

DELIVERANCE FROM THE POWER OF DARKNESS

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Opening prayer by Brother Robert Lambert;

Let's bow our head in a word of prayer please. How many would like to be remembered in prayer this morning?

Our most gracious loving kind Heavenly Father, we come to thee this morning through the shed blood of the Lord Jesus Christ. According to thy abundance Grace and Mercy that's been brought unto us in this hour, by the revelation of Jesus Christ, at the end of this dying world Father. We're so thankful that we have found Grace in thy site. God, we pray thy blessing upon each and every person here this morning, those that lifted their hands. God, you know all the needs of thy people Father, and we're living in a needy time Lord, around the world, people are grop-groping in gross darkness, sin and wickedness Lord, rampaging throughout the land and the people. We come into this little place of peace and safety this morning Lord, to gather together, because we see that the hour is close at hand, when we must have the real genuine thing down in our souls or we'll be faced to go through the most horriblest judgement that's ever been upon the face of the earth. We don't have words to describe it Lord, and our minds can hardly comprehend it, because of our natural state that we're in. But Lord move us out of this natural, take us into the realm of the Holy Spirit, thy word may become Eternal Life to our souls. What would we give in exchange for a soul? God bless these people this morning, that I love very dearly. Our hearts goes out to the people of this world, but Lord we're so helpless, without you Lord, we can do nothing. We just wait Lord, wait and wait and wait upon thee, thou would have mercy. We pray, that we might stand in the gap Lord, with our prayers and our tears and the aches of our hearts, to see you come on the scene and to deliver your people as you did in days gone by. Oh God, come on the scene Lord, thunder out of Zion Lord, and let thy great Love shake the earth just once more. Lord, we plead, just one more time, let thy great power be made known. Lord, we know that thou art upon the earth, but make thyself known, to thy people around the world. Now bless us through the remainder part of the service, we come here by faith, in Jesus name, amen.

You may be seated. We're very happy to be back with you again this morning. Thankful for the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ in this hour in our lives, having mercy upon us day by day, longsuffering with all of our faults and all of our shortcomings. But looking forward to that great glorious thing, that Christ has promised to do in this hour. We're under great expectation and anticipation, waiting for his self to be made known.

I certainly thank the Lord Jesus for the elders of this assembly, watching over the precious sheep while I was gone. It seemed like I've been gone about two months, I think it's been just a little over two weeks.

But the sun is very hot down in the south, but the s.o.n is very weak, nothing shinning in the south, find people in a terrible state. We think as late as it is in 1972, people would be more ready for the coming of the rapture. But I find that people are in the worst shape now they've ever been, in I don't know how long. They're getting worse all the time and so, it's a... just have to rest in the Lord Jesus or...

If you're a servant of God and you love people, you just have a nervous breakdown and go to the insane asylum and then you couldn't help nobody there. But I'm so thankful that the Lord Jesus Christ has promised deliverance for his people in that last day. And it's not gonna go on the way that it is, but he's promised to do something about what's going on. And so, we take our hope and encouragement in this, that Christ has promised to have a Bride without spot, without wrinkle, without blemish and we know that it'll be there. So, we take hope and encouragement in this.

Endnote:

63-0116 - *The Evening Messenger*
William Marrion Branham

108 And the people who laughed and made fun and would not accept his message, they perished with the rest of the unbelievers. 109 BUT THE BELIEVERS WENT OUT AND ENTERED INTO THE PROMISED LAND, THEY WENT UNDER THE ANOINTED MESSAGE OF THE MESSENGER. IT WAS A MESSAGE OF DELIVERANCE, THAT GOD PROMISED HE WOULD BRING HIS PEOPLE TO A LAND FLOWING WITH MILK AND HONEY. And it happened, because God had already said so, and Moses come and was a-vindicated as the messenger of that day. Now, that brings it pretty plain to us. 110 All right, then we find out that Moses was correctly identified. 111 AND THEN AT THE CHANGE OF THE AGE, THE TIME COME FOR...BETWEEN LAW AND GRACE. THERE HAD TO COME A TIME THAT THIS SPOKEN MESSIAH WAS TO COME. We find out that the time that the people had twisted the law, made it all under a great group of something, and had all kinds of—of traditions of man, they had injected into it. AT THE CHANGING OF THE TIME CAME JESUS, ANOTHER PROPHET, GOD-PROPHET. NOW, YOU SAY, "HE WASN'T A PROPHET." 112 The Bible said He was. "The Lord your God shall raise up a Prophet likened unto me." HE WAS THE GOD-PROPHET, AT THE CHANGING OF TIME BETWEEN LAW AND GRACE, that He had spoke of for all these years. After He had give the law to Moses, then at the change of the time, when He said it would be done, then He come back to grace. And He sent a Prophet prophesying of the time. Now—now, the believers, He gathered them; the unbelievers perished in His day. All who believed on Him was saved; ALL THAT DID NOT BELIEVE HIS MESSAGE WAS LOST. 113 That's exactly what took place in the days of Noah; that's what took place in the days of Lot; that's what took place in the other days, the days of Moses; that's what taken place in the days of Jesus Christ. FOR THEY DESPISED THE MESSAGE AND PERISHED, AND THOSE WHO BELIEVED THE MESSAGE WAS LOST...OR WAS SAVED. 114 Now, now, then comes the church dispensation in. We lived back in Noah's time, the antediluvian; we come into the dispensation of law; then in the dispensation of grace, the church. And **NOW THE CHURCH DISPENSATION IS ENDING. We all know that. 115 Now, if God did thus-and-thus in that dispensation, in those other two dispensations, He has to remain the same and do the same in this dispensation, 'cause He said He would do it. I'll prove it in a few minutes, by the Word, that He said He would do it. Now, He cannot change His program, He's God. Notice what He did in them dispensations. 116 Now we come to the church dispensation's end time. That's what I read tonight: ...it shall be Light in the evening time. 117 We've had plenty of dismal time, but there shall come Light. **THE SAME SON THAT CAME AND CHANGED THE DISPENSATION THEN, COMES AGAIN! That's going to be from earth to Glory.** We'll go in that. One time we went in, the other**

time we went out, and this time we're going up! See? All right: in, out, up. **We're coming to the end time. And we're not only coming, we've already arrived. We are at the end time!** 118 **What does God find in this end time? God finds in this end time just exactly what He found in other end times, unbelief! He's always been that, He, when He comes, He—He finds unbelief. He finds that the program that He laid down to the people...** 119 **Back there in Noah's time, if they would a-lived after His ordinances, offered the sacrifices... They got away from it. When He come, He found this, that thing operating wrong.** 120 **The same thing He did when He come on earth, He found the people and the Pharisees, and so forth, after the law. What was they doing? Just no sincerity in it at all, just go ahead and slop it through any old way, and "Just as long as they joined the church, and that's all they needed." And that's what He found.** 121 **And that's what He's found again! He finds the same thing, people doesn't change. So if He sent His program and the people disbelieved it there and they perished, THEY BELIEVED IT AND LIVED, (NOW, ON THOSE TWO), IT'S GOT TO BE THE SAME ON THIS TIME. IT'S GOT TO BE THE SAME. No...** 122 **IT'S ALWAYS BEEN A FIGHT FOR THE MESSENGER TO SEPARATE THE OLD FROM THE NEW. IT'S ALWAYS BEEN THAT FIGHT, FOR—FOR THE MESSENGER COMING IN TO SEPARATE OLD FROM NEW, THOUGH ALWAYS THE MESSAGE MUST BE SCRIPTURAL, NOW, FOR EACH HAS FORETOLD OF THE OTHER TO COME.** 123 **Now, let's take, FOR INSTANCE, JESUS. HOW HARD IT WAS, HIM TO COME IN AND CHANGE THE MESSAGE FROM LAW TO GRACE. Yet the Bible said it would come that way, "There'd come a—a Messiah, and the daily sacrifice would be taken away." And we know it was prophesied through the prophets. What a great thing it was for Him to do that. But we find that He did it. And the one...He did it because the Scripture said, and the believers of that day (so-called believers) absolutely would not agree with Him.** 124 **Look at those Pharisees, Sadducees, they had their own traditions and no one's going to shake them from it. That's what they believed, their mother believed that, their daddy believed that, and their grandpa, grandma believed that, and "Moses said so!" **BUT THE SAME MOSES THAT GIVE THE LAW WAS THE SAME MOSES SAID THIS GUY WOULD COME, AND THEY FAILED TO RECOGNIZE IT** because they had got the true Word of God in traditions and had left off the main principle of It. And it had to be that way.** 125 **Notice, each one foretold the other one would come. EACH ONE OF THE MESSENGERS, AFTER THE MESSAGE, FORETOLD IT WOULD COME. Now, but the people always takes the message of the day that they've had, they set it up.**

Endnote:

61-1231E - If God Be With Us, Then Where Is All The Miracles?
William Marrion Branham

53 **Now I want you to notice another thing that might encourage you. IMMEDIATELY AFTER THAT PROPHET'S MESSAGE, THE LORD APPEARED ON THE SCENE. Amen!** As soon as he gave his Message, the Lord appeared under a tree. **The Lord came, after the Message of the prophet, sitting under a tree. The prophet gave... The people fell away, got off in their isms. God sent His prophet. SOON AS THE PROPHET GOT THROUGH WITH HIS MESSAGE, THE LORD FOLLOWED THE PROPHET'S MESSAGE, FOR DELIVERANCE!** 54 **Oh, we are living in a grand time! Immediately when the prophet went off the scene, what happened? The Lord came on the scene! As soon as John went off the scene, the Lord came on the scene! Very strange how God works, but He does it, works in mysterious way.**

Endnote:

*63-0724 - God Doesn't Call Man To Judgment Without First Warning Him
William Marrion Branham*

*188 Lord Jesus, we are a people who are—are trying our best, with all that's in us, to walk in the Light of the gospel of Your great Gospel that You died to make right. We are so thankful to see, in this evil dark days that we're living now in this hour, **that we see the signs appearing. Oh God, as it is the handwriting on the wall, we thank Thee, Lord, that we can see it and know that DELIVERANCE IS CLOSE AT HAND.** We preach, we cross the country, we see You work great signs, show Yourself daily, every year. There's not a year passes but what (great) His Supernatural signs is striking the earth. **And we see it, knowing that the great army of God marches on. 189 OH, NOT MANY IN NUMBER, BUT WHAT A POWERFUL GROUP THAT'S GOT ETERNAL LIFE! SAID, "THEY SHALL RUN THROUGH A TROOP AND LEAP OVER A WALL."** Yes, the "troop" of death will have no holders to it, She'll run right through it. Leap over the "wall" between natural and Supernatural, and go into the arms of God, into that great Eternity. Lord God, we thank You for this. **WE KNOW THE TIME IS APPROACHING AT HAND.***

I'm thankful to be able to be out of pain, I had a lot of trouble with my spine and just been in an awful lot of pain and I'm thankful to God that he got rid of that. Until I receive divine healing, I'm gonna just read the Bible and pray. I was trying to help William around, course I don't help him, I just get in his way you know. I kinda picked up a sledge hammer and pulled my back out of place and had a time with it for sure. And so, I would of been back sooner, but I just didn't wanna go through the pain and agony of trying to travel on the road. And then on top of that, the ole enemy afflicted me with something else, I got something down in my inner ears, lost my balance. It makes me very nauseated to stand upon my feet, and then I missed the weekend service at brother Canada's and got there on a Monday. So, I thought, surely the man wouldn't want me to preach on a Monday and I didn't feel good. And then I got up Tuesday morning after he was wanting to have a service on Monday night call the people together, so I seen that he wasn't gonna be discouraged so, we had a little meeting there for two nights. And then the second day, that I was so sick I couldn't get out of bed, that thing come up in my head again and I couldn't get my balance and I stayed in bed till Seven-fifteen. Well, I did go to see an ole country doctor there and he found my trouble. Something had settled in down next to my inner ear and I lost control of my balance that made me nauseated, couldn't eat and hold food on my stomach. And well, that gave me a good excuse to get out of preaching Tuesday night, you know. (*Brother Lambert chuckles*) And Brother Mike went right on, he didn't act a bit discouraged at all, with me laying there sick. I told him I said, "there's no sympathy or mercy here in the south, (*Brother Lambert chuckles*) when it comes to preaching." And he went right on with the meeting and went right off without me, and left me in bed and I said, "Lord, I can't lay here, (*Brother Lambert laughs*) I got to come out of this bed, man they're down there waiting on me to preach." So, services started at seven-thirty and I was in bed, till ten minutes after seven. So, I said, "Well Lord, I got to find some britches to put on here and go preach." So, but the Lord God certainly did move with his power! So, it was the faith of Brother Canada.

We're happy to be here with you this morning. I think we have a little baby to dedicate, I don't think it'll be any problem to remember its name. Its name is Robert Lee, I certainly hope that if its name means anything, that it'll certainly mount to something in this world, if there is a tomorrow. We know one thing, our little ones will be with us over in the millennium, he promised us that. So now, if our dear brother and sister would come and bring that precious bundle of joy that God has given into their home. Maybe our little sister will come. Brother Shaw start that song off and we'll sing this chorus. Makes us always happy to dedicate these little babies. Happy that we have mothers and fathers that are dedicated to the Lord God and is bringing forth the fruit of their marriage to be with them over in another world to come. So, we appreciate this.

Congregation sings; "Bring them in"

Amen! Well, now that's just wonderful, just laying there sleeping, got no worries, no nervous condition just resting. That's the way we ought to be. How many like to be like that? (Amen) Oh my, I see its ball head, then you know somethings strange then.

Let us pray;

Our loving heavenly Father, what a honor and joy it is to hold this beautifulest bundle of joy that's come to this precious Brother and sister Graybill. God, I thank you for Ruth and Dale, Lord, how they've drove upon the highway many hundreds of miles every week through the snow and the rain, suffered greatly Lord. (*Brother Lambert can't speak, as he is trying to hold back his tears*) And you've blessed their home Father, with this precious child. God, I bless this child in the name of the Lord Jesus, keep sickness away from him and give him perfect health. Bless his mother and father and may the peace of God and the power of the Holy Spirit rest upon this family, we ask it in Jesus name. And I tell ya, he's alive! Amen. He's a beautiful baby.

As I often say, "I dedicate these babies, I get covetness," you know. It seems like the older we get, the more we appreciate our children. I see Ruthie's now so big; I can't hardly get her on my lap anymore. Ellen once in a while will sit on my lap, but not to often. So, when you get up around forty-two years old...

Well, I think Brother Davis was doing a little work around the house yesterday...and I want to thank you-you precious people over there, for doing a little guest room downstairs, I know you worked hard and may the Lord bless you each one you. Brother Davis was kinda blowing a little hard going through the house, I said, "What's the matter?" He said, "Brother Bob I'll be forty-four tomorrow." I said, "Oh, I see, that's what it is."

You know, it's just these old bodies that we got, just isn't made to last too long. And but just think now, it's hard for us to comprehend, but you sitting right here is people that's going to receive a new body. That's not gonna go to the grave, but you're gonna receive a glorified body, that will never get tired and never get old and never ware out. You know, if we could really just comprehend that by a revelation, I wouldn't have to say anything else, it'd be such a weeping and a wailing rejoicing in here, I couldn't say anything more. But as the days go on, as the days go on, we'll have a better understanding bye and bye.

1 Corinthians 15:51-54-Reference quote:

51 Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

54 So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

Endnote:

*59-1219 - Questions And Answers On The Holy Ghost
William Marrion Branham*

*21 Jesus said, "Say to this mountain..." And you've heard the—about what's been taken place; that's the ministry that we're entering into. We're way up the road now. Soon the Coming of the Lord Jesus. And we've got to have rapturing faith in a Church that can be changed in a moment in a twinkling of an eye to go out, or we'll not go. **BUT DON'T WORRY, IT'LL BE THERE. It'll be there.** And when the power of this church rises, it'll bring its brethren; the power of that church rises, will bring its brethren; the power of that church will bring the other brethren; then there'll be a general resurrection. And we're looking forward to it.*

Now, I'm happy to see each one of you, you've been cared for real well while I've been gone by Gods servant Brother George Parelli and these other fine elder brothers. I don't worry about-worry about you at all when I leave, I used to. So, I'm so thankful to God for fine Christian gentleman, such as we have here, it ought to cause us to certainly appreciate how God's grace has shined upon us here in this assembly. And I think it'd do you well, if you have a little vacation or time to go down, maybe go down and visit around through the south and places to just find out how bad it is and you'll come back home encouraged.

Now, I don't want to hold you to long but I'm thankful to see our-our visitors with us, may the Lord Jesus bless you real good. Maybe something will be said that will cause you to... your conscience and soul to quickened made awake, that you might be found wide awake, for the hour is very late.

Now, let us open our Bibles. Now, I'm just coming to you by faith this morning. I just...the more that I studied last night the more strain I got to what I got to say and so I'm just coming by faith.

But I wanna read a scripture over in Isaiah the ninth chapter and the second verse. Now let's read Gods word.

Isaiah 9:2-Scripture Reading:

2 The people that walked in darkness have seen a great light: they that dwell in the land of the shadow of death, upon them hath the light shined.

Let's also now for the New Testament let's read Colossians, (Galatians, Ephesians and Colossians) about Colossians one thirteen, we'll start reading at verse nine, read down through thirteen.

Colossians 1:9-14-Scripture Reading;

9 For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding;
10 That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God;

- 11 Strengthened with all might, according to his glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness;
- 12 Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light:
- 13 Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:
- 14 In whom we have redemption through his blood, even the forgiveness of sins:

May God add a blessing to the reading of his word.

Now, just for a little thought, I'd like to take the word "Deliverance," From The Power Of Darkness.

Now looking at our scripture here, the Apostle is saying that," those who have been delivered from the power of darkness and has translated us, into the Kingdom of his dear son."

Now, deliverance from the power darkness. Now, darkness is a great power, is a great power! And there is only one thing that is able to combat darkness, has any power over it and that is light! There is only one thing that can have power over darkness and that's light.

And you know, there's something about darkness, when there's no lights on and you're in the dark, it's always mysterious. Anytime that you're in the dark, whether it's in a room, outside anywhere and there's no light at all, it's mysterious. Though you may even know the surroundings that you're in, it's still a spooky mysterious feeling that you have, when there is no light.

And you may feel your way along, but you're never really certain of where you're standing, because it's obscure to you. You're in a obscure. And also, if you're standing in darkness, you're in ignorance. I don't mean that you're stupid or you don't have any schooling but as far as being able to ascertain the things that are around you and what's going on, you're ignorant to it.

Endnote:

Obscure meaning in subject:

Not readily understood or clearly expressed. Relatively unknown such as. Not clearly seen, dark, dim and difficult to understand or see.

Endnote:

Ascertain meaning:

Find something out for certain. To learn, discover, determine. To find the facts or the truth, proceeding from awareness of ignorance or uncertainty.

And also, when there is a state of darkness, that evil is rampant, it's just rampant. Now looking across the land and around the world, especially among the religious world that cause their self by the name of Christ, we find that evil is on a rampage, it's on a rampage. Some forms of it is just...that anybody can see, like dope and adultery and fornication and pornography and just sex mad world that we're living in. That's darkness!

But the darkness I'm so alarmed about and so concerned about, is the spiritual darkness. People that are thinking that they are now saved, that they are now Christians are grouping about, in one of the worst cases of darkness that I have ever seen. Darkness is a time of evil, when everything that is evil is making its move at that time.

And I'm so thankful that Gods Bride, Gods church, Gods elected people, Jesus called them, "The children of light."

1 Thessalonians 5:5-Reference scripture:

5 Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness.

John 12:35-36-Reference scripture:

35 Then Jesus said unto them, Yet a little while is the light with you. Walk while ye have the light, lest darkness come upon you: for he that walketh in darkness knoweth not whither he goeth.

36 While ye have light, believe in the light, that ye may be the children of light. These things spake Jesus, and departed, and did hide himself from them.

And all the other part of the religious world, supposing there are hundreds of millions of Holy Ghost filled children of God, we find yet though many millions claim to be Holy Ghost filled and accepted Christ as their personal Savior, and yet I find they are steeped and walking in gross darkness.

And yet we're in 1972, when a major prophet has just come on the scene and has prophesied, and predicted that the earth world would burn by 1977. And has gave a prediction by his inspiration, that the United States of America the greatest nation that has ever been on the face of the earth, outside of Israel.

Endnote:

60-1113 - Condemnation By Representation

William Marrion Branham

*40 "Then I seen the United States as one smoldering, burnt-over place. It will be near the end." Then I got, in parenthesis, "(I predict that this will take place...)." Now, remember, the Lord, that's what the Lord showed. "**(But I predict this will take place before 1977.)** Upon this prediction, I base, because of the onrushing slaught that's coming now, how fast that it was moving, how long it'll take till this nation meets its place."*

And I stood down in Washington DC for my first time, since I've been upon this earth. And there I looked at Abraham Lincoln (*Brother Lambert breaks, up in tears*) and I got away from my family and went over behind the big pillar and cried when I looked at him. And when I read of his words I said, "God there's a man had principles and character." And then I looked at Thomas Jefferson, and oh how my heart turned over on the inside. It was cold but I took my hat off, in respect of such men. And then I drove around the block, just one block from the great white house, where Abraham Lincoln and Thomas Jefferson and great men of that statue, had prayed and sought at God for the leadership of the people. And I drove around the block and there was pornography film right on out on the street, in great big bold, print. And oh, what a terrible feeling it was.

And then you can realize, how the Holy Spirit, how I told you one day, how he spoke to me several times about America. How I was riding along in the car. And you can't sing the battle hymn of the Republic, that the ... something inside of me just turns over and over. And there I

started to sing, "God bless America," and when I did the spirit spoke and said, "GOD BLESSED AMERICA!"

But oh, now we can see, that the hand of Jehovah God IS JUST READY TO RIP AND TEAR AND DESTROY, the thing that he blessed!

To see right at the steps of the Capitol, such gross wickedness. And yet seemingly right up there at the capital, are the... some of the greatest orators and preachers and Bible scholars that America's ever had. Ministering at the White House all the time, Doctor (Billy) Graham and many others. But yet, they're afraid to call out against the sin and the wickedness.

Oh, what an hour for God to raise up a man and send him to the White House WITH, "THUS SAITH THE LORD GOD, and tell them of their wickedness. I pray to God, that before it's over that he'll use somebody to do it. They certainly need the word of the Lord.

Endnote:

Ephesians Parallels Joshua #2 10/10/72 Am

Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

I tell ya, that reminds me to tell a personal thing, and it has stayed with me for twelve years now. The great prophet of God (William Branham) said, "When the word of the Lord...when the word of the Lord comes to you," Said, "If it tells you to go down to the Presidents Cemetery, Brother Lambert," and said, "Tells you to call George Washington up from the grave," Said, "You call everybody and tell them." Said, "Then you go down there and you say, "George Washington come forth! Then he'll come up." Oh, brother I was glad when he left that subject. I was glad when he left that, and went on. He said, "Did you get that?" I didn't daresst answer.

Oh, but you know what I believe? I'm believing that's got take place in the last days. Jesus said, "I tell you! You marvel at Lazarus coming forth from the grave that had been dead four days. I say that all that are in the graves, that are dead in the graves, SHALL HEAR THE VOICE OF THE SON OF MAN AND COME UP." One day that Voice of the bridegroom will cry out when the hour comes and say, "Dead come forth." AND BROTHER UP OUT OF THERE THEY'LL COME. HOW MANY BELIEVE? NOTHING IS TOO HARD FOR THE CREATOR.

Endnote:

62-0601 - Taking Sides With Jesus

William Marrion Branham

71 A prophet stays back here till he stomps right into the hospital, or wherever he's going, with THUS SAITH THE LORD, and say it, and stomp back out again. He's no evangelist, at all. He don't hold meetings and discuss things. He's got the Word of the Lord for whoever he's sent to. 72 IF HE'S SENT TO THE WHITE HOUSE, HE STOMPS RIGHT UP IN FRONT OF THE WHITE HOUSE, SAYS, "THUS SAITH THE LORD." IF IT'S TO THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE, WHOEVER IT IS, IT'S THUS SAITH THE LORD. He don't fool around with a group of churches, trying get them to come in and take the Word, and preach these things like evangelists. He's not an evangelist.

Long gone has it been where we could find in America, a leader of any character at all. And now it's sinking sand, it's gone and there's no use to pray for it, all you can do is let the tears of the Holy Spirit drip in your heart and strive and struggle to come out of here by the out resurrection of the rapture and let the Lord Jesus Christ set up another government of which there shall be no sin. I'm so thankful this morning, that I'M NOTHING BUT A PILGRIM AND A STRANGER TRAVELING THROUGH THIS LAND, looking for another city, that the builder and maker is God.

The most darkest hour that's ever been in the history of the world, is right now. And yet a major prophet, like onto the immortal Elijah has just crossed the country many times, proving and vindicated that he was the Elijah for this day. And yet when we cross the country, those that have received, we should be in preparedness and readiness for the out resurrection from among the dead. To be ready at any minute, that the Lord Jesus would call, to be translated out of here. And yet not only does America bleed my heart, not only does the church bleed my heart, but the thing that really hurts me is to see people that has followed this last day light, and still be stooped and walking in gross darkness. That's enough to put you in the insane asylum as late as it is.

Now notice here, that the apostle said and was thanking God in his prayer to the Colossians Church, that God had delivered them from the power of darkness.

Colossians 1:12,13-Reference scripture:

12 Giving thanks unto the Father, which hath made us meet to be partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light:

13 Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

That's the greatest deliverance that I know of. I thank the Lord God that he's passed through the land these past few years, with the deliverance of divine healing. And it's been the greatest deliverance of divine healing we've ever seen, since the early apostolic church. But I tell you what's needed more than anything that I know of, as many cancers as many heart troubles and sicknesses that we've had upon the people, but the greatest deliverance that I know of that could cross through the land is a message from God, that would deliver the people from the power of darkness. People are walking in darkness and the trouble about it is, that they don't know they're walking in darkness. Now that's a terrible state to be in. Spiritual darkness, is more terrible than natural blindness, that's more terrible. To see a person that don't know they're in darkness.

Endnote:

61-0112 - Questions And Answers

William Marrion Branham

But whether there be gifts or not, if there's never a gift, I'll tell you, the gift won't always defeat the enemy, BUT THE WORD WILL. THE WORD WILL MEET HIM ANYWHERE. 24 AND JESUS, WHEN HE WAS ON EARTH, PROVED THAT. HIS...HE WAS GOD MANIFESTED IN FLESH. BUT HE NEVER USED ANY OF HIS FINE GIFTS TO BEAT THE ENEMY. We find in Matthew the...I believe it's the 2nd or 3rd chapter of Matthew, He said...No, the 2nd chapter of Matthew, when He met the enemy, HE MET HIM ON THE GROUNDS OF THE WORD, "IT IS WRITTEN." And the enemy come back, "It is written." 25 And He said, "It is also written," like that, until He beat the enemy.

Endnote:

58-0406E - The Evidence Of The Resurrection

William Marrion Branham

64 But, today, you can preach repentance and hell fire and brimstone, and people will laugh at it. What's the matter? Our hearts are cold. We're indifferent. We got too much. We need less of the world and more of God. Our hearts are too cold. We become interested in some emotion. We become interested, "If—if we can dance; if we can shout." I believe in it. "If we can speak with tongues." I believe in it. I believe in every bit of that. But if we have that, and don't have that agonizing, weeping, broke up spirit, God can never use it. Them things are good, but we got to have the other to go with it. **We've left off the main thing, and gone for secondarily; and you can never major on a minor. We know that. 65 EVEN IN OUR OWN MEETINGS, OUR OWN MEETINGS HAS GOT TOO MUCH TO THE PLACE THERE'S TOO MUCH ON DIVINE HEALING, INSTEAD OF HEALING OF THE SOUL.** Brother, what we need today is a revival of breaking up, souls on fire for God. What I mean, "on fire," is down at the altar, with tears running down their cheeks. Not for five minutes, and get up and forget it. But out trying to win the lost back to Christ again; a burden on their heart. 66 God, take all the pleasures of the world, and all of its fringy, all of its frolic, and put a burden on my heart for the lost, would be my prayer.

