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August 24, 1965

Mr. Max Koons
1604 Seventh Street
Port Hueneme, California

Dear Mr. Koons:

We appreciate your card of August 9 and are happy to forward the sermon requested.

You asked a Bible question concerning the sin of suicide. The Bible does teach such to be a sin. Paul reminds us in Acts 17:25 that our lives are gifts from God. Job in his now famous lament of Job 1:21-22 makes it clear that as our lives are gifts from God, so it is within God's province alone to give and take away life. Suicide is "self murder." The Bible makes plain that there will be no place for the murderer in heaven. (Rev. 21:8.)

We appreciate your continuing interest in the Bible. It is God's word for our age, and by following its precepts we can enjoy heaven with our Father. We encourage you to continue to watch our program. Your interest and prayers are urged as this international radio and television ministry expands with the gospel of Christ into all the world.

Sincerely yours,

John Allen Chalk

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