# EPHESIANS PARALLELS JOSHUA 6

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Good morning friends. We have a couple of babies to dedicate this morning. If our sister would come. Let's bring little Johnstone baby, sister Rachel Johnstone forward. It's one of the youngest sisters in the church. Do you love him this morning? With all your heart with all your soul, and with all your might? (Amen) Lets sing that little chorus, "Bring Them In," bring the little ones to Jesus. (Congregation sings) Amen!

Rachel Johnstone! Mommy and daddy was Canadian. She was born down here. She's beautiful!

Let's bow our heads.

Our loving gracious heavenly father, Lord we have here the fruit of the womb of our precious Sister Johnstone and her lovely husband. Father we thank thee for their lives. We thank you for bringing them together in holy matrimony father.

When an hour when America has disregard of the morals and honor marriage that you have ordained do you bring forth children life into the world. Lord we are thankful for those on the earth that still honor the marriage, Joan Rachel. God bless her father and may you keep sickness away from this child. May the blessing of the holy spirit and the angel of God may he watch over her faithfully. Now Lord Bless her mother and father, Lord give them divine revelation upon your word. Made a live consecrated and dedicated and live holy before you all the days of their lives. Now Lord bless this child, in Jesus name amen.

God bless you sister. I guess she liked me alright!

Now we have another little baby to dedicate, Abraham Considine. We'll bring that little fella forward. (*Congregation sings, "Bring Them In."*) We've brung them to the pastor but we've brung them to Jesus. It's alright, he's looking for his daddy, what happen here.

Let us pray;

Dear God, we thank you for Kevin and sister Ruth. We thank you for their lives here upon the earth. We thank you father for leading them here to us that they may so journey with their pilgrimage here with us upon the earth. Father God, we thank you Lord for the fruit of their marriage here in my arms. God bless Abraham Considine, may your hand be upon him keep away sicknesses away from him. Keep all the power of the enemy from him Lord. Bless him and give him strength and health Lord and we pray and trust to see and meet in in the air in the few days that are to come. Bless his mother and his father, may happiness and peace dwell in their home all the days of their lives. Bless them I pray father God with plenty of corn and plenty of wine. We pray Lord thy blessing upon this family upon this child. In Jesus name amen. God bless you, Abraham!

How many like that name? (Amen) He's a real baby!

Well, that's wonderful. Now if you'll open your Bibles. While you're standing, we'll... thank you sister. It makes me a little bit nervous dedicating babies, I don't know why.

Let's open our Bibles to Ephesians the first chapter, and we'll ask the blessing upon God's Word. I'd like to read Ephesians 1:6 Verse six and read down through nine.

#### *Ephesians 1:6-9-Scripture Reading;*

- 6 To the praise of the glory of his grace, wherein he hath made us accepted in the beloved.
- 7 In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;
- 8 Wherein he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence;
- 9 Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself:

#### Let us pray;

Eternal God, bless thy Word for we love it. Bless thy Word and reveal it. May you strengthen, encourage, and establish the saints of God in the faith that was once delivered to the saints. Take out all error and unbelief from our hearts Lord, that we may be nourished in the good things of the Lord. Strengthen us and encourage us Lord, and may we abound in the love of Christ and in the knowledge and Revelation of the Son of God. Bless every soul here Lord, in this little store front assembly. Bless those strangers in our gates, father, but not strangers to you Lord, bless them. Bless us all together Lord as we feast upon thy Word. And may the power of thy spirit, may the great power that raised Christ from the dead, make He make his self-known this morning as you did Wednesday night. In Jesus name, Amen.

You may be seated.

How many enjoyed the service Wednesday night? You know, I enjoy the blessing of the Lord, feel His blessing. Sometimes you just laugh and clap your hands with joy, and then other times, you just sit and cry. Wednesday night was the power of God, the great power of the Lord, the awesome mighty power of God. It was kinda fearful, wasn't it? I believe that's the kind of power that gonna be manifested in this last day. The great power of God to speak the great Word of the Lord.

We pray that the power of the Lord, will each one of the children, and may they know Him in that power in this hour, because that what's it gonna take to get off the earth, POWER. It's gonna take more than just being religious, it's gonna take more than just singing out of a song book, it's gonna take more than just a little five-minute prayer in the morning and a five-minute prayer at night. You're gonna have to know him IN THE POWER that raised Christ from the dead. It's got to quicken your mortal bodies.

Now there I started preaching already. I said, "Lord how can I preach," and I get here and I already got started preaching.

Well, I want to know him in the power that raised him from the dead. Amen. We don't care about our name being on some church book down here. huh! But we want to know Him in the Power that raised Christ from the dead. I believe that's what Jesus went to Calvary for, so that we might know him in the power of his resurrection. Can you imagine the people upon the earth that think they're gonna float off in the rapture, and never have met him in the power that raised Him from the dead? Well, if you're dead down here, you don't have nothing to take you up in the rapture. You've got to be dead and be quickened and made alive by the power of the Holy Ghost. I'm not just talking about a blessing of God. I'm talking about the power, the power of God. Amen! People known Him in about every

other way in this day. They known Him by speaking in tongues, they've known Him by putting their name on the book and joining the Pentecostal church. But they've never known anything about knowing Him in the power that raised Him from the dead. That's what we want isn't it! We want to know Him in the power!

I believe the Lord Jesus is anxiously wanting to come to his Bride. That she might know him in the power that raised Him from the dead. Oh, that means more to me than anything else in life. Because that's what it's gonna take to leave this earth, in a moment and a twinkling of an eye. Know Him in the power that raised Him from the dead.

#### 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.

# *Philippians 3:10-11-Reference quote:*

- 10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;
- 11 If by any means I might attain unto the resurrection of the dead.

Well, we've been preaching on a lot of things. And I started off on a subject about...I don't know months ago on the study of book of Ephesians, and then we got so many other messages that come in between there, and got off on them. And I thought this morning we'd go back. We've got five messages now on the book of Ephesians. And I...Preaching is wonderful, but I think teaching... if we can teach the Word of God and establish you in your position in Christ Jesus, is more beneficial to you. That you might know your position in Christ. And so, I think the book of Ephesians is the grandest, one of the greatest, or the grandest books in the Bible. To show us our position as believers in Christ Jesus. Now we're further along enough up here to know there's something wrong out here in the church world. God don't have no Baptist church, Methodist church, Pentecostal church and Assemblies of God and United. I think there are two thousand, and seven hundred different denominations, and thousands of independents on top of that. And then there's thousands of cults that claim to be the Bride of Christ. Brother and sister, there is something terribly wrong. But never the less there's gonna be a Bride. There's gonna be a church that Christ is the head of. Now that's the one I want to be in. And I think that we can find out by the Word of God about that church and about that body of believers.

Endnote: 62-0624 - Super Sign William Marrion Branham

66 Now, that super sign was a virgin-born Child that was to last forever, an eternal Sign. And that Child is not dead. He... They killed Him. He died, certainly. The stinger of death killed Him, but God raised Him up again. And here He is after two thousand years of all the hardships, and locusts, and palmerworms eating on it. There is still a remnant of people that believe God and keep His Word. THERE'LL BE A BRIDE. JUST AS CERTAIN AS I'M STANDING IN THIS PULPIT; THERE'LL BE A BRIDE THAT'S WASHED IN THE BLOOD OF THAT LAMB.

# AND THAT LAMB WILL BE LIVING AMONG THEM, SHOWING SUPER SIGNS OF HIS RESURRECTION, AFTER TWO THOUSAND YEARS THE SAME THING HE DID WHEN HE WAS HERE ON EARTH. I believe that. Amen.

Now notice, I think I've preached down... as least my friends tell me that I've preached down to Verse 6 or 7. It took five messages to get down to there. It's kind of a slow process, but it's good.

I remember one night while I was preaching on this, the great power of the Holy Spirit came into the building. I don't say He'll come this morning, but I'd like for Him to. I'd like for Him to come. How many appreciated His presence on Wednesday night and his power? (Amen) That means more than anything, just to know His presence is with you, the great power of the Lord.

Now notice here, look at this scripture again in verse seven.

## *Ephesians 1:7-Scripture Reading;*

7 In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;

Now you know my teaching upon the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ. Now the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ dripped into the ground at Calvary. The chemical blood that came from the body of Jesus dripped into the ground.

Now, that's the blood that forgives us of our sins. But now, what's so hard to get to the people is that you have to find the plan to that blood. Now you don't have the chemistry of that blood to apply it to your soul or spirit, or your body to forgive you of your sins. But there is a plan laid down by God in His Word that you can find the blood of the Lord Jesus for the atonement of your sins. Now, as I said, the plan to the blood was lost through the church ages. And the church ages were given as a substitute, see.

I don't believe those people were lost down through the church ages. I believe Martin Luther was saved and all those people under his ministry was saved. I believe God's children's been saved through every age. But the true plan to the blood was lost. You just can't say, I accept the Lord Jesus as my personal savior. Why that's not...People think that's salvation, just accepting Christ as your personal savior. Well, that's wonderful, but does He accept you? See! A lot of people think and say they accepted Christ, and I seen them living in fornication, living in adultery, smoking, drinking, mini-skirts, cut their hair off, live any way you want to. And they all accept Christ as their personal savior, see. The Baptist accept Him, the Methodist accept Him, the Pentecostals they all accept Christ. They believe their...Everybody pleads the blood. But now brother, do they have any blood to plead? That's what I'm wondering about. Has Christ really accepted them?

Well, where is the witness that Christ has accepted the Baptist. They don't have any proof that Christ has accepted them. I can say Baptist, because that's what I was, a Baptist. And the Methodist don't have proof that Christ accepted them. The Pentecostal's don't have proof today that Christ accepted them, other than they speak in tongues.

But the devil speaks in tongues, the devil prophesizes. Why sure, devils prophesize, devils pray for the sick, and heal the sick too, works miracles and everything else. But that doesn't have anything to do with Christianity or salvation. The devils got a church.

Endnote: 60-0807 - Debate On Tongues William Marrion Branham

And I wouldn't say to you, brethren, if a man speaks with tongues, all right; but if he doesn't speak with tongues, that still is no sign he hasn't got it. And if he... I seen people speak with tongues like pouring peas on a dry cowhide, just as hard as they could go, and live with another man's wife. See? I've seen witches drink blood out of a human skull, and call on the devil, and speak in tongues. I've seen witches and Indian magic-men, when the bull-dance come in, and they would set around this big circle, and they would get out and do all their enchantments, and the devil doctor come in, and they go around and around and do all this jumping up and down, and screaming, and beating on these tom-toms, and—and then the witch doctor would come in and speak in tongues and interpret it to them. See? And I've been in camps of witches where I walked in myself, and it's so... You... It's...

#### Endnote:

63-0317M - God Hiding Himself In Simplicity, Then Revealing Himself In The Same William Marrion Branham

242 Jesus said, "Many will come to Me in that day, and say, 'Lord, have not I prophesied in Your Name? In Your Name done many works, and cast out devils?'" He said, "Depart, I never knew you." See? That isn't it. That isn't it, friend. 243 That's the reason...And, tongues, the evidence? I believe in speaking in tongues, but I don't take it to be the only evidence of the Holy Spirit. No, sir. The fruit of the Spirit is the evidence. See? Yeah. Now, you see, that's the reason I have differed with the move of the Pentecostal brethren, in that manner, that they say as, "If a man speaks in tongues, he has the Holy Ghost." I differ. That's no sign he's got the Holy Ghost. See? 244 I've heard devils speak with tongues just as fast as they could, drink blood out of a human skull, and call on the devil. 245 I've seen Indians take snakes and wrap around them, in the—in the—in the rain dance out there in Arizona; hold their hands up like that, and run right around. The witch doctor come out, lancing himself. And lay a pencil down, and it write in unknown tongues, and give the interpretation to it. See? So, don't, don't tell me that. I'm too old for that. See?

#### Endnote:

53-0609A - Demonology, Religious Realm William Marrion Branham

79 Now we've got a deep something coming here, and I hope it's not too deep. Now over in First Samuel 28, I want to read some Scripture here right at this time. I want you to listen closely. And I want to bring "demons," show you how they work right in the church, and how Satan has a counterfeit for every real there is. Now you can see, according to the Bible, that demons come among Christians and they impersonate. 80 And many times we have declared people to be Christians when they said, "I believe in Jesus Christ." Why, the devils believe the same thing, and tremble. That's no sign you're saved. One of these nights I want to get on election, and then you'll see what salvation means. See? It's nothing you had to do with it, in the first place, or

the last place, or nothing you can do about it. God saves a man, unconditionally. Boy, that sunk deep, didn't it? Now, just might as well get that out of your system, while we're at it. All right.

But it's only the Bride of Christ who really has forgiveness of her sins. Why? Is because she finds the plan to the blood. Brother and sister, I don't know anything greater that can happen to you, than you could find the plan to the blood.

The blood that dripped at Calvary was the chemistry of the blood that came from Christ, that dripped in the ground. And the apostles had that plan to the blood. They had the plan to that. But they martyred all the apostles as she went through the dark ages, and we lost the plan to the blood. But God said, I will restore, said the Lord.

