

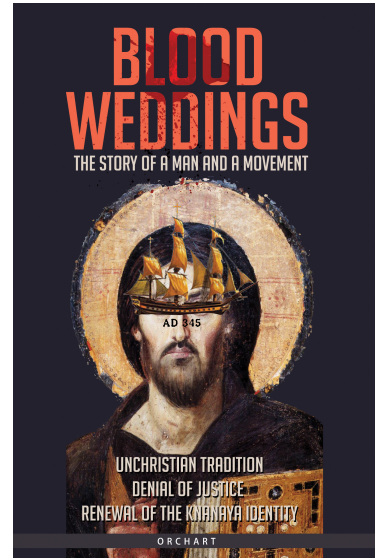
Message for Knanaya Community

Jesus Message to Christians all over the world (Matthew 25:35-40)

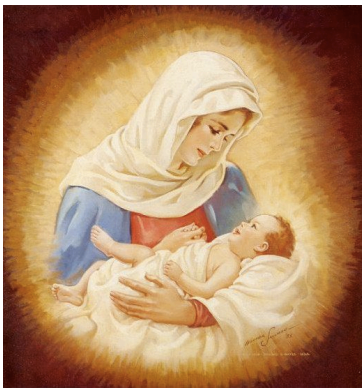
For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.'

“Then the righteous will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? When did we see you a stranger and invite you in or needing clothes and clothe you? When, did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?’

“The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.’



Jesus Message to Knanaya Christians Today



For I wanted to be baptised in my parish and you denied me baptism and told me to get baptised in the neighbours church, I wanted a Vivahakuri for marriage and you denied me the marriage in my own church, I wanted to be entered in the membership register of my father's house and but you expelled me, I wanted my adopted son to be baptised but you denied baptism to him, my parents who were sick, died and I wanted them to be buried in my parish but you denied burial rights to my parents.'

“Then the righteous Knanaya Christian will answer him, ‘Lord, when did we see deny you baptism, deny Vivahakuri, expel you, deny baptism to adopted children, or deny burial rights to your parents.

“The King will reply, ‘Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine who did not have pure Knanaya blood, you did to me.’