Endnote:

57-0306 - God Keeps His Word #1

William Marrion Branham

Listen, brother, you're never saved by any sign. You're never saved by any sensation. You are saved when you meet God's condition of His Word, and nothing else are you saved by. That's right. God's Word has made a way. You're not saved because you feel like you're saved. I'm not saved because I feel like I'm saved, 'cause a lot of times I don't feel that way. But I'm saved because God gave the promise. I met God's conditions, and upon God's holy Word I can defeat Satan seven days in a week, and as many nights, 'cause it's God's Word. "HE THAT HEARETH MY WORD AND BELIEVETH ON HIM THAT SENT ME HAS EVERLASTING LIFE, AND SHALL NOT COME TO JUDGMENT, BUT'S PASSED FROM DEATH TO LIFE." That's what the King of kings said. You believe it? 35 If you believe, not if you shout, not if you run. Them things are all right, but you're trying to base, to make a doctrine out of it. And even on Divine healing you're making a doctrine, **AND DIVINE HEALING IS A MINOR. HOW CAN THE CHURCH EVER MAJOR ON A MINOR?** Ask that question, and think it over. It's a mixed multitude, it's a multitude. That's the reason,

Even at this last church age as Christ spoke of and we speak of it many times, that the Seventh Church Age were willfully ignorant and willfully blind and said to Christ that, "We don't have need of nothing." And here was Christ trying to give them something and they already thought they had the something that he wanted to give them. And told Christ, and spoke back to Christ and said, "We don't have need of nothing. You've already gave us everything, we don't have need of nothing!" And he said, "You're wretched, you're miserable and you're blind, you're walking darkness and you don't know where you're going and you're naked."

Revelation 3:17-18-Reference scripture:

17 Because thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked:

18 I counsel thee to buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich; and white raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes with eyesalve, that thou mayest see.

Endnote:

*58-0521 - Behold, I Stand At The Door And Knock
William Marrion Branham*

*38 Oh, if God could only get into our eyes and let us see His Presence and His glory and the manifestation of His Spirit, but we're blind. No doubt that people, if our eyes would come open in this gathering right here tonight: Christ is here, He promised He would be "where two or three had gathered together." And now, notice: blind, that little door to your eyes. But you know, the Bible said, to this church, He said, "Because you say, 'I am rich, and I am increased in goods...'" (Is that the condition of the church today? Richest it ever was.) "I'm increased in goods, and I have need of nothing." We got the best pastors, we got the best scholars, we got the best education we ever had, we got the best buildings we ever had, we got the best theologians we ever had: **and more sin than we ever had.** He said, "Because you say, that you are rich, and increased in goods; and you don't know" (Listen, I'm quoting the Scripture, three verses behind where I read the text.) **"that you are wretched, miserable, poor, blind, and naked; and don't know it."** **The Holy Spirit said that would be the condition of this church in this day.** How you going to get around it? 39 **"Naked, miserable, poor; when you say, 'I am rich.'"** **Poor: oh mercy, the church is anemic; it's the poorest it's ever been. Miserable: with self-righteous rags on, of some denomination. "Poor, miserable, wretched, naked, and blind,"** (Now, watch the next quotation.) **"and don't know it."** I'm reading this from the Scripture, saying that this church age, in this day, would be in that condition: **"Blind, and don't know it."** 40 Now, if a man was on the street, a poor man, and he was naked, cold, miserable, wretched, blind; if he knew it, he'd help himself. **But, you talk about a pathetic case: when a man's in that condition, and don't know it, and won't accept help.** What if there was such a man coming down the street? And the policeman of the city would come out. Some of them would call the policemen. They'd say, "Sir, you—you—you—you... we've got to take you in." "Get your coat off of me." "Well, we—we'll take you in. We—we're not going to harm you, we're trying to help you. We're officers of the city. We have a charity here, we can take care of you and feed you; and you look so thin, and—and your body is exposed, and—and you're in such a condition." "I know where I'm standing. Get away from me!" Couldn't do very much for a fellow like that, could you? **And that's the way the church is, THUS SAITH THE LORD: naked!** But what does the church say? The church said, "I'm rich, increased in goods, I have need of nothing." There is the church's answer. **You see that insanity, spiritually speaking, of the church?** 41 What would a policeman, what could a...? A man run out, not even an officer, a man of the house, say, "Come in, sir, I'll take you into my home, you'll be my brother. I—I'll give you something to eat, I'll give you clothes." He say, "Get away from me!" **What are you going to do with a person like that? Well, what's a man going to do that's preaching the full Gospel according to the way it's wrote in the Bible, and people won't receive it? But you got to preach it anyhow. God said, "Do it." "And don't know it; blind, and don't know it." THAT'S A***

MISERABLE THOUGHT: SPIRITUAL BLINDNESS. I'D RATHER HAVE A MAN ON EACH SIDE OF ME, LEADING ME, PHYSICALLY BLIND, THAN TO BE SPIRITUAL BLIND.

Endnote:

65-1204 - The Rapture

William Marrion Branham

*But when you see these things begin to happen, raise up your head, get ready. Something could happen at any time, Christ come for His Church. 63 Now, they don't believe it, because it is a...it's a...They, they're suppo-...**They don't realize that they're the ones that's fulfilling the Scriptures. The people really don't realize that, doing these things and saying these things, they're fulfilling the Scriptures.** How little did Caiaphas, the high priest, and all those priests in that day, that scoffed and made fun of Him, didn't know that, the very God that they were singing about, "My God, why has Thou forsaken Me?" The 22nd Psalm, "My hands and My feet they pierced." Singing that in the temple, and Him dying out there on the cross. Little did they know they were doing it. Even Jesus prayed, "Father, forgive them. They don't know what they're doing." **Because, they were actually predicted, by the Scriptures, to be blind. 64 Did you know the Protestant and Catholic church is predicted, in the last days, to be blind, the same thing, to the Scriptures, with Christ on the outside, trying to get in? "Because thou sayest, 'I am rich, and have need of nothing,' knowest thou not that thou art miserable, poor, wretched, naked, and blind, and don't know it," Revelation 3. There you are, back to the blindness again, trampling over the things of God, as if (they) It didn't mean nothing to them, scoffing and making fun of It. That's what the Bible said. 65 BUT, TO THE CHURCH, THE BRIDE, THE RAPTURE IS A REVELATION TO HER. IT'S REVEALED TO HER. THAT, THE REVELATION, THE TRUE BRIDE OF CHRIST WILL BE WAITING FOR THAT REVELATION OF THE RAPTURE. 66 NOW, IT IS A REVELATION, FOR THE REVELATION IS FAITH. YOU CANNOT HAVE A REVELATION WITHOUT IT BEING FAITH. FAITH IS A REVELATION, BECAUSE IT'S SOMETHING THAT'S REVEALED TO YOU. FAITH IS A REVELATION. Faith is something that has been revealed to you, like it was to Abraham, that could call anything contrary to what had been revealed to him, as though it wasn't so. Now, faith, that's what faith is, is the revelation of God. The Church is built upon a revelation, the whole entire Body.***

Now, we know that we are out of the Seventh Church Age, that's over as far as the elected Bride is concerned. And that seems to be so hard for people to understand when I'm preaching, they think I'm preaching a different message then the prophet brought, but I'm preaching a continuation of the message that the prophet brought.

Endnote:

Spirit of Truth 63-0118

William Marrion Branham

E-20 'THERE WILL RISE SOMEBODY AFTER ME THAT'LL TAKE THE MESSAGE ON. HE'LL BE AN ODD PERSON, BUT HE'LL RISE AFTER THIS AND TAKE THE MESSAGE ON. And you listen to it. As long as it's Scripture, stay with it.'

Endnote:

Son Of Man And His Angels 1-21-73 Pm Jeffersonville, Indiana

Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

Now notice the ministry of the Shout left the scene seven years ago. Now the ministry of the **VOICE, THE SECOND COMING OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST**, has to be on earth somewhere. I believe the first coming of Jesus Christ was a prophet. He was promised to come again the second time. He'll have to be a prophet again. "Oh," you say, "that was all in Bro. Branham and it's all over." I can't read that in the Bible. **I DON'T KNOW HOW A MAN CAN BE THE FRIEND OF THE BRIDEGROOM AND BE THE BRIDEGROOM TOO.**

Endnote:

William Branham

54-0515 - Questions And Answers

107 Just the same thing He said when I baptized right down here on the Ohio River, many of you was standing there, twenty-three years ago, right on the Ohio River that Light, Angel, come right down to where we was at, and said, "**AS JOHN THE BAPTIST WAS SENT FOR A FORERUNNER OF THE FIRST COMING OF JESUS CHRIST, YOUR MESSAGE WILL BRING THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS CHRIST.**" And it's done it. It's... He hasn't come yet, but look what it's done; it's swept the world around. See? And today now, just thinking, the—the effort that's went forth, there's been literally millions...

Endnote: Reference quote:

65-1204 - The Rapture

William Marrion Branham

130 **THREE THINGS HAPPENS**: A voice...**A SHOUT, A VOICE, A TRUMPET**, has to happen before Jesus appears. Now, a shout...**JESUS DOES ALL THREE OF THEM** when He's **He's—He's—He's descending**. A shout, what is the shout? **It's the Message going forth, first, the living Bread of Life bringing forth the Bride.**

Endnote:

64-0401 - *The Identified Christ Of All Ages*
William Marrion Branham

104 “Well, now, we’ve been believing that **IT’S TIME FOR SOMETHING TO HAPPEN. THE DISPENSATIONS ARE CHANGING, AND WE’RE TIME FOR THE MESSIAH TO COME,** ’cause we haven’t had any prophet now for four hundred years. And Malachi told us that He would send the **FORERUNNER** before us, and I believe that to **BE JOHN.**” 105 Now we know, **when you see a sign,** a true Bible sign, there is a true Bible **VOICE BEHIND IT.** If there is no voice follows the sign, just the same old theological voice, forget it; it never come from God. There is, always. Told Moses, “if they won’t believe the first sign, they’ll believe the voice of the second sign.” **THERE HAS GOT TO BE A VOICE WITH THE SIGN. ABSOLUTELY!** And if it’s the same old theological voice, forget it. You already had that. It’s something; **GOD IS TRYING TO ATTRACT THE ATTENTION OF THE PEOPLE, BY A SIGN, AND THEN GIVE THEM THE VOICE, WHAT’S BEHIND THE SIGN. MUST BE A SCRIPTURAL VOICE;** Moses wouldn’t have believed it, neither would Paul.

Endnote:

64-0313 - *The Voice Of The Sign*
William Marrion Branham

70 JOHN THE BAPTIST COME ON, AS A SIGN. He was a prophet. He was a prophet-sign come on the earth. THEY KNOWED, WHEN HE COME ON, THE MESSIAH WOULD SPEAK, AFTER HIM. It had to be, ’cause, get the—get the elected. 71 What this is for is to get the elected people that’s coming out, like in the days of Noah. Like in the days of—of Elijah, the seven thousand or seven hundred, or whatever it was, that hadn’t bowed their knee, to call them out. **JOHN CALLING OUT THE ELECTED, AND GIVE IT OVER TO CHRIST WHEN HE COME, SWAPPED HIS CHURCH, SAID, “I MUST DECREASE, HE MUST INCREASE, BECAUSE,” HE SAID, “I’M JUST A VOICE OF HIM, CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS, ‘PREPARE THE WAY FOR THE LORD.**

I’m trying to show the people that what they had over here yesterday will not qualify over here in this day! THAT YOU’VE GOT TO BE BORN AGAIN! YOU’VE GOT TO RECEIVE THE LIFE OF CHRIST in your souls! God is doing more than delivering your body, he’s doing more than healing your body, he wants to do more than that today, HE WANTS TO SAVE YOUR SOULS! See!

We don’t realize, sure you’ve excepted Christ as your personal savior, that’s fine, you’ve come unto Christianity, but you’ll have to lay in the grave for a 1000 years, but thank God for that. It’ll be glorious to be in the new earth. But it’ll be more blessed to go in the out resurrection, in the first resurrection. “Blessed and holy is he that has part in the first resurrection. Of which the second death has no power.”

Revelation 20:6-Reference scripture:

6 Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

Endnote:

*54-0515 - Questions And Answers
William Marrion Branham*

*44. If a person dies **without the baptism of the Holy Ghost**, will he be lost? 308 No, sir. If he's a believer, he'll come in the resurrection, **the second resurrection. He's got the baptism, he'll go in the first resurrection.** Now, you have to almost take my word. If that ain't satisfying, then you—you ask me, I'll give you Scripture. Cause, I'm trying to get this two or three more here, then we're finished.*

Endnote:

*55-1117 - Jehovah-Jireh
William Marrion Branham*

*You may go to church, act like a Christian, pertain to be a Christian, but, brother, **if that germ of immortal Life of the Holy Ghost isn't resting in your soul, you'll never raise in the resurrection, the first resurrection.** Won't you think that over seriously? As your brother, I speak to you and encourage you in the Name of the Lord Jesus, to as much as raise your hand tonight to Him, and say, "God, give me that germ of Life," while we pray.*

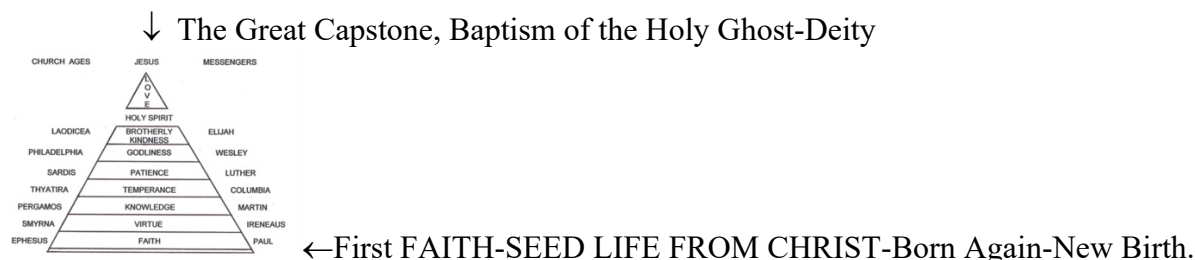
Endnote:

*53-0729 - Questions And Answers On Genesis
William Marrion Branham*

*267 And they said, "Go buy from those who sell to you," they said. And they went to **try** to pray through them, **to receive the Holy Ghost, but the Gentile dispensation had been finished and the persecution rose.** And He said, "They were cast into outer darkness where there'll be weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth." **But in the second resurrection they'll be the sheep** that's separated from the goats, **but never the Bride, never the Elect.** That's the remnant of the Seed of the woman.*

But dearly beloved, if we have any hope of going in the rapture in the first resurrection, we're gonna have to do more than accept Christ as your personal Savior. We're gonna have to do more than say, "I believe every word of the Bible." We're gonna have to have more than saying I believe everything that the prophet has said. That's fine, that second resurrection for sure! But if we have any hope of going in the first resurrection, WE MUST BE BORN AGAIN!

We've got to receive the literal life of God himself down in our souls.



Endnote:

62-1014M - *The Stature Of A Perfect Man*
William Marrion Branham

307 "Perfect," takes godliness. **You have to add to your FAITH, godliness.** See, you start off down here, with virtue. Then you go to knowledge. Then you go to temperance. Then you go to patience. Now you're on godliness. Godliness! Oh, my! Our time is getting away. Let's see. But you know what godliness meant. You've sang this song: *To be like Jesus, to be like Jesus, On earth I long to be like Him; All through life's journey from earth to Glory I only ask to be like Him.* 308 That's godliness. When He was smite on one side of the face, He turned the other. When He was spoken rough to, He didn't speak. He didn't rile back. See? Godly, always looking for one thing, "I always do that which pleases the Father." See? Yes, sir. Always. That's godliness. See? 309 **AFTER YOU DONE COME FROM HERE, TO HERE, TO HERE, TO HERE, TO HERE, TO HERE, NOW YOU'RE COMING INTO THE FULL STATURE NOW OF A SON OF GOD.** But you got to have this, plus all this, and you can't even start until you get this. 310 Now remember the black bird with peacock feathers. Don't forget him. See? **DON'T TRY TO ADD IT TILL YOU'RE ACTUALLY BORN AGAIN.** Cause, you, it won't work, and you—you can't make it work. It'll come to this, or this here, it'll crumble somewhere. 311 **But when you get down here, A GENUINE BORN-AGAIN dove, then you don't add nothing. IT ADDS TO YOU, see, comes on up, all right, coming into perfection now.** All right.

Endnote:

Light July 8, 1973 Am
Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

The only way, that you can possibly BE BORN-AGAIN.... The only way possible, that you can receive Eternal Life, IS TO MEET CHRIST! It's the only way! Because life... you must have the light of Life! And that Life and Light comes only...

Where's the Life? The life is in the Blood! Where's the Blood? IT'S IN THE WORD! AND THE WORD IS IN THE LAMB, AND CHRIST IS THE LAMB! You know, 'L.A.M.B` Lamb! LAMB! (Congregation, goes wild with praises!)

Endnote:

55-0123E - Earnestly Contend For The Faith
William Marrion Branham

109 Paul was down here in the natural realm with his Ph.D. See? He didn't know. He had an intellectual faith, but he didn't have a Divine faith. There's quite a difference in me having an intellectual faith than **A DIVINE FAITH**. There's where you, my Baptist friends, failed to go on. You get the intellectual faith by that, **BUT IT MUST BE A DIVINE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST TO YOU THAT TAKES SIN OUT OF THE HEART**. Intellectual faith is not enough. That's all right, but it only brings you to the Holy Spirit. **THE HOLY SPIRIT IS A PERSONAL EXPERIENCE OF THE BIRTH, THE NEW BIRTH, REGENERATION, MAKING A NEW CREATURE IN CHRIST.**

Endnote:

57-0120E - God Keeps His Word
William Marrion Branham

May they realize, that these great mile posts that we're passing, **these signs a flashing on both sides of the road, it's only the pointing of the soon appearing of the righteous One, the Lord Jesus; Who, to be a friend of, means Life; to know, is Eternal Life. AND WE CAN ONLY KNOW HIM ACCORDING TO THE BIBLE, NOT BY OUR CHURCH; BUT, BY THE BIRTH, THE NEW BIRTH, BEING BORN AGAIN.**

Endnote:

56-0715 - The Mark Of The Beast
William Marrion Branham

BUT UNTIL YOU ARE BORN AGAIN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD, THAT LIFE OF THE DEVIL STILL REMAINS IN YOU. That's right.

Endnote:

62-0121E - The Marriage Of The Lamb
William Marrion Branham

AND WE CALL OURSELVES THEN THE BRIDE OF CHRIST? OH, WHAT A PITY, FRIEND! 216 The hour has come. "His Bride has made Herself ready." Oh! "Made Herself ready." She laid aside all of these things. Remember, ESTHER WAS CHOSEN, AND THE OTHERS WAS REJECTED. AND ONLY THOSE THAT'S BORN AGAIN, THAT'S GOT THE SPIRIT OF GOD, WILL BE THE CHOSEN THAT DAY, THAT THE CROWN OF GLORY WILL BE SET UPON HER HEAD. AND THE OTHERS WILL BE REJECTED.

See, it's more than coming to church and sitting there. It's more than believing the message. It's more than believing you have a pastor that's a man of God, it's more than that. IT'S BEING

DELIVERED FROM THE POWER OF DARKNESS AND RECEIVING THE LITERAL LIFE OF CHRIST DOWN IN YOUR SOULS! And that is translating you from the power of darkness, delivering you from the power that darkness has over you and is revealing to you the revelation of Jesus Christ and of his glory that he wants to do and put upon you. See! It's more than as we said, an education of what God is saying in this hour. To be delivered from the power of darkness it is more than being baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and accept him as your personal Savior, and you've got to do that and you should do it. That's wonderful. But there is a...there is a greater calling then the second resurrection. And we could easily let this pass us by!

We have literally got to receive the Eternal Life of the Holy Spirit down in our souls. Now to do that brother, you've got to be deadly sincere, deadly honest with yourself with the condition that you're in. See!

When you receive Christ, not in your mind... you've receive Christ in your mind first, that's to start off with, that makes you come under the term Christianity. But to literally be like Christ, you have got to get Christ's life down in your soul. It's got to get further than your head, it's got to get out of your head and down in your soul and then when you get that down in your soul, you have the spirit of God the Holy Ghost about the size of a button.

Endnote:

61-0128 - Why?

William Marrion Branham

Remember, when a man is saved, this much...like this button here...becomes Eternal Life in your heart. THAT'S GOD. AS YOU'RE ABLE TO PUSH OUT ALL THE ROOTS OF BITTERNESS, THEN GOD BEGINS TO SPREAD IN YOU. Then you become a son of God. A man was made to be god, to be a god. Do you know that? He's in the image of God; he's a son of God; he's like Him. He was given a domain (Genesis 1:26), dominion over the whole earth. That's right. He ruled the earth. He ruled the animal kingdom, and all the other kingdoms—all but the Kingdom of God above. He was god; he was an amateur god. He was made in the image of God, made like God, had hands and feet like God. He was in the image of God.

Endnote:

56-0715 - The Mark Of The Beast

William Marrion Branham

*26 Now listen closely, before closing. "How can I escape it, brother?" Neither male or female is accepted or dispelled. You're all one in the sight of God, when it comes to this. How do you do it? 127 Your heart is a womb. You know what I'm speaking of, women and men. **Your heart is the womb.** And the womb holds the Seed, and the Seed is the Gospel. Now, the Seed, alone, in its heart; no matter how many Gamaliels you sit under, no matter how great your pastor is, and how much you've read the Bible; It'll never take Life until the germ of Life has come to It. 128 A woman's seed is a wonderful thing. It's the building of the body, but it has no life. It can't. It's impossible. It has no life, to begin with. So, no matter how much you know the Bible, and how well it is in your heart, you're still a sinner. 129 Now what happened? The heart is the womb, and faith cometh by a open ear that's not been sealed by theology. **FAITH COMETH BY***

HEARING, TO HEAR. THE WORD COMES INTO THE MIND. You make up your mind about It. "Is That right? Could That be right? Well, the Bible said so. I believe It." Whoosh! Down in the heart It goes. Then, It's a womb. Then the Male sect... We are the Bride, the woman. The Seed goes into the Church. 130 **THEN THE MALE SECT, WHICH IS THE BLOOD CELL, THE BLOOD OF CHRIST IS APPLIED. And in the Blood comes the germ of Life that goes into the Seed and brings forth a newborn baby, crying, "Abba, Father! Abba, Father! My God! My God, why did I ever do those things? My God! My God!" There you are. 131 **The little womb here in your heart, with the Seed, this morning, falling into It, won't you open your eyes, won't you let It fall (not from your mind) down into the womb of your heart? Men and women, alike, there is neither male or female in this kind. Both of you has got a heart. Let It fall down here, and say, "Well, sure, that's the Truth."****

And from there, from that Holy Spirit will be developed the literal "Christ in you the hope of glory!" That will be your hope of coming out from among the rest of the dead. But without Christ down in your soul, you have no hope, of coming out from among the rest of the dead people that are still in darkness as far as receiving the life of the Holy Ghost in their souls.

Colossians 1:27-Reference quote:

27 To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory:

Endnote:

*62-0318 - The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed
William Marrion Branham*

194 And a real Seed of God is an absorbent for the Spirit. All denominationalism is took out. All unbelief is out. And when the Holy Spirit comes into that Germ of Life that's laying there, It produces another Seed, just exactly. Another son of God is born. Amen. Another amateur god, son of God! 195 I'm a Branham because I was born of Charlie and Ella Branham. That makes me a Branham, because I'm their seed. Their two agreements, with their sperm together, made a seed, and that made me. 196 **WHEN GOD AND HIS WORD BECOMES ONE (HALLELUJAH!), THAT... WHEN GOD'S SPIRIT WATERS THE SEED OF GOD, THE WORD OF GOD, IT PRODUCES GOD. And it's not the individual. It's God, for (what?) you are dead. You're not yourself no more. You reckon yourself dead, hollowed out, waiting for the Seed-Germ. Then what is it? It isn't you no more; isn't the man. **IT'S GOD IN THE MAN. It's the Seed-Germ, like the beginning, SPOKEN WORD. IT'S GOD'S WORD MADE MANIFEST IN THE MAN. Then, it isn't the man; it's a man that's died.** He can't be a hybrid and a son, at the same time. He's either a son of death or son of Life. So if he's the son of death, get it over to the devil and let him kill it... Give over to God, I meant, and let Him kill the devil that's in you, run him out, hollows you out. **THEN, LET GOD PLANT HIS OWN LIFE IN YOU, THEN IT'S NOT YOU NO MORE. IT'S GOD'S LIFE, BECAUSE IT'S GOD'S WORD WATERED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT, WILL PRODUCE THE SAME THING.** You see it?**

Endnote:

62-0318 - *The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed*
William Marrion Branham

HE'S GOING TO SOW HIS SEED. SOMEBODY IS GOING TO GET IT, BECAUSE THEY'RE PREDESTINATED TO BE A CHURCH AT THE END OF THE ROAD.

God is saving the souls; he is delivering the souls from the power of darkness of the devil. There is a process of you entering into the Kingdom of God, the Kingdom of Heaven. The first thing that he does is deliver you from the power of darkness.

You know how I preached on that one time, I took a text, "That you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free."

John 8:32-Referece quote:

32 *And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.*

You can know all kinds of truths, you can know that God is one God, that we baptize in his name, that the serpent has a seed, and that God has sent a prophet. You can know all those truths, but there's not one of those truths that will deliver you from the power of the complete darkness. There's only one thing that'll do that and that is, "Ye shall know THE truth and THE truth shall make you Free!"

Endnote:

65-0206 - *Doors In Door*
William Marrion Branham

43 *But see, It was, to me, It's absolute Truth. That's what we look for, is Truth. Jesus said, "You shall know the Truth, the Truth shall set you free." AND HE IS THAT TRUTH. He is, Jesus, the Son of God, is the Truth of the Word, because HE WAS THE WORD MADE FLESH. "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And THE WORD WAS MADE FLESH AND DWELT AMONG US." THEN, THAT MADE HIM THE TRUTH, because THE WORD IS THE TRUTH, and He was the Truth. 44 Now WHEN WE SEE HIM RETURN IN THESE LAST DAYS, this great move of God, moving across the nations of the world, gathering a people for the Bride, THAT IS TRUTH.*

Endnote:

55-0501E - *The Faith That Was Once Delivered To The Saints*
William Marrion Branham

Now, when they come off of Mount Transfiguration, Jesus of Nazareth asked His disciples, said, "**WHO DOES MAN SAY THAT I, THE SON OF MAN, AM?**" And some said, "Well, You're Elias, and some say You're the prophet." He said, "But Who do you say I am?" And Peter, speaking right out, said, "**THOU ART THE CHRIST, THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD.**" Listen, He said, "**Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona (by Jona, rather, his father),**" said, "**for flesh and blood has not revealed this to thee, but My Father which is in heaven. And I say**

unto thee, 'Thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build My church, and the gates of hell cannot prevail against it.'” 27 Now, the Catholic church wants to say it was built upon Peter, the little stone. The protestant church says it's upon Christ the Cornerstone. But look at the Scriptures; it wasn't upon either. ***IT WAS UPON THE SPIRITUAL REVELATION THAT GOD GAVE Peter. The same thing he gave Abel at the rock, the altar. HE GAVE Abel SPIRITUAL REVELATION OF WHAT THE PLAN OF GOD WAS. And He gave Peter, not by flesh and blood, NOT BY SAYING PRAYERS, OR GOING TO CHURCH, BUT BY SPIRITUAL REVELATION, "Blessed art thou, Simon, for flesh and blood has not revealed it to thee, but My Father which is in heaven has revealed it to you. Upon this rock I will build My church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."***

Endnote:

62-0318 - *The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed*
William Marrion Branham

God never placed signs ahead of His Word. (Amen. That's a scorcher.) ***GOD NEVER PLACED SIGNS AHEAD OF HIS WORD. THEY WERE ADDED FOR PROOF OF THE WORD, BUT THE WORD IS FIRST. To prove it, Elijah said to the woman, "Bake me a cake first," then watch the miracle happen. Come to the Word, first, and then watch the miracle. THE SEED-WORD, ITSELF, IS WHAT THE HOLY SPIRIT ENERGIZES.***

God in this hour is doing it and is going to do it on a great scale across the country and around the world. He is going to deliver the people from the power of darkness. And I'm so thankful to God that I could see that in the word of God and it comforts my heart, and as I love the people, and it comforts my heart, to know that there will be deliverance in this last day. No matter how bad the people get into, how bad of a shape they're in, GOD HAS STILL PROMISED, DELIVERANCE!