Endnote: 55-0501A - Fellowship William Marrion Branham

60 There. No matter what church you go to, where ... group. You fellowship with any group, of whether it's the Assemblies, or the Oneness, or the Twoness, or the Latter Day Sai-...Rains, or whatever it is, just long as your fellowship is clean with God. Amen. The Bible said, we... "The Blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin, and then we have fellowship one with another." Amen. I love that. Oh, my. The way... 61 Then God seen that man out of fellowship, then He must do something to restore His creature back to where He could get his heart again, where he could get his—his way back. Now, there's where the sad part—part starts right now. 62 Now, man has tried to substitute something for that fellowship ever since the beginning of time. Now, today we say, "Sure, everybody come join our church. We have it." The Methodist wants to believe that on theirs, the Baptist on theirs, the Catholic on theirs, the Presbyterian on theirs, Pentecostal on theirs, the Apostolic on theirs. And in that they formed a declaration of creeds. And they have this church set up and a bunch of creeds, and around that they claim that that is the way to have fellowship. Listen, you can't have fellowship that way. You could join every church there is in the country and still be out of fellowship with Christ. GOD LAID DOWN THE ONLY PLAN BACK THERE IN THE BEGINNING, WHEN HE SLEW A **LAMB**, or sheep, and rolled out the welcome mat for the human race to come back to fellowship, and that was through the blood. Amen. 63 Now, you hear so little about the Blood today. We're always speaking about other things. We're speaking about the times and about the atomic bomb. Those things are all right, but, brother, to me without the shedding of Blood there's no remission of sin. AND WHEN THE BLOOD'S BEEN PROPERLY APPLIED, SIN IS DONE AWAY WITH, AND MAN IS BACK IN FELLOWSHIP WITH GOD. Amen. What we need today is a good old-fashion, Blood-bought revival. Amen. Life lays in the bloodstream. And when the Blood of Christ cleanses us from all unrighteousness, then we have fellowship with God. 64 You can repent, or come up and make a confession, go on six months' probation, be sprinkled out of a saltshaker, and belong to the Methodist church (Yes, sir.), and have fellowship with every one of them. That's right. Or you can come up through the Baptist church, and get the right hand of fellowship, and make a confession, and be baptized in water, have fellowship with the Baptist church. Let me tell you, in the Pentecostal church you can pray a

little while till you speak with tongues, and have fellowship with every one of them. But, my brother, sister, until your soul's been washed in the Blood of Jesus Christ, you'll never have fellowship with Him. Right. 65 And when your soul has been washed in the Blood of the Lamb, all malice, hatred, envy, strife, all these things has died. The Blood makes an atonement. Amen. That's the reason today in our Pentecostal fellowships, in our different full-Gospel fellowships, we have so much carrying on, so much i-...chasm and stuff in our body, because our—our—our different "isms" and things, rather, has set in. Is because that one will pull out and be this, and the other one pull out and be this, and one pull out and start a—a denomination or a organization. The very reason of that is because the person's heart wasn't right with God to start with. God wants us all as one Body: one Body of believers, baptized in the Holy Spirit. Amen. Oh, my, God laid out one mat to meet people on. That was the welcome mat. From the once-fallen fellowship, the restoration back is the Blood. Through the Blood you have fellowship, restoration to fellowship with God. 66 Adam could not meet upon his own theology. He sewed fig leaves around himself, but it wouldn't work. He made his own organization; he made his own denomination, but it wouldn't work.

#### Endnote:

54-0330 - Redemption In Completeness, In Joy William Marrion Branham

52 Now, as they journeyed in this land, we found out that GOD MADE A—MADE A PLAN FOR THEM. HE BROUGHT REDEMPTION, BY THE BLOOD. Then we find out, He brings redemption, again, by power. 53 We found, night before last, that He had the blood applied; which was a very beautiful type of the believer, that, when he has accepted the death of Christ in his stead, then he becomes a child of God. He starts on his journey. 54 Now, the next thing that he has to have...after he is saved, spiritually. 55 Now, THE DEATH OF THE INNOCENT LAMB PROVIDED LIFE FOR THE GUILTY BELIEVER. Isn't that a perfect type now? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] The death of the Innocent, providing Life for the guilty. And the death of the innocent Christ provides Life for we the guilty. 56 Now, first, then, after God gave them life through the blood, and proved it, that death passed over them, He started them in their journey. We're going to catch up with them after a while.

Endnote: 55-0115 - Law William Marrion Branham

But THE LIFE THAT CAME FROM THE BLOOD CELL OF THE SON OF GOD WAS NONE OTHER THAN GOD HIMSELF, WHO HAD COME DOWN AND WAS IN CHRIST reconciling the world to Himself, the great Jehovah. There it was human, not human life, it was—IT WAS GOD'S LIFE. The Bible said we are saved by the Blood of God, for there's no other male but God, and God's a Spirit. It couldn't have been actually sexual. It had to come supernatural. That's why His Church today believes in the supernatural. 34 And a man that's ever confessed his sins, standing, laying his hands on the head of the dying Lamb, Christ, and looked to Calvary, can never be the same no more. That's right. "For by one sacrifice..." Hebrews 10:14. "For by one sacrifice He hath perfected for ever those that are sanctified," or

cleansed by the Blood of the Lamb. See it, sinner, and look at it. You, certainly... Don't try to get better; you can't get any better. Just come the way you are. No matter what you do, you could never merit nothing. The only thing that you can do is to believe on Him that justifies the ungodly. When you do that you're saved. Oh, what a change in my life has been wrought, since Jesus came into my heart; and I shall go there to dwell in that city above, since Jesus came into my heart. What a difference this made. It stoops to the lowest, to the prostitute. It goes to the drunkard, to the gambler, to the millionaire, to the aristocrat, to the church member. "Whosoever will, let him come and drink from the fountain of the water of Life freely." WATCH IN GOD'S GREAT PLAN, Jesus being the LAMB of God slain from the foundation of the world... Before the great thought become a word God perceived—pre-thought these things before the foundation of the world. Look in the garden of Eden. God never put us here to die; He put us here to live. He never put us here to have funeral services; He put us here to be happy children, to rejoice for evermore. And even though sin marred the picture, the redeeming Blood of Jesus Christ cleanses it. 35 You know what the Blood of Christ does to confessed sin? Did you ever take... You women, could you imagine having a wash tub full of bleach and take a little eye dropper full of ink, and you drop it, this ink down into this washtub full of bleach, what happens to the ink? The ink becomes bleach. What happened? It doesn't hurt the bleach a bit. It just takes on and becomes bleach. That's what confessed sin does. When it's confessed upon the Blood of the Lord Jesus Christ, it changes its color and becomes righteousness. For you're willing to acknowledge it and accept God's provided way for you to be saved. Nothing like it, friends.

Now notice here, the Ephesians church, as we said in the other lessons... just to review a little bit. The Ephesians church was the perfect church. Philadelphian wasn't, or Sardis wasn't, but the Ephesians church was the perfect church, or perfection, is that right?

Now notice if we're gonna have a Bride... you believe that? We're gonna have a supernatural church, a supernatural Bride of perfection, one "without spot wrinkle or blemish." Everybody quotes that scripture out in Pentecost.

#### *Ephesians 5:26-27-Reference quote:*

- 26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word,
- 27 That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.

All right then, there has to be a plan in the Bible for God to bring that Bride together, that church together. And the first thing He's got to do, before He can have a marriage and marries the Bride and becomes one with her, he's got to wash her from her sins. Now we think sin is living in adultery, fornication, smoking, drinking, cutting our hair, wearing mini-skirts, listening to rock in roll music, and all the lusts and covetness that's in the world. We think that's sin. That's not sin, that's the attributes of an unbeliever, see. So, we think salvation is, I quit living in fornication, I quit living in adultery, I quit smoking, I quit drinking, I quit this, I quit that, I quit cussing. We think that's accepting Christ, and being a Christian. Well, that's good, that is reforming, that's reforming that's good. You shouldn't cuss, you shouldn't smoke, you shouldn't commit fornication.

The Bible says, he that commits fornication, sinneth against his own body. And he that committen adultery, breaks his marriage vows. But that's not Christianity.

Christianity is the New-Birth, that's what Christianity is! Now, when you get the New-Birth you won't do those things, you won't live in fornication, you won't live in adultery, you won't practice all kind of sexual devices, that many are practicing today. You won't read all that ungodly filthy, damnable, literature that's in the magazines today. You won't sit and gobble up all that dirty filthy stuff on television. And the women will wear their dresses down below their knees.

And while I'm at it, I think a lot of women in this church need a little more material in their dresses, while I'm at it! I've been meaning to say that a long time. But I'm wondering when some of you are gonna get your hems down a little longer. Why sit around and be convicted of it, and sit stretching all the time on that thing. If you're married why then you ought to by now want that to go down over your knees. How many say, amen now, see? Now what does a few inches of material make any difference, see. But what's the matter out here in the world.? The reason why people act the way they act, that why the Pentecostal women's cut their hair all off, why they're all wearing mini-skirts.

Like I went in that great Pentecostal church used to be a flame and sent out missionaries up in Canada. They sent more missionaries on the field than any little church their size in the world today. I went up there, and every woman in there had their hair cut off. Every woman in there had a mini-skirt on. Their dresses was far above their thighs, and still speakin` in tongues and still prophesying, WITH A DEVIL UPON THEM! Huh! LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING, IT'S HOLINESS, OR HELL!

Listen, let me tell you something women brothers and sisters, we're to perfect holiness unto the Lord. And the Bible said that he that looketh upon a woman to lusts after her, hath committed adultery already in his heart! How many adulterous out in the churches this morning, how many fornicators, how many whoremongers? And yet we all think we're goin to fly off to heaven! You've got to be Born-Again! You've got to be Born-Again! That's what's the matter with the churches. That's why the woman sitting there this morning all over United States and the world with mini-skirts on and short hair, speaking in tongues and prophesy, and think they got the blessed Holy Ghost baptism. They got a devil upon them, and THEY GOTTA FALSE PROPHET IN THE PULPIT. Amen! Yes siree! Let me tell you something, we're called unto holiness. When God calls you, he calls you unto holiness.

Let me tell you something, sex is the god of this world. That's right, sex is a God of this world. And I tell you women ought to be ashamed that they're even a woman today. If I was a woman today, I'd be ashamed to be a woman the way women are acting. Why they got no...Let me tell you something, animals has got more morals than the women got. No wonder that no one tips their hat at them anymore. Just an old filthy garbage can most of them today, unless they're saved and Born-Again. Most of them they're not all like that, but the majority of them.

See! I tell you; we need holiness is our calling. Amen! I thank God that He's got some pure water around today to wash our bodies with. In this hour of filthiness and corruption, immorality and sex on the rampage. Sex is driving people crazy! Men are turning into natural born brute beasts. They're worse than animals. Men today and women today are worse than animals. Men are forgetting their natural course of life and are burning in lust for one another. Is that right? Sure they are! The whole church world is filled with it.

# 2 Peter 2:12-Reference quote:

12 But these, as natural brute beasts, made to be taken and destroyed, speak evil of the things that they understand not; and shall utterly perish in their own corruption;

Layin' right crying to God now over a false prophet, a man that thinks he's a prophet and went down in a certain church and a taught them all kinds of sexual devices. Little girls and women and everyone else and think he's a prophet of God. IT'S A DIRTY FILTHY DEVIL. The devil has got down inside of preachers. You'd be surprised...you'd be surprised how many preachers are preaching to you overcoming the flesh and they're living in all kind of sexual devices, all kind of immorality and UNGODLINESS.

You talk about the precious blood of Jesus Christ. Let me tell you, people are crucifying Jesus Christ a thousand times a day.

Sincere people being led astray by false prophets. Let me tell you something, anybody that's hiding behind their clergy cloth and has never been Born-Again and sanctified by the precious blood of Jesus Christ, it is a curse to be standing behind the pulpit like that. WE NEED MEN THAT'S WASHED, THAT'S CLEAN, THAT'S HOLY MEN OF GOD!

Let me tell you something, before this is over, you're gonna find out... if there's two or three men that's called of God in United States, it'll be a miracle. Come right down to it! Show me a man that's madly in love with the Lord Jesus Christ, that you can't put a finger on his life? Show me two or three of them. You can't find them, they can't be found! Why? Because seducing spirits have taken over the ministry! Seducing spirits have taken them over. And they're filled with all kinds of lasciviousness, idolatry, fornicators, adulterers, all kinds of wicked sexual devices among them. Women sitting in congregations with ole filthy sex spirits on them.

Let me tell you, you young people in this congregation, you flee those youthful lusts. They'll take you to a devil's hell. The Bible said, "It is better to marry, than burn in your flesh."

#### 1 Corinthians 7:9-Reference quote:

9 But if they cannot contain, let them marry: for it is better to marry than to burn.

# WHY, YOU DON'T HEAR NO PREACHIN LIKE THIS! YOU KNOW WHY? BECAUSE THE DEVIL HAS TAKEN THEM ALL TO HELL. Amen! Amen!

Let me tell you something, when you see women that's got that ole spirit on them and they'll dress themselves in and ole skin down tight dress. And I see some of you women here, you need to throw some of those filthy clothes you got away, get them out of your closet, and get you something that's becoming of holiness. You sit down in a dress and you ain't got enough material on to cover your knees, you're a sinner. I DON'T CARE WHO IT IS, YOU'RE A SINNER! You take young men that's around and tryin to live and overcome the flesh and live victorious in the love of Christ and the power of the holy Ghost, and you're walking around with a ungodly dress on and you cause them to be tempted. YOU'RE THE ONE TO BLAME. You get your dress the way it ought to be. If you believe that and you believe the Revelation I'm preaching, and you believe that Jesus Christ is ready to come, then you get you a dress on that's pleasing to Christ. You say, I can't afford to buy them. You see me, I'll buy them. I can afford them I'll buy them. I'll take tithes out of the church and I'll buy you a dress. Or I'll buy a sewing machine, so you can make them. I want my...I want the women in my church, I want your dresses DOWN OVER YOUR KNEES. I DON'T CARE WHAT THE STANDARD OF THE

WORLD IS! I WANT THE STANDARD OF THE BIBLE! That's what the Bible said. When you sit down you make sure that your nakedness is covered. Amen! I TELL YOU THE DEVILS EATEN UP THE CHURCH. I believe our church is in better shape than all of them, but we need to come on with a few things here. You women that got some of those ole skin down tight down dresses, some of them ole knitted clothes, I see some of you wear, look like your poured into it. THROW THAT THING IN THE GARBAGE CAN! Get you something on that's becoming to holiness. Let every woman in this church, STRIVE UNTO HOLINESS AND THE FEAR OF THE LORD. DON'T YOU KNOW THAT THE LIVING GOD COMES RIGHT DOWN IN THIS PLACE HERE? Amen!

## 2 Corinthians 7:1-Reference quote:

I Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

#### 1 Timothy 2:9-10-Reference quote:

- 9 In like manner also, that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with broided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array;
- 10 But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.

