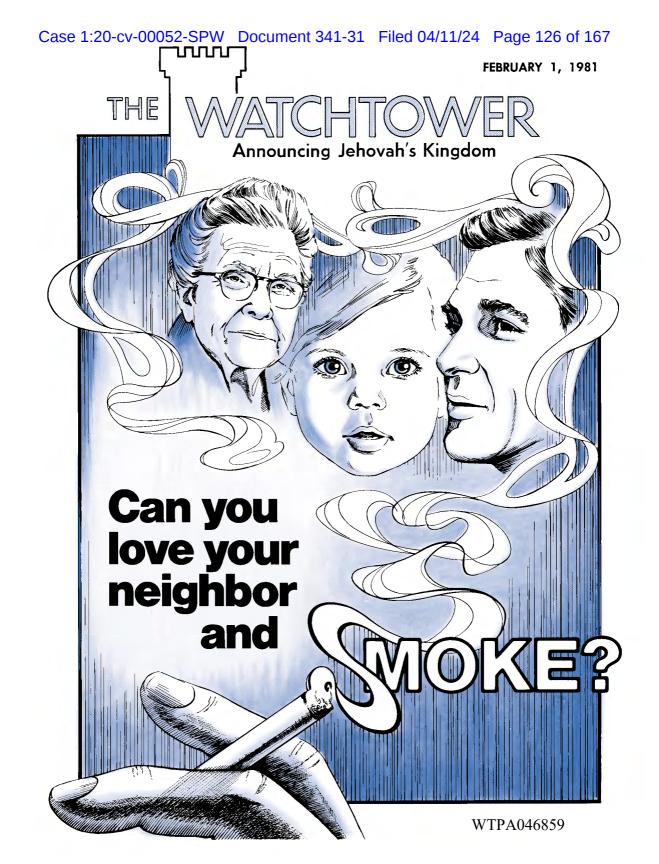
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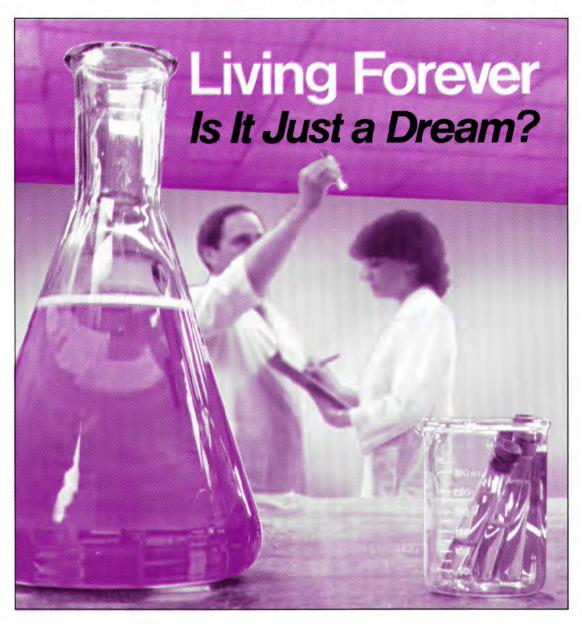
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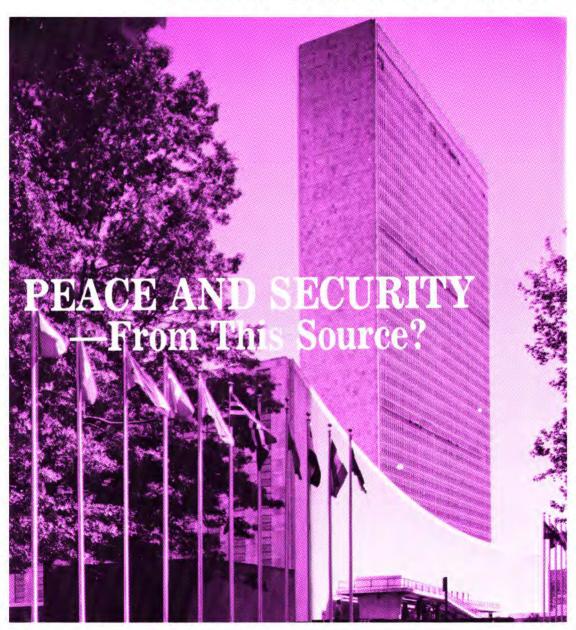
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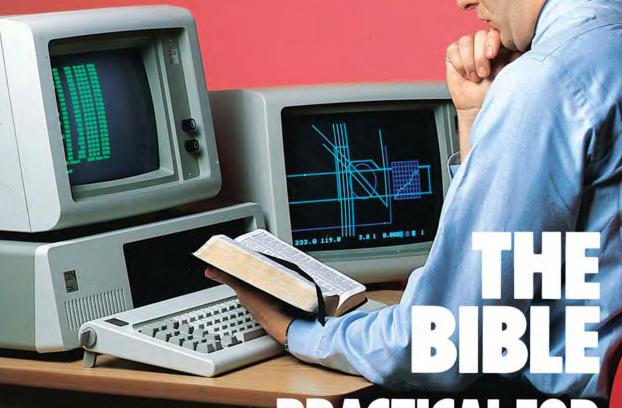
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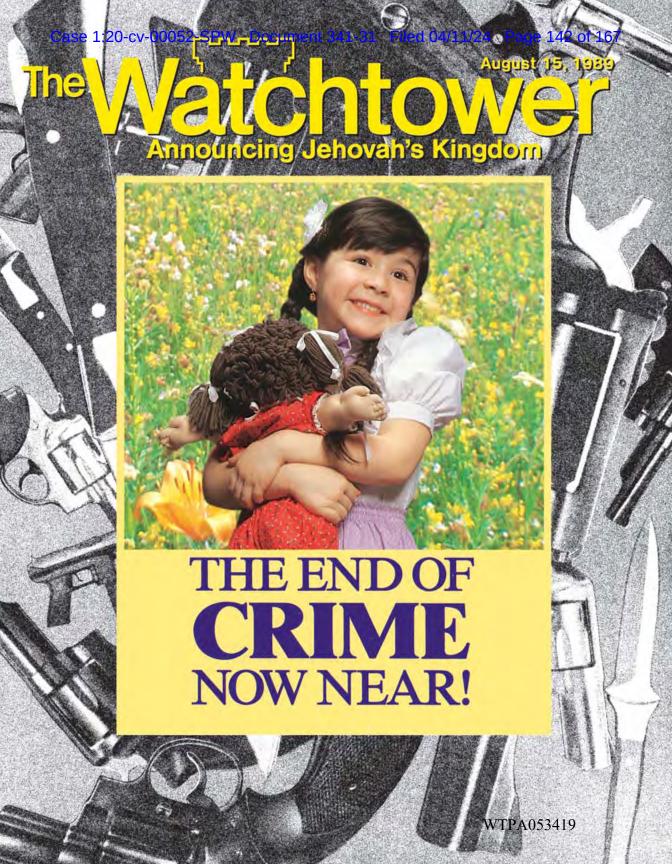