Endnote:

63-1127 - *The World Is Again Falling Apart*
William Marrion Branham

The hour is here. The Bible tells us what's to be happening in this day. We know what the Bible says will take place in this day. It's up to us to hold onto God until these things happen. It's the hour! PRAY FOR THE ANOINTED ONE THAT WILL GIVE US THE DELIVERANCE THAT WE ARE LOOKING FOR, BECAUSE GOD HAS PROMISED IT. 58 THEY REJECTED GOD'S ANOINTED WORD then, and so it fall, fell apart. And again we find out, at this time, it's also falling apart again.

Endnote:

65-1126 - *Works Is Faith Expressed*
William Marrion Branham

26 Now, this is only a dream. And I walked over this way and I seen a—a brother, Roy Borders, a very good friend of mine, lives in California. Looked like there's something wrong, his eyes

was half closed, and great big...maybe cancer or something over his eyes. And I...someone was trying to pull me away from him. I screamed, "Brother Borders! In the Name of the Lord Jesus, snap out of that!" 27 And he just barely could speak, saying, "Brother Branham, it'll have to take something more than this. **I just can't grasp it, Brother Branham. I just can't grasp it.**" 28 I said, "O Brother Borders." I love him. 29 And someone pulled me away, and I looked, and it was a lady standing over here that I, when I was a little boy, I—I used to haul groceries from the grocery store to the peoples. And her name was Mrs. Fenton, she lives in Jeffersonville yet, a personal friend to the wife and I. 30 And she said, "Brother Branham, deliver us from this." Said, "This is a house of hell." And said, "You've been misunderstood." And said, "These...And you—you misunderstood these people, too." Said, "These are fine people, but..." And I looked over there, and like a great big cellar, or—or big walls, down beneath a great big cave; and great iron bars, eight or ten inches thick. And people, out of their mind, twisted arms and legs, beating their head like that. **And she was crying, saying, "Deliver the people, Brother Branham."** Said—said, "Help us, we're in trouble." She herself, I know her, she belongs to the...I believe the church of Christ, or the Christian church, called Church of the Brethren. So she... 31 **I LOOKED AROUND, AND I SAID, "I WISHED I COULD."** And go on, looking around; and I...my little, bitty body and—and them great, big iron bars; and those poor people in there. **And you couldn't get to them, them iron bars was setting close together.** And I looked, and they were beating their head like they were out of their mind. 32 And I seen some lights flickering around in there. **AND I LOOKED UP, AND THERE STOOD THE LORD JESUS WITH A—A—A LIGHTS OF RAINBOW AROUND HIM. He was looking right straight to me, said, "Deliver those people."** And He went away. 33 And I thought, "Well, how could I deliver them? I—I haven't got strength enough in my arms to break those bars." 34 **So I said, "House of hell, give away to the Name of Jesus Christ."** 35 **And all the creaking and popping, and—and rocks rolling, and—and bars falling; and people running, screaming, "Delivered!" and screaming at the top of their voice, and was all delivered.** 36 **And I was screaming then, "Brother Roy Borders, where are you? Where are you? GOD IS DELIVERING HIS PEOPLE! Where are you, Brother Borders?"** I've wondered about that. 37 You know, Brother Borders is very scared. You know the prophecy, all...many of you do, you take the tapes and so forth, about the West Coast.

Endnote:

60-0925 - That Day On Calvary
William Marrion Branham

129 **Now notice. The "greater" works, was to have the Power in the Church, not only to heal the sick by prayer, cast out devils by prayer, but to impart Eternal Life to believers. The Holy Ghost was coming, and given into the hands of the Church, to impart Life.** Oh! That's what Calvary meant. **IT TOOK STOOPED, DEGRADED MEN AND WOMEN, AND LIFTED THEM INTO A PLACE, TO BE SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF GOD, TO HEAL THE SICK AND TO IMPART ETERNAL LIFE; BY GIVING THE HOLY GHOST TO OBEDIENT BELIEVERS, MEN WHO WERE ONCE UNBELIEVERS, BE MADE BELIEVERS, AND IMPART SPIRITUAL, ETERNAL LIFE.** How much greater is it, to say... 130 This sick woman laying here, I can pray a prayer of faith and she'll be healed. That's a great thing. That's what He was doing then. 131 **"But," said, "GREATER THAN THIS SHALL YOU DO. I'm going to give you Power, not only to raise him up for a while, but to give him Eternal Life, which will**

be Eternal, forever.” Poor, blind, wretched people, how do you miss that? Don’t you see what the “greater” thing is? THAT’S THE GREATEST THING COULD EVER HAPPEN, WAS TO IMPART ETERNAL LIFE TO PEOPLE. WHAT IS ETERNAL LIFE? THE LIFE THAT HE LIVED, THE LIFE THAT WAS IN HIM, IMPART THAT TO OTHERS. Can a man do that? A son of God can. 132 Jesus said, “WHOSE SOEVER SINS YOU REMIT, TO THEM THEY ARE REMITTED; WHOSE SOEVER SIN YOU RETAIN, TO THEM THEY ARE RETAINED.”

And what I want is to, for myself is to keep the right attitude in my mind and realize that God has foreordained it and predestinated it, that HE SAID, “LET THERE BE LIGHT AND THERE’S GONNA BE LIGHT, IN THIS LAST DAY!” We can’t stop it from shining, it’s gonna shine.

God... the apostle said in his prayer God... he thanked God that, “He hath delivered them from the power of darkness and has translated them into the kingdom of his dear son.”

Colossians 1:13-Scripture quote:

13 Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

Now, if we know that there is a coming King and we know that he has a Kingdom and then if we’re going to go into that Kingdom, then we’ve got to have deliverance from the power of darkness. And if we’re going to have deliverance from the power of darkness, then there’s got to be something here on earth to deliver the people from the power of darkness. HOW CAN THEY BELIEVE THE WORD OF GOD, IF THERE’S NOT SOMETHING THERE TO DELIVER THEM FROM THE POWER OF DARKNESS!

People all across over the country say, “Well, why isn’t this and why isn’t that?” The reason why it isn’t is because, there’s got to be something to deliver the people from the power of darkness. You can’t judge this man and judge that man over there and say, “Why don’t they believe this and why don’t they believe that,” they must be delivered from the power of darkness.

Before you can go into the Token, the Kingdom of Heaven the Great Seal of God the Great Capstone that’s coming to catch the people away, the people have got to be delivered from the power of darkness.

Now, I believe that what’s needed in this hour, is a God trained man of God that has the message of God, to be sent of God in this hour with a thunderbolt of lightning. As the Bible said, “As lightning shineth out of the EAST,” AND SHINETH across the country, that the people might be delivered from the power of darkness.

Matthew 24:27-Reference quote:

27 For as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

Endnote:

53-0729 - Questions And Answers On Genesis
William Marrion Branham

113 Now, I want you to watch. They said that "He went to the land of Nod." Now, Cain was in Eden. And Eden, the garden of Eden, laid east of Eden. Is that right? The garden of Eden was east in Eden, the east side of Eden. And the Cherubims was placed, and **THE TREE OF LIFE WAS AT THE EAST GATE OF THE GARDEN**, and there's where I think Cain and Abel made their sacrifice. And there's where the Cherubim with the flaming sword wouldn't let them come in anymore, east of the gate! 114 **DID YOU NOTICE, JESUS WILL COME FROM THE EAST. The LIGHT rises from the east.** Everything coming... Civilization started in the east and traveling west, until it revolves around and catches itself again. We are the Western Hemisphere. That's the Eastern, the Eastern is the oldest civilization. China's the oldest civilization known of, by historians, in the world today. East!

Endnote:

61-1119 - Perfect Strength By Perfect Weakness
William Marrion Branham

354 What we need, O God, I feel It pouring in around through here now. **WHAT WE NEED IS A PROPHET OF GOD TO RISE UP WITH A THUNDERBOLT OF GOD, SPIRITUAL LIGHTNING that'll shake this world to shame!** Hallelujah! Empty vessel is what He needs, that's right, a called-out Church, **A LITTLE MINORITY THAT'LL RECEIVE GOD'S POWER AND BLESSINGS AND HIS MESSAGE.** Hallelujah! That's what we need.

Now, we know that people are in gross darkness that they're in, bound by the power...there's no... As long as you're walking in darkness you are bound, you may not...it may not be a lock and a chain and a ball hanging on your ankle, but if you are in darkness you are bound. And there is only one thing that will make you free and that's light, AND GOD HAS COMMANDED LIGHT TO SHINE in this hour.

The Bible said in the beginning see, gross darkness was upon the Earth, You, you're the Earth, you're the Earth. All you are is a few chemicals that's made out of the Earth, you're the earth, and gross darkness was upon you. Gross darkness was upon you, but all at once the spoken word of God, the Eternal word of God said, "LET THERE BE LIGHT," and there was Light!

Isaiah 60:1-3-Reference quote:

- 1 Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee.
- 2 For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the Lord shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee.
- 3 And the Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising.

Genesis 2:7-Reference quote

7 And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

Genesis 1:2,3-Reference quote:

2 And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters.

3 And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.

Endnote:

56-0403 - Shepherd Of The Sheepfold

William Marrion Branham

*Oh, my. **What's this body made out of?** Oh, some petroleum, some potash, and some cosmic lights, and atoms holding it together; that's all. It was nothing one time; it is now; and **it's going away to nothing, and then come back again in a glorified state.** See, it's just a process like developing a picture.*

Now, God has spoken it, so it's got to be here, God said, "Let there be light," So, there's gonna be light, and what's it to do, it is to separate the darkness?

Genesis 1:4-Reference quote:

4 And God saw the light, that it was good: and God divided the light from the darkness.

Now notice, as the darkness begins to flee away as the light begins to shine. Now notice, where does the light first start shining? It's got to shine in the East, and as the light shines in the east upon the Earth, the people that set, the earth that's setting in darkness, see a MARVELOUS LIGHT! And then when they see a marvelous light, then Life is springing up on the inside and it's producing every seed after its kind. Christ in you the hope of glory. See!

Matthew 24:27-28—Reference quote:

27 For as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

28 For wheresoever the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered together.

Colossians 1:27-Reference quote:

27 To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory:

Endnote:

62-0318 - The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed

William Marrion Branham

*41 And last quotation we had, was that, "God made every seed after its kind." That's His...See? **Then when He made His man in His image, WAS A SEED OF HIS WORD. AND WHEN JESUS WAS MADE FLESH, HE WAS THE—THE FLESH OF THE WORD OF GOD. AND WHEN WE RECEIVE THE WORD OF GOD, THEN WE BECOME GOD'S WORD IN OUR FLESH.** See? The Church should be in that condition. 42 Now, then, after He made man in His Own image... "In the image of God created He him." Now, after He did this...Now*

don't miss this. After God made His—His man in His Own image, by His Own spoken Word, now, **THAT WAS THE PERFECT MAN.**

Endnote:

62-0318 - *The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed*
William Marrion Branham

387 That proves that **God speaks His Message through His servants. Always has.** That's right. 388 Now, the power of the believing Church. "Christ has all power in heavens and earth." You believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] Now, what if He's in you? Has Christ got all power? ["Amen."] Matthew 28:18. All right. **HE IS THE SEED-WORD IN HIS BODY. AND HE, IN US, BECOMES THE SEED-WORD IN US.** What? **All that God was, He poured into Christ; and all Christ was, was poured into the Church. That's the power.** 389 Now watch. Remember God's law of reproduction, now, remember, "After its kind." That right? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] **THE SEED OF CHRIST, THE WORD, MUST COME THROUGH HIS BODY.** Ha-ha-ha-ha-ha! 390 Are you getting tired? [Congregation says, "No."—Ed.] All right. Just a minute now. Let's just hold quiet and pray. I want to get this in, real good. I want this to grind down. 391 **The Seed of Christ must, m-u-s-t, must come through His Body; not through a denomination, BUT THROUGH A BORN-AGAIN SEED OF THE WORD, must come through.** Now, remember. What is it? **CHRIST'S SEED.** How does my seed come? Through the body. How does the apple tree seed come? **Through the body.** 392 **Seed is through the Body, and the Church is the Body of Christ.** That right? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] The Bible Church! **THIS BIRTH PRODUCES (THAT'S THE NEW BIRTH) HIMSELF IN BODY, HIS CHURCH, IS HIS WORD, SO THAT PEOPLE CAN SEE THE CONFIRMATION OF HEBREWS 13:8, "JESUS CHRIST THE SAME YESTERDAY, TODAY, AND FOREVER."** You believe it? ["Amen."] These are not domi-...denominational hybrids, now. This is those that's in the orbit, waiting for the countdown, you know what I mean, fixing to take a rocket. Glory! These are not denominational hybrids; not standing in Here, they're not. No, sir. **It's the Seed.** 393 Paul was afraid that the people would watch some kind of a big words that he could say, some of his education. First Corinthians 2:1 to 8. You want to put it down. **First Corinthians 2:1 to 8, Paul said, "I never come to you, speaking words intellectual, you know, that your faith might be in some seminary thing. BUT I COME TO YOU WITH THE SIMPLICITY, IN THE POWER AND DEMONSTRATION OF THE HOLY GHOST, THAT YOUR WORD... THAT YOUR FAITH WOULD REST IN THE WORD OF GOD."** YES, SIR.

Now, we realize in this hour that a prophet has come, we realize that—that a prophet is come and he was Elijah. He was not the great shining light but he was a light. And as Long as he was in the world, there was light in the world. See!

John 1:6-9-Reference quote:

6 There was a man sent from God, whose name was John.

7 The same came for a witness, to bear witness of the Light, that all men through him might believe.

8 He was not that Light, but was sent to bear witness of that Light.

9 *That was the true Light, which lighteth every man that cometh into the world.*

But what happened, all of those that sat under his ministry and said amen, only a few years later, was to find out that they were saying amen to things that they did not even understand.

John 1:5-Reference scripture:

5 *And the light shineth in darkness; and the darkness comprehended it not.*

Then, noticeably when that evening light John Malachi 4:5, passed off of the scene, immediately there was a great change in the spiritual world, the spirit activity changed. If you were praying at that time, you know what I was talking about. And then the enemy come in upon the people like a flood. It was like you were sent down in hell, when the man of God left the scene. Notice immediately, darkness spread back across the Earth. As soon as that light went out, darkness spread across the earth again, it went into darkness again, worse than ever before. The people were more confused than ever. But the light that had been shining in that hour was enough to bring them out of denominationalism, but yet it was not enough light to translate them out enough completely from that darkness and put them into the Kingdom of God. It only brought them up as far as the Jordan, Kadesh- Barnea, we call it, there he brought them up to the place of judgment, to a place of judgment.

Endnote:

63-0707M - *The Indictment*
William Marrion Branham

274 *And through your creeds, and your organizations, and your denominations, with your form of godliness, still talking. Your forms of godliness, you've denied the power of His resurrection.*
275 But the hour has arrived, the last days are here, when God promised, according to Malachi 4, that He would raise up in the last days, "and would turn the hearts of the people back to the original blessings and the pentecostal Faith of the fathers." AND YOU CAN'T DENY IT, AND YOU CAN'T WITHSTAND IT. 276 NOW I CONDEMN YOU, GUILTY, AND CHALLENGE YOU, AND INDICT YOU BEFORE GOD, THAT WITH WICKED, SELFISH, DENOMINATIONAL HANDS YOU'VE CRUCIFIED THE WORD OF GOD BEFORE THE PEOPLE. AND I CALL YOU GUILTY AND READY FOR THE JUDGMENT. Amen. Yes, sir!

Endnote:

61-1210 - *Paradox*
William Marrion Branham

56 *And now, in the vision, I might say this. I mentioned it once. I was going to cut it off the tape, but I believe I'll just leave it on. I...* 57 *It was about three o'clock in the morning, I suppose. I had gotten up, and I looked where, in front of me, and I was coming down to the Jordan. Looked like I was standing on the map of Palestine, and I was coming down to the Jordan. And seemed like I could hear the song, "I'm going down to the Jordan," someone was singing it. And as I drew near the river, I looked back and seen which a way I had come, and I was two thirds of the way there, to the Jordan. And I looked across Jordan, and I said, "Oh, praise God, just on the*

other side is where all the promises lay! Every promise lays in the promised Land.” 58 And then I came to myself.

Endnote:

59-0628M - *A Deceived Church, By The World*
William Marrion Branham

75 What's the first thing they done when they caught him? They bound him, first. They took his power away, they found his secret. They found your secret. The world found your secret. Now you women all bob your hair, it goes like the world. You men all go and act like the world. It's all right, tell jokes and dirty jokes, and go out and smoke a few cigarettes, and run out with the neighbors' wives, and everything else like that, a little sociable drink to hold your job. I'd rather lay on my belly and eat soda crackers and drink branch water, and stay clean and pure before God, than to compromise for any kind of a job. That's right. True. Stay true to God. 76 **“Samson, the Philistines is on thee.” BRANHAM TABERNACLE, WORLDLY-ISM IS CREEPING IN AMONG YOU.** What about it? Have you exposed your secret? Have you exposed that secret that God give you when you were wallowing there in the sawdust a few years ago? Have you let it creep out with social, formal worship? What's happened to you? God can come down and perform a miracle and go right down through the audience and tell people the secrets of their hearts, and everything, and heal the sick and afflicted, and do signs and wonders, and preach His Word as hard as they can, by the Holy Ghost; and people say, **“Well, I guess that's all right. We enjoy listening to it once in a while, if we're not too tired.” THAT'S BRANHAM TABERNACLE.** The Philistines is on thee. 77 When, used to be when the preaching of the Word, and the old saints with the tears in their eyes, would rise to their feet and walk, sobbing, maybe not saying a word, just walking around, two or three times, and set down, so filled with the Holy Ghost! The Word fed them! “Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every Word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.” **Philistines is on thee, Branham Tabernacle.** Philistines is on you, Pentecostal. 78 Course, the Philistines got you, rest of you, long time ago when you organized yourself so tight, nothing could come in 'less you was a Presbyterian, Baptist, Methodist, Catholic, or something. You wouldn't have nothing to do with the rest of them. 79 So, revival in our day? How can we have it when the regular revival-giver is bound by the world? **GOD WON'T COME IN WHERE THE WORLD IS,** you can just depend on that. You associate with the world, then it's—it's all of it. **When you let the world creep in, you go to acting like the world, then you are finished.** But when you'll cut loose every fetter from the world, and come to God, God will use you until you go to flirting again. 80 Here's the only hope that I have this morning, to wind up my Message, is this, “While Samson was bound, a new shock of hair grewed out.” 81 **GOD SEND US ANOTHER CHURCH JUST BEFORE THE END TIME, THAT THE POWER OF THE HOLY GHOST CAN COME INTO HER, IN THE DEMONSTRATIONS OF THE SPIRIT, AND MARK 16 CAN FOLLOW THE CHURCH, ACTS 2:4, ACTS 2:38, ALL OF IT WILL BE FOLLOWING RIGHT ALONG WITH THE CHURCH. SIGNS AND WONDERS ACCOMPANY THE APOSTLES. Great signs of His resurrection accompany them. WHILE WE'RE IN PRISON, SURELY GOD'S GROWING A CROP SOMEWHERE, FOR THE LAST GREAT KILL.** May it be you, my Christian friend here this morning, may it be your strength has begin to grow. I pray that this Message this morning, and out into the land to where this will go, **I trust that this Message will help bring the vitamin to your system that'll grow a spiritual Power back into your life again.**

Notice, that immediately when that Shepard was smitten the sheep were scattered. What scattered them? What scattered them? Is because they had no leadership, they didn't know which way to turn. So, all the... when that gross darkness set in then, then enemy begin to move about and it become mysterious, everything become mysterious. We groped around in ignorance and obscurity and evil begin to move like it never moved before. And you that followed this light knows this to be so, see. Then it come in like a flood upon the people, just like the dam that broke down in West Virginia, just coming in on the people like a flood.

Matthew 26:31-Reference quote:

31 Then saith Jesus unto them, All ye shall be offended because of me this night: for it is written, I will smite the shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be scattered abroad.

Zechariah 13:7-Reference quote:

7 Awake, O sword, against my shepherd, and against the man that is my fellow, saith the Lord of hosts: smite the shepherd, and the sheep shall be scattered: and I will turn mine hand upon the little ones.

Now notice, over in 1 Peter 5:8 is a wonderful scripture. Peter said "Be sober, be vigilant because your adversary the devil goeth about as a roaring lion, walking about, seeking whom he may devour."

1 Peter 5:8-9-Scripture reading:

8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:

Now this is what has happened, the devil, and all of his demon activity... We most wanna think a lotta of times, the devil is just hoof and horns and cancers and tumors. But where he does his great work at, why he's such a hard adversary to the people, that he is... as the scripture said, "We are not or we should not be ignorant to his devices."

2 Corinthians 2:11-Reference quote:

11 Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.

Now notice, where he works at is on the mind, this is where darkness is at, it's in your mind. And your adversary works upon your thinking. Oh, if we could ever realize that, that when you're thinking, when darkness is upon your thinking, why then, you're in a confused state, you're bewildered. Is that right? You're bewildered. And your adversary the devil is going about like a lion and he has all his demon power with him and where does he work upon the people at, in their mind? See if he can just get you thinking the wrong way. He don't have to...he don't have to come as a pitchfork and blowing fire out of his mouth, all he hast to do is just to get you thinking wrong. If he can just to get you thinking wrong in the morning, if he can get you out of bed and get you thinking wrong, he's got you whipped for the rest of the day and you're open to THE ONSLAUGHT OF THE DEVIL.

Endnote:

*58-0326 - United Under One Head
William Marrion Branham*

*Man works by his head and looks by his eye. See the devil said to the woman, "Oh, the tree is pleasant." She said, "It's good to look at." **See that same devil, if he can get you to stop just for a minute, he can make you reason it out. He can make you think with your mind. But God doesn't use a man's head. God uses his heart. God works on his heart while the devil works on his head. God chose the heart.** The Bible says, "As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he."*

No wonder the Bible said, "That God would keep a man or a woman in perfect peace, who is mind is stayed upon the word." Not the word, not the name, but the word for your day that you're living in.

Isaiah 26:3-Reference quote:

3 Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.

He can get your thinking, he can work your thinking in so many facets, that it's just a wonder and amazement how powerful the devil is.

If he can just get you to criticize a man of God. If he can just get you to find fault in his children or in his family. Find one little thing that'll cause you to think wrong, cause you to find one excuse for turning him down AS A MAN OF GOD, I TELL YOU, THE DEVIL WILL SURELY ACCOMMODATE YOU! If you're looking for a little fault, if you're looking for a little something to give the excuse to turn around, turn away from Gods light that's shinning in this day, I TELL YOU FRIEND, THERE IS PLENTY OF DEMONS THERE TO ACCOMMODATE YOUR THINKING.

BUT JESUS SAID, "I AM THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD, AS LONG AS I AM IN THE WORLD, AND HE THAT FOLLOWETH ME SHALL NOT WALK IN DARKNESS BUT SHALL HAVE THE LIGHT OF LIFE."

John 9:5-Referencen quote:

5 As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world.

John 8:12-Reference quote:

12 Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.

But if you follow that light, you shall not walk in darkness, but YOU SHALL HAVE THE LIFE OF LIGHT! The only way that you can ever receive Christ, is to receive the light that's shinning upon your pathway! The only way that it'll ever shine is through Gods servant. When you can receive that light that's shinning upon your pathway, YOU ARE RECEIVING LIFE! Because real Holy Spirit ONLY COMES OUT OF LIGHT! Not Thomas Edison's light, not-not

some natural LIGHT, but the spiritual S.O.N that's SHINING IN THIS HOUR FOR THE BRIDE, THE LIGHT THAT'S SHINING.

Amos 3:7-Reference quote:

7 Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets.

Where does light first start shining coming across the earth? In the east, what's it for? To separate the darkness from the light. To bring forth a power that will cause the darkness to flee away from your earth, from your mind. The Bride can't come to life any other way, the Bride can't come to life any other way. [I'm talking about first resurrection people.] The Bride of Christ can't come to life any other way, she can't come to life until the LIGHT SHINES UPON HER EARTH!

Endnote:

*63-0317E - The Breach Between The Seven Church Ages And The Seven Seals
William Marrion Branham*

*54 No denominations has a right for interpretation of the Book. No man has a right to interpret It. **IT IS THE LAMB WHO INTERPRETS IT. AND THE LAMB IS THE ONE WHO SPEAKS IT, AND THE LAMB MAKES THE WORD TO BE KNOWN, BY VINDICATING AND BRINGING THE WORD TO LIFE.** See? Exactly! Notice. And is not revealed until...*

Endnote:

*63-0320 - The Third Seal
William Marrion Branham*

*183 **THE—THE BRIDE HASN'T HAD A REVIVAL YET. SEE? THERE'S BEEN NO REVIVAL THERE, NO MANIFESTATION OF GOD TO STIR THE BRIDE YET. SEE? WE'RE LOOKING FOR IT NOW. IT'LL TAKE THOSE SEVEN UNKNOWN THUNDERS BACK THERE, TO WAKE HER UP AGAIN,** see. Yeah. He'll send it. He promised it. Now watch.*

But she is predestinated from the foundation of the world, for this light to channel down through her thinking into her soul and there give her a Life that will produce the body of the Lord Jesus Christ, Christ himself in you the hope and Glory.

Colossians 1:27-Reference quote:

27 To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory:

Endnote:

*An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 5 - The Pergamean Church Age
William Marrion Branham*

One night as I was seeking the Lord, the Holy Spirit told me to pick up my pen and write. As I grasped the pen to write, His Spirit gave me a message for the church. I want to bring it to you.

*It has to do with the Word and the bride. Here is what I am trying to say to you. The law of reproduction is that each specie brings forth after its own kind, even according to Genesis 1:11, "And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, and the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so." Whatever life was in the seed came forth into a plant and thence into fruit. The very same law applies to the church today. Whatever seed started the church will come forth and be like the original seed because it is the same seed. **IN THESE LAST DAYS THE TRUE BRIDE CHURCH (CHRIST'S SEED) WILL COME TO THE HEADSTONE, AND SHE WILL BE THE SUPER CHURCH, A SUPER RACE, AS SHE NEARS HIM. THEY IN THE BRIDE WILL BE SO MUCH LIKE HIM THAT THEY WILL EVEN BE IN HIS VERY IMAGE. THIS IS IN ORDER TO BE UNITED WITH HIM. THEY WILL BE ONE. THEY WILL BE THE VERY MANIFESTATION OF THE WORD OF THE LIVING GOD.** Denominations cannot produce this (wrong seed). They will produce their creeds and their dogmas, mixed with the Word. This mongrelizing brings forth a hybrid product. **The first son (Adam) was the spoken seed-Word of God. HE WAS GIVEN A BRIDE TO REPRODUCE HIMSELF. THAT IS WHY THE BRIDE WAS GIVEN TO HIM, TO REPRODUCE HIMSELF; TO PRODUCE ANOTHER SON OF GOD.** But she fell. She fell by hybridization. She caused him to die. **THE SECOND SON (JESUS), ALSO A SPOKEN SEED-WORD OF GOD WAS GIVEN A BRIDE LIKE AS WAS ADAM.** But before He could marry her, she also had fallen. She, like Adam's wife, was put to the test whether she would believe the Word of God and live, or doubt the Word and die. She doubted. She left the Word. She died. **From a little group of the true seed of the Word, God will present Christ with a beloved bride. She is a virgin of His Word. She is a virgin because she knows no man-made creeds or dogmas. By and through the members of the bride will be fulfilled all that was promised of God to be made manifest in the virgin. The word of promise came to the virgin Mary. But that Word of promise was He, Himself, to be made manifest. God was made manifest. He, Himself, acted at that time and fulfilled His own Word of promise in the virgin. It was an angel that had brought her the message. But the angel's message was the Word of God. Isaiah 9:6. He fulfilled at that time all that was written of Him because she accepted His Word to her. The members of the virgin bride will love Him, and they will have His potentials, for He is their head, and all power belongs to Him. They are subject to Him as the members of our bodies are subject to our heads. Notice the harmony of the Father and the Son. Jesus never did anything until it was first showed Him by the Father. John 5:19. This harmony is now to exist between the Groom and His bride. He shows her His Word of life. She receives it. She never doubts it. Therefore, nothing can harm her, not even death. FOR IF THE SEED BE PLANTED, THE WATER WILL RAISE IT UP AGAIN. HERE IS THE SECRET OF THIS. THE WORD IS IN THE BRIDE (AS IT WAS IN MARY). THE BRIDE HAS THE MIND OF CHRIST FOR SHE KNOWS WHAT HE WANTS DONE WITH THE WORD. She performs the command of the Word in His name for she has "thus saith the Lord." Then the Word is quickened by the Spirit and it comes to pass. Like a seed that is planted and watered, it comes to full harvest, serving its purpose. Those in the bride do only His will. No one can make them do otherwise. They have "thus saith the Lord" or they keep still. They know that it has to be God in them doing the works, fulfilling His own Word. **HE DID NOT COMPLETE ALL HIS WORK WHILE IN HIS EARTHLY MINISTRY SO NOW HE WORKS IN AND THROUGH THE BRIDE.** She knows that, for it was not yet time for Him to do certain things that He must now do. But He will now fulfill through the bride that work***

which He left for this specific time.