I'm not talking about some emotionalism, somebody hollering, but I'M TALKING ABOUT THE CHRIST THAT CREATED THE WORLD COMES DOWN THROUGH HERE. He wants this place cleaned up.

Let me tell you something...I'm...oh God... I'm persuaded that the only thing that's gonna save the Bride is judgement. We need judgement, we need the judgements of all mighty God. Amen!

We got people livin in all kinds of wicked things. That's right. We got people livin in all kinds of wicked things, that's right. Doing all kinds of wicked things.

I'm praying for a group of men right now, that claims to be lead of God, following a prophet of God. Supposed to be following the message, and that man got into all ... teaching his whole congregation sexual devices, homosexualism, immorality and fornication, and adultery. AND THEY SAY THEY'RE THE BRIDE!

MY GOD, WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH PEOPLE? WHAT IS THE MATTER WITH PEOPLE TODAY? WHAT DO YOU THINK JESUS CHRIST IS SOME UNHOLY UNCLEAN THING? I TELL YOU, HE'S A HOLY GOD! Without holiness, no man shall see God. Without holiness, no man shall see Him.

## *Hebrews 12:14-Reference quote:*

14 Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord:

You take these dirty filthy preachers... Let me tell you something, any man that's not walking in revelation you can't trust them. Any man that God ain't dealing with, that you don't see his life...any man that you can't see his life, see him walking in revelation... you're gonna find out how them preachers are living, your gonna find out in a few days HOW DIRTY AND FILTHY PEOPLE LIVE! That's right!

Let me tell you something, I'm gonna prophesize to you! One of these days I'll expose all that dirty filthy stuff, the hour is coming. The hour is coming, the hour is coming when people are gonna reap what they're sowing.

Let me tell you something, you can't live in lust and all manner of wickedness, and come and say that you're a Christian! And read your bible and go to church, speak in tongues and prophesy and do all that stuff. God will curse you as sure as I stand here! We need to perfect holiness, and the fear of the Lord. You know this generation does not fear God, they don't fear God. Oh, how the heart of the Lord Jesus must be wrenched in pain today. We can see men opening up the Bible this morning and know that last night they lived in all kinds of sin and wickedness. Let me tell you something, hell is too good for a preacher that'll preach out of the Bible and claim to be a servant of God and live like the devil. He needs to go to hell!

But I'm so thankful to God that there's a plan back to the blood today. I'm so thankful there is a Revelation of God on earth today, that can take you not to a stagnated pond of water, but take you to pure water. Amen!

Aw, I'd like to boast a little bit... Break in tape...

I'm so thankful to God, in an hour when I see preachers, and know personally, that they're livin in all kinds of wickedness. And to see a man, that you've heard preach in this pulpit, and claims to be a prophet of God, and go down and lead poor little people astray, and teach them such wicked devices as that, he needs the worst place in hell. He needs to go to hell. Now I would not even pray for his dirty filthy soul. Let me tell you something, it looked to me like if people wanted to live in sin and wickedness and all that sexual filth, gum and muck down in the world today, they ought to get away from God's people. Get away from them and leave them alone. Why if there's gonna be... if God ain't got a man somewhere that's got something real. The devils taken the whole thing to hell. That's not sold out to all that sexual filth and money...a the love of money popularity, sold out to the denominations.

I'M SOLD OUT TO ONE THING, AND THAT'S THE WORD OF GOD. Amen! Sold out to one thing and that's the Word of God.

I'm glad He has abounded toward us with the forgiveness of our sins, according to the riches of His abundant grace.

#### *Ephesians 1:7-8-Reference quote:*

- 7 In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace;
- 8 Wherein he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence;

We have found the plan to the blood, by...by coming back to the Word of God. Why you can't even find the plan to the blood in any denomination today. You can't find the plan to the blood down there in any of them churches. They holler they're under the blood, but are they under the blood? Why, they won't take hardly any of the Word of God.

But God's calling a perfect church and if He's calling a perfect church. There's going to be somebody here that's gonna go into that church. In an hour when everything is so wicked and so diverse to the word of God, He's calling a virtuous Bride WITHOUT SPOT OR WRINKLE WITHOUT BLEMISH, a holy Bride a holy people.

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260 Pentecost has done the same. They speak in tongues, and so forth, "That's all you have to do. That's got it. Come on, join the church." All right. Get your false baptism, and so forth, and go on, "And that's all you have to do." See? 261 BUT WHEN CHRIST COMES, HE'S COMING FOR A VIRGIN WITH...A CHURCH WITHOUT EVEN ONE SPOT OR ONE WRINKLE OF DENOMINATION OR ANY OTHER THING, DOGMAS MIXED WITH IT. IT'S GOING TO BE WORD, AND THAT ALONE. 262 Now, oh, man, here we are! Blessed be the Lord! Now we come to the Body to be the Bride of Christ, now to be His "flesh of His flesh, and bone of His bone." Now, we'll hurry up now. "Flesh of His flesh, and bone of His bone." Why didn't... 263 Ask you a question. Why didn't all your rains, back yonder, bring the bride to Christ? I want you to answer me that. If...His Coming is overdue. We believe it. (Like it was in the days of Noah, longsuffering, He's getting His Bride ready.) Why didn't these rains... Why didn't you Pentecostals back yonder, a few years ago, when you started, forty, fifty years ago, why didn't you bring Christ, the Bridegroom, to the bride? Going to let that soak, a minute. Why? BECAUSE YOU PREGNATED HER, YOURSELF, WITH YOUR DENOMINATION. THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT YOU DONE. HE WON'T MARRY A WHORE. He'll marry a virgin. It's flat, but that's the Truth. You know It, in a flat way. You don't have to wonder. I don't stumble around about It. Tell vou the Truth. WHY DIDN'T IT BRING HER? WHY DIDN'T IT BRING CHRIST, BRING CHRIST TO HER? BECAUSE SHE'S NOT FIT. HE FOUND HER IN ADULTERY. 264 Exactly the reason children don't live forever when they're born; Adam found his wife pregnated. 265 That's the reason Jehovah had to take a Gentile Bride; found her pregnated. 266 That's exactly the way Christ has to get Him a Bride now; He's found the so-called group pregnated. 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. 267 Like Adam and Jehovah's, He found them pregnated with man-made doctrines of denominations. Like God's Truth, in Genesis 1, "Every seed has brought forth after its kind." So, when the Spirit fell on her, man had been there to her womb, and filled it with denominational seeds of his own thinking, so that's why she got to be the way she is, and Christ could not come to her. Hum! That's hard, isn't it?

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297 Look, hurrying, there must come a true Seed. There has just got to be, because He's coming for the Bride without spot or wrinkle. He is coming for it, a Word-vindicated Bride. Oh, she'll be such a little bitty group. Jesus said, "As it was in the days of Noah, wherein eight souls was saved," (is that right?) "so shall it be in the coming of the Son of man." How many? I don't know. 298 But, see, the Bride is going to be made up of all down through, that had the Word in their age. It's not just this last group, God is going to take the whole thing out of here. Oh, no. 299 It'll be—be so small, it'll be surprising.

Somebody said, "Well, he's a holiness preacher." And I'm proud of it, God ain't got no other kind, but a holiness preacher. There's no other way than holiness. And everybody thinks there's another way than holiness, but they're goin right on to hell. See! They know better than to watch them dirty filthy televisions. Them women knows better than to lay up there in bed and read all that filthy gum muck dirty magazines. And then they try to teach me something. You ain't teaching me nothing. If you want to teach me something, let me see what your livin first. Amen! That don't impress me none.

I believe with all my heart that we found the plan to the blood. Not just sayin were under the blood, but I believe we found the plan to it. And I believe our bodies ain't being washed by some stagnated pond out of some denomination. We're bein...our bodies are being washed by pure water from the revealed Word of God. And it's cleansing our bodies and washing our bodies. And we are being sanctified, and cleansed. We're getting ready to be filled with God, tabernacled in human flesh. Not just speakin in tongues, I mean God tabernacled in human flesh.

Now you know them people out there, you know that God ain't tabernacled down in no woman's human flesh and her sittin' there with a mini skirt on, with her hair cut up and chopped off and makeup on, watching television, going mix bathing, smoking, speak in tongues. Why, it's a devil!

Let me tell you something, anything that'll try to work the supernatural outside of the Revelation of God and holiness, and the fear of the Lord, brother, it's satanic!

Aw, you know what I believe is the biggest delusion in this hour is? I told you before, People think they're saved, when they're not saved. How many of you thought you were saved and you wasn't saved? (Amen) You found out the New-Birth is more than just saying I'm born again. It's the literal life, the holy life of the Lord Jesus coming down inside of you. Brother, when that life of Christ comes down it'll eat nothing but the Word of God. Amen!

When I think how much I love the Lord and how much I love His people, and I see the condition that the ministries in and the people's in, my heart bleeds, my heart just aches, and cries.

And I'm so thankful to God, so thankful to God that there's somebody upon the earth, a handful, two or three, that's really got something real.

*Matthew 22:14-Reference quote:* 

14 For many are called, but few are chosen.

*Matthew 7:13-15-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:

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365 **He, He said, "Son of man is going up to Jerusalem**. I'm going to be put in the hands of sinners, and **they're going to kill the Son of man**. And He's going to die, and on the third day

**He's going to rise again**." Said, "Don't tell nobody the vision, up there." 366 And the disciples, now think of it, disciples who had walked with John, talked with him, eat with him, in the wilderness, sat out on the banks, then they said, "Why does the teachers say that Elias must first come? You say You're going up for the crucifixion, and going to rise. You're the Messiah, take the throne. Now why does the scribes...? All of our Scriptures say here, the Scriptures plainly says, that, before the Christ shall come, that Elias will come first." Yeah. See? 367 He said, "He has already come, and you didn't know it." Now, who was that? Disciples. 368 I'm going to hurt here, just a little bit now, but don't mean it, see; for the next few minutes, see, just a minute, or two, but so that you'll be sure to understand. Can you hear me? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] 369 Look! "Why?" Them men who had walked with Christ, "Why does the Scriptures, first, say that Elias must come?" AND THEY WERE JOHN'S OWN CONVERTS, AND DIDN'T EVEN KNOW HIM. "Why did the Scriptures say, the teachers?" You see what I mean? See? "Why does the Scriptures say that Elias must first come?" Disciples that walked with him, "Why does the Scriptures say that he must first come, before these things, and restore all things?" HE DID, TO ABOUT A HALF A DOZEN PEOPLE, AND THAT'S ALL THERE WAS. SEE? THAT'S ALL WAS SUPPOSED TO RECEIVE IT. THAT WAS WHAT WAS ORDAINED TO SEE IT. 370 Jesus said, "He's already come, and you didn't know it. But he done just what the Scriptures said he would do. He restored them, you all that received Me and believed on Me. He done exactly what the Scriptures said he'd do. And they did to him what the Scriptures said they would do. He has already come, and you didn't know it." 371 Are you ready? I want to shock you a little bit. THE RAPTURE WILL BE THE SAME WAY. IT'LL BE SO SIMPLE, NO DOUBT IT'LL BE LIKEWISE, TILL THE RAPTURE WILL COME ONE OF THESE DAYS AND NOBODY WILL KNOW NOTHING **ABOUT IT**. Now, don't, don't, don't get up now, but study just a minute. I'm sure enough closing. The Rapture will come in such a simple way till the judgments will fall, and they'll see the Son of man, and they'll say, "Wasn't we supposed to have such-and-such? And wasn't there supposed to be Elias sent to us? And wasn't there supposed to be a Rapture?" 372 Jesus will say, "It's already happened, and you didn't know it." God in simplicity. See? 373 Now, this week we're going to get in some awful deep teaching on the Word. NOW, NOTICE, THE RAPTURE, WILL BE SO FEW GO IN THAT BRIDE! IT'LL NOT BE... 374 Now see how the teachers has got it? They got charts, and they go, show ten million people coming up here; all the Methodists, if it's a Methodist preacher; if it's a Pentecostal, all the Pentecostals coming. It will never touch it. 375 It'll be, maybe one leave Jeffersonville, just somebody come up missing. They'll say, "Well, you never..." The rest of them won't know. There'll be one leave Georgia. See? There'll be one leave in Africa. And let's say there would be five hundred people, living, will go in the translation. Now, that ain't—that ain't the church body. This is the Bride. That ain't the church. This is the Bride. See? 376 The—the church will come up by the thousands, BUT THAT'S IN THE NEXT **RESURRECTION.** "They live not for the space of a thousand years." See? 377 But, in the Bride, if five hundred people left the earth this very minute, the world would know nothing about it. Jesus said, "There'd be one in the bed; and I'll take one, leave one." That's at nighttime. "They would be two in the field," over on the other side of the earth, "I'll take one and leave one. And as it was in the days of Noah, so shall it be in the coming of the Son of man." 378 THINK! EVERYTHING WILL MOVE JUST AS COMMON AS IT CAN BE. A FANATIC MESSAGE WILL GO BY, AND, THE FIRST THING YOU KNOW,

#### SOMETHING, "THIS MINISTER, GOING SOMEWHERE, HE NEVER COME BACK.

We gotta hope that if we can get the resurrection power of the Lord Jesus, we can cause a stir out here to show these people that they're not saved. They're not saved yet. Here everybody's lookin for a great millennium and a great rapture, and they ain't even saved yet, ain't found the plan to the blood. Go somewhere and find a assembly that fears, the Lord and is walking in the fear of the Lord. You people...Go find a assembly that fears the Lord, walking in the fear of the Lord. Go find somebody, stay around awhile and watch their lives that their livin. Yeah, when you come down to a real genuine Born-Again saint of God, it's a different story. Yes Sir! How many believe in holiness? Let our Church in this hour...when people are getting away from holiness...

