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Apostolic Church – History – Basic Doctrines

And there were also false prophets among the people, even as there shall be false teachers among you... 2Peter 2:1.

History – Basic Doctrines

In 1954, in the Tatuapé neighborhood of São Paulo, the “Tenda de Deus para a Salvação e Cura Divina” (God’s Tent for Salvation and Divine Healing), led by Pastor Eurico Mattos Coutinho and his wife Odete Correa Coutinho, were invited to minister the word in this tent. In the same neighborhood of Tatuapé, there lived a lady named Rosa Vicente, who would enter the tent and listen to Pastor Eurico’s preaching. Some time later, this lady served as a deaconess with Pastor Eurico. According to church reports, Jesus appeared in a vision to this lady named Rosa, telling her to warn Pastor Eurico and his wife about some problems the church was facing and how to solve them.

After this event of the first vision and the instructions of Jesus himself, there was the second vision with other instructions from Jesus to Mrs. Rosa. In the second vision, the order was that the three, Rosa, Eurico and his wife, should gather and pray together, and that through Mrs. Rosa, Jesus would begin to reveal and direct them. The name of “Tent of God for Salvation and Divine Healing”, Jesus changed the name to “Apostolic Church”, in honor of the holy apostles.

Over time, Mrs. Rosa became a pious servant and demonstrated love for the work of the apostolic church. With this, Jesus guided her on what she should do so that the apostolic church would become the Tabernacle of God on Earth, teaching and believing in the faith of the Most Holy Mary.

The church had great affection for Our Lady Rosa and began to call her “Grandma Rosa”. On the 26th of 1970, Saint Grandma Rosa passed away by the will of God. According to reports, her mission in the physical body ended but she continued in the spiritual one. Before the burial of her body, she revealed herself in spirit to Brother Aldo Bertoni, that from that moment on she was the consoling spirit of the promise of Jesus, and that Brother Aldo Bertoni would be her representative, where Jesus and Grandma Rosa would reveal themselves to him, directing the work of the Apostolic Church. Over the years, the Apostolic Church increased its followers, great miracles occurred, and through Eurico Mattos and Odete, the church learned many mysteries that had never been revealed, still under the direction of Lord Aldo Bertoni. Over the years, Eurico and Odete also passed away. And on May 5, 2014, after 44 years at the head of the Apostolic Church, Aldo Bertoni was crowned by Saint Grandma Rosa before the Throne of God as the last Prophet and Supreme Shepherd. Now the Apostolic Church is guided and cries out to “Saint Grandma Rosa”, the Comforter; to Saint Brother Aldo, Supreme Shepherd; to Jesus Our Lord and to the Most Holy Virgin Mary.

The Comforter – Santa Vó Rosa Apostolic Church

In the Apostolic Church, Aldo Bertoni exercises the ministry of Prophet of God, see what they say about him, “*The only heir to the gifts of Saint Grandma Rosa, as the Consoling Spirit, being He, the envoy of God, the Apostolic Church has its stability guaranteed, because through Him, Saint Grandma Rosa leads her people on this earth....*” – The Successor of the Comforter – page 2.

The Holy Scriptures reveal to us the promise of Jesus Christ to send another comforter, the Holy Spirit (John 14:16). The Holy Spirit sent by God will guide us into all truth (John 16:13).

Every Christian must have knowledge of God through the Holy Scriptures, because it is through them that they testify of Jesus Christ (John 5:39). Therefore, in light of the Holy Scriptures, let us examine in the light of the Bible the teachings of this Apostolic Church that claims to be guided by God.

God's Government on Earth – Santa Vó Rosa Apostolic Church

The Apostolic Church of Saint Grandma Rosa believes that they are the Government of God here on earth, guided by Jesus Christ and Saint Grandma Rosa. Let's see what they believe, *"Against this divine plan, the struggle has been very great. Now observe the reality of the facts, there can be no obedience without a perfect government. And this government is only perfect when God exercises His dominion and the absolute proofs we find in this government, when the Father Himself, using Jesus prepared Saint Grandma Rosa, revealed Himself to Her, and instituted the government of the Church and in the present days in the person of our esteemed Brother Aldo, making him the Prophet to direct with all authority the people of God on this earth."* - The Successor of the Comforter – Advanced Training Course for Pastors and Preachers, page 3.

Examining the Holy Scriptures we can affirm that the Apostolic Church of Saint Grandma Rosa is a heretical sect, another gospel, Jesus when announcing the kingdom of Heaven (Matthew 4:17), nothing says that it would be a religious organization. A Religious Organization that claims to be governed and guided by God and only it here on earth, we must examine in the light of the Bible.

Statute of the Apostolic Church of Santa Vó Rosa Established on July 31, 1954

The Apostolic Church, established under the protection of God, our Father; of Jesus Christ, his beloved Son; of the Most Holy Virgin Mary, our Heavenly Mother; of Saint Grandma Rosa, the Comforting Spirit and of Saint Brother Aldo, Successor of the Comforter, Prophet and Shepherd of our souls...

The Bible and it alone teaches us that Jesus Christ is our Mediator (1 Timothy 2:5), our only Savior (Acts 4:12), Salvation is a gift from God through faith (Ephesians 2:8).

Man Worship

The Holy Scriptures say that Worship is only to God Our Creator (Luke 4:8). Unlike the Apostolic Church that teaches worship to man, see: *"Dear and Holy Brother Aldo, the our adoration and gratitude for your glorious ministry..."* – Official Internal Bulletin No. 3,689, page 3.

A Name Above All Names The Name of Jesus Christ

The Name that is above all Names is that of Jesus Christ and every knee will bow and every tongue confess that Jesus is Lord (Philippians 2:9,10,11). Different from the Church

Comforter, Saint Grandma Rosa; still in her physical body among us, sent a message to the Pastors and Workers in the classroom of the Ministry Improvement course, at the Church Headquarters saying that it was for us Pastors to preach more the name of Saint Grandma Rosa and his name in our messages". – Doctrinal Messages – Preach more the name of Saint Grandma Rosa and Saint Brother Aldo page 1.

Being faithful to a Religious Organization

Like every heretical sect, its leaders teach fidelity to the Religious Organization, thus creating a spiritual dependence, see what it says: *"Jesus demands the vow they made to be faithful and obedient to the teachings of our Apostolic Church."* –Doctrinal Messages page 1.

If a Religious Organization teaches another gospel (Galatians 1:8) that does not testify of Jesus Christ, as Christians we must refuse. (John 5:39; Acts 17:11).

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