See, it's all the adversary of the devil. Oh, how I notice this, if you could only realize the satanic power of Lucifer and his demons. If you could only realize of what a warfare and the great battle ground fought over this light that's shining today. THAT'S JUST NOW BEGINNING TO DAWN, IT'S JUST CRACKED THE HORIZON.

As our brother prayed at the table yesterday, it moved me that prayer I shall never forget it. He said, "LORD HELP US TO FOLLOW OUR SHEPHERD AND THIS LIGHT THIS MESSAGE, FOR ALL THE EYES OF THE WORLD WILL BE TURNED AND PLACED ON IT."

Notice, that until that light, passes...as the...as the Lord...notice as earth the people move into position to where that light is shining, until that light shines upon them or until they can get into position to where that light can shine upon them, though they're a predestinated seed, they'll SIT RIGHT THERE AND DARKNESS.

BUT THE BIBLE SAID, "THOSE THAT SAT IN DARKNESS, HAS SAW A GREAT MARVELOUS LIGHT!"

1 Peter 2:9,10-Reference quote:

9 But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, an holy nation, a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of him who hath called you out of darkness into his marvellous light:

10 Which in time past were not a people, but are now the people of God: which had not obtained mercy, but now have obtained mercy.

Matthew 4:16-Reference quote:

16 The people which sat in darkness saw great light; and to them which sat in the region and shadow of death light is sprung up.

Where ever that light shines, men and women are delivered from the power of darkness, delivered from the power of darkness. Now, if the light has delivered you from the power of darkness, then you have the Life of that Light. Now, if you've got some denominational light shining upon you, that's what you got. Whatever light is shining upon you, an infrared light or whatever it is, that's what you got.

BUT IF YOU GOT THE MINISTRY OF THE SON OF MAN, IF YOU GOT THE MINISTRY OF CHRIST THE FULLBODY REVEALED WORD, THEN YOU GOT THE BRIGHTEST SUNLIGHT LIGHT THAT'S EVER SHINED UPON THE EARTH! It could only do one thing, bring you to the Life of Light, in him was light. See!

Endnote:

65-0218 - The Seed Is Not Heir With The Shuck

William Marrion Branham

BUT AT THE OPENING OF THE SEVEN SEALS, REVELATION 10, THE FULL WORD IS TO BE BORN INTO MANIFESTATION AGAIN, AND VINDICATED BY THE SPIRIT OF GOD, IN THE FULL STRENGTH AS IT WAS WHEN HE WAS HERE ON EARTH;

manifested in the same way, doing the same things that It did when It was here on earth. Amen! Hebrews 13:8, said, “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.” In Saint Luke 17:30, Jesus said, “In the last days, as it was in the days of Sodom, WHEN THE SON OF MAN WILL BE REVEALING HIMSELF AGAIN, it’ll be the same thing.”

Endnote:

64-0816 - Proving His Word
William Marrion Branham

271 You believe we’re living in the last days when the Son of man was to be manifested? That would be all the Word that’s gathered up through Luther, Wesley, Baptist, and all that, and the Pentecostal, all gathered up to the revelation of what it’s all been. The seventh angel was to open the six-seal mystery. **IT’S ALL TO BE GATHERED UP IN THE SON OF MAN, HIS FULLNESS OF TIME HAS COME TO THE FULLNESS OF HIS WORD, TO MANIFEST THE FULLNESS OF HIS BODY. THAT’S THE WORD, THEN, THAT’S THE SPOKEN WORD MADE MANIFEST BY THE WORD, REVEAL THE WORD.**

Endnote:

64-0823M - Questions And Answers #1
William Marrion Branham

248. ...this **THE THIRD PULL AND IS SPEAKING THE WORD.** It seems entirely possible for you to **SPEAK THE WORD** and one would be completely and fully restored, placed entirely ready for the rapture in the resurrection, the Son of man. This is so, or is it not? And you would do this if properly pressed upon, would you not? “Escape all these things (it’s got a ditto there)—**escape all these things and stand before the Son of man**”? (Luke 21:36)

Endnote:

65-1127E - I Have Heard But Now I See
William Marrion Branham

113 Now, Jesus promises here that in the last days the Son of man will be revealed again to that same type of group, the royal Seed of Abraham, just before the fire falls. Remember, the church never received any more witness, Abraham and them didn’t, the promised son that they were looking for was brought right away after that. **AND THE CHURCH IS LOOKING FOR THE PROMISED SON, HE WILL COME RIGHT AFTER THE DAYS OF THIS MINISTRY, HE’LL BE REVEALED FROM THE HEAVENS. NOW, WE SEE IT TOO PLAIN, IT’S GOT TO BE.** Now, the only **THING THERE HAS TO BE IS SOMETHING PULSATES, GETS INTO A MAN, GOD VINDICATE AND TELLS HIM AND SHOWS HIM THAT THAT IS THE THING TO HAPPEN; AND THAT YOU’RE GOING TO...**

There’s no way in the world that you can be saved in this hour without receiving light. [I’m talking about in the first resurrection.] You can accept Christ as your personal savior and be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus, read your Bible and pray, listen to all the tapes and read all the books, but unless light ever shines down upon **WHAT YOU’VE READ AND WHAT**

YOU'VE HEARD, YOU'LL STILL BE IN GROSS DARKNESS, YOU'LL STILL GO THROUGH THE TRIBULATION.

Endnote:

*56-0311A - The True And False Vines
William Marrion Branham*

*29 Now, in coming out there was two boys after Adam and Eve and Cain and Abel, and they were both the children of the parent of Adam and Eve. Now, remember, both boys tried to find favor with God. And they made an altar. Now, here's the shocking part now. Get right down to the bottom. Cain was not an unbeliever. Cain was a believer. Oh, may the Holy Spirit, now quieten us, get our attentions back in Genesis, and let's live this picture. **CAIN WAS NOT AN UNBELIEVER. CAIN WAS A BELIEVER.** And if a believer is all that God required, God was unjust condemning Cain and accepting another believer. Cain was not a communist. Cain was not an infidel. **CAIN WAS A RELIGIOUS MAN.** And notice, he came to worship God. **HE NOT ONLY WAS A BELIEVER, BUT HE WAS A WORSHIPPER, NOT OF A FALSE CULT, BUT HE WAS A WORSHIPPER OF JEHOVAH GOD.** Let it soak now. Notice: a worshipper of God. I heard people say, "All you have to do is confess Jesus to be the Son of God, you're saved." Devils done the same thing and they're not saved, you know. Takes more than that. The devil said, "We know who you are, the Son of God, the Holy One of Israel": publically confessing. 30 Cain was a believer and acknowledged the Creator. Not only that, but he was a worshipper. Now, I suppose that the east side of the garden of Eden, where the garden lays east in Eden, perhaps there where the great sword of the Angel was flipping back and forth, **THE LIGHTNING, GUARDING THAT TREE.** Cain and Abel out there working the fields, realize that they come from that lovely home. They was trying to worship God. **And Cain built himself an altar or a church. Abel built him one. Cain made a sacrifice. Abel made one. Cain knelt in worship. Abel did the same thing. Now, if God only requires a faith in God, or a confession, or an altar, or church membership, a sacrifice, and a membership and a loyalty to the church, a part of your money, your time of worship, your sincerity of what you believe, then God being just, would have to accept Cain.***

Endnote:

*56-0615 - An Exodus
William Marrion Branham*

*I'm a typologist and I—I like to type the—the shadows, because, if I know what the shadow looks like, I have some conception of what the reality looks like. So without an education, I had to go to that—to shadows, the Old Testament to see it foreshadow the New. And everything in the Old Testament speaks of Calvary: everything. You're complete in Christ. **And you're not saved because that you pack a crucifix; you're not saved because you go to church; you're not saved because you know your catechism or your textbook; you're not even saved because you know the Bible. YOU ARE SAVED BECAUSE YOU KNOW THE PERSON, CHRIST JESUS. TO KNOW HIM IS LIFE. Not even to know His Word is life, but to know Him, the Person, is life. THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO KNOW HIM; THAT'S TO BE BORN AGAIN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD.***

Endnote:

65-1126 - Works Is Faith Expressed
William Marrion Branham

But the inside of that, the soul, has one thing. That's where you live. 206 **THE SPIRIT CAN COME OUT HERE AND ANOINT YOU TO DO CERTAIN THINGS, AND YOU DO IT, BUT THAT DON'T MEAN YOU'RE SAVED.** Think of it. Caiaphas prophesied. **Judas cast out devils. See, the Spirit anointed him.** This rain falls on the just and the unjust, the weeds can rejoice with the wheat. **But it's what it is at the core.** There is where you can...intellectuals can accept it, say, "Oh, sure, that looks good. I believe that." **THAT STILL DON'T DO IT.** No, sir. And the spirit can actually make witness of it, and still it isn't so. **BECAUSE IF THAT SOUL HASN'T COME FROM GOD, IT CAN MAKE ALL THE IMPERSONATIONS OUT HERE, BUT IT CANNOT BE REAL.** You can act healing, you can act like you have. You can act like you receive it. Christians can act like they're Christians, and act and be ever so good at it, **BUT THAT DON'T MEAN THEY'RE SAVED.** That's exactly right, see. The Spirit can be there, the real, genuine Spirit. **THE HOLY SPIRIT CAN ANOINT YOU, THAT STILL DON'T MEAN YOU'RE SAVED. IT'S THAT INSIDE SOUL THAT NEVER DIES, IT'S GOT ETERNAL LIFE. IT ALWAYS WAS ETERNAL LIFE. SEE? IT COME FROM GOD, IT GOES TO GOD, IT'S THE SOUL.** 207 Now, notice that, **IT'S GOT TO BE. FIVE, F-A-I-T-H, OUTSIDE; SPIRIT, J-E-S-U-S; ON THE INSIDE, Y-O-U.** See?

Endnote:

64-0823M - Questions And Answers #1
William Marrion Branham

88 Now, there's many people (let me straighten this for brother)...**There's many people that are...say they're saved; many are baptized in Jesus' Name; many speak in tongues, and have all kinds of signs of the Holy Ghost, and still not even saved.** That's right. "Many will come to Me in that day and say, 'Lord, have not I prophesied in Your Name?' (preacher) 'Have not I, in Your Name, cast out devils and done many mighty works.'" He'd say, "Depart from Me, you that work iniquity; I never even knew you." See? So all those things, yet it—it's—it's God; it's in His hands. But when I see that...

And oh my, what breaks my heart is to know, that after you preached and you preached and you preached and still there sits people there, that the light is shining AND STILL IT CANNOT PENETRATE THEIR SOULS, THEY GO ON LIVING JUST LIKE THEY ALWAYS LIVED. AND YOU NEVER see no changes down on the inside.

I tell you, my brother and sister this morning, when you receive the life OF JESUS CHRIST IN YOU, YOU ARE SOLD OUT TO THE WORLD, YOU ARE DEAD TO THE THINGS OF THE WORLD AND YOU ARE ALIVE UNTO CHRIST, Christ alone. I mean that kind of a life will produce the life of Christ. It'll be humble, it'll be kind, it'll be considerate, it'll pay its bills, it'll clean itself up, IT'LL MAKE YOU LIKE YOU OUGHT TO BE.

BUT JUST TO SIT WHERE THE LIFE IS SHINING AND PENETRATING SOME OF THE OTHER EARTHS, WILL DO YOU NO GOOD AT ALL, UNTIL THE LIGHT COMES DOWN IN YOU. You've got to receive Christ down on the inside of your soul. Just to sit around where the...you can... may say, "The light is shining," but you're only saying that out of... out of education, out of something that you've heard, it's not that. It's not rep...

People have went and repeated what Jesus said for hundreds of years. They went on repeating what Jesus said and thought they was doing what he said. And they baptized in titles Father, Son, and Holy Ghost and only until this end-time, did they realize that they was only repeating what the Lord Jesus has said.

And you can memorize the tapes, UNTIL YOU CAN PRAY IT IN YOUR PRAYERS AND QUOTE EVERYTHING THAT THE PREACHER SAID, BUT UNTIL THE LIFE CHRIST COMES DOWN IN YOUR SOUL...[as far as the first resurrection it's no avail.]

Oh, my and that's what disturbs me, that's what hurts my heart, that's what makes me nervous, THAT'S WHAT UPSETS ME! To think, "LORD, HOW LONG HAVE I PREACHED? HOW LONG IS THIS GREAT LIGHT BEEN SHINING UPON THIS EARTH HERE and yet some have still failed to get that life down in the inside of the soul!"

Oh, dearly beloved, what an hour we're living in. As I went to my little brother's pulpit down in south and I just went, Lord I'm sick and I'll just trust you. And I went there and the Holy Spirit begin to minister by the word and there begin to get down into the things of those people's lives. And the little pastor's sitting there thinking, "Lord God, they'll all think that I've-I've told the man of God these things." BUT NOBODY DIDN'T TELL ME, GOD KNOWS YOU, HE KNOWS YOUR THINKING, HE KNOWS EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU. HE KNOWS WHETHER OR NOT YOU GOT THAT BUTTON DOWN IN YOUR SOUL. YOU DON'T FOOL CHRIST, NOT FOR ONE MINUTE! HE KNOWS WHETHER OR NOT YOU "LOVE HIM WITH ALL HEART WITH ALL YOUR SOUL AND WITH ALL YOU MIND!" AND THAT'S THE ONLY WAY IN THIS HOUR is to love him that way!

Matthew 22:37-Reference quote:

37 Jesus said unto him, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind.

Endnote:

61-0117 - The Messiah

William Marrion Branham

19 Now, self-will...Then God comes into the man, into the heart, which is the spirit. Then the spirit makes the soul, and then the soul dwells in the body. Now, when a man is converted, say, just like that little white button starts in his heart. Now, that part is God. God...When he's born again with the Spirit of God, God's Spirit dwells in him.

Let me tell you, there's women sitting right in here, if they didn't have good husbands, would turn against me before daylight! Do you think I don't know that? BEWARE!!! That the devil don't lead you into temptation! PRAY, LORD DELIVER ME FROM ALL EVIL!! Be careful!

Endnote:

51-0415A - Life Story

William Marrion Branham

*And I tell you, brother: **You let a woman get an OLD TIME TASTE OF SALVATION, and it'll straighten her up.** That's right. It puts you in the...or a man, either one. That's exactly right. Amen. That's right. 47 Well, I'm not here to preach the Gospel; these preachers do that for you. You see? You don't want me to go to preaching to you like that. **I TELL YOU, THAT'S... YOU WOULD HATE ME, SURE ENOUGH. 'CAUSE I BELIEVE IN A REAL OLD FASHION GOSPEL THAT STRAIGHTENS A MAN OR WOMAN UP, AND MAKES ME PUKE UP THE DEVIL (THAT'S RIGHT.), AND GET RIGHT WITH GOD.***

There I just yielded myself to the Lord God and begin to preach his word and I ask the Lord, I said, "Lord God, if I'm your servant, LET THESE PEOPLE KNOW IT, LET THE SPIRIT OF GOD THE SUPERNATURAL GOD THAT I PREACH ABOUT COME IN HERE, SO THEY'LL KNOW IT'S NOT A MAN. There I heard the Holy Spirit call out them women. Oh God, WOMEN RUN FOR YOUR LIVES, PLEASE!

What an hour! There I ministered the word of God, people sitting just spell bound. And the pastor come up, there's was a man...I didn't know who they was, come there to criticize. And don't you think he didn't tell them. Brother said, "Oh, he'll think I told it!" I did not know, I never seen the man before.

When I started to walk out and half of the church was out, some of them still sit there spell bound. WHY GOD, GREAT GOD, IN HIS REVELATION, MAKING THE WORD OF GOD SO SIMPLE AND PLAIN. IT'S SO SIMPLE AND PLAIN THAT IT DUMFOUND THE PEOPLE WHEN THEY HEAR IT. IT'S STUPEFIES THEM, THE POWER OF GOD, GOD...DON'T YOU REALIZE GOD, GOD'S SO GREAT THAT HE MAKES HIMSELF SO HUMBLE THAT THE PEOPLE GO RIGHT OVER TOP OF IT. It's always been that way.

There as I walked by, a little husband there, a fine brother there raised to his feet, and put his arms around me and tears dripped down his face, he grabbed me and hugged me and cried and said, "Thank you, Brother Bob for that. Thank you, Brother Bob," said, "God bless you brother." And I was walking a few feet AND THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD come upon me and I turn around quick to see. And there when I turned around, his wife run screaming at the top of your voice, a most desperate cry you ever heard, fell down upon her knees and throwed her hands up to heaven, tears dripping down her face and I heard these words, "GOD, HAVE MERCY UPON MY SINFUL SOUL and save me!" And it shocked the people of the congregation, it was so great; they begin to come back in and felt God and begin to fall down one by one and scream out to the Lord God.

HOW LONG HAS THAT LITTLE LADY SIT AND HEARD AND YET THEN WHEN WORD BECOMES SO PLAIN BEFORE HER, SHE REALIZED THAT SHE WAS YET SITTING IN DARKNESS BUT HER SOUL SEEN A MARVELOUS LIGHT AND CRIED OUT!

Oh God, help us to examine our souls, not our head but our souls. We've got to have life; it comes only comes from the light of God shining in this day. If we can get Life down in the soul then Christ will beget you with every attribute that's in him.

1 Peter 1:3-5-Reference quote:

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, which according to his abundant mercy hath begotten us again unto a lively hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

4 To an inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you,

5 Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

Endnote:

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Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

The only way, that you can possibly be Born-Again.... THE ONLY WAY POSSIBLE, THAT YOU CAN RECEIVE ETERNAL LIFE, IS TO MEET CHRIST! It's the only way! Because life... you must have the light of Life! And that Life and Light comes only...

Where's the Life? The life is in the Blood! Where's the Blood? IT'S IN THE WORD! AND THE WORD IS IN THE LAMB, AND CHRIST IS THE LAMB! You know, `L.A.M.B` Lamb! LAMB! (Congregation, goes wild with praises!)

Endnote:

65-1205 - Things That Are To Be

William Marrion Branham

Wherever you are, God knew that you would be here, because you have to be one of His genes, or His attributes. You had to be. If you ever, if you've got Eternal Life, then It always was Eternal Life. And God, before there was a foundation, world, knew that you would be here. And when the Word, or the water, "the washing of the water of the Word" fell upon you—you, it was expressed in a being. Now you have fellowship with your Father, God, just as you have with your earthly father. See? You are citizens of the King; not citizens, but you are children, sons and daughters of the living God, IF IT BE THAT THE ETERNAL LIFE DWELLS IN YOU.

*Now, then, if It was, Jesus was the fullness of God manifested. He was the fullness of the Godhead bodily. Therefore, when He came to the earth and was manifested in flesh, you were here in Him then, because He was the Word. "In the beginning was the Word; the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us." The Word was made flesh. Therefore, you walked with Him, when you were in Him, when He was on earth. You suffered with Him, and you died with Him. You was buried with Him. And now you are risen with Him, and manifested attributes of God, setting in Heavenly places; already raised, resurrected to new Life, and setting in Heavenly places in Christ Jesus. Oh, that means so much, nowadays, Church! **THAT MEANS SO MUCH TO US, TO SEE OURSELF POSITIONALLY PLACED IN JESUS CHRIST!** 33 Now, if we are those attributes of God, we cannot live by creeds. We cannot live by denominationalism. **We must live by the Word, because the Bride is a***

part of the Bridegroom, like any wife is a part of her husband. Therefore, we must be that Word Bride. And what is that Word Bride? THE MANIFESTATION OF THIS HOUR, the Bride, not a creed or a denomination; but a living oracle of God, A LIVING ATTRIBUTE OF GOD, DISPLAYING TO THE WORLD THE ATTRIBUTES OF GOD, IN THE FORMATION OF THE BRIDE THAT'S TO BE EXPRESSED IN THIS HOUR THAT WE'RE NOW LIVING.

Endnote:

62-1104M - Blasphemous Names
William Marrion Branham

93 AND WHEN YOU TALK ABOUT THE BAPTISM OF THE HOLY SPIRIT, THERE'S A LOT GOES WITH THAT. Huh? See? There's a lot goes with That. And here is what I think that God is proving: the Holy Spirit is here. See? 94 Now, Peter said, FIRST, "FAITH." Now watch it real close now. We're going to teach this for a few minutes. Faith, now, is your first. And add to your faith, virtue; to your virtue, knowledge; to your knowledge, temperance; to your temperance, patience; to your patience, godliness; to your godliness, brotherly love, brotherly kindness; and then love. And anyone knows that love is God. "God is love." See? 95 Now, that then, from this, and then bringing this into the seven church ages. God is building, in seven church ages, a Bride for Christ; through the Philadelphian, Thyatirean, and Pergamos, and Smyrnaean, and Ephesus. A church age, that Jesus said, "If the—if the Bridegroom come in the first watch or the seventh watch, all these virgins awakened." They were. They awoke, the virgins of Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamos, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia, and Laodicea. Did you notice that? It was the seventh age, that when He came and woke up those sleeping virgins. That brings them all the way back down to here. See? **FOR, IN THIS, THROUGH THE YEARS, AGES, HE HAS BUILT A BRIDE, BORN A BRIDE, BEGOTTEN A BRIDE ON EARTH FOR CHRIST. AND THE SAME WAY THAT HE BEGETS THIS BRIDE, HE HAS BEGOT INDIVIDUALS. 96 Now I'm backgrounding this, so that you will see when the sister's dream is being told. 97 **NOW, THESE THINGS HERE ABSOLUTELY MUST BE IN THE CHRISTIAN BEFORE THE HOLY GHOST EVER SEALS THEM, BEFORE THIS COMES DOWN ON TOP AND MAKES A COMPLETE UNIT.****

Endnote:

55-1117 - Jehovah-Jireh
William Marrion Branham

You may go to church, act like a Christian, pertain to be a Christian, but, brother, if that germ of immortal Life of the Holy Ghost isn't resting in your soul, you'll never raise in the resurrection, the first resurrection. Won't you think that over seriously? As your brother, I speak to you and encourage you in the Name of the Lord Jesus, to as much as raise your hand tonight to Him, and say, "**GOD, GIVE ME THAT GERM OF LIFE,**" while we pray.

Until they'll raise upon the earth a Bride, a beautiful church that's out of their own thinking, out of their own carnality. They'll rise up a church in the beauty of resurrection power, that'll be just like him.

He said, I... “You’ve not chosen me, but I’ve chosen you, and ordained you to bring forth the same thing that I brought forth.” And there’s only one way that we can do it and that is by the life of Christ.

John 15:16-Reference quote:

16 Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you.

Endnote:

57-0113 - What Does It Take To Make A Christian Life?

William Marrion Branham

*11 Now, if the Church of the living God, which is the pillar of the truth... **GOD INTENDED THIS CHURCH TO BE A POWERFUL CHURCH, A GLORIOUS CHURCH, A CHURCH THAT THE WHOLE WORLD COULD LOOK UPON AS A—A BRIDE OF CHRIST** well accepted and espoused, and to live in such a—an atmosphere and conduct itself in such a way that the... God would be proud of this Church to present it to Christ at the coming of the Lord. It should live in that—in that characteristic in the Church, and it should be living that way. But we find out that many times that with good intentions that people are trying to make themselves act like Christians. They’re trying to say, “Well, now I am thus, and—and I must live this way.”*

That’s why people sit and won’t pay their bills, what a disgrace.

My heart just bled when I was down in Georgia, people right from this assembly representing us, come by through there and ain’t got enough God to even take a bath. One person said, “Well, I don’t believe in wearing deodorant.” Yeah, you can tell it to. Some peoples got a head gotta head like sometimes I think it’s got wood inside of it. Trying to be so heavenly minded we’re no earthly value TO GOD AT ALL! EVANGELISTS! ANY Evangelist ain’t GOT ENOUGH GOD TO TAKE A BATH, AND CLEAN HIS CHILDREN UP AND HIS HOUSEHOLD UP, AIN’T GOT ENOUGH GOD TO PREACH TO THE BRIDE OF CHRIST, I don’t care what you think.

Don’t use my name, I’m living the life. I we’re all in here doing it, but there’s people in this church are striving to live the life. And all the rest that don’t is nothing but BLOODSUCKERS, SUCK THE VERY LIFE-LINE OUT OF YOUR ASSEMBLY, BRING REPROACH UPON IT, SHAME AND DISGRACE UPON IT.

WHY, THIS IS THE MOST BEAUTIFULEST REVELATION THAT’S EVER SHINED IN THE WORLD! WE OUGHT TO GIVE IT THE RESPECT THAT IT OUGHT TO HAVE! OH, IT’S SO BEAUTIFUL, IT DEMANDS MY ALL! IT DEMANDS ALL MY ATTENTION; IT DEMANDS ALL MY LOVE and devotion this Revelation! It ought to cause us to strive to live that life.

But they said, “You have a Evangelists down here?” I said, “I have no Evangelists!” They said, “Brother Bob it smelled so bad, that half the church had to move over on the other side.” What in the world is the matter with people? Why they said, “John the Baptist, he didn’t have any soap or any perfume.” IF JOHN THE BAPTIST WAS HERE TODAY, HE WOULD BE SMELLING LIKE A ROSE, NOT ONLY HIS BODY BUT HIS SPIRIT TOO! THAT’S JUST

RIGHT DOWN PURE IGNORANCE, THERE AIN'T NO CALL FOR IT. Have respect for the people sitting next to you, why it's a shame.

Why, they went out and rented them a hotel had plenty of hot water and soap and still come back as dirty as they was. Let me tell you something, YOUR OUTWARD APPEARANCE SHOWS WHAT'S ON THE INSIDE OF YOU. I don't care what you say.

I don't care how many women speak in tongues and got their haircut and them preachers standing there preaching the word. I went to hear one of the great prophets in the land that took Brother Branham place. If he knew what was in his meetings, he'd been so scared he couldn't preach. Sitting there hearing all that and just sit there. Money, beggars taking... I sat there and cried, poor little people coming up there and taking every penny they got. I said, "LORD, HOW LONG will, you suffer with such hypocrisy? FALSE PROPHETS, LOVERS OF MONEY MORE THAN LOVERS OF GOD.

NO WONDER JESUS SAID, "ALL THAT EVER COME BEFORE ME WAS A BUNCH OF THIEVES AND ROBBERS, BUT MY SHEEP NEVER HEARD THEM. I'll raise them up a Shepherd they'll hear, ONE THAT WILL LOVE THEM, AND ONE THAT WILL TELL THEM THE TRUTH! SAID, I NEVER...I NEVER OPENED THE DOOR TO THEM. BUT IT SAID, BUT MY GOOD SHEPHERD, I'LL OPEN UP THE DOOR TO HIM. HE'LL LEAD MY SHEEP FORTH AND I'LL WATER THEM AND I'LL POUR OUT THE HOLY GHOST UPON THEM, fill them till their cup can't stand it no more.