You know what's the matter? See, people look at the world and they think that they're just a little bit better than the world, they're a Christian. Don't you pattern yourself after nobody but here, see. (*Brother Lambert holds up the Bible*) Let this be your pattern right here. See! No matter what the styles are doin, 'or what the world is doing. You say, "Well, at least I'm not doing that bad." That you can't be drunk or sober. You're either in light, or in darkness. You're either a Christian, or you're not. See, well you say, "The devil made me do it." The devil made you do it. You get what I'm talking about. The devil can't make you do all them things.

Some man preached real high, and jumped real high, spoke in tongues and preached the Word of God and the message of God and then went out running around on his wife. Said, "The devil made me do it, and he done it to test the church." You know what? People can make more excuses for their filthy sins. Where you gonna find anybody that's honest hearted and say, "I'm a sinner?" Hard to find.

We need honest hearts in this hour. That's the only thing that God will save, is an honest heart. Why, when you see how holy Christ is, and how great and mighty he is, why my friend, let me tell you something, let me put it like this! You know when you really meet Christ, I mean when you really meet him, you're so sick of yourself, you loathe yourself so much that you can't hardly stand to look in the mirror. I mean, when you really see yourself just the way you are.

Brother there ain't one good thing in me! Oh, you say, "Oh Brother Bob, don't say that!" There's not one good thing in me! I am a wretched sinner saved by the grace of God. The only good thing in me was when Christ came in me. If He hadn't come in me, I'd be lookin' just like the rest of the world. But praise be to God, He came on the inside. And now I am what I am by the grace of God. Let's perfect holiness.

# 2 Corinthians 7:1-Reference quote:

I Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

When I look out and I see how the devils taken over people, I want to keep my church warned. And I want you to remember your vision here, that we're called unto perfection and unto holiness. And let every one of us who names...in the name of Christ, depart from sin and iniquity. Let all the women and all the men, let all the teenagers flee these youthful lusts, flee them. You know what? That's what drags teenagers down, is youthful lusts, pounding at them all

the time. But if they could just get surrounded in Christ and get swallowed up in Christ, they could ride over top of all that stuff. How many say amen to that? (Amen)

2 Timothy 2:22-Reference quote:

22 Flee also youthful lusts: but follow righteousness, faith, charity, peace, with them that call on the Lord out of a pure heart.

Shun the world, shun the very appearance of evil, shun everything. And when you find the joy of Christ, and fall in love with him, you can ride right over these things.

1 Thessalonians 5:22-Reference quote 22 Abstain from all appearance of evil.

You can see how the devils on a campaign out here something furious. See him swallowing preachers up left and right, swallowing congregations up. But as long as we cleave to the Word of God, strive unto holiness, and trust the Lord Jesus, He'll bring us through all this filth and glomeration. Just think in this hour, you can't hardly find any holiness, can't hardly find any sanctification. Think in this hour, He's calling a virtuous Bride among all this filth and muck. That should make us strive to please the Lord Jesus.

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202 Remember what, What Time Is It, Sir? How many ever heard it? Say, "Amen." [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] Was it exactly right? ["Amen."] Then we've got the revelation in this last days, for the Message of the Lord God to gather His Bride together. No other age has it been promised. It's promised in this age: Malachi 4, Luke 17:30, Saint John 14:12, Joel 2:38. Those promises is just exactly like John the Baptist identified himself in the Scripture. 203 Jesus identified Himself. What'd they say? "Away with such a person!" "John is a wild man." The church wasn't able to receive it. That's the pattern. Neither will the church receive it today. 204 BUT, TO THE ELECTED, GOD IS CALLING TO THE ELECTED. THEY KNOW IT: CALLING THE VIRTUOUS BRIDE, THE WORD, THE LAST-DAY CHURCH, THE ELECTED LADY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, WORD. If...Jesus is the Word. How many believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] All right. Then, the Bride is always part of the Bridegroom, so the Bride will not be a denomination. It'll have to be the Word, manifested, to be the Bride of Christ. He promised to do it. He said how He did. Never uses...loses His pattern. He always did it by the pattern. He done it, every time, by the pattern. HE DOES IT AGAIN, CALLING OUT HIS VIRTUOUS BRIDE IN THE LAST DAY, THE LOVELY REBEKAH WAITING FOR HER ISAAC. What a beautiful time!

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258 John was the vindicated Word. You believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] It wouldn't work in the days of Jesus. Certainly not. No, sir. "Law and prophets were until John; since then, the Kingdom of Heaven." 259 The apostles, them who set forth the Bible. Here come Luther out, in Reformation, his words, that, his church, won't work today. Wesley's won't. Pentecostal's won't. It worked in their day. 260 BUT IT'S ANOTHER DAY. THIS IS THE **OPENING OF THE SEVEN SEALS**. I know It sounds strange to you, but God has vindicate it so perfectly. There's no—no question in It. Just perfectly! I ain't scattering that to the local assembly here. I'm speaking to the people out across the nation. See? Do what you wish to. 261 Now notice the anointed Word of his day, of which you are a part, by predestination. You immediately, like, knew. When you heard That, you knew right quick that you was an eagle. You also realized that you wasn't a denominational chicken, to begin with. You knowed there is something wrong there. There is something wrong, that's right, for you know that you were trapped into it, at the beginning. 262 HE, THE BRIDEGROOM, TOOK AWAY YOUR SHAME, "And put it in the Sea of Forgetfulness, BY THE WASHING OF THE WATER OF THE WORD AND THE BLOOD OF LIFE." That's what the Bible said. Your first husband that you were married to, the world... THE ANOINTED BRIDEGROOM, WHICH FOREORDAINED YOU, HAS WASHED YOU BY THE WASHING OF THE WATER. By "the church"? [Congregation says, "No."—Ed.] That don't sound right, does it? ["No."] You might find that in the almanac, but not in God's Bible. "By the washing of the Water by the Word." In the Word! See? By the... 263 You are standing completely justified, as though you never did it at the beginning. This is my Message to the Church now, As you...as we go off the air, just in a minute. You are standing, if you're standing on God's Word and with God's Word, every amen, every jot, every tittle. Where you standing? I'm trying to tell you, pull away from them shucks. And get out here in the wheat, where you can get ripe before the Son. I hear the coming of the combine. You're standing complete, justified, like you never did it in the first place. Hallelujah! 264 Talk about a thanksgiving! I feel real good. I'm more thankful for that than anything I know of. 265 YOU ARE THE PURE, VIRTUOUS, SINLESS BRIDE OF THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD. EVERY MAN AND WOMAN THAT'S BORN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD, AND WASHED IN THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST, AND BELIEVES EVERY WORD OF GOD, STANDS AS THOUGH YOU NEVER SINNED AT THE FIRST PLACE. YOU ARE PERFECT. THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST! How can you...If a man... 266 If I was supposed to die in the morning, a man took my place, I cannot die for that sin. Somebody took my place. 267 AND JESUS, THE WORD, TOOK MY PLACE. HE BECOME ME, THAT A SINNER, THAT I MIGHT BECOME HIM, THE WORD. Amen. Let me hold true to It, not the church. The Word! Amen. 268 Oh, that spiritual union of Christ and His Church now, when the flesh is becoming Word, and the Word is becoming flesh, manifested, vindicated. Just what the Bible said would happen in this day, it's happening, day by day. Why, it's cumulating so fast out there, in those deserts, and things taking place, that I couldn't even keep up with it. We're near the Coming of Jesus, to be united with His Church, where the Word becomes the Word. Call of the Holy Spirit, searching the hearts! 269 YOU'RE STANDING, COMPLETELY. YOU NEVER SINNED AT THE FIRST PLACE. GOD DON'T

EVEN KNOW. IT'S IN THE SEA OF FORGETFULNESS. YOU NEVER DID IT. YOU WERE ACCUSED OF IT, BY THE ACCUSER. But really, from the beginning, you were predestinated to be a son and daughter of God. You're standing there, washed. And your old book of divorcement is put away, and it's dead, absolutely out of existence, even in the mind of God. 270 You're the virtuous Bride of Christ, washed in the Blood of Christ. Precious. virtuous, sinless Son of God standing with a pure, unadulterated Bride-Word that He washed by the Water of His Own Blood; that become flesh and manifested, that He might take you which were predestinated in the bosom of the Father, before the beginning, the same as He was. He was that great attribute of God, called "love." 271 Whatever you are, you are servants of God, whatever God wants you to do, where your place is. "God placed in the Church, some apostles, prophets, teachers, pastors..." HE PLACED THAT BY VIRTUE OF HIS OWN PREDESTINATION. And you were that, to begin with. 272 Your first wedding was annulled. It was. You never done it, in the first place. Because, there's only one thing could do it, that would be God come down, Himself, and took your place in a form of the Son of God, Jesus Christ, and washed you by the Water, of the washing of the Water by the Word. The Word; not the denomination! The Word washed you. But if you won't stand in the Water of the Word, how you going to be washed? You're still as spotted as Eve was. Oh, dear dying Lamb, Thy precious Blood Shall never lose Its power, Till all the ransomed Church of God Be saved to sin no more. 273 What is sin? Sin is "unbelief." Unbelief in (what?) the Word; unbelief in God, which is the Word. 274 Pure, unadulterated; oh, hallelujah; leaving soon for the skies; amen; standing ready. Think, YOUR GARMENTS, WASHED BY THE WATER OF THE BLEEDING WORD! THE WORD BECOME BLOOD. THE WORD BLED FOR YOU, AND YOU ARE WASHED IN BLEEDING WORD. THE WORD, BLEEDING! The Life of God in the Word, and the Word was bled for you, that you might be washed from the filth of these prostitutes, and be cleaned and sanctified by the washing of the Water of the Word, and makes your mind and heart stayed on God and on His Word. 275 Now, how you know It's true? When God comes down and vindicates It and prove. 276 You say, "Well, I didn't believe It that way." They didn't believe It Jesus' way, but God proved It. They didn't believe It Noah's way. They didn't believe It Moses' way. They was willing to take Balaam's word for It, "We're all the same, so let's just associate together." "Separate yourself," the Bible said, "from unbelief." 277 Hallelujah! Now notice. You're not only that, but you're going to the Wedding in the sky. AND YOU ARE WEARING THE WEDDING BAND OF PREDESTINATED, UNMERITED GRACE, A WEDDING BAND OF GRACE UNMERITED OF YOUR OWN. GOD DID IT, HIMSELF. HE KNEW YOU BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD, SO HE SLIPPED THE WEDDING BAND ON YOU THERE, PUT YOUR NAME ON A BOOK. What a thanksgiving! Hallelujah! Praise our God!

I was on the telephone the other night and I couldn't believe my ears, that such wicked things could take place but yet they are. And in the name of Christ, and in the name of the message of the hour.

Oh, saints, here don't let us fail the Lord, everything depends on you and I pressing on, salvation of those precious souls. Yes sir!

Are they really under the blood? Let me tell you something, if all these churches were really under the blood, they'd be livin like they're under the blood. You're under the blood, you're

gonna live like you're under the blood. Because the blood will cleanse and sanctify. When you see people that ain't sanctified and ain't cleansed, there's something wrong. You've got to be under the blood, when you're under the blood you've got forgiveness of sin. And if we're not, our sins are still yet out in the open, they're not under the blood.

Now verse eight:

It says,

# Ephesians 1:8-Scripture Reading:

8 Wherein he hath abounded toward us in all wisdom and prudence;

He just never come toward us, but He abounded toward us! Superabundantly running over in super abundance. He abounded toward us. ... *Break in tape*...

You say, "Well, I come to Christ. No, you never! You never come to Christ, He come to you! Well, you say, "I gave up this, I give up that." No, you didn't! You never done one thing, you never done nothing. By his grace, salvation is by the grace of God and the gift of God. He gave you a gift, you never done nothing to get it. It was a free gift, and that was faith. He gave you a Revelation upon the Word of God, and you're saved by that. Faith cometh by hearing, hearing by the Word of God.

### Romans 10:17-Reference quote:

17 So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

# Ephesians 2:8-9-Reference quote:

- 8 For by grace are ye saved through faith; and that not of yourselves: it is the gift of God:
- 9 Not of works, lest any man should boast.

How do you hear without a preacher? Is that right? Faith cometh by hearing, then your saved by faith. Ain't that wonderful! In other words, if you can believe the revealed Word of God today its because of the gift, he give you a gift. And that gift is your salvation. And you're not only saved by the blood, but you're kept saved every day by the blood.

#### Romans 10:14-Reference quote:

14 How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed? and how shall they believe in him of whom they have not heard? and how shall they hear without a preacher?

#### 1 Peter 1:5-Reference quote:

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

See, when you don't...when you make a little mistake, don't get all blowed up like it's the end of the world. You're gonna make mistakes as long as you're human. I mean when you're saved now, don't misunderstand, people went out and lived in fornication, they made a mistake. Now, I'm not talkin about that. See, you have to clarify things, because you cannot imagine how some people think.

Some preachers is supposed to be prophets, heard me preaching and I said, "Don't get your eyes upon the man." I said, "He may make a mistake, he may do something wrong. And God will just let that happen so you'll get your eyes off of it and stumble you. If you got your eyes on him. So, they took it...they took it that I meant that they could go out and run around with women. Honey, you don't know that Brother Lambert, you don't know Brother Lambert if you'd even think a thing like that, see. That's what they heard, that's what they believe. So, I had the elders escort that man out of this assembly and don't let him come back here no more. He's not welcome around here. We don't welcome no such stuff as that.

WE WANT A TESTIMONY THAT'S CLEAN AND PURE. WE WANT A CONGREGATION THAT'S WALKING WITH THE WORD OF GOD. Let me tell you something, there's people out here that love the Lord, and are lookin for something real and sincere. We may be an odd-like group and kinda funny like when you first meet us, but I tell you one thing, we live the life, WE LIVE THE LIFE! The ministry does, and the congregation that I know, lives the life. Now that's the proof of the pudding to me. It's not what you preach or what you say, BUT WHAT ARE YOU LIVIN'!

Why, the Baptist ain't livin what they're preachin. If they lived what the Baptist believed, they'd be do well, but they're not.