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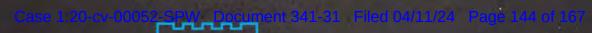
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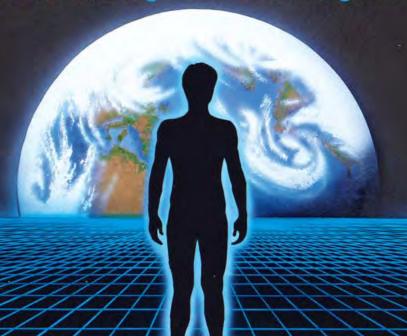
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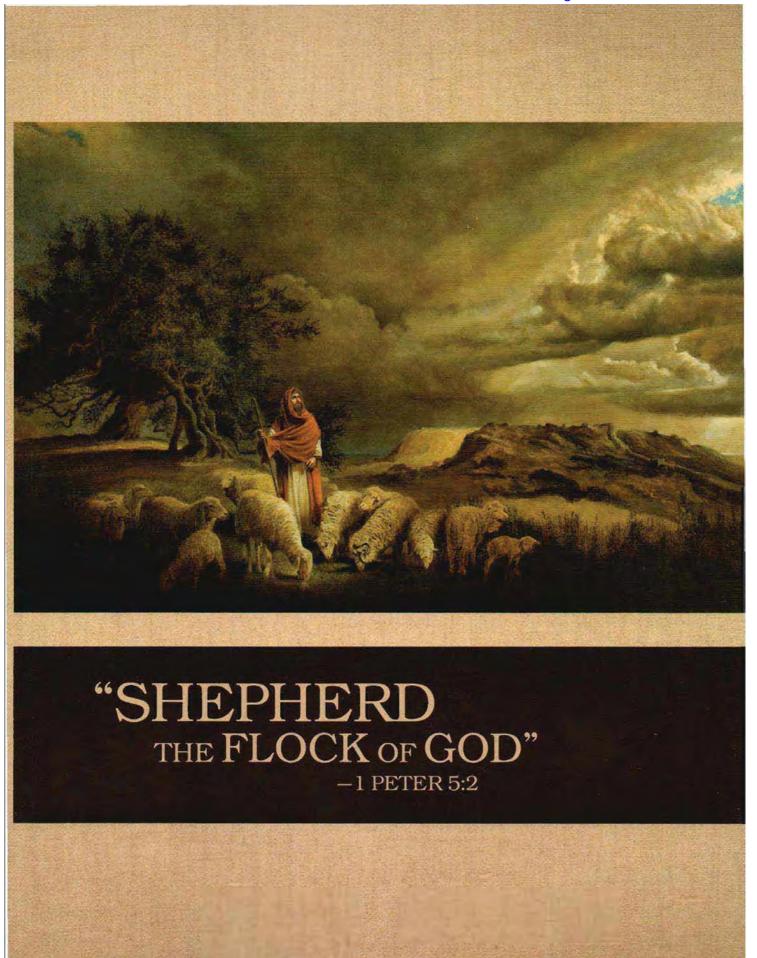
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