John 10:7-15-Reference quote:

7 Then said Jesus unto them again, Verily, verily, I say unto you, I am the door of the sheep.

8 All that ever came before me are thieves and robbers: but the sheep did not hear them.

9 I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.

10 The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

11 I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.

12 But he that is an hireling, and not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth: and the wolf catcheth them, and scattereth the sheep.

13 The hireling fleeth, because he is an hireling, and careth not for the sheep.

14 I am the good shepherd, and know my sheep, and am known of mine.

15 As the Father knoweth me, even so know I the Father: and I lay down my life for the sheep.

Endnote:

63-0324E - The Seventh Seal

William Marrion Branham

373 Then, Lord, I pray that You'll help me. I—I—I'm beginning to fade away, Lord. I know my days can't be too many more. And I pray that You'll help me, to let me be true, Lord, and honest and sincere, that I might be able to bear the Message as far as it's ordained for me to bear. And when it comes to the time that I must lay down, and I get down to the River, and the waves begin to come in, O GOD, MAY I BE ABLE TO HAND THIS OLD SWORD OVER TO SOMEBODY ELSE THAT'LL BE HONEST WITH IT, LORD, AND WILL PACK THE TRUTH. Grant it, Lord. And, until then, help me to be strong and healthy, and courageous.

Endnote:

60-1211E - The Laodicean Church Age
William Marrion Branham

179 “Oh, look at this building! You know how much building...this building cost? That cost three quarters of a million dollars to put this up. You know, we used to didn’t have it that way. We—we used to be down there at the alley.” Um-hum, and look around, you find out all these great things that they got. Yes, sir. And then they say, **“Oh, we—we got all these big things!” But they have no burden for lost souls!** They’re always wanting to show you how much building they got. “Look at our Sunday school record, how big it is!” **What good does that do if they haven’t got the Holy Ghost?** **“Rich, increased in goods, have need of nothing.”** 180 That’s what He said, **“You think that, but don’t know that you’re poor, wretched, miserable, blind, naked. And don’t know it!”** See? That’s it. 181 Oh, sure, they say, “You know what? We used to be...The little church we used to use is in the back part, this is the big one now!” **And I tell you, no burden for souls, but they’ve got to see that all these things are taken care of. The ladies aid, and all these other things, all has to be taken care of, but no burden for lost souls.** Oh, man, what—what this church has got into! **182 They were not burdened for souls, but they were burdened with wealth.** That’s right. They had the wrong burden. They had a burden for their wealth but not a burden for lost souls. The Scripture said, “They didn’t know that they were wretched,” (Oh!) “miserable, blind.” 183 They think that they could take money and convert the world. “Oh, if we could just get a program on, that we could get a lot of money here, I believe we could convert the world. If some of the rich people in our church, Brother Branham, if we could just get them to dig out, and I believe that we could start a society that would—that would go around and—and convert the world. We could take airplanes and drop literature all over Africa, and things like that. If we just had some money!” **184 Brother, the world won’t be converted by money. The world will be converted by the Holy Ghost; powerful preaching of the Holy Ghost and the Cross will be the only thing that’ll convert the world.** God’s program is not money. It’s the Holy Ghost, that’s what God’s program is for the Laodicean Church Age or any other church age. Yes, sir.

Endnote:

52-0810A - I Am The Resurrection And The Life
William Marrion Branham

But here not long ago, there was a great sum of money (Many of you heard about it.) was given to me, and I refused to look at it. I could have made all of you happy, just pick through...? ... now among us ... A million five hundred thousand dollars. See? I even refused to look at it. See? They packed an article of it in the paper. But I—I didn’t want it. It isn’t money. A man that gets his mind on money, popularity, and things like that, he’s surely on the outside. **There’s three things I’ve noticed in reading history, that wrecks a minister’s life from the start: one of them is money, the love of it. The next is popularity. When he thinks he’s something, when he’s nothing anyhow. And the next is women. That’s right. Man takes money, women, popularity. That’s been the three major things that God’s had trouble with His children. Many of the other things that goes along with it too. But the main thing is when God begins to bless a brother and give him something a little more than—or something another to help the people, then the man begins to think, “See who I am?” Right then he’s on his road down. You want me to tell you**

*how to get up? Get down. The way up is go down. **He that humbles himself, God will exalt. Is that right? He that exalts himself will be made abased.***

Come out and say, "I'm a prophet, I'm a prophet, I'm a prophet, I'm a prophet and then discern the people" and take all their money, and let them let them women sit there in slacks and short dresses and bobbed hair, and makeup, and not call them out, and call them in the ministry, HE'S A LIAR a false prophet.

I said, "God called me, I'll stand for you here." I sat there three nights, but I never heard word. One of these days when it comes, I'll speak my piece, GOD'S NOT GONNA LET IT GO ON THIS WAY. They'll see in that hour, that thing will be pulled out there where they're all gonna see it.

HE'S HERE! Oh God, what darkness, what ignorance people are in. Speaking in tongues prophesy, and go ride on, don't realize that they're IN THE BOND OF INIQUITY, IN THE CLUTCHES OF SATAN AND THEIR FEET ARE SLIPPING FAST TO A BURNING HELL FIRE!

Prophet, prophet nothing, everybody wants to be a prophet. A real prophet come on the scene throwed the people into a bunch of fanaticism, why? Because they only want the power. Fast 40 days, I don't care if you fast 40 days 50 days and walk around with skin stretched over your bones, you can't-you can't find the power of God that way, IT COMES BY A HUMBLE HEART, IT COMES BY LOVE FOR GOD'S SHEEP, THAT'S HOW THE POWER OF GOD COMES. IT DON'T COME BY FASTING, IT COMES BY STAYING WITH HIS WORD.

Sure in a America people are scared and people are flocking to their meetings by thousands and they're all excited a great revival going on. Sure, God said they'd be back in the evening time, BUT GLORY TO GOD THEY'RE COMING BACK IN THE EVENING TIME, NOT TO SOME FALSE GLARE, BUT THEY'RE COMING BACK TO SEE A REAL LIGHT.

It's not his time. And when I see those things, I say, "Lord surely, it's time for thee to rise up from thy throne, let thy Voice be heard, and "let thy enemies be scattered and LET THY ENEMIES BE MADE THY FOOT STOOL! OH, I KNOW I FEEL IT!

Psalm 110:1-2-Reference quote:

1 The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool.

2 The Lord shall send the rod of thy strength out of Zion: rule thou in the midst of thine enemies.

Endnote:

62-1104M - Blasphemous Names

William Marrion Branham

*296 And I was watching myself do it. And then when I was standing there, looking, and watching myself preach it. 297 And I was just preaching, to-who-wouldn't-have-it. And after a bit, I raised up, you know, and I thought, "Glory to God!" I said, "Look at these wonderful things, and this, that!" 298 **Directly, I noticed the people begin to get like they was physically hungry. And so they had enough spiritual, so they started walking away. And some of them [Brother Branham yawns—Ed.] Started walking away. I thought, "What's the matter with everybody?"***

299 And—and I looked, and here some young couples going along, to my side. I thought...I said, “Just a minute, friend! Just a minute! **YOU’LL BE BACK AGAIN WHEN THE EVENING SHADOWS FALL.**” See? I said, “You’ll be back again. But let me give you this first climax. Where does all these things come from, that I’ve showed you? Where are they from?” I said, “Here they are. They are in the Word of God. They are **THUS SAITH THE LORD, His promise.** Cause,” I said, “all of you bear me record, witness this, that my commission is, ‘**Stay with the Word.**’” I said, “What’s the matter with all of you? Can’t you understand the Word? **You must understand It.**”

300 And some of them said, “Man, I’d like to have some biscuits,” and so like that.

301 Well, I just thought, “Well, glory to God! If they want biscuits, let them go get them.”

302 So I—I turned around. I thought, “Oh, but, you know what? The shadows is going to fall, after while, right away.” I said, “Then, tonight, when that congregation gathers in again, I’ll put the climax to them, and told them that the things that they have seen me do is found in the Word of God, not in some mythical book or some organization. **It’s found in the Word. See? Every bit of it, in the Word, ’cause I’m commissioned to that.**” 303 I thought, “You know, they’ll, every one, be back tonight, so here is what I’ll do. I’ll background, kind of background.” You know the way I do it on these church ages and things, say what I said before. “I’ll background it, on the Word, and then this great, marvelous climax.” I said, “What a time it’ll be! Praise be to God!” **And I seen myself getting real little, and heard that, “Praise be to God.” I seen myself fading up like that.** And here I was, standing there.

Endnote:

64-0125 - Turn On The Light

William Marrion Branham

119 We are back to that time again, brothers and sisters. We’re back to that hour again.

Notice. Why? Same cause. 120 We find that the—these great lights that we’ve lived in, in the days gone by, they were all right, we have nothing against them. But, **this Laodicea Church Age, be careful, remember, it is a Christ-rejected. And that’s exactly what it is now.** 121 This great council has moved around, to unite all the Protestants together, this ecumenical move. And what is it doing? **It’s blackening out the very Word, itself, and the Word is Christ.** How can they do? When, the Christian Science, and United Brethren, and many of them people in other great organizations, some believe the virgin birth, some don’t, some believe this and that. How can you join yourself with unbelief? “How can two walk together unless they be agreed?” **Come out from among them and be separated, and take God’s Holy Word and stay by It.** 122 Jesus Christ is obligated to manifest His Word. The thing we need today is a rising of Malachi 4. Another prophet will rise in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ, and will produce exactly what He promised to do. Then, man blindly will forsake It and walk right into the darkness, as they’ve always did. **123 Watch now, we find out, the same cause, that today, that they reject, the churches reject the Message, crucify the Word, take the Word out.** Now if you don’t belong to it, you can’t even—you can’t even have your church. They’ll close it down. You’ve got to come into it. If you don’t do it, you’re closed down. Then what about it? Oh, stand for That which is right! **REMEMBER, IT’S CRUCIFIXION TIME AGAIN, NEARLY.** 124 False light caused the greatest—the greatest robbery the world ever had, in England, not long ago. **THE GREATEST ROBBERY THAT WAS EVER PERFORMED, WAS DONE BY A FALSE LIGHT.** Seven-million-dollar robbery was done by a false light that slowed that train down, and

*Scotland Yards couldn't find the man. They got away with it, so slicky. That was known as the greatest robbery that was ever done by robbers, in the natural. It robbed the world, of its greatest robbery. 125 **And the greatest robbery that was ever done to the church of Jesus Christ, is done BY FALSE LIGHT, A GLARE OF SOME OTHER AGE, AND REJECTING THE LIGHT THAT'S PREDICTED FOR THIS AGE. AMEN. FALSE LIGHT, A GLARE OF YESTERDAY! DON'T WALK IN THE GLARE OF YESTERDAY. WALK IN THE WARMTH OF THE SON TODAY.** Don't pull yourself down into a denominational shade, saying, "The days of miracles has passed." 126 **Jesus said, "These signs shall follow them that believe: in My Name they shall cast out devils, they shall speak with new tongues. These signs shall follow them."** 127 They say, "It's all right for the apostles; not for us." That's a glare. 128 **Jesus said, "These signs shall follow them that believe, to all the world."** Yes, sir. 129 **Now what's the matter? WALKING IN A GLARE, IT'S CAUSED THE GREATEST ROBBERY, IT'S TAKEN THE CHRIST FROM THE CHURCH. See, how can Christ manifest Hisself in a Word that's promised today, by some cold creed of yesterday? IT DOESN'T WARM THE SEED. NO, SIR. THE CHURCH'S GREATEST ROBBERY! 130 WARM? AND, REMEMBER, THAT COLD CREED LIGHT WILL NOT RIPEN THE SEED OF TODAY. IT DENIES THE SEED.** It's the fog that's upon the earth, the denseness. **IT'S TIME FOR GOD TO RISE AND TURN ON THE LIGHT AGAIN, MAKE HIS WORD TO LIVE. CERTAINLY, LIGHT! THAT COLD CREED WON'T RIPEN THE GRAIN. IT CERTAINLY WON'T.***

There's got to come something to happen, God ain't gonna let those poor people go on being bled for every penny they got. Poor little old mommies and daddies work all their life for a little piece of ground, a little farm and then that lying thing come by and not only him, but thousand and hundreds of others.

And we call...I don't care if they call you out, and TELL YOU EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU, A PROPHET IS KNOWN BY THE WORD! A REAL REVELATION OF GOD COMES ONLY TO GOD'S PROPHET. And they're gonna know one day! And they'll know there has been a prophet among them too, and they turned him down. Using bits of his message to give them something to preach. Oh God, Hell will be...hells too good of a place for a preacher like that.

Amos 3:7-Reference quote:

7 Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets.

Ezekiel 33:33-Reference quote:

33 And when this cometh to pass, (lo, it will come,) then shall they know that a prophet hath been among them.

Revelation 20:10-Reference quote:

10 And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.

Endnote:

62-1013 - *The Influence Of Another*
William Marrion Branham

Prophets are not just made of men; PROPHETS ARE BORN PROPHETS.

Endnote:

61-1105 - *The Testimony Of A True Witness*
William Marrion Branham

175 *That's what we need. That's what we need, a sane, sensible group of people that can walk up and face God, and say, "Lord, don't make me a church member, but make me a witness! Pour out Your Spirit upon me, and fill me. Let me be Your witness." That's what we need. **THAT'S WHAT THE CHURCH IS SUFFERING THE LACK OF TODAY. IT'S ANEMIC CONDITION, IS BECAUSE IT HAS REJECTED THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST.***

Endnote:

57-0517 - *The Queen Of Sheba*
William Marrion Branham

*In Moses' time they did not want to accept it. In Noah's time, Elijah's time, they did not want to accept it. And when God sends a gift... Now, I want you to get it. When God sends a gift, He will vindicate that gift. And if the people will receive it... They've got a right to test first, to look it over, like Nathanael did, and the woman at the well, and different places. **But when it's proven to be from God, then if the people will reject it, there's nothing left but chaos. And if the people will receive it, it will be a golden jubilee for that people, if they will receive it. But it all lays to the people; God does His part. 20 Then if He sends the thing, it's up the people to receive it or to reject it. And each one, as an individual, not because of your church standing, but as an individual... It doesn't lay within whether your church accepts it; it's whether you accept it. Salvation is a personal work. It's a personal faith, not a universal church faith, but a personal faith in the Lord Jesus. No matter if father don't believe, and mother don't believe it, it's what you believe. And notice, when they did receive it, then great signs and wonders and jubilee broke out. But when they rejected it, then darkness and gross darkness come to the people. AND OH, PEOPLE OF THIS LAST DAY, CAN'T YOU SEE WHY GROSS DARKNESS IS FALLING ON THIS COUNTRY? THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST HAS BEEN REJECTED. YOU DON'T WANT TO BELIEVE THAT, BUT IT'S A NOTED FACT. IT'S THE TRUTH; IT'S TOO BAD, BUT IT'S THE TRUTH.** And I think that if that be the case, that each one of us should take inventory of our own experience and our own standings with God and see how we stand in His sight. 21 Not by any tradition, not be any mental work-up, but by that close, hidden communion... Not because of our intellectual conception of His creed, or of the creed of the church, or even of the knowledge that we had with the Word, **for some people knows the Word real well but don't know the Author.***

Endnote:

63-0707M - The Indictment

William Marrion Branham

227 Remember, they were very religious people that did that. They wasn't outsiders. They were religious people of that day. And that's what's doing it today, is the religious people; same crucifixion, same thing today. Quickly... 228 "There they crucified Him," then, then. Sure. **THEN THEY WERE REJECTING GOD'S WORD MADE MANIFEST, accepting their creeds instead of the Word.** 229 Is that what they're doing today? That's exactly, doing the same today. **HE WAS THE WORD; AND THEY REJECTED THE WORD.** That's one point I want you not to miss, see, I want you not to miss. **HE WAS THE WORD, AND WHEN THEY REJECTED HIM, THEY REJECTED THE WORD. AND WHEN THEY DID REJECT HIM, THEY FINALLY CRUCIFIED HIM. AND THAT'S WHAT THEY'VE DONE TODAY: REJECT THE WORD OF GOD, and accepted their creeds; and has crucified, publicly, before their congregation, the working of the Holy Spirit. And they're guilty, and I indict them in the Name of Jesus Christ.** 230 Fifteen years I've seen Him move across the land, and still they hold their creeds. They're guilty! They took the Word that would have brought the church, all the churches together, and made a great big union brotherhood amongst Pentecostals and all the rest of them; instead of doing so, **they rejected It, and turned It down, has made fun of It, and called It everything now.** 231 And now, by a federation of church, through the devil's plan, trying to come in and say, "Now we'll come, buy some Oil." They are rejected. And they've... **They are guilty of crucifying Jesus Christ. You take it on God's terms, or your terms won't work. See?** 232 **They rejected God's Word made manifest, for their creeds, and they're doing the same today. "He was the Word," John, Saint John 1. Hebrews 13:8 says, "He's the same yesterday, today, and forever." Now they are crucifying Him afresh.** 233 Did you know the Bible said we could do that? How many would like to read just a little bit? Will you give me another fifteen minutes of it? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] **All right. Let's turn over now, just a minute, a "crucified afresh." Let's go over to Hebrews, the 6th chapter, and read just a little bit. Hebrews the 6th, and see if we "crucify the Son of God afresh," see if it can be done. You say, "YOU CAN'T CRUCIFY HIM THE SECOND TIME." 234 WE'LL FIND OUT WHETHER WE CAN OR NOT. GOD'S WORD IS TRUE. IS THAT RIGHT?**

Oh, but people, we need that LIFE OF CHRIST DOWN IN OUR SOUL! The trouble is, the adversary the devil is going about like a lion. He comes to make your thinking wrong, warps you're thinking and takes you down the wrong channel, makes you think wrong. He can get you so twisted up and turned around.

1 Peter 5:8-Reference quote:

8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:

Like a little, a little brother here, over there in another country now, got my name upon his pulpit, God have mercy that don't help me, that hinders me and kills me. I'm trying to walk

humble before the Lord God, HUMBLE AND SINCERE, AS I KNOW HOW TO WALK. BUT THERE'S ALWAYS A DEVIL ON EVERY FACET, everything on every hand to turn yourself aside from God, and sincerely, but sincerely wrong.

All we need to do is wake up in the morning and let a demon there by our bedside to stick you with the wrong thinking. See! Just get you thinking wrong lies.

No wonder Brother Branham said, "I stood here and preached all these years," said. "and you women sit there... I know" he said, "I'd call your names too, you'd turn against me in a minute," he said. See, he said, "Don't look at me, look at the word."

God's light's shining in this hour children, it's 1972, see. If we got the life of Christ down in us it'll... if we got the life of Christ down in us it'll produce Christ. I don't say it'll produce it overnight; but it'll bring forth Christ in you, it'll cause you to change. You sneak around and do these things and think the Lord don't know it, and think those things we think and think the Lord don't know it, that's the way that we do? The word of God will cause you to live by the word of God.

Like the devil comes along and all he wants to do is make you think, Token coming, revival coming, way down there, something coming forth from the Lord, way down there. That's all the devil wants you to do, gets your mind so tied up on what's coming down the road and then you won't live nothing TODAY! TODAY IS THE DAY OF SALVATION! NEGLECT NOT GOD'S SALVATION THAT'S BEING REVEALED DAY AFTER DAY, and don't put it off down the road.

Strive to get that life down in your soul today. See! Live every day, why, a Christian life... what is it? A life of Christ, is taking up your cross daily, you gotta strive to stay in life, strive to stay in the spirit of Christ and the life of Christ. See, it's a battle, it's not just a half way lackadaisical soft and doddy thing!

Luke 9:23-Reference quote:

23 And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me.

Endnote:

Definition: lackadaisical

lacking enthusiasm and determination; carelessly lazy, implies a carefree indifference marked by half-hearted efforts.

It's 1972, people are still like that ole log that the prophet jumped upon, the ole beach log laying in the creek, it was laying right there where the spirit was, laying right there where the water was running, but all it done was water logged it, soaked it down and made it soft and doddy.

Why see, we can walk out... you stay up here in the cold ice and snow and brother I tell ya, you cross the Georgia line, hit down around Tampa or Florida, I tell ya...aw... you don't want the air condition on, you want to roll down the windows just to pull in that sunshine, it feels so good. But then you can stay there a few days and it gets common.

Brother, Christ the Bridegrooms beams and hot rays of his beams could be beaming right upon your earth, and you sit there and just get lackadaisical. Don't you do it, friends! It's the Greatest Thing that's ever struck the earth.

I'm amazed wherever it goes it turns people upside down and in and out, transforms and changes them, but others don't. Don't let it happen to us, lets watch our lives daily to see that the life... see examine yourselves. Examine yourself to see whether or not that life is down on the inside or not.

See, I want you to make the second resurrection, but I want more to see you make the first.
"Blessed and Holy is he an she that makes the first resurrection."

Revelation 20:6-Reference quote:

6 Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

Now honey, soft doddy and loose lives ain't gonna get it. When you see people that won't pay their bills, won't pay their bills, won't live nothing, fuss and fuming and fighting, scratching carrying on. Oh, there's nothing like the fragrance of Christ down on the inside of somebody, you be around them a little bit.

Did you know you're... that's why that when we work...when you're out working you shouldn't do nothing sloppy. If you're working for somebody you're out on a job, don't you realize that you're the light of the world? And they'll... them people never read their Bible but they're reading you and if you don't...if you don't live the Bible, they're gonna read the Bible the wrong way, and get the wrong impression that's there nothing to Christianity and you become a stumbling stone. When you're working, why you should be the best on the job.

Matthew 5:14-Reference quote:

14 Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid.

And when you owe somebody, when you owe somebody and you let it go month to month and you don't even go tell them, something's wrong. A Christian that owes bills, worried day and night about it. You see people that owes bill and goes out and buys some big extravagant thing and owes all kinds of bills, there's something wrong down on the inside.

And if you let that go loose in your assembly what it'll do... why, you'll lose your testimony in town and we'll be nothing but a bunch of riffraff here, and those spirits will draw other spirits.

Endnote:

Riffraff meaning:

people, undesirable, regarded worthless: a pack of riffraff. the lowest classes, the riffraff of the city. trash; rubbish, trashy.

Spirits draw spirits. You're either getting the Holy Spirit or you're getting somebody else's spirit. And let me tell you something, IF YOU DON'T HAVE THE HOLY SPIRIT AND YOU RUN AROUND WITH A WRONG SPIRITS, YOU'LL TAKE THEIR SPIRIT.

Endnote:

*54-1024 - The Unpardonable Sin
William Marrion Branham*

*42 As I spoke this morning, and backing this up now for this great question I'm fixing to ask in a few moments, is this, **that man take one another's spirit. Be careful that you don't get some man's spirit instead of the Spirit of the Lord.***

Endnote:

*54-0723 - The Prophet Elisha
William Marrion Branham*

*Now, the old saying is, "**Show me your company, and I'll tell you who you are.**" And that's about right. Birds of a feather flock together.*

Endnote:

*56-0715 - The Mark Of The Beast
William Marrion Branham*

*124 I don't know why I'm talking like this. Something making me talk It. I don't know. That's right. I'm not scolding you. Women, men, **I'm only warning you. THUS SAITH THE LORD, "Get right with God." "How can I escape it, Brother Branham?"** 125 Never by joining church. You might be baptized in the Name of "Jesus," in the name of "the Father, Son, Holy Ghost," three times forward, three times backward, up side down, anyway you want to be. You might be sprinkled, poured, put your name on a book. **BUT UNTIL YOU ARE BORN AGAIN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD, THAT LIFE OF THE DEVIL STILL REMAINS IN YOU.** That's right. Do you understand?*

I go overseas, I go everywhere and I can tell those people, why their nose may bigger, some may be fatter, shorter, taller, but I know that spirit I seen it before, and I can tell them everything they do, everything about them I know. All I have to do is contact their spirit and find out which one it is, then I know what they are. Jesus said, "NO MAN HAS TO TELL ME WHAT YOU ARE, I KNOW WHAT YOU ARE, I know exactly. Don't you think a shepherd don't know his sheep?

John 10:26-28-Reference quote:

26 But ye believe not, because ye are not of my sheep, as I said unto you.

27 My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me:

28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.

That's why only a shepherd can help his sheep. If you got fuzz balls in your wool and your wools all dirty and you come in here, you can guarantee you, you're gonna get a scrubbing and a cleaning up. One thing I'll say, I WANT MY SHEEP TO HAVE THE PRETTIEST WOOL IN THE LAND!

I don't want our assembly to be talked about, or be a reproach, I want this place to be known worldwide. There's nothing like it nowhere in the whole land, it's the most healthiest beautiful group of sheep in the world TODAY. Had People come from all over the world and they said, "They never seen nothing like it." But the only way that it'll stay like that, is keep the wool scrubbed. See! Keep it clean.

There's people that's sold out, farms, houses, lands and lots and wives, husbands and everything else, mothers and fathers and foreign lands, come here to hear the word of God and be like Christ.

Oh, we need the life of Christ down on the inside, it's more than the first resurrection. Run the race that's set before you that you might obtain that. **CONTEND!** Do Battle with your adversary the devil, that you might receive the **FAITH ONCE DELIVERED TO THE SAINTS. WHAT FAITH IS THAT? THAT'S THE VERY FAITH OF JESUS CHRIST!** It'll produce another anointed one upon the earth as sure as I stand here.

Hebrews 12:1-2-Reference quote:

1 Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,

2 Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

1 Peter 5:8-9-Reference quote:

8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour:

9 Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.

Jude 1:3-Reference quote:

3 Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

Endnote:

62-0318 - The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed

William Marrion Branham

*414 Now, here is what I'm trying to say to you. The law of reproduction, bring forth of its kind, Genesis 1:11. **These last days, true Church-Bride comes to the Headstone, will be the super Church, a super Race, as the... nears the great Headstone. They will be much like, so much like Him, even they will be in His very image, in the order to being united with Him. They will be One. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God. Denominations can never produce This. This will be... They will produce their creeds and dogmas, mixed with the Word, and—and brings a hybrid product.***

Endnote:

*Pergamean Church Age- An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages - 5 - The
William Marrion Branham*

*Now then, this Word He has left behind on the printed page is a part of Him when you accept it by faith into a Spirit-filled life. He said that **His Word was life.** John 6:63b. But that is exactly what He is: John 14:6, **"I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life."** Romans 8:9b, "If any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His." There it is, He is Spirit and He is Life. **That is exactly what the Word is; that is exactly what Jesus is. He is the Word. So when a Spirit-born, Spirit-filled man in faith takes that Word into his heart and places it upon his lips, why that is the same as Deity speaking.** Every mountain has to go. Satan cannot stand before that man. If the church, way back there in that third age had only held on to the revelation of the living Word in their midst, the power of God would not have faded as it did in those Dark Ages. And right today, when **the church returns to the Word in faith, we can say without doubt that the glory of God and the wonderful acts of God will be in her midst again.** One night as I was seeking the Lord, the Holy Spirit told me to pick up my pen and write. As I grasped the pen to write, His Spirit gave me a message for the church. I want to bring it to you. It has to do with the Word and the bride. Here is what I am trying to say to you. The law of reproduction is that each specie brings forth after its own kind, even according to Genesis 1:11, "And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, and the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so." Whatever life was in the seed came forth into a plant and thence into fruit. The very same law applies to the church today. Whatever seed started the church will come forth and be like the original seed because it is the same seed. **In these last days the true Bride Church (Christ's seed) will come to the Headstone, and she will be the super church, a super race, as she nears Him. They in the bride will be so much like Him that they will even be in His very image. This is in order to be united with Him. They will be one. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God.** Denominations cannot produce this (wrong seed). They will produce their creeds and their dogmas, mixed with the Word. This mongrelizing brings forth a hybrid product. **The first son (Adam) was the spoken seed-Word of God. He was given a bride to reproduce himself. That is why the bride was given to him, to reproduce himself; to produce another son of God. But she fell. She fell by hybridization. She caused him to die. The second Son (Jesus), also a spoken Seed-Word of God was given a bride like as was Adam. But before He could marry her, she also had fallen. She, like Adam's wife, was put to the test whether she would believe the Word of God and live, or doubt the Word and die. She doubted. She left the Word. She died. From a little group of the true seed of the Word, God will present Christ with a beloved bride. She is a virgin of His Word. She is a virgin because she knows no man-made creeds or dogmas. By and through the members of the bride will be fulfilled all that was promised of God to be made manifest in the virgin. The word of promise came to the virgin Mary. But that Word of promise was He, Himself, to be made manifest. God was made manifest. He, Himself, acted at that time and fulfilled His own Word of promise in the virgin. It was an angel that had brought her the message. But the angel's message was the Word of God. Isaiah 9:6. He fulfilled at that time all that was written of Him because she accepted His Word to her. The members of the virgin bride will love Him, and they will have His potentials, for He is their head, and all power belongs to Him. They are subject to Him as the members of our bodies are subject to our***

heads. Notice the harmony of the Father and the Son. Jesus never did anything until it was first showed Him by the Father. John 5:19. This harmony is now to exist between the Groom and His bride. He shows her His Word of life. She receives it. She never doubts it. Therefore, nothing can harm her, not even death. For if the seed be planted, the water will raise it up again. Here is the secret of this. The Word is in the bride (as it was in Mary). The bride has the mind of Christ for she knows what He wants done with the Word. She performs the command of the Word in His name for she has “thus saith the Lord.” Then the Word is quickened by the Spirit and it comes to pass. Like a seed that is planted and watered, it comes to full harvest, serving its purpose. Those in the bride do only His will. No one can make them do otherwise. They have “thus saith the Lord” or they keep still. They know that it has to be God in them doing the works, fulfilling His own Word. He did not complete all His work while in His earthly ministry so now He works in and through the bride. She knows that, for it was not yet time for Him to do certain things that He must now do. But He will now fulfill through the bride that work which He left for this specific time.