He's abounded towards us in all wisdom and prudence. In all, other words, in all practical manner. Ain't that wonderful that God abounded toward us. And then before the foundation of the world, He figured out all these practical things that needs to go with our salvation when He abounds toward us. In other words, He was tempted in all manner of sin like you're tempted. But He was tempted, but He was without sin, without spot, without blemish, and become the captain of our salvation, because He was made perfect. You ought to appreciate your Brother Jesus what He went through. We should pray, "Lord lead us not into temptation and deliver us from all temptation. Because He knows all about it.

#### *Hebrews 4:14-15-Reference quote:*

14 Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession.

15 For we have not an high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.

Now here is the verse I've been wanting to get to is verse nine.

#### *Ephesians 1:9-Scripture Reading;*

9 Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself:

"Having made known unto us the mystery of his will," Aw my! Brother Bingham is having another Benefit. "The mystery of His will, according to his good pleasure which He purposed in Himself." He has made known to us the mystery of His will, which he purposed in himself. Now, let's just look at this now. The mystery of his will! It's a mystery and it's hid. This great mystery has been hid from the foundation of the world.

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184 "Predestinated!" There's the mystery. He, before Christ or anything else was ever on earth, you see His great mystery, that He chose the Bride. Knowing Eve would fall, from disbelieving the Word, knowing that she would fall; BUT HE WOULD CHOOSE A BRIDE THAT WOULD NOT FALL, THAT WOULD HOLD TO THAT WORD REGARDLESS OF WHAT ALL THE REST OF THE WORLD HAD TO SAY ABOUT IT. THEY WOULD HOLD TO THAT WORD! THEY ARE PREDESTINATED TO STAND THERE, "THE ADOPTION OF CHILDREN BY JESUS CHRIST," PREDESTINATED THE CHURCH TO THAT GREAT, GLORIOUS STAND! 185 Now you see His secret? What to? To restore fallen **Eve**, as she was a prefigure of the Church. And now notice, as God opened up the side of Adam and took out Eve, by his own flesh and blood; and divided his spirit from masculine and feminish, to feminish, and put it in Eve. Took the rib from under his side, and made Eve out of it; so God did the same thing, taking out of the side of Christ, the Blood and the water. And Christ is the Word, and taking the Word and making up His Church, Eve; see, back to Himself again, redeemed by the Blood that was come from His Body. You see it now? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] 186 God's great mystery now being unfolded, that's been hid since the foundation of the world, but prefigured it all the way down through. Now watch, we find that, that He—that He did that. And here in Ephesians, and many other places, but that will give you enough to... Now, down through the ages, He has been slowly unfolding this mystery. Can you see now? Now, down through the... 187 How did He...? What happened in the prefigure now? He opened Adam's side and took part of his flesh, which was Adam, to make Eve. The Bride has to be the Word, for He is the Word. She cannot stand on creeds. She cannot stand on denomination. She cannot stand on good behavior. She has to stand alone on the Word, because She is part of It. She was taken from Christ. See? 188 And to be sure, that, the whole Rapture now: Luther was a part, Wesley was a part, the prophets was a part. If they're—aren't a part...Just in the revelation that they was making up, the body, feet, toes, arms, and so forth, until the Head (which we get to that in a few minutes), see, that makes the entire Rapture. It's the Body of the Word, which is Christ. Amen! 189 Outside of That, you're lost. I don't care how good you are, or what your relationship is, or what your fellowship is, or what your organization is, you're lost, outside of that Word being in you.

Now listen here, how's the Methodist, Presbyterian, and Pentecostals, and all the men that come out of the seminaries...Now listen, do you think the mystery of His will is gonna be revealed to the seminary? (No) Now come on. Do you think there's any seminary that can find out the mystery of His will? (No) Do you think there is any puffed up theologian that can find it? (No! Do you think there is a doctor of divinity, PHD, PLLD, can find it? (No) It is the mystery of His will, and it's got to be revealed!

Let me tell you something, did you know that seventy five percent of all the theologians, seventy five percent of all the ministers and all denominations reject any revelation? They don't believe in any Revelation. Why? Is because seminary can't teach Revelation, they teach some of the written Word, but they don't teach Revelation. Do you think that there's anybody in the

denominations, or in them great seminaries that is gonna be able to reveal the mystery of His will? Well, what is it that's gonna reveal the mystery of His will? He said, "He's gonna make it known to you." Now, this great Elohim, this great eternal one, had a hidden mystery and He never revealed it to nobody, not even the prophet. But he said, "He was gonna reveal it to you."

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489 It goes right by them, and they don't recognize it till it's gone. It only picks up the predestinated Seed that God predestinated before the foundation of the earth. The same thing come through in the days of Noah, same thing come through in the days of Moses, days of Elijah, days of the prophets, days of Jesus, on down through and to this very hour. The pregnated person with the Seed of God, the Word in there manifesting Itself, so surrendered to the will of God that the Word, and the Word alone, manifests Itself in this person, the prisoner, to an individual. 490 Not say, "My church..." Now, "my church" has nothing to do with it. 491 It's an individual, one person! All hell is against this Teaching. All hell is against this Truth, but it is the Truth. 492 Jesus never said, "Now, Peter, you and John, and all the rest the people, YOU'VE GOT THE REVELATION, NOW THE WHOLE CHURCH IS SAVED." No. 493 It was to him, personally. "I say unto thee, thee," not to them, "to thee, thou art Peter; upon this rock I'll build My Church." And the word Peter, means "a stone." Stone means "the confessed one," or, "the separated one." 494 Upon a certain stone, upon a certain thing; see, a called-out, the Church called out; upon this stone, UPON THIS "REVELATION." "Flesh and blood never revealed it to you. But upon this revelation, called-out group, I'll build My Church in them. And all the gates of hell will never be able to withstand it." 495 "Not one hair of your head shall perish. You are Mine! I'll raise you up in the last day, give unto him Eternal Life, and raise him up at the last days." THERE IT IS, THE REVELATION. Not them; but "him," an individual! Not a group; an individual! All hell is against it. 496 BUT HIS MYSTERY IS ONLY REVEALED TO HIS BELOVED BRIDE. THAT'S THE ONLY ONE COULD SEE IT.

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249 Notice, the end-time messenger, his job will be to get the saints ready, the Bride ready for the Bridegroom. That will be his Message. Now you want to learn ABC's so you can study algebra later? WHEN THESE OTHER SEALS ON THE BACK IS OPENED THEY'LL ONLY BE REVEALED TO THEM. That's right. Learn ABC first. What is ABC? "Always Believe Christ," (not your creed), Christ. See? Believe what He says, not what somebody else says.

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240 THE NEW BIRTH IS CHRIST, IS A REVELATION. GOD HAS REVEALED TO YOU THIS GREAT MYSTERY, AND THAT'S A NEW BIRTH. Now what are you going to do when you get all that group together, where the revelation is perfectly in harmony, and God expressing it through His Word by the same actions, the same things that He did, making the Word manifest! Oh, if the Church only knew its position! It will, one day. Then, the Rapture will go when it knows what it is. Now notice. 241 You say, "Brother Branham, but that—that ain't..." Oh, yes, it is, too. It is the Truth. 242 Did you notice? Paul never knew Jesus, physically. Paul never knew Him. THE ONLY WAY THAT PAUL KNEW HIM WAS BY A REVELATION, by a vision. Is that right? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] Paul only knew Jesus by the revelation, just like Peter did. 243 Peter had seen Him in flesh, but he didn't know Him by flesh, 'cause JESUS SAID SO. "FLESH AND BLOOD DIDN'T REVEAL IT TO YOU. EVEN MY OWN LIFE DIDN'T REVEAL IT TO YOU. BUT MY FATHER WHICH IS IN HEAVEN HAS REVEALED THE THING TO YOU," THAT HE IS THE WORD OF GOD, "AND UPON THIS ROCK I'LL BUILD MY CHURCH." PETER DIDN'T KNOW HIM BY FLESH. Man walked, and handled Him, and everything else.

Turn to your quickly in your Bibles to Deuteronomy 29:29.

How many believe in Revelation? Now, you can't get Revelation in some cemetery. You can't get Revelation by increasing your brain power in some Bible school. That ain't the way you get revelation. Why, you can get Revelation if you sign your name like this. They Said, "Why did you see the way, how he signed his name? Say, you know you ought to hear him preach."

Acts 4:13-Reference quote:

3 Now when they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.

Now look at Deuteronomy 29:29.

Deuteronomy 29:29-Scripture Reading;

29 The secret things belong unto the Lord our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children for ever, that we may do all the words of this law.

Said, "The secret things belong" unto who? I thought it belonged to the seminaries, belong to Doctor so and so. Huh! "The secret things belong unto the Lord." Now I want to ask you something, who is it now that's gonna go up there to bring Christ down? Now if the secret things belong unto the Lord, do you know anybody that can go up there and get them? (No) Well, if they belong to the Lord, there's gonna have be somebody can get them. I don't believe that you'll ever get it out of the cemetery, I mean seminaries! Do you? You know they need to change that to cemetery. Because that's a dead place. I never seen one person that come out of a seminary that wasn't dead. Well, I'm gonna tell it like it is. There ain't one preacher that ever come out of a seminary that was ever Born-Again. Yes sir! Amen! Yes sir! You say, "John Wesley and Finny." Yeah, and it took a couple of old women to tell them they wasn't saved yet too. I said, after they puffed their brain up after all them seminaries...oh I don't know what they call them things, you know. No what it is, it don't make no difference if you sign your name like that. It don't make no difference how ignorant and unlearned you are, IF YOU'LL JUST HUMBLE BEFORE THE LORD and have the right attitude. Now who is it see? "The secret things belong unto the Lord our God, the secret things." Now, you can read some of the things that belong to the Lord right here in the book. "But the secret things they belong to the Lord." But those things that are revealed, belong unto us. "But first the secret things belong to the Lord." But said, once they're revealed, they just belong to us and to our children.

You know Peter preached on the day of Pentecost a hundred and twenty came down drunk on the holy ghost after been up there in the wine cellar. Peter was givin all that wine up there. They just come out of there just drunk on it. Huh! Staggered out of there slobbering, all messed up. They had been eaten grapes up there you know! Come down there speaking in tongues, prophesying.

Speaking all... I'm trying to pick up a few words of Spanish, to preach to my Spanish brethren, you know. I'd like to talk to them. Daddy was over the house the other night, (*One of the older Spanish brothers in the church, Bro. Lambert called him daddy all the time*) I wanted to talk to him so bad. I couldn't talk to him. I had to get Brother Louie to tell him what I wanted him to know. But you know I thought, God if I just had what Peter had and them on the day of Pentecost. See!

Why, there they was a hundred and twenty people staggering around drunk on wine, drunk on the Holy Ghost. And there were fifteen nations there, speaking fifteen different languages, or more. And they got to prophesying; what was they doing? They was magnifying the Lord, telling him how great He was. Telling them what happen to them up in the upper room. Telling about the Lord Jesus being crucified. They was prophesying!

But they was speaking in other languages. They wasn't speaking in unknown...hear me now! They wasn't speaking in unknown tongue like Pentecost is. That ain't in the Bible! That ain't in the Bible! Do you know how Pentecost filled all...? Now here it is! Now don't get mad at me! Do you know why, how Pentecostal churches are so big in numbers today? How they fill all the churches up. That's the way they filled them up, by getting them down to the altar and raising their hands up and saying, "Ba, Ba, bah, Ba," "You got it, you got it." They filled the whole church full, they wasn't justified, they wasn't sanctified, and that's why they live them ole dirty, filthy lives. That's why a little sincere sister, when she walks in the back, where the preacher

was, and he reached out and tried...You know. Play around with ya, made love to you, and then got your heart broken, wonder if there's any Christians, or not. The reason why he did that... he might of spoke in tongues, but that ole soul is black as midnight. He never got Born-Again. Hear me now! None of the Pentecostals has ever found the New Birth yet. I talked to plenty of them, they crawl fish and back up, they can't stand up before the Word of God.

I ask a big Pentecostal preacher, he handed me a track, and I looked at it and it said, the initial evidence by speakin in unknown tongues, according to Acts 2:4. I said, "Preacher I wouldn't hand that out!" He said, "Why Brother Lambert?" I said, "Because there ain't one speck of truth in it." He said, "What do you mean?" I said, "Just what I said!" I said, "That ain't the way they got the Holy ghost on the day of Pentecost! They wasn't speaking in an unknown tongue, they were speakin in languages! There was no hope of Peter to get that message over, because he could only speak Galilean, and a little Hebrew." But there was some Germans out there. Huh! There was some Frenchmen out there, there was some Spaniards out there. Huh! There was probably all kinds of them out there. But that ignorant ole man didn't know all them languages. But listen, but he had deity tabernacled down in there. Huh!

Listen! Oh, here it comes I got to say it! Now listen. I tell ya, I just got say it, it'll take a little time. But did you know one time everybody had the same language? One time everybody had the same language, Listen now. Huh! And they was building a big tower into heaven and God came down who gave that and language. Huh! Listen to it. And He gave them all different languages. Amen. And that same God that gave them all a different language; when they got a different language, they were all scattered. Is that right!

Here we are running a rabbit again. Now you can't get that in homiletics. Huh!

#### Endnote:

Homiletics Explanation.

**Homiletics** means the art of preaching. **Homiletics** comprises the study of the composition and delivery of a sermon or other religious discourse. It includes all forms of preaching: sermons, homilies and catechetical instruction.

You can't get that in a seminary. IT COMES BY THE HOLY GHOST! Naw, they was building a big tower, and He scattered them, and He gave them all a different language. So, one would say, "Give me a brick," they couldn't say it. He just stammered around in a different language. Huh! So, they couldn't go on building that denomination, they had to stop building the building. They quit building the tower, because of the different languages.

Listen! Now, deity God almighty, that gave them languages, come down in a hundred and twenty and they went out there and begin to speak in other languages, as the spirit gave them utterance. And somebody cried out and said, "How is this?" Said, "How is this, this is a wonderful work here." Said, "Aren't these all ignorant and all unlearned men?" Said, "But how is it that we're hearing every man in their own language, wherein we were born, these are mighty wonderful works of God."