THIS IS THE BIBLE; God’s word is right. There’s got to be a people come on the scene to perfecting in a perfect church. There’ll be one there, it’s the hour for it! We’re in the running for it, don’t slack up now, press on.

Endnote:

*62-0318 - The Spoken Word Is The Original Seed
William Marrion Branham*

*204 What was He? Made Himself a Man. **“God was made flesh, and dwelt among us. The Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us.”** God’s spoken Word, through a virgin, brought forth a—a body. And in that body come the—the Water, the Spirit. “And washed by the Water of the Word.” And then went in Him, dwelt in Him, and there come the Life of God manifesting Himself through Christ. God was in Christ, the anointed One. Christ means “the anointed One,” a Man that was anointed. “And God dwelling in Him.” What was it? **The Germ with the flesh, the anointed One, flesh being anointed with the Spirit of God, produced the Word of God made manifest. “And we beheld Him, the only begotten of the Father, full of grace.” See? 205 There we was, see. He was God’s Word made manifest. And, now, He died in order to pay the debt of your hybreeding. My! My! There it is. What is it? THAT YOU COULD DIE TO YOURSELF, UNTIL YOU’RE NO MORE YOURSELF, AND BE FILLED WITH HIS WORD, BELIEVING HIS WORD. And then the Holy Spirit, was in Him, comes down to water that Word, to make It grow. See? And then what is it? God manifesting, continuing the work of His first Son, His only begotten, see, that died for our hybreeding life; that He might reconcile us back, to be sons and daughters of God, that through the Church might flow the same Life, by the Word, continuing the work being manifested as it was in Christ. Christ was God’s Word made manifest. And He died, gave His Life, that He might send the Spirit; take His body up, and send the Spirit back, to water, pay the redeeming price, if we’ll believe it. That’s it right there: if you believe it. “He that believeth on Me, the works that I do...” Then come the Holy Spirit upon the same Word of God. 206 “Now,” you say, “where—where do you throw it upon the Bible then?” 207 **The Bible has got to be in you. The Word is a Seed.** As long It’s laying***

*here, it won't do nothing. But when It comes in here, when It comes in the heart, then It begins to manifest, by the Holy Spirit, the works of God. Then visions come, power comes, humility comes. All your know-it-all is gone. You become nothing. Christ becomes alive. You die; He lives. **There it is. CAUSE, HE DIED, I LIVE. WHEN I DIE, HE—HE LIVES AGAIN. AND WHEN I DIE, HE PROMISED ME LIFE. And I died out to myself, so in order I can have His Life. And how do I do it? BY TAKING HIS WORD, HIS SEED. PUT HIS SEED IN HERE, BY FAITH, AND BELIEVE IT, AND THEN IT PRODUCES EXACTLY WHAT THE BIBLE SAID.***

Endnote:

*62-0120 - The Unchangeable God Working In An Unexpected Way
William Marrion Branham*

*And so we, of all one great big army of God's soldiers, marching on towards the final victory at the end of the road. And to you Christians who are here, journeying, the peace of God be upon you. 8 And I trust that God will bless this little church. And may it grow to a mammoth, great church here, all the members be filled with the Holy Spirit; and so obedient to the Spirit, that sin cannot even enter the doors without being called out by the Holy Spirit. **That's the type of church that we're looking for, and striving that we might have. I believe that those things are possible.** 9 And now it's probable, too, that if we'll just submit ourselves to God, and listen to His Word, and believe on Jesus with all of our heart, I believe that there'll come a Church that where them things will take place. I know it'd be the hunger of—of every minister's heart, to come into a church that's just so filled with the Presence of God, and—and everybody just so in harmony with the Spirit, until there will be no sin, one member could not commit a sin. Just as soon as they walked in there, they'd know better than to come in the presence of that church, with that sin on their life. The Holy Spirit would call it right out, right now, and say, "This is what it is." Now, there's the way we should be, friends. **That's the type of church. And we're striving for that, brethren, aren't we?** [The brethren say, "Amen."—Ed.] We're all striving for that thing, and we're hoping and trusting.*

You don't have the faith! Notice how the Holy Spirit laid that out there down in Georgia and they seen that. Be honest with your heart, see.

Endnote:

*53-0328 Israel And The Church #4
William Marrion Branham*

*79 And I believe we're on the border land tonight. I was wondering about all my meetings and things, how I had to cancel them out. **I TRULY BELIEVE, BEFORE THE CHURCH CAN HAVE THE RAPTURE, IT'S GOT TO HAVE RAPTURNING FAITH. WE CAN'T EVEN HAVE FAITH FOR DIVINE HEALING, LET ALONE RAPTURNING FAITH.** Got to have a faith that'll change and quicken this body, and be taken away. I believe there's a Church on its road tonight, a Power of the living God, that men will speak the Word here and there, and it'll flash like lightning. And a Church is coming out; not a psychologist, not some of this put-on,*

make-belief; BUT A REAL, TRUE, GENUINE, ANOINTED, HOLY GHOST, CALLED-OUT CHURCH! Amen.

Endnote:

62-1124E - All Things

William Marrion Branham

41 Oh, you say, “I went down there, and there’s a lot of power. Brother, the whole floor was dancing in the Spirit,” AND NOT ENOUGH FAITH TO HEAL A TOOTHACHE. YOU CALL THAT POWER? THAT’S NOT POWER. That’s blessings. There’s a lot of difference between blessings and power. God makes His blessings upon the righteous and unrighteous. The sun shines and... See? We got to get back to truth, friends. We got to come back to what God means. What He says, He means. See? And He refused their... Once hid His face from their prayers

How many women ain’t honest? Know good and well that I know that! See! How many men ain’t honest? Don’t be...be honest. What do you think I got, to where the little place I’ve obtain too today? By being dishonest? No! (*No! congregation says*) God will never give a revelation to a dishonest man.

That’s why it never pays never to criticize a man that’s called of God, don’t never do it. No matter what you think about it, don’t think it! It ain’t worth it. See, because God, God done thought about him before the foundation of the world. See you’re thinking will only get you in trouble, just believe. Just believe and receive, because in that’s life, in that’s light and in that light is life and you cannot find it no other way. See!

Here we are... [in closing now.] Here we are up in 1972 and cross the land and people are sitting... those that go to the tape meetings saying, “Now we’re just waiting on the Lord for the resurrection to set in.” Call for a prayer line, “Now, nobody that ain’t got perfect faith, don’t get into it.” And we see all kinds of great spiritual statements, see. Then you run onto some of them people during the week, that said some of all them great things, you sneak upon them and there they are at home watching television. Run in on them in the stores, and there they are, hiding behind a tv magazine.

“What’s ever hidden will be shouted upon the housetop.”

They’ll go on talking spiritual, like everything is just fine. They’re lying against their own heart. See!

Luke 12:2-3-Reference quote:

2 For there is nothing covered, that shall not be revealed; neither hid, that shall not be known.

3 Therefore whatsoever ye have spoken in darkness shall be heard in the light; and that which ye have spoken in the ear in closets shall be proclaimed upon the housetops.

Then another little brother walks around (*Brother Lambert smacks his hands together*) and makes one statement and then you can just feel the spirit quiver frightened. It hurts you; it hurts you, Lord there’s a soul now, that’s just as lost as lost could be. I don’t mean, go to hell! But I mean this rapture! See, that’s what I’m concerned about is the Bride, see the Bride.

But now, that group has got to have the goods down on the inside. So, therefore you got to be honest and sincere. Like those women was down there screaming out, what did they say? They cried out the truth, "God save my sinful soul!" See!

Here the prophet of God, the messengers gone, we know how his First pull and second pull the first pull was healing, the Second pull was prophesy, but the Third pull but he said, "Was opening of the word." There is only one thing that will deliver you from the power of darkness and that's the revealed word of God.

Endnote:

65-0725M - *The Anointed Ones At The End Time*
William Marrion Branham

262 Notice, the very day when this messenger...Not when he starts on, but when he begins to declare his Message. See? **THE FIRST PULL, HEALING; SECOND PULL, PROPHESYING; THIRD PULL, THE OPENING OF THE WORD, THE MYSTERIES REVEALED. No more, there is no more higher order to reveal the Word, than prophets. BUT THE ONLY WAY THE PROPHET CAN BE VINDICATED IS BY THE WORD.** And, remember, **THE THIRD PULL WAS THE OPENING OF THEM SEVEN SEALS, TO REVEAL THE HIDDEN TRUTH THAT'S BEEN SEALED IN THE WORD.** Do you see it?

Endnote:

65-0725E - *What Is The Attraction On The Mountain?*
William Branham

133 He, the Voice, come back, said, "Not a king's sword, but, **'THE KING'S SWORD,' THE WORD OF THE LORD.**" Said, "Fear not. **IT'S ONLY THE THIRD PULL. IT'S THE VINDICATION OF YOUR MINISTRY.**"

Endnote:

63-0324E - *The Seventh Seal*
William Marrion Branham

285 And I had my hands out, and all at once something hit my hand. I don't know. I can't say. Did I go to sleep? I don't know. Did I go into a trance? I don't know. Was it a vision? I can't tell you. Only thing I can say is when I... Just the same thing like them Angels was. And it struck my hand, and I looked, and it was a sword, and it had pearl handles, real pretty; and had a guard over it with gold, and the blade looked like, something like a chrome, like silver, only it was real shiny. And it was so feather-edge sharp, Oh, my. And I thought, "Isn't that the prettiest thing?" just fit my hand. I thought, "That's awful pretty." But I said, "Hey, I'm always 'fraid of them things." A sword; and I thought, "What will I do with that?" And just then a voice shook down through there that rocked the rocks, said, "It's the Sword of the King." And then I come out of it. "The Sword of the King." Now, if it said, "a Sword of a King..." **BUT IT SAID, "THE SWORD OF THE KING," AND THERE'S ONLY ONE "THE KING," AND THAT'S GOD. AND HE HAS ONE SWORD; THAT'S HIS WORD,** what I live by. That, so help me, God; standing over His holy desk here, with this holy Word laying here! It's the Word! Amen!

And the revealed word of God only comes to his servants, comes only to his prophets, the only way it comes.

Brother Branham said on, "The anointed ones at the end-time page 58-53, he said, "There's no higher order in God, no higher anointing, no greater anointing, no greater vindication, then for God to reveal his word through a prophet." No other way.

Amos 3:7-Reference quote:

7 Surely the Lord God will do nothing, but he revealeth his secret unto his servants the prophets.

Endnote:

65-0725M - The Anointed Ones At The End Time

William Marrion Branham

NO MORE, THERE IS NO MORE HIGHER ORDER TO REVEAL THE WORD, THAN PROPHETS. BUT THE ONLY WAY THE PROPHET CAN BE VINDICATED IS BY THE WORD.

Endnote:

62-0727 - We Would See Jesus

William Marrion Branham

*And he ascended up by the side of Pharaoh, and no man could come to Pharaoh only by Joseph. Jesus ascended up into heaven. No man comes to the Father, only by Jesus. **And when Joseph left the throne to go out, the trumpet sounded, and every knee bowed. "Bow the knee. Joseph is coming." And when Jesus leaves the throne, every knee will bow and every tongue will confess. See? That was the Spirit of Messiah in those men. That's the reason the Word of God came to the prophets. AND HERE THE FULL WORD OF GOD WAS MANIFESTED IN ORDER TO REDEEM MAN.***

Oh see, we holler vindication, oh vindication, vindication, vindication, BUT LET ME ASK YOU SOMETHING, IF THE DEAD RAISED, AND THE OLE BLINDED EYES OPENED AND CRIPPLE ARMS MADE STRAIGHT, IS THAT MORE VINDICATION THAN THE REVEALED WORD OF GOD? (*No!*) The arms being created and arms being made straight and legs made straight and cancers melted at the name of Jesus Christ, it's not as a greater vindication as God putting his word together, by a prophet of God! THAT'S THE ONLY THING THAT WILL DELIVER YOU FROM THE POWER OF DARKNESS!

No wonder Brother Branham said, "He couldn't sleep at night," when I heard what he said on, "What Is The Attraction On The Mountain." He said, "I don't have time to baptize in water and all these other things and take care of tapes," but said, "I got my mind set on this message, that's that Third Pull."

Endnote

65-0725E - *What Is The Attraction On The Mountain?*

William Branham

26 Now, I understand soon I...have announced it yet. But there's a tape hearing again. Every so often we...the trustees, I have nothing to do with it at all. I don't even...never at none of the meetings. It's neither—neither pro nor con. They turn in their bids; the trustees decide who is the next man to make tapes, and they send him a letter. That's all I know about it. **They take care of that, because I can't even dedicate babies let alone take care of tapes, so, or baptize.**

27 So I've got my mind set on this Message, that's that Third Pull, and it's the one I must be loyal and reverent to.

Endnote:

65-0725E - *What Is The Attraction On The Mountain?*

William Branham

133 He, the Voice, come back, said, "Not a king's sword, but, **'THE KING'S SWORD,' THE WORD OF THE LORD.**" Said, "Fear not. **It's only the Third Pull. It's the vindication of your ministry.**"

Brother Braham made other statements said that, "After the seals were opened, "That the Bible was a new book, a complete new book." He said, "It's all become new to him." And He said, "He's so excited, that he can't even sleep day or night."

Endnote:

65-0911 - *God's Power To Transform*

William Marrion Branham

7 Now, it's hard to say this. It's—it's very hard, because speaking to people who feel the same way I do, and the way I have been for many years. **BUT SINCE THE OPENING OF THOSE SEVEN SEALS, OF THEM ANGELS JUST BEHIND THE MOUNTAIN YONDER, THIS HAS BECOME A NEW BOOK.** It's the things that's been hid, is being revealed as God promised in Revelation 10, He would do it. And we are the privileged people that God has chosen, of the earth, that we might see and understand these things; which is not some mythical, fleshly mind of a person trying to make it up. It's the Word of God made manifest, proven, that It's right. Proven, not by science; but by God, that It's right. God, as I have said before in a message, God doesn't need anyone to interpret His Word. He is His Own Interpreter. He says it'll happen, and it happens. That is, He—He confirms it, that interprets it.

Endnote:

55-0225 - *Glorified Jesus*

William Marrion Branham

25 Now, Cain, I don't believe that Cain wilfully walked out there and got the fruits of the field, works of his hands, and brought it over, because he—he just absolutely wanted to do it to be a

*smart-aleck. I believe Cain come with a full heart, thinking he was doing right. Why was he trying to find favor with God? He was **trying to find life again**. He was **trying to get back to the garden of Eden again**, where the Cherubims was. **I imagine they went to the east side where the Cherubim was guarding the Tree of Life. They were trying to get back**. And a man with his—the destination of his soul hanging in the balance, he ain't going up there to play church; he's going up there to worship. And with all of his heart, Cain said, "I believe there is a God. And I'm coming to find favor with Him." So he goes and get the fruits of the field that he had raised, brought them up and laid them down, perhaps put the big calla lilies and beautiful flowers, around and stepped back... Oh, we could have something to say here of that nature like that. But he stepped back, knelt down, and raised up his hands, and confessed his wrong and worshipped Jehovah. But Jehovah shook his head, no. 26 **Here comes Abel**, perhaps with nothing pretty, **had a little old lamb and a grapevine tied around his neck**. There wasn't no hemp in that day, so I suppose he had a grapevine around his neck, dragging the little fellow, and him trying to pull back, picked him up, **threw him up on the rock**. They didn't have any knives, so he perhaps taken a piece of flint or something, and pulled his little head back and **chopped his little throat** like, that till he cut the jugular vein, the little fellow kicking, and the **blood spraying** like that, **holding his hand up on him till the little fellow died. AND GOD LOOKED DOWN AND SAID, "THAT'S RIGHT, THAT'S IT."** 27 Now, the only way that boy could've ever did that, and know that **THAT WAS THE RIGHT SACRIFICE, IT HAD TO BE A SPIRITUAL REVELATION FROM GOD**. That's exactly... It's been every since **spiritual revealed Truth. How God, in His mercy, through the operation of the Holy Spirit reveals spiritual Truth, the Word Itself**. If you're trying to read It from some educational standpoint, you just read It like you was trying figure out mathematically something. **BUT IF YOU READ IT AFTER YOU HAVE RECEIVED CHRIST INTO YOUR HEART, IT'S A BRAND NEW BOOK AGAIN. IT'S JUST A LOVE STORY, GOD WRITING IT TO YOU. IT'S SPIRITUAL REVEALED.***

And oh, when a soul that's sat-in darkness, THAT THOUGHT THEY WAS SAVED AND BORN AGAIN. WHEN THAT SOUL THAT SETS IN DARKNESS see's this marvelous light, oh, brother it's more than bread to him, it's more than family, it's more than jobs, it's more than anything, its life. It'll transform you, it'll transform your thinking, it'll change your attitude, IT'LL CHANGE EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU. And if you don't see a change in you, friend, we're still sitting in darkness.

The prophet of God, **without even that revelation**, so honored Sunday, cold as the water was, he swam out in the river, owned but one pair of pants to his name. Swam out in the river, so honored God, he shook the bait off his hooks to keep from catching one on Sunday.

Endnote:

54-0829A - I Will Restore, Saith The Lord
William Marrion Branham

*19 When I used to be a trapper, I'd go on Saturday night, after midnight, many times, and throw traps, along, like that. I've took up fishing lines, on trotlines, on the river, and **take the bait off of them, keep from fishing on Sunday, and thing: when I was a sinner**. And after I become a Christian, I'm sure I'll want, stick with it now.*

Endnote:

63-0324E - The Seventh Seal

William Marrion Branham

326 I'm only telling you what I seen and what has been told to me. And now you—you do whatever you want to. I don't know who is going to...what's going to take place. **I DO NOT KNOW**. I just know that those **SEVEN THUNDERS HOLDS THAT MYSTERY**. The Heavens was quiet. Everybody understand? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] **IT MAY BE TIME, IT MAY BE THE HOUR NOW, THAT THIS GREAT PERSON THAT WE'RE EXPECTING TO RISE ON THE SCENE MAY ARISE ON THE SCENE.** 327 Maybe this ministry, that I have tried to take people back to **THE WORD, HAS LAID A FOUNDATION**; and if it has, **I'LL BE LEAVING YOU, FOR GOOD. THERE WON'T BE TWO OF US HERE THE SAME TIME. SEE? IF IT IS, HE'LL INCREASE; I'LL DECREASE.** I don't know. 328 But I have been privileged, by God, to look and see what It was, see, see **unfold to that much**. Now, that is the Truth.

Endnote

63-0324E - The Seventh Seal

William Marrion Branham

And said, **"THIS WILL BE THE THIRD PULL, AND YOU WON'T TELL IT TO NOBODY."** And in Sabino Canyon, He said, "This is the Third Pull." 300 **AND THERE'S THREE GREAT THINGS THAT GOES WITH IT.** And one unfolded today, or, yesterday; the other one unfolded today; and there's one thing that I cannot interpret, because it's in an unknown language. But I stand right there and looked right straight at It. **AND THIS IS THE THIRD PULL COMING UP.** [Brother Branham knocks on the pulpit three times—Ed.] And the Holy Spirit of God... Oh, my! **THAT'S THE REASON ALL HEAVEN WAS SILENT.** 301 Now, I—I better stop right here, see. I just—I just feel checked, not to say no more about It. See? 302 So, just remember, the **Seventh Seal, the reason It was not opened.** [Brother Branham knocks on the pulpit six times—Ed.] **SEE, THE REASON IT DID NOT REVEAL IT, NO ONE SHOULD KNOW ABOUT IT.** 303 And I want you to know, before I even knewed any Word about That, that vision come years ago. You remember that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] And here It is, just as this other has, **slides right straight into the Word exactly where It was.** [Brother Branham knocks on the pulpit two times.] And God knows my heart, I never one time thought of such a thing as That, and here It was. It's later than we think. Uh-huh. Oh, my! 304 **THAT SHOWS IT'S FROM GOD, FOR, SEE, IT FITS EXACTLY IN THE PROMISES OF GOD, FROM THE END OF THE—THE MESSAGE.** You notice. Notice now, for the end-of-time Message, this Seal. After all, He—He has revealed all the six Seals, **BUT HE DON'T SAY NOTHING ABOUT THE SEVENTH.**

Now people across the nation that claim to be the children of God, don't no more honor a Sunday. WHY, WE'RE ATHEIST SOME OF US, WE'VE COMPLETELY PUT GOD CLEAR OUT OF OUR THINKING, WE DON'T WANT GOD TO RULE OVER OUR MINDS. We want our minds to have liberty and freedom to do what it wants to do. But oh, children of God, there's AN HOUR COMING when we'll wished we'd honored God and feared his name. Why

how blessed are you, even though you may be an outright sinner, you'll honor Gods Sunday, honor it and respect it. Have a respect and honor it.

What a great thing it is to be able to fear God. HOW CAN YOU WALK OUT AND LOOK AT HIS GREAT MOUNTAINS, SEE HIS MOON AND HIS STARS AND TO JUST UNDERSTAND A LITTLE BIT OF THIS GREAT UNIVERSE AND NOT SOMEHOW FEAR GOD IS BEYOND ME. And we holler atheist. Oh, he's a great God but he's a fearful God. "Fear not him who's able to destroy the body, but fear him that's able to destroy both body hel...both body and soul and spirit in hell fire."

Matthew 10:28-Reference quote:

28 And fear not them which kill the body, but are not able to kill the soul: but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell.

Proverbs 1:-Reference quote:

7 The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge: but fools despise wisdom and instruction.

Psalms 34:11-Reference quote:

11 Come, ye children, hearken unto me: I will teach you the fear of the Lord.

Yet we walk around today, people don't fear God. I fear God, I fear him, oh to be cast away from his presence, is to be like in a whorehouse. Just great whore's and to be caught in there and can't get out, in a nightmare.

Oh, I fear him, I've feared him ever since I've been a little boy. All my life I've tried to find him, in the Methodist Church, in the Baptist church, in this church. Run up crying, "Oh Lord Jesus, save my soul, I don't want to die and go to hell." A dead person would just scare me to death. Oh, how I'm so thankful that my little soul a ray of light has come into my soul AND I'VE BEEN DELIVERED FROM THE POWER OF DARKNESS! And looking with my head up in the air for our Great Kingdom of Heaven to be coming upon the earth and be caught away with that Great Capstone.

No wonder Brother Branham said, "I don't have time for nothing else but this, my life is set on this message that's coming forth, and I must give all honor and reverence to it, it's the one I've got to respect."

Endnote:

Spirit of Truth 63-0118

William Branham

E-20 'THERE WILL RISE SOMEBODY AFTER ME THAT'LL TAKE THE MESSAGE ON. HE'LL BE AN ODD PERSON, BUT HE'LL RISE AFTER THIS AND TAKE THE MESSAGE ON. And you listen to it. As long as it's Scripture, stay with it.'

Endnote:

62-1014M - *The Stature Of A Perfect Man*
William Marrion Branham

60 Now, after we get through with the **SEVEN SEALS**, then, at that ***time of the sounding of the Seventh Seal, OR THE LOOSENING***... Course, we know what a seal is, **IS TO LOOSE THE MINISTRY, to loose Seven Seals.** And we'll see that right on the chart. **IS LOOSING A MESSAGE, SOMETHING THAT'S SEALED UP.**

Endnote:

65-1128E - *On The Wings Of A Snow-White Dove*
William Marrion Branham

211 I laid my hands against the rock and looked up towards Heaven and started praying. I heard a Voice coming out of the top of the rocks there, said, "What are you leaning against, over your heart?" And I raised back like this, my bare shoulders; naked from my waist up, hot. I looked back. And there was wrote in the quartz, in the stone, "**White Eagle**"; just exactly what the vision said that **THE NEXT MESSAGE WOULD COME FORTH BY.** 212 I was so excited, I run home; got a camera and come back the next day, and took the picture of it. It was still there, wrote in the rock: "White Eagle." (Dove leading eagle.)

And oh, what a fearful thing it is, how around the country, they've heard the light that is shining in the east, and how they make fun of it, talk about it. If they only realized, THAT WAS THE VERY ONE THAT THEY CLAIM THAT'S COMING AFTER HIM, THAT'S HIM SPEAKING! IT'S THE BRIDEGROOM, IT'S NOT A MAN! IT'S MORE THAN A MAN, IT'S GOD IN HIS WORD! THE LIGHT IS SHINING UPON THE DARKNESS OF THE EARTH. See!

Endnote:

Harvest Time #2 7/30/72 Am.
Robert Lee Lambert Jr

But notice, after his ministry, then came another ministry on the scene that did have the rainbow over his head, showing you that was the Third Pull, White Eagle, White Horse Rider coming to none other than the predestinated rainbow trout to hook them into the body of Christ.

Notice here, the Rainbow Covenant is only to the predestinated Bride of the Bridegroom. This Angel with the Rainbow Covenant is Christ the Bridegroom, coming to engage the Bride and give her a covenant of marriage. He cries out His message and say's, Time Is All Over! The space of time allotted to the church ages is now over and it's no more, it's run out. No more can men and women be saved under any denominational creed or dogma. No more will God forgive you of your sins and spare your soul in any of them churches. The mercy has left that age!

No way for anybody to be saved in anyway form or fashion today, outside that they come to the ministry and message of that Mighty Angel of Revelation 10:1. He, and he alone, who has that ministry to the Bride of Christ, has the authority to enter you into that divine Rainbow Covenant of Christ Jesus our Lord.

Do you realize how great that covenant is? When He enters in with you into that covenant, he swears and takes an oath by God Himself. Takes an oath, He swears, to you that if you enter into that Covenant with Him, and if you'll eat His flesh and drink His blood, He swears that He will give you the Token!

And then Anything... when He gives you that Token...Anything that you'll ask in His name, He'll do it. What so ever you desire, and what so ever, you desire when you pray, He will give it to you. Just ask anything in His name, when you get that.

Just ask anything in His name, and you will get it. Lord, I want my Boy! You got it! Lord, my wife. You got it! Lord my wife here, her eyes are gone, her sockets are dropped out! I give her two new eyes! My little girl, Lord, she has no legs! I give her new legs! I don't care...