Pentecost said, "They spoke in another tongue, in an unknown tongue." "Aw now just keep praising him now, some of you workers come up and work with him now." That's right, work your way right into salvation. I can hear Peter now, "Keep your hand up Mary, it's alright Mary, just keep saying Jesus, Jesus, Jesus." Well now brother, don't get tired James, just keep praising

him. "Say Jehovah, Jehovah, Jehovah." (*Brother Lambert, mimics speaking in tongues.*) "You got it! Put him down a member."

Pentecost, Pentecost, THAT'S PLENTY CROSSED UP! And they say, "Oh Brother Lambert, we ain't never seen...?" Well, what are you gonna do about it? You never seen it before, but you're seeing it now. What are you gonna do about it? No, you ain't gonna do nothing about it because your gonna stay joined to that ole headquarter. Hanging on and damming all them souls. Don't you know that's frustrating, here they're suppose to have what they had on the day of Pentecost, and they're still running around lusting after women, living in fornication and adultery. Still slipping around smoking and speakin in tongues. Don't tell me, I've seen them do it!

I seen them get a boy that I was witnessing to, when I was young in the Lord. And they got him up there and said, "Some of you workers..." That's right! "You said the right thing, some of you workers work with him. And they worked with him about two hours and it was so hot and he got so sick to his stomach, they let him go outside...got so sick to his stomach and washed his mouth out and come back in. "Now don't give up now." Got him down there with his hands up in the air and told him to say, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Bah, bah" And finally he started speaking in tongues.

I said, "I'll watch this." I said, "If he's got God tabernacled down on the inside, he'll lay them cigarettes down. Because what I got, "It never picked up another cigarette again." No! I knew what I had was more ... righteous and live right.

And I watched him, and I made sure that I stayed with him everywhere he went. Well, there was one place I couldn't stay with him and when he come back, uh ha I smelled smoke. Anywhere you smell smoke, there's fire. So, I just made sure...I had an old Volkswagen, and we drove three hundred and twenty-eight miles before filling up. You know in about two hours he said, "Brother Bob, do you think we could stop? I said, "No I gotta get home." I just kept pourin it on! I said, "I got to see what this was." And boy the next thing you know, he started sweatin', he started sweatin. He said, "Brother Bob, don't you think we could stop and get some gas?" I said, "I don't need no gasoline." He said, "Maybe we should check the oil." "My oils alright! Press on!" He got nervous, got fidgety.

Now, he just had a glorious experience last night, he spoke in tongues for an hour and everybody praised God. And he said, "Ain't that wonderful Brother Bob? You brought me up here and I got filled with the Holy Ghost!" I said, "It's truly wonderful! He sure was needful of it

And I couldn't understand that all night long. I kept thinking that wasn't the way they got it on the day of Pentecost. Where was the sound from heaven? Where was the lick of fire? I never seen no lick of fire! Well, if that part of it is true, ain't the rest of it true? HOW MUCH OF THIS OF GOD? (*Brother Lambert holds up his bible*) IT'S ALL GOD! And they say, "Oh, Brother Bob is looking for another Pentecost." I'VE NEVER SEEN ONE YET. I ain't never seen no Pentecost like was in the Bible. There's been no people that ever heard the sound from heaven like a rushing mighty wind. Tongues of fire sitting upon each one of them, and they all went out with the same mind in one accord, one doctrine that filled the earth with it. The power of God raising the dead and all them things. It has not been!

Acts 2:1-4-Reference quote:

1 And when the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.

- 2 And suddenly there came **a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind**, and it filled all the house where they were sitting.
- 3 And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.
- 4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Aw He said, "Now Brother Bob, we just gotta stop!" "No, we ain't gotta stop and right on I went. The next thing you know he got frantic! Boy next thing you know, he doused his hand and got one (*cigarette*) out! Just what I wanted to see! And boy that nicotine devil was just going to town! "Great Holy Ghost you got," I said, "Brother, you got the holy ghost last night! Has that Holy Ghost turned into a dirty Ghost?" You must be Born-Again!

What's the use of coming up trying to get that great power of almighty God to work great signs, wonders and miracles, and all them things, when you don't have nothing down in your soul? YOU MUST BE BORN-AGAIN! Not some Baptist hybrid denominational seed, but you got to be Born of the Unadulterated Revealed Word of God. That's what they had on the day of Pentecost.

Now one day we're all gonna get the language back! Amen! You won't have to...I won't have to study Spanish, I won't have to study German, I won't have to study this. When there's a need for it, they'll hear me in their own language where they were born. Huh! How many believe that? I do, I believe it! Yes sir! They had deity tabernacled in human flesh.

Now the secret things belong unto the Lord, but when they're revealed, they only belong unto us, that's elected! Is that right? The secret things belong to the Lord, but when they're revealed, they just belong to us. Now, I wanna ask you something. How does He reveal His secrets? What? How many would like to know how He reveals His secrets? (Amen) The Bible said, that the Word of God is of no private interpretation. Is that right? (Amen) But said, "God will do nothing, Amos 3:7 until first He reveals it to the prophets." Now notice, if the little Bride is gonna know the mystery of his will, and He don't do nothing till first He reveals it. But if He reveals it belongs to us then. "God will do nothing except first He revealeth to his servants, the prophets."

#### 2 Peter 1:20-Reference quote:

Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. But said, God will do nothing, until He first reveals His secrets to his prophets.

#### *Amos 3:7-Reference quote:*

Surely the Lord GOD will do nothing, but he revealeth His secret unto His servants the prophets."

Did you know that there's not-a denomination that ever produced a prophet? So, called, Pentecost has never produced... oh produced a lot of false prophets. Tell you anything you wanna hear, just to get that money boy. Loose that money out of that billfold. Lie, do anything. Oh, they think, the God of this world if it ain't sex, it's sure money. Then the next is God.

No. He said, He would reveal His secrets to His servants, the prophets. Now notice here, we're living in the day of an eagle anointing. There was only four anointing's to them Church Ages, but last beast power, was AN EAGLE. And the Bride is likin unto eaglets. We've got to have prophets of God back upon the earth today. Now notice here, if the secrets belong to the

Lord, the mysteries belong to the Lord, then when He reveals it, then it belongs to us. My Lord! Why? And see why? Why is He revealing it to us so you can do all of his Word he said, all of his Word. See!

Now, the disciples came to Jesus and said unto him, why speaketh thou to them in parables? Well, He said..." He answered and said unto them, because it is given unto you to know the mysteries." He said, "To them without it is not given."

# Matthew 13:11-Scripture Reading;

"He answered and said unto them, because it is given unto you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it is not given."

#### 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.)

In other words, how did the early church find out the mystery of his will for that day? He appeared in a pillar of fire to Paul on the way to Damascus. And He laid in there fasting three days and three nights about this. And a little brother come down and laid his hands upon him, and you know that. And then what did he do? Did he go out in his ministry? No! Did He go down to the apostles, down in Jerusalem. (No!) Did he go ask somebody what happen to him? (No!) No, he went into the wilderness. He went over into Arabia and rented him a little house over there. And he got over there and got all the tapes huh, and all of the books. Huh! You know what I'm talking about. Huh! And he looked and seen what all the prophets said about that, and then He come out of there three years later with the MYSTERY OF HIS WILL. Come out with the mystery of His will.

Now turn over in Colossians real quick. Oh, this is beautiful! Now just think if you could find the mystery of His will. Colossians 1:24. Look ole Paul what he's talking about.

#### Colossians 1:24-27-Scripture Reading;

- 24 Who now rejoice in my sufferings for you, and fill up that which is behind of the afflictions of Christ in my flesh for his body's sake, which is the church:
- 25 Whereof I am made a minister, according to the dispensation of God which is given to me for you, to fulfil the word of God;
- 26 Even the mystery [Here it is now] which hath been hid from ages and from generations, but now is made manifest to his saints: [First was a mystery but now the mystery was revealed to the

prophet Paul and now he's coming to us! Them back there see. And is gonna reveal this mystery to you. In other words, he's gonna tell you what was the love and secret of Elohim before the world was ever created, what that secret was. No what is it?]

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:

Think about that! Then this mystery...Said, "That you might know the mystery of his will." Is that right? Every elected child of God that's gonna go in the rapture has got to find out the mystery of His will for her life and his life. And that'll be known how through a prophetic ministry.

Now a lot of people think; well, a prophet that's somebody that sees a vision and tells you all secret things about you. Aw, a true prophet is a man that's got the Word lined out right. Of course, the other things is part of it, but the main thing is he has the revealed Word of God for the hour he's livin in. Then, if there's any mystery that's gonna be made known, it'll be known to a prophet. That's why a prophet can't go to some seminary or some denomination. He's got to come out of the presence of the Lord. Let me tell you something, when you find a genuine prophet, you'll find the genuine presence of the Lord. Yes Sir!

How did Paul understand the mystery? Now, by going down talking to the apostles? He never went down and asked Peter what he thought what happened to him. He never asked James or John. No, he went to the wilderness and rented him a house and stayed in there, and when he saw that mystery by the Revelation of God, he come down to Damascus and preached Christ...preached Christ straight way. Preached Christ straight way. So, what... so what ought we be preaching today? We ought to be preaching Christ in you, Christ in you. Not speakin in tongues, not prophesying, but Christ in you the hope of Glory! How many want the Glory of God? (Amen) Christ in you the hope of Glory. He never went down there to some seminary and to the apostles, and all that, he went into Arabia three years. Reading the prophets, all them scrolls of the prophets and he come out with a Revelation of His will, and he went and preached it to the saints. Brother, he preached it so straight and caused such a stir that they had to let him over a wall in a basket. That's right!

Endnote: 49-1225 - The Deity Of Jesus Christ William Marrion Branham

78 But, oh, my, we've stood on that Rock, that's True, unto the baptism of the Holy Ghost, and now the power of Almighty God is formed in the church, coming forth. Hallelujah! I'm looking for when God is going to shake the whole thing, everywhere. Brother, it's already in session right now. It's going on. That's right. 79 The Deity of Him. Who is He? Some of them makes Him a little baby back there. He is the One that stood on the invisible, oh, my, platform, raked out His hands, and spoke and said, "Let there be light," and there was light. That was Jesus Christ. "For He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world recognized Him not." He was...He is the Deity of God. Look what He did back there. Talk about the miraculous back there; you talk about shouting? When He performed the miraculous things, to make things which are now, out of things which was not, He spoke and it was so. 80 And that same Power, that same Christ! Hallelujah! Let the fundamentalists, let them people who deny the Power of

God, say It's wrong, but that same Power that spoke the world into existence is in those people that's got the Holy Ghost. That's right. Men and women, it's time that we found out who you are. The devil is trying to hide you back, tell you that you're some little cowed-down something. You're not. YOU ARE SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF GOD. THE DEITY IS NOT IN HEAVEN; IT'S IN YOU. Hallelujah! I know you think I'm crazy, but let me tell you something, brother. [Brother Branham knocks on the pulpit three times—Ed.] WHEN YOU REALIZE THAT ALMIGHTY GOD LIVES IN YOU; IMMORTAL LIFE, "MY LIFE I GIVE, ZOE." THE LIFE OF GOD IS IN THE HUMAN BEING. 81 He stood back there, He's the Creator of all things. He made life; frogs, oh, bees, ducks, chickens, animals, created everything. "And nothing was made but what was made by Him." Who? Christ, the Deity! "He brought down plagues, and everything in the days of Egypt." Who? Christ! "He stopped the—the mouths of lion. He quenched the violence of fire. They escaped the edge of the sword. They raised the dead from the grave." Who? Christ! Oh, my, what will it be! Who is He? Christ, the <u>Deity!</u> 82 And, brother, sister, that Deity is in you. "A little while and the world seeth Me no more. Yet you shall see Me, for I'll be with you, even in you, to the end of the age." Christ in the manger? No. Christ in you! Hallelujah! We're not worshipping Christ in the manger, BUT CHRIST IN YOU, THE HOLY GHOST, THE HOPE OF LIFE, HALLELUJAH, THE CREATOR, GOD HIMSELF DWELLING IN THE HUMAN BEING. "It doth not yet appear what we shall be, but we'll see Him as He is." For we'll be made like Him, the Spirit in the human being.

Brother, I tell you one thing...I tell you one thing, when this Bride gets what they did on the day of Pentecost they gonna have to let some of you down over a wall in a basket. How many say Amen! (Amen) You know we come to church a lot different than ole Paul. Can't you see ole Paul comin' to church, come in had his blue suede suit tore off his back, cut down to the bone, blood all over himself, eyes black, knots on his head from being stoned. They said, "Oh, pastor what happened to you this morning? He said, "Oh I just got thirty-eight stripes, thirty-nine stripes, save one, was stoned on the way to church this morning." Well, he wasn't a fellow to run around with, was he? Nobody liked Paul.

Let me tell you, one of these days when the Bride of Christ gets anointed by the power of the Holy Ghost, you're gonna be seekin' to be let down over a wall in a basket, running from these old denominations, don't think you won't. How many believe that? Now we can come to church without our coat being tore off, without being stoned, without being beaten with thirty-nine stripes, save on, but that day will change.

Alright! Now see this mystery. "The mystery had been made known unto us, the mystery of His will according to His good pleasure." Now it's His good pleasure that He purposed unto Himself. He's gonna make known to you the mystery of His will.

#### *Ephesians 1:9-Reference quote:*

9 Having made known unto us the mystery of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself:

Now let's just go real slow and talk about something just a few minutes before we close.

Now notice here, the mystery of His will was sealed up. How many's ever read in the fifth chapter of Revelation where the book was sealed with seven seals, on the backside it was sealed up.

# Revelation 5:1-Reference quote:

I And I saw in the right hand of him that sat on the throne a book written within and on the backside, sealed with seven seals.

Now notice here, the book was sealed up. Could any denominations take the seals off of the book? (No) Was they any man in heaven or in earth worthy to loose the seals? (No)

#### *Revelation 5:2-3-Reference quote:*

- 2 And I saw a strong angel proclaiming with a loud voice, Who is worthy to open the book, and to loose the seals thereof?
- 3 And no man in heaven, nor in earth, neither under the earth, was able to open the book, neither to look thereon.