(The power of almighty God hits Brother Lambert and takes his breath away)

Oh God have mercy! I just can't hardly preach, it's just so great it's eating me up! Oh, praise him saints!

Oh, Oh, little Bride, don't you realize that Bridegroom is speaking to you and telling you these things this morning? It's not your brother, it's the Voice of the Bridegroom. He loves you!! He's going to give you all the desires of your heart! What so ever you desire, it shall be done! He's entering into a divine, sworn, bloody covenant.

He died and gave His blood and swore by an oath that He loved you, and that He was coming to marry you and give you all that you desire!

What once saved people underneath those Seven Church Ages, will no longer... Oh, hear me, beloved! Whatever you had over in that day, you cannot bring over here in this day, because it was only an imitation, it was only a substitute. It was only allotted by the grace of God to you, because... God would not hold you responsible for it because there was no way that He could tell you about it because the time was not right. The time of redemption had not drawn nigh. But He said little eagle lift up your head, for your redemption draws nigh. The hour will come when I will draw nigh and I will come down with that mighty Angel, Christ, with that great Rainbow Covenant. The hour will come when I'll come down on Him with that covenant and if you'll believe what He tells you, and you'll eat His flesh and drink His blood, I swear that I'll give you the Token. And then, whatever you ask. it'll be done!

Endnote:

62-0601 - Taking Sides With Jesus

William Marrion Branham

It's either the end of my road, and LET THIS OTHER ONE COME ON; I'VE OPENED UP THE ROAD FOR HIM TO TAKE OVER, 'cause, REMEMBER, THE ONE THAT COMES TO PREACH, WILL BE ON THE WORD, "Restoring the FAITH of the children back to the fathers." It could be the end of my road.

Endnote:

65-1127E - *I Have Heard But Now I See*
William Marrion Branham

AND THE CHURCH IS LOOKING FOR THE PROMISED SON, HE WILL COME RIGHT AFTER THE DAYS OF THIS MINISTRY, HE'LL BE REVEALED FROM THE HEAVENS. NOW, WE SEE IT TOO PLAIN, IT'S GOT TO BE.

Endnote:

56-0419 - *Earnestly Contending For The Faith That Was Once Delivered Unto The Saints*
William Branham

24 Now, in the beginning, we find out that John preached and said, "THERE'S JUST COMING ONE AFTER ME, AND AS SOON AS HE COMES," he said, "He must increase, I must decrease. I must get out of the picture, and He must take over.

Endnote:

64-0313 - *The Voice Of The Sign*
William Marrion Branham

70 JOHN THE BAPTIST COME ON, AS A SIGN. He was a prophet. He was a prophet-sign come on the earth. THEY KNOWED, WHEN HE COME ON, THE MESSIAH WOULD SPEAK, AFTER HIM. It had to be, 'cause, get the—get the elected. 71 What this is for is to get the elected people that's coming out, like in the days of Noah. Like in the days of—of Elijah, the seven thousand or seven hundred, or whatever it was, that hadn't bowed their knee, to call them out. JOHN CALLING OUT THE ELECTED, AND GIVE IT OVER TO CHRIST WHEN HE COME, SWAPPED HIS CHURCH, SAID, "I MUST DECREASE, HE MUST INCREASE, BECAUSE," HE SAID, "I'M JUST A VOICE OF HIM, CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS, 'PREPARE THE WAY FOR THE LORD.'" AND JESUS COME THE SAME WAY. GETS THE ELECTED READY TO HEAR THE VOICE OF GOD, THAT'S WHAT THE PROPHETIC SIGN IS. Oh, if you follow these Messages, get the per-...get the elected ready. Not the others, will never hear it. It's the elected that's called.

Endnote:

61-1231E - *If God Be With Us, Then Where Is All The Miracles?*
William Marrion Branham

53 Now I want you to notice another thing that might encourage you. Immediately after that prophet's Message, THE LORD APPEARED ON THE SCENE. Amen! As soon as he gave his Message, the Lord appeared under a tree. The Lord came, after the Message of the prophet, sitting under a tree. The prophet gave...The people fell away, got off in their isms. God sent His prophet. Soon as the prophet got through with his Message, THE LORD FOLLOWED THE PROPHET'S MESSAGE, FOR DELIVERANCE! 54 Oh, we are living in a grand time! Immediately when the prophet went off the scene, what happened? The Lord came on the scene! AS SOON AS JOHN WENT OFF THE SCENE, THE LORD CAME ON THE SCENE! Very strange how God works, but He does it, works in mysterious way.

And they build up the wrong...they build up the wrong attitude toward it. Then I have people hear about me, I'm going to be there, they run over and sit there and criticize it and think you don't know it. Don't realize their criticizing God himself. Oh, it's terrible.

Yet it's 1972 and everybody claims to be walking in light. And from my heart, from my heart I say, I've crossed the Earth and I only find they're only walking in gross darkness. No wonder that the prophet of God said, "There's a great light coming forth soon, cover the earth in just a few short months."

Endnote:

65-0815 - *And Knoweth It Not*
William Marrion Branham

94 I'm only building. *The hour is close at hand when you're going to see something happen, when something is going to take place. And all this background here has only been laying a foundation FOR A SHORT, QUICK MESSAGE THAT WILL SHAKE THE WHOLE NATIONS.*

Endnote:

65-0822M - *Christ Is Revealed In His Own Word*
William Marrion Branham

*148 Now we're going to speak about evening Lights, just for a few moments. The Bible predicts that there would come a time, right at the closing time, that the sun would come out, and there would be an evening Light. We all know that. Don't we? We, we're... We who are familiar with our Message today from the Lord Jesus, we believe that there will be a evening Light. And this evening Light... **OF COURSE, THE GREAT LIGHT WILL COME WHEN JESUS HIMSELF WILL BE MANIFESTED HERE ON EARTH, or up in the Heavens, taking away His Bride, and then the Millennium will set in.***

Endnote:

61-1224 - *Sirs, We Would See Jesus*
William Marrion Branham

*152 Isaiah said, in the 42nd chapter, we just read, "Great Light has come." Light! Oh, I don't want to get off the subject. **But the greatest Light that ever shined was shined in that humble, little Nazarene: a Man with no beauty we should desire Him; a Man without education, worldly speaking; a Man that knowed not the rituals and things of this world. But could tie demons, raise the dead, and devils trembled. 153 And God recognized Him from Heaven, and spoke back, "This is My beloved Son."** Not before the plutocrats, but before a selected group that He had called. Great Light! 154 Why? **A GREATER LIGHT WAS SHINING FROM HIS WORD. WHAT WAS THE WORD? CHRIST. He was what? THE WORD BROUGHT TO LIFE. AND THE WORD BROUGHT TO LIFE, GAVE A GREATER LIGHT than He did when He said, "Let there be light," in Genesis 1. That was a light of a creation, a mortal creation, which must fall. BUT HIS WORD WAS LIFE ETERNAL AND LIGHT ETERNAL.***

AND WHEN A MAN BELIEVED THAT, HE HAD ETERNAL LIGHT. 155 “Light to those that set in the regions of the shadows of death.” Matthew 4. “Bring Light to the Gentiles,” who were possessed and condemned by God, in their idols. But He come as a Light. 156 What did he say? “Thy Word is a Light to my path, a Light to lighten the path to my—to my feet, to guide me.” 157 AND TODAY, THE LIGHT OF GOD IS THE WORD OF GOD MADE MANIFEST, THE LIGHT MADE MANIFEST. The Light is the works of God, spoken by the Word of God, brought to Life, and it’s a greater Light than it was at the dawn of creation. Amen. Light to the lamp, to the path. My! O God! Light, the Word! 158 In darkness as we are today, filled with creeds and denominations, filled with sensations and fanaticism, open hearts to sepulchers of any kind of a spirit, that would even deny this Word from being the Truth, and say, “The days of miracles is past. There is no such a thing as the baptism of Holy Ghost, speaking with tongues, prophets, and so forth. They died, years ago.” 159 Then to see God, in the midst of darkness, the darkness of creed, the darkness of denominations, TAKE HIS WORD AND A BUNCH OF PEOPLE THAT WILL BELIEVE IT, AND SHINE FORTH HIS LIGHT AND HIS LIFE. IT’S MORE LIGHT. IT’S ETERNAL LIGHT, MORE THAN WHAT IT WAS AT THE DAWN OF CREATION. “LET THERE BE LIGHT; AND THERE WAS LIGHT.” Certainly.

Oh, children the night... as the prophet said, “The night is far spent, the night is far spent, the day is at hand, and let us therefore cast off the works of darkness.”

Romans 13:12-Reference quote:

12 The night is far spent, the day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light.

See, a lot of us claimed to be in a marvelous light but we got the works of darkness. How can we be in light and have the works of darkness? Children of light ought to “walk in the light as he’s in the light and then when we do we have fellowship one with another.” How can we have fellowship one with another if we walk in darkness slothful sloppy. We ought to sit up at attention, with our head throwed up and our ear alert, just to hear his voice. How can you hear his voice if you’re not at attention and alert?

1 John 1:7-Reference quote:

7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.

Stand your inspection, I never stood an inspection in my life looking sloppy. You stand there with your trousers creased and the best shine that you can put on your shoes. When the inspector comes by, he comes over brother with a white glove and goes over everything and there better not be no dirt there.

Yet our lives are dirty and are filthy, HOW IS THE INSPECTOR GONNA PUT A SEAL ON IT? HOWS HE GONNA SEAL IT? WHEN IN OUR HEAD, WE THINK IT’S FULL OF LIGHT AND OUR SOUL IS AS BLACK AS MIDNIGHT OF DARKNESS down on the inside.

Endnote:

53-0328 - Israel And The Church #4

William Marrion Branham

*37 That's the way it is living for Christ. Hallelujah! You just love Him with all your heart, soul, and mind, and go on, that's all. There's no evil can come out. That's right. Cause, in here, all thing, you're dead. **You are dead, and your life is hid in God, through Christ, sealed in there by the Holy Ghost. How is the devil going to get you? No.** 38 You take a boxcar, they'll start loading it, and loading it, on the track. Many of you people here, I know some of you that loads cars. And they'll go around, they'll call for so much here and so much there. **But before that car can be sealed, the inspector has to come along. He looks through and he sees that everything is in there, is tight, and everything is ready.** It's going to its destination. Well, if there's anything loose, and afraid it'll break, **he'll say, "Take her out, fix her over again until you get it."** And when it's altogether tightened and packed and set down, then he'll slam the doors and seal it, and no one can break that seal until it goes to its destination. That right? 39 That's the way it is where it says, Ephesians 4:30, "Grieve not the Holy Spirit of God whereby you're sealed until the day of your redemption." **GOT SOME LOOSE RATTLES, GOD WILL TAKE IT OUT OF YOU AND—AND FIX IT UP BEFORE YOU'RE SEALED INTO THE KINGDOM.***

We can't get no Revival Token why, well, they could just become a just words, they could just become mean nothing. It could just get so common, "Revival, Token" and you could keep looking ahead, he's gonna do it, he's gonna do it and all the time and not check your life. Why we need to examine ourselves. The Apostle Paul and all the prophets said, "Examine yourselves, Contend for the Faith once delivered to the saints."

2 Corinthians 13:5-Reference quote:

5 Examine yourselves, whether ye be in the faith; prove your own selves. Know ye not your own selves, how that Jesus Christ is in you, except ye be reprobates?

Jude 1:3-Reference quote:

3 Beloved, when I gave all diligence to write unto you of the common salvation, it was needful for me to write unto you, and exhort you that ye should earnestly contend for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints.

My, if I see something down in my heart, if I see something down in there I cry, "Lord, root that, jerk that thing out," like I did, "get ahold of that thing." But what I'm trying to do, some they don't want it pulled out, they want the comfort of that thing staying in there. But if you're really sincere, you'll want the dentist to pull that thing out of there, it's hurting your spiritual life, pull it out, root and everything, get it out of there. Pull it out of there. Oh, when I don't pull it out... unless you yield yourself to him, and want him to pull it out, he'll pull it out.

I've prayed one time, tears dripping out my eyes one night about half of the night praying, "Oh God, show me what I've done wrong and I'll make it right!" He showed me something! Oh, I said, "Lord not that! I don't..." He said, "You will, to go on with me."

You pray that way sincere, he'll show you, I'll assure you, he'll show you!

See, but it hurts. They say, “We’ll brother Bob don’t love me!” I do love you! And oh my, you don’t realize how much I love you. IT’S BECAUSE I LOVE YOU, THAT I WANT TO SEE YOU HAVE THIS LIFE OF CHRIST DOWN IN YOUR SOUL. WHAT GOOD IS YOUR HUSBAND, WHAT GOOD IS YOUR HOUSE, WHAT GOOD IS YOUR JOB? WHAT WOULD YOU GIVE IN EXCHANGE FOR YOUR SOUL. What are you gonna give up? It’ll cost you that! DON’T NEVER COMPLAIN, “Why, I gave this up and I GAVE UP THAT!” WHY, IT’S A BLESSED THING TO GIVE UP EVERYTHING FOR CHRIST!”

Mark 8:36-37-Reference quote:

36 For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?

37 Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?

It’d be a blessed thing, to lay your head down on a martyr’s block. I was down there in the south at that Disney thing, where they got one of them stocks where you put your head through there to cut your head off, and the family wanted me to go up and stand up there. I said, “NO!” We came back by and Ruthie ask me again, I said, “No, I wouldn’t do that.” But one of these days they’ll put me in the stocks and they’ll put my head where I don’t want it to go. BUT IT’LL BE A BLESSED THING!



Endnote:

Brother Robert Lee Lambert Jr. saw his own death in a vision in his earlier years of his ministry, God told him how he was going to die. Below is a quote from his own testimony on his audio message. This vision came to pass in 8/2/1973.

Endnote:

Bro. Robert Lee Lambert Testimony 1/26/1969 Pm

Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

*Such joy, my cup... I don’t know what David said, “My cup runneth over” My cup was running over in super abundance. Now I know more got up off of my knees there, walked half way across the kitchen, he struck me again and I went into another one, that’s the third time. This time He revealed to me a persecution coming upon the Bride of Christ. Told me there, revealed to me in this vision that, “There’ll come a day when they’ll kill you and think they do God a service”. **Showed myself right there being martyred. They was trying to martyr me, getting ready in the process of doing it, for the gospel.** Only it didn’t say gospel, He said, “The Faith.” **A man was doing the martyrdom. Well, I tell you what, he was going to cut my head off.** And that was kinda hard to understand in 1958. It’s not too hard to understand now, seeing the World Council of Churches and how they’re talking. How many say Amen to that?*

And the Voice of God, it wasn’t me. They tried to get me to deny the Faith, this Faith, it didn’t say the faith it said, “Deny this Faith, or were gonna do” such and such a thing. And then I heard the

Voice of God speak, "Go ahead and do it then." It wasn't me, oh boy! I thank God the scripture said, "Don't meditate on what you say in that day, there'll be a word given you. I heard God speaking said, "Go ahead and chop it off then." Then the next thing you know, I come out of that. Now I was standing there... Mark will never forget this to this day. He was just a little tot then, my boy sitting here. He had me by the pants leg and brought me to myself by pulling my pants leg and said, "Daddy, daddy you gonna have your head chopped off, you gonna have your have your head...?" Now he heard that Voice of God speaking in that trance see? He said, "Daddy you gonna have your head cut off?" I said, "Son, I don't know." And by that time the children was up.

Aw, men's gonna love darkness rather than light. BUT THIS IS THE CONDEMNATION THAT IS COMING INTO THE WORLD, THAT MEN LOVE DARKNESS rather than light because their deeds are evil. Ole, evil thing.

John 3:19-Reference quote:

19 And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.

Men love darkness rather than light. They don't want God to rule over their lives over their thinking. That's why people don't want a pastor like you got, they want a pastor that'll compromise and let you live slippy and sloppy, slothful, soft and doody. Boy, to stand in this hour...

Like my brother said, "Robert," said, "It'll be easy now, coming to the Lord." I said, "No Donald, it'll be harder than anything you've ever done before in your life friend." I said, "You ain't never had no trials, to what you have now." But I said, "He's offered a way of escape for every one of us." "We can all do things through Christ which strengtheneth us."

Philippians 4:13-Reference quote:

13 I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.

WHAT A JOY it is, to look back in your life AND SEE WHAT YOU WAS AND THEN LOOK AND SEE WHAT YOU ARE TODAY BY THE GRACE OF GOD. Tell me friend, if that's not "Joy unspeakable and full of glory!"

You talk about the great love, the perfect love of God coming, the great perfect love coming, but don't overlook the love of God that you have in your heart that's been "Shed abroad by the Holy Ghost" this morning. Don't overlook the fact of the love of God that's in you, that's caused you to come out of the world, to come out of your sin, to come out of your carnality and "Present yourself as a living sacrifice" to Christ. That's the Love of God in your heart and how could you even loved him unless he first love you friend! "FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD, that he gave his only begotten son," for You! Don't you ever doubt that he don't loved you. You couldn't even sit there this morning, if he didn't love you. You couldn't even want to do right, if you didn't love him. Oh, how can we, DOUBT YOUR DOUBTS, BUT DON'T DOUBT THE LOVE OF GOD, "It passeth all understanding."

You can't figure out the love of God. How? Why? I ain't worthy, don't listen to the devil.

1 Peter 1:8-Reference quote:

8 Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory:

Romans 12:1-2-Reference quote:

1 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

2 And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God.

Romans 5:5-Reference quote:

5 And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

John 3:16-Reference quote:

16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

Philippians 4:7-Reference quote:

7 And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

Never been a man that God ever called was so contrary to what he wanted than I am. People going around and saying, "Oh God could only use a man, that's never smoked, never drank and never did this and that." How foolish! I did it all that could be done! I DID ALL that can be done and as the chiefest of the sinners upon ALL the earth! BUT YET I HEARD HIS VOICE AND HIS FIRST WORDS WAS, "I LOVED YOU, even though you was a wicked sinner." HERE I STAND AND WITH THE ABUNDANCE OF REVELATION, THAT I NEED MORE THORNS THAN PAUL EVER HAD. PAUL NEVER SAW what's been said today.

Endnote:

Something You Can Do 4/25/73 Pm

Robert Lee Lambert

Listen, I've heard more from God supernaturally, when I was backslidden and wasn't seeking God, then when I was seeking God. Well, you say, "I don't like that!" Well, it's true any how! God speaks to a servant of God, by sovereign grace. I was called by sovereign grace. The first words that Jesus Christ spoke to me said, "Even though thou was't a sinner, I loved you anyway!" OH, GOD OPEN UP OUR EYES CHILDREN!

Endnote:

Ephesians Parallels Joshua 2 10/10/72 Am

Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

*"I am a servant of God, a preacher of the gospel, this morning, not because I will. No! I was laying there dying in the Veterans hospital and He come to me and said, "**I love you, I called you to be my servant.**" And I said, "Oh, I believed it, yes, Lord, I believed it with all my heart."*

See! And I said, "Yeah Lord, but all these people and you said that I was your... Me?" He said, "YOU! YOU'RE THE ONE! I CHOSE YOU OUT OF ALL THE GRAINS OF SAND UPON THE SEA SHORE." You know I lived in Florida then and did a lot of fishin, and I know how many grains of sands are over there, boy. A lot of beach over there. And the Lord Jesus spoke to me and said... "Out of all..." See, I didn't know that was in the scripture. See! And He said, "Out of all them grains of sand on the sea shore I called you!" Oh, it just caught me away, I loved it. It just caught me away, but I believed it. I believed with all my heart and I receive it. So, it's eternally secure. He didn't call me because I wanted to be a preacher. I didn't want to be a preacher, Why, That's the last thing I'd wanna be! Oh my, I was scared to death of preachers, the gospel and all that. But it's His good pleasure, and His will. Why? For you? Why? It was His good pleasure to call me to be His minister, What For? For you here in Durham, Connecticut."

What is it all, but the grace of God, uttering words that's never been said from the foundation of the world. Because of his love! Doubt anything this morning friend, but don't never doubt the love of God. Who for the joy that was set before him, despised at the cross, but came a reproach, despised and rejected of man, A MAN WE SAW, AND ACQUAINTED WITH GRIEF, AND EVERYBODY HID THEIR FACES FROM HIM BECAUSE HE HAD TOO MUCH WORD! The way was to straight.

Hebrews 12:2-Reference quote:

2 Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Matthew 7:13-14-Reference quote:

13 Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat:

14 Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.

Endnote:

64-0621 - The Trial

William Marrion Branham

*7 So we pray today, Lord, as we have see ourselves partakers of the woman-tree, and we all must die because there is no life in the woman, now also, Father, **WE'VE BEEN GIVEN THE PRIVILEGE TO PARTAKE OF THE MAN-TREE, WHICH WAS CHRIST. AND NOW, THROUGH HIM, WE HAVE LIFE, LIFE, THE WORD, BE MADE LIFE AMONG US.** Grant, Lord, that these things will become such a reality to the Church, that they will see, and we'll understand the hour we're living.*

Oh friend, doubt anything, but don't you doubt the love of God. Oh, you say, "I'm a wretch, I'm this, I'm that," but JUST CONFESS IT TO GOD. "I ain't worthy," no you ain't, you never

will be, but he is. Smite your breast and say, "Lord, be merciful to me a sinner." Don't be stubborn. Some of us are just naturally stubborn and that's a big hindrance to God, stubbornness. We're stubborn and we don't want to admit we're short. We're stubborn, we don't want to admit that we're unspiritual. We're stubborn, we don't want to admit that we don't have that New Birth down on the inside. "BUT YE MUST BE BORN AGAIN!" You must be, you absolutely positively got to be Born Again.

John 3:3-7-Reference quote:

3 Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

4 Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born?

5 Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

6 That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.

7 Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again.

Endnote:

57-0120E - God Keeps His Word

William Marrion Branham

*May they realize, that these great mile posts that we're passing, **these signs a flashing on both sides of the road, it's only the pointing of the soon appearing of the righteous One, the Lord Jesus; Who, to be a friend of, MEANS LIFE; to know, IS ETERNAL LIFE. And we can only know Him according to the Bible, not by our church; but, BY THE BIRTH, THE NEW BIRTH, BEING BORN AGAIN.***

Endnote:

53-0403 - The Cruelty Of Sin, And The Penalty That It Cost To Rid Sin From Our Lives

William Marrion Branham

79 "There is a way that seemeth right unto a man, but the end thereof is the ways of death."

80 And every man that's ungenerated, unregenerated of God, will go that way of destruction. You can't help it. Your own soul guides you. If you are born again, you are bound to go up. If you are not born again, you've got to go down. Just your—your own soul will do it. Just like a— a magic wand that would open a door somewhere; if you haven't got the—the wand, the door won't open. AND IF YOU'RE NOT BORN AGAIN, YOU'RE JUST REJECTED, AUTOMATICALLY. That's all, now.

Endnote:

56-0715 - The Mark Of The Beast

William Marrion Branham

124 I don't know why I'm talking like this. Something making me talk It. I don't know. That's right. I'm not scolding you. Women, men, I'm only warning you. THUS SAITH THE LORD, "Get right with God." "How can I escape it, Brother Branham?" 125 Never by joining church. You

*might be baptized in the Name of "Jesus," in the name of "the Father, Son, Holy Ghost," three times forward, three times backward, up side down, anyway you want to be. You might be sprinkled, poured, put your name on a book. **BUT UNTIL YOU ARE BORN AGAIN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD, THAT LIFE OF THE DEVIL STILL REMAINS IN YOU.** That's right. Do you understand?*

You've got to receive the Life of Christ! You've got to be delivered from your darkness! YOU'VE GOT TO HAVE AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE GLORY OF GOD that he wants to manifest in you.

Oh, the depth and the riches of the love of God! What can separate us from it? Can our faults, can our this, can our that? What can separate us from the love of God, that's in Christ Jesus our Lord? Nothing! Oh, dying he loved me, buried me he resurrected me coming up, because he lives, I now live, all because of him, forsaking his all.

Romans 8:35-Reference quote:

5 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?

Ephesians 3:16-19-Reference quote:

6 That he would grant you, according to the riches of his glory, to be strengthened with might by his Spirit in the inner man;

*17 That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love,
18 May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height;*

19 And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God.

John 10:28-29-Reference quote:

28 And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.

29 My Father, which gave them me, is greater than all; and no man is able to pluck them out of my Father's hand.

John 14:19-Reference quote:

19 Yet a little while, and the world seeth me no more; but ye see me: because I live, ye shall live also.

Oh, friend, that's what I wanna do this morning! I'm more determined to forsake all, when I go through the land and see the road darkness. Aw friend, don't you know that the adversary the devil and his demons would turn you against me if he could? Without this light, you got no life in you!

John 6:53-54-Reference quote:

53 Then Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Except ye eat the flesh of the Son of man, and drink his blood, ye have no life in you.

54 Whoso eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath eternal life; and I will raise him up at the last day.

John 5:38-40-Reference quote:

38 And ye have not his word abiding in you: for whom he hath sent, him ye believe not.

39 Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me.

40 And ye will not come to me, that ye might have life.

Search your books, search your tapes do anything you want to, and they are they that testify of this! I know, don't you think it never bled Jesus's heart, when he loved them people and preached to them, seen them offended at what he said, and seen them walk away from him, don't you know, it hurt him? Don't you know, he knew what they were walking away from? Don't you know that same ministry is right here on earth today, Hidden in Simplicity, only later to be Revealed from the Heavens with Great Power and Great Glory!

John 5:39-40-Reference quote:

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Endnote:

Light July 8, 1973 Am

Robert Lee Lambert Jr.

The only way, that you can possibly be Born-Again.... The only way possible, that you can receive Eternal Life, IS TO MEET CHRIST! It's the only way! Because life... you must have the light of Life! And that Life and Light comes only...

Where's the Life? The life is in the Blood! Where's the Blood? It's in the Word! And the Word is in the LAMB, and CHRIST is the LAMB! You know, `L.A.M.B` Lamb! LAMB! (Congregation, goes wild with praises!)

Endnote:

Robert Lee Lamb`ert-Evening LAMB"

Born July 28th in the sign of Leo the LION

Endnote:

56-0408E - The Time Is At Hand

William Marrion Branham

39 The time has come now for us to realize these things. The time has come when God's breaking the boundaries down. And the time has come that the devil is rising up like a—a wild lion, going about roaring, doing everything he can. But **the great battle is being set.** I wonder what it would be tonight, if we could climb above the heavens of heaven and look at this great drama as it's getting set together now, **fixing to come to pass, of God and the devil coming to a showdown. I'm so glad that I'm on the winning side. I'm so glad that I follow the LAMB. Because it said, "The Lamb overcame them, for He was King of kings and Lord of lords."**

THE TIME HAS COME NOW FOR YOU TO MAKE A DECISION TONIGHT, WHAT SIDE YOU'LL BE ON. AND I TRUST GOD THAT YOU'LL MAKE THE DECISION THAT YOU'LL FOLLOW THE LAMB.

Endnote:

60-1211M - *The Ten Virgins, And The Hundred And Forty-Four Thousand Jews*
William Marrion Branham

“THERE'LL COME A TIME WHEN THERE'LL BE A MAN (CHRIST) COME ON EARTH, SO HE'LL BE THE LAMB OF GOD THAT TAKES AWAY THE SIN OF THE WORLD, we'll put seven” (what?) “lamb on this altar”; Israel said, “That's exactly right, seven lambs on the altar.” See? 162 Now, in the very beginning, Cain put a altar, made a sacrifice, worshipped, done everything that Abel done, without...(Oh, receive It!)...without the revelation of God, when, THE WHOLE CHURCH IS BUILT ON THAT REVELATION. Jesus said so, “UPON THIS ROCK I'LL BUILD MY CHURCH.” Spiritual revealed Truth of the supreme Deity of Jesus Christ, “On this Rock I'll build My Church.**”**

Endnote:

65-1127E - *I Have Heard But Now I See*
William Marrion Branham

113 Now, Jesus promises here that in the last days the Son of man will be revealed again to that same type of group, the royal Seed of Abraham, just before the fire falls. Remember, the church never received any more witness, Abraham and them didn't, the promised son that they were looking for was brought right away after that. **AND THE CHURCH IS LOOKING FOR THE PROMISED SON, HE WILL COME RIGHT AFTER THE DAYS OF THIS MINISTRY, HE'LL BE REVEALED FROM THE HEAVENS. NOW, WE SEE IT TOO PLAIN, IT'S GOT TO BE. Now, the only thing there has to be is something pulsates, gets into a man, God vindicate and tells him and shows him that that is the thing to happen; and that you're going to...**

Don't you think I didn't love that little Brother (*Donald*) Ruddell when I know, I dropped off that light to him, I knowed the devil would turn against him. I looked him right in the eye and said, “Brother Ruddell,” I said, “if I didn't have confidence in you, I'd be a fool to tell you what I just told you.” I said, “Now the devil will come in upon you like a flood.” I know more than left him and, in a few days and he forgot what I told him, the devil come in upon him like a flood, the adversary to devour him. He said, “I'd like to” ... he didn't...he told Brother (*Mike*) Canada said, “I'd like to have went completely out of my mind, I'd like to have lost my mind.” He said, “I locked the door and stayed there for days. And I said, the devil told him said, “YOU'RE TURNING AGAINST the prophet of God, Brother Branham. You're turning against him, for this man.” And the devil hit him with all the barrels that he had. He said, “He laid under the impact of that devil for days” and he said, “I can't turn against a man without being able to disprove it by the word. He said, “There I went to the books, I went to every spoken word book, every tape, my Bible and I done everything, and the more I tried to tear it up the more trouble I get in, until I was so confused; I DIDN'T KNOW WHERE I WAS COMING OR GOING! And

then all at once the Holy Ghost come upon on me and let light shined down in my soul and there I saw, and there I begin to rejoice and leap for joy and there the power of the devil fled away!

Poor little ole Brother Mike Canada told me the other day said, "Brother Lambert, when I come up there to Connecticut, I come up there to the meetings and sat back there," he said, "and all at once the devil come upon me with such power," and said, "I stood up to my feet to run out, I'm against this thing! And he jumped up to his feet to turn to run out of the building," said, "Then all at once something stopped him." He said, "Wait a minute here, what was that, that just spoke to me?" Then he said, "Then I realized it was the devil himself." And said, "Just to think Brother Bob, what if I'd of listened to it, I'd of been lost." Said, "Oh, praise be to God."

There we sat out in the car together and there I said something and there the Great Holy Spirit come into the automobile, and there he wept and cried like a baby. I said, "That's him!"

Oh, friend, to receive Light is Life and to turn it down is death. NO WONDER the prophet of God said, "Pinch your Conscience, pinch your soul, there's something passing through the land soon will come, and it'll pass through you, and you'll be left with life or death."

Endnote:

*63-0901E - Desperations
William Marrion Branham*

*100 You can't be desperate till God speaks to you. Oh, Church, rise and shake yourself! **PINCH YOUR CONSCIENCE, WAKE YOURSELF UP, in this hour! We must be desperate, or perish! There is coming forth something from the Lord! I know it as THUS SAITH THE LORD. THERE IS COMING FORTH SOMETHING, AND WE BETTER GET DESPERATE. IT'S BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH. IT'LL PASS THROUGH US AND WE WON'T SEE IT.***

Endnote:

*Ephesians Parallels Joshua II October 08, 1972 Am
Robert Lee Lambert Jr*

Remember the sealing angel is the death angel.** That's why I say, if you don't mean business here, you're following the wrong preacher. **IT'S BEST FOR YOU TO JUST QUIT RIGHT NOW, BECAUSE YOU'RE FLIRTING WITH DEATH.** I pray God reveal that to you. I ain't just all blowed up and a big bag of wind. I got the word of the Lord. I don't just get up here and preach, just to be a preacher. **I KNOW WHAT I'M TALKING ABOUT, THIS IS DEATH TO FOOL WITH THIS.

Endnote:

*50-0711 - Ministry Explained
William Marrion Branham*

*48 What is sin? What is sin? Not drinking, not smoking, not gambling, not rejecting church. Sin is unbelief. Is that right? **He that believeth not is condemned already.** See? **You're not... You do not... You're not destroyed or separated from God because you're a sinner. You're separated to God—from God because you refuse to walk with Him, to walk in His provided way. YOU'VE GOT DEATH AND LIFE BEFORE YOU.** Just like Adam and Eve, every man's*

*a free moral agent. And **THE TREE OF LIFE AND TREE OF DEATH IS BEFORE US ALL. YOU CAN TAKE EITHER ONE YOU WISH TO. IT DEPENDS ON WHAT TREE YOU EAT OFF OF IS WHAT YOU ARE.** That's right. And God is... **God created you a free moral agent to do whatever you want to do about it.** He can't make you love Him, and He don't force you to love Him.*

Don't people realize, if they could only read right, they'd come out with half way right thing. How could anything pass through the land and be death to you, if you already had life? Once you receive the life of Christ, there's no-no power upon the earth can ever take that away from you.

Endnote

62-0527 – *Questions and Answers*
William Marrion Branham

*179 So I've watched for something. **HAS IT SLIPPED BY US IN HUMILITY AND WE'VE MISSED IT?** Is it gone and **THE CHURCH IS LEFT IN HER SINS?** If that be so, then **it's later than you think.** If not, **THEN THERE'S COMING ONE WITH A MESSAGE THAT'S STRAIGHT ON THE BIBLE, AND QUICK WORK WILL CIRCLE THE EARTH.***

With your heads bowed and your eyes closed, while our sister comes.

“If we say that we have fellowship with Him, and walk in darkness, we lie.”

1 John 1:6-7-Reference quote:

*6 If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth:
7 But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.*

If you don't have no understanding upon the plan of God for this hour, and you don't understand God's message today, you may say, “I love him, I accept him as my savior, I...oh I done all this,” but go further, still further, still further my sister my brother, go further, go further until you can receive the life down in your soul. Oh, I thank God and I praise him that you've accepted him as your savior, and have baptized in his name, that'll bring you out of the grave one of these days. But oh, if you want something that'll change you in a moment and a twinkling of an eye, it's going to cost you something and that's yourself. It's gonna cost you all your will and all your desire, you got to forfeit it all and give it to him. Say, “Not my will but thine be done Lord.”

1 Corinthians 15:51-52-Reference quote:

*51 Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,
52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.*

Luke 22:42-Reference quote:

42 Saying, Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless not my will, but thine, be done.

Oh, friend, don't you know how could a man say these things? Don't you know that the Lord talking to you, he loves you! Don't you doubt his love, doubt anything, don't your doubts, but don't doubt his love for you. You say, "How can I be that, Lord?" He said, you could. "Come unto me all ye that are heavy laden, and I'll give you rest."

Matthew 11:28-Reference quote:

28 Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.

Oh friend, I don't care if you got the biggest house and the most beautiful rose garden that's in this state of Connecticut. I don't care if you got money stacked up at the bank, I don't care what you've got, it's all vexation. Oh, but to find him and know him and realize that you're walking in light that's the thing. God commanded light to shine out of darkness and he has shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the will and the Glory of God to be revealed in the saints of light, who received the inheritance, of the saints that are walking in the light, that's shining today.

Friend, let us come combined our hearts together, unify ourselves in the love of Christ, pray that the Lord God will thrust forth labors into his harvest. For men and women are sitting in gross darkness.

I saw last night a group of men, in a vehicle plunged over a cleft, smashed at the great gully below. And I was thinking this morning about that little thing. Oh, what kind of man could I be if I could just go on eating and drinking lackadaisical attitude and know in my heart that men and women are plunging right into that tribulation without any breaks on, and are yet without the life of Christ.

What kind of person would you be, here in this assembly that believe this is the light today that shining, that the Daystar has risen in your heart and yet be just so satisfied, unconcerned. But oh friend, this light ought to convince you, if you are convinced, you'll be concerned. So, there's only one thing that should mean anything to us and that's the souls of men and women.

Now, with our heads bowed and our eyes closed, let us pray. You say, "Oh, brother Bob I'm moved, but it's just something, it's not you brother Bob, it's just something, just the way that it comes, it does something to me down on the inside, and it just makes me just so want to be what you're talking about. Would you just pray for me Brother Bob. God bless all those hands. Say, "Brother Bob, sometimes the devil tried to turn me against you, tell me you ain't Gods servant," but say, "I never heard no man speak this way. I know that this is truth." Pray for me Brother Bob, that none of the adversary's would turn-turn these things away from me, but that I'll be able to receive them down in my soul." God bless you; God sees those hands.

Little kids crying, mommies and daddies, grown-ups crying. I seen little babies; little children just run and fall to the floor, down there in the south there and cry to God.

God bless you; he sees your hands. Oh friend, how blessed it is to know your walking in light. Looking around you, these poor wretched people groping around in darkness, all just a sinful, just a putrefying sore. But oh, to look around, to think in this hour he chose to call a little Bride. And to think now, he's give you a chance to be that. Oh, how could we not love him with all of our hearts.

Endnote:

65-0711 - Ashamed

William Marrion Branham

3 And I said, "Surely, there is something in this Word of God, from Genesis to Revelation, that some character in there that You dealt with, would be on the same basis that would be my question. If somebody done something, and—and You got after him about it, then let me turn to that place in the Bible. And if somebody, whatever they done, it'll lean my way. Where I've done wrong, or something You want me to do, or haven't done, let me see some character in the Bible like that." 94 **And I closed my eyes, just let the Bible fall open, put my finger on a Scripture, Genesis 24:7. Eliezer, Abraham's faithful servant, the model servant of the Bible, being sent to hunt the bride for Isaac. CHILLS RUN OVER ME. SURE, THAT'S MY...THAT'S RIGHT WITH THE REST OF MY MESSAGE, PULLING OUT THE BRIDE.** 95 He said, "Swear that you'll not take a bride out of these, but go to my own people." He said, "What if the woman won't come with me?" 96 Said, "Then you're free of this oath." He said, "And the God of Heaven will send His Angel before you, to direct you." He went right straight out and begin praying, and he met the beautiful Rebekah that become the bride of Isaac. 97 **JUST A PERFECT MESSAGE, BACK TO THE WORD, "GO GET THAT BRIDE!" THAT'S A DUTY. THAT'S WHAT I'M HERE FOR. THAT'S WHAT I'M TRYING TO DO, IS CALL OUT A BRIDE.** 98 Remember in California there, that interview of the Bride, preview, I had it here. How that Bride come up first, and seen Her go by. Then here come Miss America, Miss Asia, and all, oh, the awfulest looking thing! And then the same Bride passed by again. One of them got out of step, and I was getting Her back in step; two of them, it was. **And that's what I was supposed to do, keep that Bride in step, HUNT THAT MAN.** 99 I said, "God, I'm going back home, renew my vows again, and start out anew." So that's what we're planning on doing, **THAT'S WHAT I'M HERE FOR.**

Endnote:

64-0313 - The Voice Of The Sign

William Marrion Branham

JOHN calling out the elected, and GIVE IT OVER TO CHRIST when He come, swapped his church, said, "I must decrease, He must increase, because," he said, "I'm just a voice of Him, crying in the wilderness, 'prepare the way for the Lord.'

Oh, dear Father God, we know that you're here. We know that you're here, because thy words they're spirit and they're life Lord. We know thou Great Bridegroom is coming, to marry his little Bride. Oh Father, I'm so...I'm just so thankful, that me a wretched sinner saved by grace, have the Blessed glorious honor, saying something that would help dress the little Bride. Lord, may those that's sitting here this morning, striving to become that little virtuous woman, Lord, may you put a little more of the garment on them this morning. Lord, may you put a little more of the garment on them this morning. Put a little more of the garment on this morning Lord, make them look a little more like the Bride today. Oh Lord, the ole adversary and his powerful

wicked demons, have been waging in the battle against the minds of men and women here. Lord, may they see the slackness of their ways, may they take up the slack, Lord. May they as the apostle said, “to whom resist stedfast in the faith.”

1 Corinthians 16:13-Reference quote:

13 Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.

1 Peter 5:9-Reference quote:

9 Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.

Oh Lord, the faith, the Light, the glorious Light is shining here upon our heart. Lord, that we have something to resisting him with.

Yet Lord, there’s men and women across the country and around the world groping, oh God in darkness, heading for a great chasm Lord, to step off into a plunge, into the great tribulation and they don’t know it, Lord.

Oh Father God, hear my humble prayer, see the tears dripping in my heart, it’s 1972 Lord, I’m forty-two years old, but I know God, you appeared to me and you told me these things. Many voices in the land, Lord, but Oh Lord how I pray, that you’ll let the Bridegrooms voice, thunder out through the earth Lord, shake it one more time. Send forth thy great glorious light to those that are sitting in darkness, that God’s predestinated elected sheep may hear thy voice and come out, be made ready for that great rapture. Lord we’re resisting standing stedfast in the faith here. And Lord we know that hour would not come upon us as a thief in the night, oh Father, you said, “watch and pray”! Watch and pray, that you enter not into temptation, the spirits willing but the flesh is weak. Oh, thou great God Almighty, help not our flesh to control us, may we control it, by the spirit and power of God. Father, let the Holy Ghost be shed abroad in our hearts, Love toward one another.

Have mercy upon us, Lord, I love these people, God. Because I love them Lord, you’ve give me the best food that’s ever been given, of all the ages of time. Lord, all that you’ve given, I’ve told it to them. Lord, I look for that day, that you’ll make all of us one together, be one shepherd, one-fold in that day, Great Capstone descends, sealed into his body, the little Bride of Christ. Father bless these words, bless those hands Lord, bless every one of them.

Those that’s here, that know in their heart, they don’t have that faith down in their soul. Let them contend for it, do battle overcome Lord, you’ve got to overcome, it’s the overcoming age. Help us now Lord, not to be coward, don’t let us turn coward, give up, lose hope, Lord. Lord, let us just get stronger every day. Bless us all now we pray, in Jesus name, amen.

Let’s just sing that then, we know, “The Love of God.” Start that off Brother Shaw.

Congregation sings: “The Love Of God”

The love of God, they say, “that wrote on the wall in the insane asylum.” Do you appreciate the love of God? (*Amen*)

Let’s just stand to our feet while we sing. Let’s sing that blessed ole hymn, “Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound, that saved a wretch like me.”

Congregation sings, “Amazing Grace”

Think about it friend, the grace of God that let your heart see.
Let's sing number 324, "All to Jesus I Surrender" That's what He's calling for all, all of us.

Congregation sings; "I Surrender All"

Just give him a minute and raise your hands up and praise him!
Oh, the glory of thy great salvation, Lord. Just to have thy great food of Salvation! I surrender all
oh Lord. All to thee my Precious Savior I Surrender all. Oh, the Joy that knowing, that I am fully
thine. That's him! Oh, that's the joy that passeth all understanding. See, just to know, that I'm
fully thine.

It'll thunder worse than that one of these days. (*It's thundering outside of the church*) You'll
be glad you're on the rock then. Friend, the hour is at hand, if you only knew some of the things
that the Lords speaking, I just walk around with fear and trembling all the time.

The Lord God is dealing with the congregation and things here in dreams. I've never read a
one of them, none of the people know not one of the dreams and I've filing them, they've been
coming or months. And all them things I've known, there God is revealing in dreams and things.
Everyone is saying the same thing.

The Lord come to me, that's when I told Brother Canada, down there and what happen, the
power of God struck the car.

Friend, I beg of you, if you ever have any hope of getting serious with God, you don't put it
off tomorrow, today, today.

God's angry, there's so much sin, he can't hardly stand it any longer. He's gonna reach down
here with his hand and he's gonna begin to shake it. California and Florida is going under,
millions and millions and millions of souls are gonna go to watery grave.

Isaiah 2:21-Reference quote:

*21 To go into the clefts of the rocks, and into the tops of the ragged rocks, for fear of the Lord,
and for the glory of his majesty, when he ariseth to shake terribly the earth.*

Endnote:

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The Day of The Lord is upon Us Now!

January 27, 1961 Vision by: Robert Lee Lambert Jr. in Sarasota Florida

*God gave me a vision of the wrath of God, the Day of the Lord, the Judgement of God is going
to send upon the world and our land. "Oh my God, my God, I wish I had not seen this!"
I was sharing a room with two brothers and they we're sleeping. This is they're record of events
that's transpired.*

*Then the Lord spoke out of Brother Lambert, it was as his voice and his whole being took on
a different form, giving forth this message: He said, "Write this down this is from the Lord!"
"THE VILENESS AND THE WICKEDNESS OF MAN HAVE COME UP BEFORE ME AS
A STINK IN MY NOSTRALS. AND I WILL NOT BE ABLE TO STAY MY HAND ANT
LONGER. I AM SICK TO MY STOMACH. THE MOCKERY OF MY WORD IN THE
RELIGIOUS SYSTEMS OF AMERICA ARE AN ABOMINATION TO ME. I HAVE COME
TO MY BURSTING POINT AND WILL SPUE OUT MY WRATH UPON THE LAND."*

That morning, when daylight had come, at the approximately 9 o'clock a group of 12 Assembled in an office to hear more in detail what happened through the night concerning by vision by Robert Lambert.

For four hours, he admonished to us and prophesied to us under a strong anointing of the Holy Spirit. Sometimes he would tremble and shake and sometimes he would kneel. It was as though God was speaking directly to us! It was fearful! The Lord declared: "The wrath of God the day of the Lord is here now! These things shall be known around the earth. There will be others this particularly morning, that will know that this is the hour and that I am not going to wait any longer!"

Endnote:

By faith Noah 2/13/72 Pm

Robert Lee Lambert

I was in Florida a few years ago at Brother McGhee's house and momma and Brother McGhee here knows, that the Lord God woke him up about 4:00 O'clock in the morning. Is, that right? (Yes) He come in the room; they felt the presence of God. See, what was it? God was showing me something in the other bedroom about two doors down the hall where I was sleeping. They didn't know what it was? But they was down on their knee's praying. Wasn't you? Remember that? (Yes) And I was in there and the Lord was showing me something. He was showing me an earthquake. And I had never seen an earthquake. I saw myself standing and I looked at a little building something like this. And out front on one of the plate glass windows was Jesus Saves! Jesus Saves! In, Red Letters! And then all at once just like you pressed a button, something went click. And a calendar come down from heaven and a date flew out there. And an audible voice spoke out of heaven and said "I Warned You!" And then all at once something went, click. And then the scene changed, the same building. But it said, "Liquor-Bar-Whiskey." And I stood and looked at that and then all at once I heard this calendar here come down again, and another date flipped down and hung down there. And then all at once I scene another mission said, "Jesus saves. Jesus saves." A little scripture. Then all at once that scene changed, Liquor-Bar. And then an Audible voice spoke out again, "I Warned You!" It was awful, fearful too! "I Warned You!" And then it flipped again, another mission Jesus saves. The scene changed, Whiskey-Bar-Liquor. Then that calendar come down and showed another date and said, "And I, Warned You!" Then all at once, I looked and it wasn't no more! Then the scene, I looked and saw the land, Palm trees and everything. Then all at once I looked... I don't where it was, California I couldn't say. It didn't tell me. And then all at once I looked, and then all at once the ground heaved up. All at once the ground heaved up in the middle and then the earth begin to shake like that and the ground heaved up. Like you whip up a rug, like that. And then when it raised up, it started rollin, only it looked like a mountain moving on the ground. The mountain raised up and started moving. Like a wave coming in on the ocean, a big tidal wave but only it was the earth. Then all at once it went higher and busted open. Then I could see just palm trees and houses and everything just a churning and people flying and going under and everything. And then I come to.

Endnote:

65-1204 - The Rapture
William Marrion Branham

191 **I remember, just my last Message in California, where I thought I'd never go back again, when I predicted, "Los Angeles will go beneath the ocean. THUS SAITH THE LORD." It will. She is done. She is washed. She is finished. What hour? I don't know when, but it will be sunk. Right after that, the earthquakes begin to jolt and bow.** 192 Remember, many of you men standing right there, that rock, that day when that Angel came down there. And that Light and Fire falling from the Heaven, around the rock where we were standing there. Rocks flang out of the mountains, and falling across there. She blasted three times, hard. I said, "Judgment will strike the West Coast." **Two days after that, Alaska almost sunk.** 193 **Remember, that same God that said that, said, "Los Angeles is doomed." And she is finished. I don't know when. I can't tell you.** 194 I didn't know I said that. But this brother here, I believe it was...No. One of the Mosely's, I believe, had me out on a street out there. I didn't know what it was till I looked back. I looked back in Scripture. And Jesus said, "Capernaum, Capernaum, how oft...You that's exalted yourself..." (rather) "...up into Heaven, shall be brought down into hell. For if the mighty works that been done in you, had been done in Sodom, it'd a stood today." And about a hundred and fifty years from there, (Sodom had already, in the earth) then Capernaum is in the water, too, today. 195 And that same Spirit of God that said all these things, and done all these things, It said there, "**Oh, city, Capernaum, who called yourself by the name of the Angels, Los Angeles, how you've exalted yourself into heaven! The very root and seat of Satan,**" (See?) "**you've exalted yourself.**" 196 **PREACHERS, IT'S A GRAVEYARD FOR THEM. GOOD MEN GO THERE AND DIE LIKE RATS.** What havoc! 197 "**You that call yourself by the name of the Angels; if the mighty works had been done in Sodom, that been done in you, it'd stood today. But your hour has come.**" **YOU WATCH AND SEE. IF IT AIN'T, I'M A FALSE PROPHET.** See? There she is. She's laying there.

Yet they say, live it up, I don't want God to rule over my mind, I wanna have fun! Go ahead, but you're going to the most hellish horriblemest place, that your mind could ever see. Once you slip past that place, where you don't want the Lord to rule over your thinking, turn you over to a mind that you'll never have another chance. Don't pass him away!

He's looking down upon all this filth and corruption and sin, it won't be much longer. You say, "But He'll move." But he'll move so quick and so powerful and so fast, and be gone. (Brother Lambert snaps his finger)

Endnote:

65-0815 - And Knoweth It Not
William Marrion Branham

94 I'm only building. The hour is close at hand when you're going to see something happen, when something is going to take place. **And all this background here has only been laying a foundation FOR A SHORT, QUICK MESSAGE THAT WILL SHAKE THE WHOLE NATIONS.**

Endnote:

56-0115 - *The Junction Of Time*
William Marrion Branham

WE MUST HAVE THE MIRACULOUS. AND I BELIEVE THAT THE CHURCH IS NOW STANDING ON A THRESHOLD OF THE GREATEST VINDICATION OF OMNIPOTENCE THAT THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN.

Endnote:

59-1217 - *What Was The Holy Ghost Given For?*
William Marrion Branham

50 Same Holy Spirit that saved the Lutherans; that sanctified the Methodists; that baptized the Pentecostals; is now setting in order the Coming of the Lord Jesus. **When, it'll be so powerful, that Body, will come into this Group, a Church, that'll draw the rest of them from the grave.** There'll be a resurrection. That's what the Holy Ghost is for. What is the Holy Ghost? "Without us they cannot be made perfect."

Endnote:

57-0113 - *What Does It Take To Make A Christian Life?*
William Marrion Branham

11 Now, if the Church of the living God, which is the pillar of the truth... **GOD INTENDED THIS CHURCH TO BE A POWERFUL CHURCH, A GLORIOUS CHURCH, A CHURCH THAT THE WHOLE WORLD COULD LOOK UPON AS A—A BRIDE OF CHRIST** well accepted and espoused, and to live in such a—an atmosphere and conduct itself in such a way that the... **God would be proud of this Church to present it to Christ at the coming of the Lord.**

Endnote:

60-0402 - *Believest Thou This?*
William Marrion Branham

80 That's what's the matter today. We've drafted in our ideas, drafted in our denominations, but if that tree ever puts forth another fruit vine, itself, it'll be like the original ones that went into it. Hallelujah! **OH, CHURCH WILL BLEND TOGETHER, BUT WE NEED THE POWER OF THE ORIGINAL. WE NEED THE HOLY GHOST, THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST.** That's what He told us to do. 81 "I am the Vine, ye are the branches." If a grapevine puts forth a shoot, and it comes out with pretty blue grapes, the next vine it brings out will have pretty blue grapes on it. If the first Vine come out, and they fell under the impact of the Holy Spirit, and they did great miracles, and signs, and sealed their testimony to a world...Even many of them with their own testimony, they, with their blood, they sealed their testimony. They went through all kinds of perils and everything to bring the Gospel. They suffered; they were beaten; they were punished. "Must we be carried home to Heaven, on a flowery bed of ease, while others fought to win the prize, and sailed through bloody seas?" What do we expect to do? "I must fight if I must reign. Increase my courage, Lord." Certainly. We

need a... 82 *We don't need a new denomination. We don't need a new church building. What we need today is an old-time backwoods, sky-blue, sin-killing Pentecostal revival, that was borned at Pentecost and is back into the church again, the power of the Holy Ghost again, to bring Jesus on the scene.* 83 *The God of history always rises on the scene in a crucial moment. We need it. That's what's the matter with our church today. We're getting too far back. We're falling into the fashions of the world. And gradually, year by year, it begins to die a little and wither away.* 84 *It's pruning time pretty soon. God will cut it back as sure as I'm standing in this pulpit. God will cut her back to make her bear fruit. He will cut the works of the world out of it one of these days. **Such a disgrace, the way the church has carried on under the name of religion.*** 85 *And we find out, when Jesus left, death set in. When Jesus leaves our church, the power of the Holy Spirit leaves our church, it begins to dwindle and—and die. And after while there's nothing no more to it. Now, when Jesus left, death set in. Oh, what a sad time it was.* 86 *And notice, they wondered around, and they sent for Jesus, but He didn't come. They sent for Him again, and He didn't come, but He knowed what He was going to do. He knows tonight, what He's going to do. **IT'S NOT LOST WITH HIM: HE KNOWS EXACTLY WHAT HE'S FIXING TO DO. HE'S GOING TO RAISE A PEOPLE UP, JUST AS CERTAIN AS I'M STANDING IN THIS PULPIT. HE WILL RAISE A PEOPLE FOR HIS NAME'S SAKE OUT OF THE GENTILE GENERATION. HE WILL DO IT.*** 87 *It's the Jews' time's right at hand now, and of the Gentiles are ending out, because they just went on out. They're rejecting Christ; they're rejecting their signs; they're rejecting everything that's called godly, and brand it as some kind of telepathy or devil power and do...**THEY'RE BLASPHEMING THE HOLY GHOST AND SEALING THEMSELVES AWAY FROM GOD. AND GOD WILL TAKE THAT MINORITY, AFTER WHILE, AND RAISE IT UP INTO A POWERFUL CHURCH, and then turn the Spirit to the Jews, and take the Gentile Church home. Exactly right. She's in the making now. Well, we're at the end time, nearly.***

Endnote:

63-0724 - God Doesn't Call Man To Judgment Without First Warning Him
William Marrion Branham

188 *Lord Jesus, we are a people who are—are trying our best, with all that's in us, to walk in the Light of the gospel of Your great Gospel that You died to make right. We are so thankful to see, in this evil dark days that we're living now in this hour, **THAT WE SEE THE SIGNS APPEARING.** Oh God, as it is the handwriting on the wall, we thank Thee, Lord, that we can see it and know that **DELIVERANCE IS CLOSE AT HAND.** We preach, we cross the country, we see You work great signs, show Yourself daily, every year. There's not a year passes but what (great) His Supernatural signs is striking the earth. And we see it, knowing that the great army of God marches on.* 189 **OH, NOT MANY IN NUMBER, BUT WHAT A POWERFUL GROUP THAT'S GOT ETERNAL LIFE! SAID, "THEY SHALL RUN THROUGH A TROOP AND LEAP OVER A WALL."** Yes, the "troop" of death will have no holders to it, She'll run right through it. Leap over the "wall" between natural and Supernatural, and go into the arms of God, into that great Eternity. Lord God, we thank You for this. **WE KNOW THE TIME IS APPROACHING AT HAND.**

With our heads bowed and our eyes closed. Come back tonight with the grace of God and joy in your heart. Just thanking him say, "Lord, so thankful you'd be merciful to me a sinner." I'd like to ask Brother Jerry Renner to dismiss the congregation in a word of prayer.

Brother Jerry Renner, prays closing prayer:

Congregation sings closing song. "Take The Name Of Jesus"

The End



The Kings Sword

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