But now notice, his mystery is hid, but it's to be revealed. Is that right? (Amen) Now notice here the Seventh church of the Seventh last Church Age... read it in your bible. The last Church age was Laodicea, and they put the Son of God, not the Son of Man, they put the Son of God on the outside.

# *Revelation 3:13-20-Reference quote:*

- 13 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.
- 14 And unto the angel of **the church of the Laodiceans** write; These things saith the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of the creation of God;
- 15 I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot.
- 16 So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.
- 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.
- 19 As many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and **repent**.
- 20 **Behold, I stand at the door, and knock**: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

#### Endnote:

64-0614M - The Unveiling Of God William Marrion Branham

68 Notice now, He came first as the Prophet, and they crucified Him. His Own crucified Him. He came as the Son of man. 69 THEN AFTER THE HOLY SPIRIT CAME, HE WAS THEN THE SON OF GOD. GOD IS A SPIRIT. HE WAS THE HOLY SPIRIT, SON OF GOD. HE

LIVED THROUGH THE CHURCH AGES AS SON OF GOD. 70 Now, in the Millennium, He'll be Son of David, sitting upon the Throne of His father, David. He is the Son of David, now. 71 AND, REMEMBER, BETWEEN THE SON OF GOD...IN THE LAODICEA CHURCH AGE, THEY PUT HIM OUT. AND IN LUKE, HE SAID HE WOULD BE REVEALED AGAIN AS SON OF MAN, THE PROPHET, FULFILLING THE REST OF IT. See? The Scriptures tie perfectly together. Son of man, Son of God, Son of David. What was it? IT'S THE SAME GOD ALL THE TIME, JUST CHANGING HIS FORM, EN MORPHE. HE JUST CHANGE IT. IT'S A GREAT DRAMA TO HIM. HE IS ACTING IT OUT. 72 HE CAME AS SON OF MAN, THE PROPHET. Done exactly. Even that little woman in all of her sin, there at the well, she recognized Him. She said, "We know the Messiah is coming, which is called the Christ, that's what He'll do." See, she recognized because she was a predestinated Seed. Then she... WHERE, THE REST OF THEM DIDN'T RECOGNIZE IT. THEY HAD NOTHING TO RECOGNIZE WITH. THEY WERE IN SIN, TO BEGIN WITH. 73 FOR, FOR HIS ACTS, HE CHANGES HIS FORM. THEN HE CAME THE FORM OF SON OF MAN.

Endnote: 61-0410 - Conferences William Marrion Branham

82 Oh, as we see these things approaching we ought to be on our knees crying out, "O Lord Jesus, do something for us right away." We might try to pull the last person that can be brought into the kingdom of God; pooling ourselves together and having conferences and meetings and get together in prayer meetings all night long. The trouble with the church tonight, we just go and kneel down, and pray and yawn a few times, are sleepy and tired, and have to go home and go to bed. 83 It isn't like the early Pentecostal church. They prayed all day and all night. I met these old timers from forty years ago, said they'd pray all day and all night, walk on the streets. TODAY WE BECOME CLASSICAL AND WANT TO COMPARE WITH THE BIG CHURCHES, AND THAT'S WHERE WE MAKE OUR MISTAKES. I—I tell you, the church was in better order forty years ago for the Coming of the Lord than it is tonight, BECAUSE WE ARE THE LAODICEAN CHURCH, WE REALIZE THAT THIS IS THE AGE WE'RE LIVING IN. AND THAT WAS THE ONLY CHURCH THAT JESUS WAS FOUND OUTSIDE HIS OWN CHURCH KNOCKING ON THE DOOR, TRYING TO GET BACK IN HIS OWN CHURCH. 84 Our differences has turned Him away, our separation of brotherhood, and the way that we've went after the things of the world instead of things of God. We ought to have been plumb into Canaan's land, and here we are in the wilderness, wandering around, and around again, just like they did back there. WE SHOULD BE HAVING ALL KINDS OF GIFTS, SIGNS AND WONDERS IN OUR CHURCHES. Instead of that, God can raise up something, and then we all get scared of it and walk away, and say we don't understand these things. 85 What do you think they done in that wilderness for forty years, walking around, and around over the same old grounds? We've took Acts 2:4, Acts 2:4, Acts 2:4; we've run it to death.

Endnote: 61-0806 - The Seventieth Week Of Daniel William Marrion Branham

This person that was to come forth, this Message, rather, that was to come forth, was to be like Elijah. Elijah was to come three times. Now you say, that, "John the Baptist was that guy." If you notice, Jesus said it was John the Baptist was the messenger of Malachi 3, not Malachi 4. "BEHOLD, I SEND MY MESSENGER BEFORE MY FACE." I think Matthew 11:6, right down along in there you'll find it, Matthew the 11th chapter. 147 Now, but in this last days, there is to come a Spirit of Elijah amongst the people, and he is to do the same thing that they did back there. His nature would be the same thing, the nature of the Church. The nature of the—the person would be exactly the same thing. AND THAT MESSAGE GOING OUT, TRY...HE **WOULD BE HATED, WITH THE PEOPLE**. He would hate women, ornery ones, anyhow, bad ones. Love the wilderness; moody, upset guy all the time, like Elijah was, and like John was. And we've seen all this thing come to pass. If we have had the Message, WE SEE CHRIST **REJECTED.** You have to belong to one of these organizations or **YOU CAN'T GET INTO** THEM. SO, HE, HE IS THROWED ON THE OUTSIDE. See? CHRIST CAN'T WORK AMONG THEM. "What are you?" "A Christian." "What denomination you belong to?" "I don't belong to any." "We can't use you." 148 See, He's rejected. Right! See, rejected! So was **Elijah rejected**, and so was **John rejected**. But, what, did it hurt them? Did it hurt their message? They said, "Oh, you stiffnecks." They poured it on them. They didn't pull any punches. They went right ahead. AND GOD'S MESSAGE WILL MOVE RIGHT ON, **REGARDLESS OF WHAT ANYBODY SAID,** see, till the consummation, and when the ... that which is determined shall be poured out. And we're at the end.

Now, you know how I teach on that. But now this is a marvelous Revelation children, if you can see it, if you're here and never heard it before.

Did you know why that we were all baptized wrong, in names of titles father, Son, and Holy Ghost? Do you know why we're all believed in three persons in the Godhead? There's not a person here in this church that didn't believe that at one time or other. Let's see your hands. Do you know why you believe in one God now? Well, course they say, "Well, you're an ole Jesus only." There's only one up there, it's Jesus. See, His name is both father, Son, and Holy ghost, He's the Lord Jesus Christ! I'm a father, I'm a son, I'm a spirit, and I'm one person. And God is one person. He's the father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost, these three are one. See, is that right? (Amen) Not three persons, not three Gods, if it is, WE'RE ALL IDOLATERS. But the reason why we believed in three persons in the Godhead, the reason why we were baptized in titles, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, is because of the anointing of the age. There's only three names that God came in, He came in the name of the Son of God, the Son of David, and the Son of Man.

Endnote: 65-0426 - Proving His Word William Marrion Branham

126 As I said the other night, He come in three names; the name of the Son of God, Son of man, and Son of David. 127 When He was on earth here, THE FIRST TIME, HE WAS THE **SON OF MAN.** He could not be Son of God then; He never claimed to be. He said He was "Son of man." When anybody would question Him, He said, "You see the Son of man; the Son of man." Now, "Son of man" is a prophet. He had to come that way, because, the Scripture, He cannot come contrary to the Scripture. 128 That's why, today, that our—our Message of this hour cannot come through theologians and theology, it's got to come back to the same thing it promised to do. It must be that way. 129 So we find that, in this Man, He had to be a prophet. Not Son of God there, He had to be Son of man. Jehovah Himself called the prophets, Jeremiah and them, "Son of man." "When you see the Son of man..." "Who is the Son of man?" they kept asking. 130 Then, He served His office as Son of man. THEN HE SERVED HIS OFFICE <u>NOW</u> AS <u>SON OF GOD</u>. GOD IS A SPIRIT, AND WHEN NOW HE SERVED <u>THROUGH</u> **THE CHURCH AGES, AS SON OF GOD**. Now, in the Millennium, He'll be Son of David, when He sits on the throne of David. He'll be heir to the throne, Son of David. Son of man, Son of God, Son of David, and it's the same Man all the time. 131 Just like Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; the office of God. He was God the Father, then He became God the Son, now He is God the Holy Ghost. Not three Gods; one God, three manifestation, three attributes of the same God. 132 Now we find, and in this hour that we're now living, God keeps His Word just the same as He did then.

Now notice, He was revealed as the Son of God during the Church Ages, that's why that they thought He was three, Son of God. The Son and God the father and the son that makes two and the holy ghost, the dove, makes three. That's why when the Catholics got that picture of three persons you know. God the father with great the long beard. Pentecost has got it hanging up to. God the father, with the great long beard, little son Jesus, and the Holy Ghost the dove. (Congregation laughs) That's right, because He was revealed during the Church Ages as Son of God.

I thought he was, I thought he was. When I first met Him, I met Jesus, Jesus was the one that talked to me you know, when He appeared to me. And I'd talk to Jesus, then I'd call him father then I'd separate the father here and then I'd talk to Jesus awhile then I'd talked to the father, and it confused me. I'd say, "Lord, it's confusing." And I met a little brother said, "How ya been baptized?" After church you know. I said, "I was baptized in water." "Why I mean what, how was you baptized? "Oh, in water a preacher baptized me in the water, I was just a few days old in the Lord, you know." He said, "Brother Lambert, what did the preacher say over you?" "What did he say over me?" "Well," I said, "He baptized me in the name of the father, in the name of the Son and in the name of the Holy Ghost, for the remission of sins." And he smiled, and about five others smiled, this one quoted four or five scriptures, and this one quoted four or five scriptures and that one quoted four or five. And they had me surrounded, and I didn't have no scripture but Matthew 28:19. And they tore that to smithereens.

*Matthew 28:19-Reference quote:* 

19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

And they said, "Brother Lambert you got to be baptized over again in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ." I said, "I do?" "You want us to baptize you?" I said, "No, I got to go see this in the Word first."

#### Acts 2:38-Reference quote:

38 Then Peter said unto them, Repent, <u>and be baptized every one of you in the NAME OF</u> <u>JESUS CHRIST</u> for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

So, I went home and asked my wife. I said, "Do you believe there's a father God, and a son God too, Shirley?" She said, "Honey, I'll have to think about that awhile." Why I said, "I met somebody that told me I was baptized wrong and I gotta be baptized over again." Man, I went in and got in my Bible, and when I got to lookin in the Bible, I said, "Well Lord, here's Peter baptized five thousand in one day in the Lord Jesus Christ. And here he went up to another place in the eighth chapter of Acts, and baptized a bunch more in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Philip went up to Samaria and baptized them in the name of Jesus Christ. I couldn't find nobody in the New Testament church that was baptized in any other way. So, I called the brother up and I said, "Look, take me down and bury me in the name of the precious Lord Jesus Christ because He is both, Father Son and Holy ghost! Yeah, and I got baptized in the name of Lord Jesus Christ.

But see, he's not just Jesus now, I didn't get baptized just in the name of Jesus, see. But I got baptized in the name of the LORD, JESUS CHRIST! Because He was the LORD. He was ELOHIM, tabernacled in a body called, JESUS! Huh! AND HE WAS CHRIST, THE ANOINTED WORD OF GOD! There's not a name given under heaven whereby men and women must be saved, but in the name of the LORD Jesus Christ. And his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, All Mighty God, Everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

#### *Acts 4:10-12-Reference quote:*

- 10 Be it known unto you all, and to all the people of Israel, that by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even by him doth this man stand here before you whole.
- 11 This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner.
- 12 Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is none other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.

#### *Isaiah 9:6-Reference quote:*

6 For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.

And he told Mary and that Holy thing that which shall be born of thee thou shalt call his name Jesus! He shall save his people from their sins.

# *Matthew 1:21-Reference quote:*

21 And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.

# *Luke 1:35-Reference quote:*

35 And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.

No, the reason why we were all baptized in water wrong, baptized in the spirit wrong, is because God...God anointing through the Church Ages was a Son of God! Now you can't get out of that, there's only three anointing's that came to the Church Ages. Let's say it, Son of God, Son of David, Son of Man. Now what's Son of Man, what is son of man? A Prophet! The Bride is to have a prophetic anointing. What is a prophet? God tabernacled in human flesh! Is that right? (Amen) And that's the Son of Man anointing, that's a oneness.

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235 Now, we say He's raised from the dead. I didn't say it, the Word here said it. They said, "He raised from the dead." He says He's the same yesterday, and forever. You believe that? <u>He</u> promised these things to happen in the last day, that the same Son of man will be made manifest. 236 Now, remember, that was not Jesus talking to Abraham there, that could discern the thoughts in Sarah's mind behind Him. That was not Jesus, He had not yet been born. But it was a Man in human flesh, that Abraham called "Elohim, the great Almighty." Showing...And Jesus said, "As it was in the days of Sodom," now watch close, "IN THE DAYS OF SODOM, SO WILL IT BE AT THE COMING OF THE SON OF MAN, WHEN THE SON OF MAN IS BEING REVEALED." Not no more as a church, see, not no more; the Bride is called, see. "In that day the Son of man will be revealed." What? To join the Church to the Head, unite, the marriage of the Bride. THE BRIDEGROOM CALL WILL COME RIGHT THROUGH THIS, WHEN THE SON OF MAN WILL COME DOWN AND COME IN HUMAN FLESH TO UNITE THE TWO TOGETHER. The Church has to be the Word, He is the Word, and THE TWO UNITES TOGETHER, and, to do that, IT'LL TAKE THE MANIFESTATION OF THE REVEALING OF THE SON OF MAN. Not a clergyman. I—I don't know, I...Do you see what I mean? See, IT'S SON OF MAN, JESUS CHRIST, WILL COME DOWN IN HUMAN FLESH AMONG US, AND WILL MAKE HIS WORD SO REAL THAT IT'LL UNITE THE CHURCH AND HIM AS ONE, THE BRIDE, and then She'll go Home to the Wedding Supper.

In other words, in that day when the Son of Man is revealed, you'll know the mystery of His will and it'll be just for you. "And in that day, you'll know that the fathers in me, and I'm in the father and the fathers in me, and I in you and you in me" and "the works that I do shall you do also." Now, when you get indwelling Christ in you, you're gonna have three persons inside of you? (No) Huh! When you get the in-dwelling Holy Ghost are you gonna have three persons in you? You have the father God in there, the Holy ghost, and Jesus. Huh! I ask you something when you pray, who do you pray to? Aren't you always saying, "I love you Jesus? I love you Jesus!" Everything is done in Jesus name. "Whatever you do in word or deed, do it all in the name of Jesus."

## John 14:20-Reference quote:

20 At that day ye shall know that I am in my Father, and ye in me, and I in you.

## John 14:12-Reference quote:

12 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.

## Colossians 3:17-Reference quote:

17 And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him.

But see in this end-time we are to receive a Son of Man anointing. Oh, children if you could see that Revelation of God. Son of Man being revealed in the end- time see, the mystery of His will see to be revealed. When? Now listen! When is the mystery of His will to be revealed? In the fifth church age, the sixth church age, the seventh church age. But at the end of the seventh church age, the Son of God is put on the outside knocking trying to get back in. They put the Son of God on the outside. Deity stands there as the Son of Man, then the seven seals are taken off the book.

Alright now just a minute in closing. Wasn't it a book of redemption? Wasn't it sealed up by seven-seals? Then the mystery of his will was sealed up wasn't it! So, at the end of the Seven Church Ages, He's standing on the outside, now He turns takes the seals off the book. Now notice first it's a book of redemption. So, at the end of the Seven Church Ages, He's standing on the outside, now He comes takes the seals off the book. Now first it's a book of redemption, redemption is restoration salvation and deliverance. Now listen, to what I'm sayin, the seven church ages did not find out they probed at salvation, they probed at the mystery. And they found out a little bit about it.

But in the Seven Church Age, He's put on the outside. And then we go out of the ages out of the dispensation and we step over into a new day, a new thing, the Bride age! There He stands, in the Son of Man with the book open in his hand and now He's revealing the contents of the book, which is all about how to be redeemed, how to understand the mystery of His will!

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19 The junction! God, always, before these great junctions comes, or ending off time, where HE STARTS SOMETHING NEW, junctions with the old, to the new, with one dispensation to another, He always shows forth His Power. Man, through the ages, always breaks down, and teaches away, and explains away, and gets away from the real living God. But, just before He junctions and enters a new dispensation, He appears on the scene, with great miraculous signs and wonders. He has always done it. 20 Look at the first destruction of the world, the first junction. After the world was formed, and God placed man on earth, the Bible said that they begin to build cities, great building programs went on in the world. 21 Look at it today. Jesus plainly said, "As it was in the days of Noah, so will it be in the Coming of the Son of man." Same thing.

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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 avindicated 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 prophesving 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.

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133 Remember, the Seven Seals was finished, and when those seven revealed Truths... 134 ONE **OF THEM, HE WOULDN'T PERMIT US TO KNOW**. We...How many was here at the Seven Seals, and heard? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] All of you, I guess. SEE, THE—THE SEVENTH SEAL, HE WOULDN'T PERMIT IT. 135 He stood right there in the room and revealed every one of them. And if I ever preached anything in my life, was inspired, it was that. And it ought to be true, to you. Stand here and tell you that it's going to happen, and go right there, and even science and everything else, the scientific research and everything, mystery to the people, proved that it happened right there. And come right back and hear it unfold, and make every Word exactly right. What day are we living? Where we at? 136 And remember, in that Sixth Seal, where, all Seven Trumpets sounds under that Sixth Seal. When we get to that, you'll see that. Every (seven) Trumpet took place in that Sixth Seal. 137 **THE SEVEN IS** <u>ALWAYS THE MYSTERY. WATCH THAT SEVEN, THAT'S THE FINISH. THAT WAS</u> THE COMING OF THE LORD. HEAVEN WAS QUIET, SILENT, NOBODY MOVED. Because, Jesus said Himself, "Not even an Angel of Heaven knows when I will return. I DON'T EVEN KNOW IT, MYSELF, what time. The Father has put that in His mind." God alone knows it, the Spirit. SAID, "I DIDN'T KNOW IT." THEN, IT WASN'T REVEALED. When that Seventh Trumpet sounded...or the SEVENTH ANGEL, a—a Seal was opened, then there was silence in the Heaven. See, <u>IT WASN'T GIVE AWAY, WHAT WOULD TAKE PLACE</u>. 138 But under the Sixth Seal, where these Trumpets opened, remember, under there, WE FIND OUT THAT THE LAMB CAME FORTH, APPEARED ON THE SCENE. He had left the Mercy Seat. His work of redemption was finished. And HE CAME FORTH AND TOOK THE BOOK OUT OF THE RIGHT HAND OF HIM THAT SAT UPON THE THRONE, AND "TIME WAS NO MORE." And immediately an angel appeared in the seventh chapter, or the 10th chapter and the 7th verse, saying...This Angel come down and swore, that, "time was no longer." 139 But, you see, in this Book was what was redeemed. It was the Book of Redemption. And everything that He had redeemed was written in that Book. All that He died for was written in the Book, and He could not leave His mediatorial Seat until He had thoroughly redeemed. AND HE COULDN'T REDEEM IT AT THE CROSS, because they were predestinated in the Lamb's Book of Life, and He had to stay on There to make intercessions until that last person was finished. Glory! 140 BUT ONE DAY HE ROSE FROM THERE, COME FORTH. Where was the Book at? It was still in the abstract Owner, God Almighty. And John looked around, and he wept, because there was no man even worthy to look on the Book and, especially, open THE SEALS, TO REVEAL WHAT THE HIDDEN MYSTERY was. 141 The mysteries was in the Seven Seals. When these Seven Seals was opened, that opened up the entire Bible. The Seven Seals; It was sealed with Seven Mysteries, and in THESE SEVEN SEALS HELD THE ENTIRE MYSTERY OF IT. AND IT WAS THE BOOK OF REDEMPTION, New Testament. 142 Not the Old. IT ONLY PROCLAIMED FOR THE NEW Testament. "THEY HAVE BEEN MADE...CANNOT BE MADE PERFECT WITHOUT US," Hebrews 11. See? See? Now, the REDEMPTION ONLY COME WHEN THE REDEEMER DIED. And they were potentially under the blood of lambs, not the Redeemer; hadn't been redeemed yet, until the Redeemer came. 143 Notice now when this

Redeemer...John looked around, and here sat God on the Throne, with the Book in His hand, that had been sealed with Seven Seals, and the whole plan of redemption was in It. 144 And It had been lost by the human race, Adam. And God...It went back where? Satan couldn't take It; he just caused him to lose It. But where did the Book go to then? Didn't belong to the human race. The blessings didn't belong here; here the human race had lost It. So It went right on back to Its original Owner, that was God. 145 Here He set with It, and **HE CALLED FOR SOME** MAN, SOMEBODY, TO COME AND CLAIM IT. 146 John looked around, and there was no man in Heaven, no man on earth, nobody, no Angel, nothing could take the Book or to loose the Seals, or to even to look on It. No man was worthy. John said he wept bitterly. 147 Then an Angel came to him, said, "Weep not, John, for the LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH HAS PREVAILED, AND HE IS WORTHY." 148 And John looked to see a lamb...or see a lion, and what did he find? A LAMB, AND IT WAS A BLOODY LAMB, A LAMB THAT HAD BEEN SLAIN. How long? Since the foundation of the world. 149 The Lamb came forth, walked up to Him that had the Book in His right hand, and received the Book; climbed up on the Throne and sat down. That's it. It was over (when?) when the Seals was revealed. When the last one, that was everything that He had redeemed, there was nothing... HE COME TO REDEEM. 150 Say, "Why didn't He redeem them forty years ago? Two thousand years ago?" 151 See, their names are on the Book of Life, in that Book. And He had to stand here, because it was God's purpose to redeem them. Their names were put on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world. THE LAMB WAS PUT THERE WITH IT, TO BE SLAIN. HERE COME THE LAMB, WHEN WAS SLAIN, COME BACK to make intercessions. 152 Watch Him! There'll be a lot of impersonation, lot of everything else, but there was really somebody was going to be saved, for He... The Church was predestinated to be without spot or wrinkle. She is going to be there. And THE LAMB DIED FOR THAT PURPOSE. And then when the last name on that Book was redeemed, THE LAMB CAME FORTH AND TOOK THE BOOK, "I'M THE ONE THAT DID IT!" 153 The Angels, the Cherubims, the four and twenty Elders, the Beasts, everything, uncrowned themselves, fell down before the Throne, and said, "Worthy art Thou!" 154 John said, "Everything in Heaven and earth heard me hollering, 'Amen,' screaming, 'Hallelujah,' and praises to God.'' The scream went up. Why? **THEIR** NAMES WAS IN THAT BOOK, TO BE REVEALED, AND THE LAMB HAD REVEALED IT. 155 THE LAMB HAD REDEEMED IT, but He could not come forth until every name was revealed, and that was taking place under the Sixth Seal, before the Seventh broke. Then the spotless...Then the Lamb came for what He had redeemed. He come to claim what He had redeemed. He's already got it, right here in the Book, taken It from His hand. Now He's coming to receive what He has redeemed. That's His work. He's done. He's come to receive it. Oh, what a—what a time! Has proven it, the Seventh Seal proved it. Come back and took the Book of Redemption! 156 Notice, it was to be **THE SEVENTH ANGEL'S MESSAGE THAT** WAS TO REVEAL THE SEVENTH, THE SEVEN SEALS. Revelation 10:7, now, you'll find it. See? 157 "And he saw THIS ANGEL COME DOWN, PUT HIS FOOT ON THE LAND AND ON THE SEA," THAT WAS CHRIST, "HAD A RAINBOW OVER HIS HEAD." Notice Him, you'll find Him in Revelation 1, again, "with the rainbow over His head; look upon as jasper and sardius," and so forth. Here He come, put one hand... "One foot upon the land, one upon the water; raised up His hand. He had a rainbow over His head," yet. That's a covenant, HE WAS THE COVENANT ANGEL, WHICH WAS CHRIST; MADE A LITTLE **LOWER THAN THE ANGELS, TO SUFFER.** There He come, "And put His hands up to

Heaven, and swore by Him that lives forever and ever," the Eternal One, the Father, God, "that time shall be no more," when this takes place. It's run out. It's done. It's finished. 158 And then the Scripture says, "And at—at the Message of the seventh earthly angel," the messenger on earth, the seventh and last Church Age, "at the beginning of his ministry," when it starts off into the earth, at that time, "the mystery of God, of these Seven Seals, should be made known by that time." Now we see where we're at. Could it be, friends, could it be? Notice, all possible. 159 All that had been redeemed in the Book, He come forth for redemption. All that was to be redeemed was in the Book, predestinated before the foundation of the world. He come to redeem It. All He had redeemed was written therein. 160 I want to ask you a question now. And you people on tape, listen close. Them hideous eyes, that hideous head, could that be why that this Message has been so against women of modern age? Could this be that last angel's Message? What did He say down there at the river, about thirty-three years ago? "As JOHN WAS SENT FORTH," see, "to announce the first coming of Christ, your Message will ANNOUNCE THE SECOND COMING." Around the world, and that's what it's done, then the Coming must be at hand. Watch what's happens now.

Oh, precious Lord Jesus, to think friend that you could be livin in this hour, where the prophets probed at it, all the saints of Peter said, Paul's speakin things that's hard to be understood. But those in the end-time, WE UNDERSTAND WHAT'S IN THE BOOK. The mystery of His will is being revealed to us. Think about it, see. A book of redemption. The seals come off the book, time runs out. Then we are over here in the Bride age. Oh, my friend!

Now notice here see, now what is to be made known, is the mystery of His will, at the end of the seven church ages, at the opening of the Seventh Seal. See! He stands on the outside of the churches. Here He reveals this great mystery, who has the anointing of the Son of God.

Now notice here your eyes can't come open till the anointing comes. The anointing got to come. But when the anointing changes see, first the mystery is with the Lord, then if it's gonna be revealed, it's to come to a prophet. Then the elected runs onto the prophet, then the mystery starts to unfold to you by the Son of Man anointing. Oh! My now notice here, now you find out the mystery of his will, in other words you find out that you wasn't born here by accident. You never just never run onto that ministry; God called you. God led you there to rule over your fondest dreams.

## *Ephesians 3:18-20-Reference quote:*

- 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.
- 20 Now unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us,

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380 And in there, there would be a time come forth when He could express Himself in fullness of His Godhead, Deity, through His Church, have the preeminences in this Church. Oh, my! What? THE ANOINTED MAN; NOW THE ANOINTED PEOPLE; OH, MY, TO BRING BACK THE ANOINTED BRIDE AND THE BRIDEGROOM. Anointed by (why?) accepting what Eve turned down, and Adam; coming back with the anointing of the Word, because He said, "My Word is Spirit." SEE, ANOINTED WITH THE WORD. WHAT EVE TURNED DOWN, HE COMES BACK AND WE ACCEPT.

You found out He loved you before the foundation of the world. He let you be born in the end-time, led you by the holy spirit. And now above all the people upon the earth, He is revealing the mystery of His will to you. Huh! Not by what you wanted! You didn't know nothing about the mystery of his will. You didn't know nothing about His will! It wasn't because you wanted it, or I'd like to hear it. No, you didn't know nothing about it.

But it was His own good will and purpose, that He purposed in Himself. He purposed and saw you, before the foundation of the world. He said, "Aw, I'll just get ole Brother Bellemare, I'll let him just come over here, and he'll go on for a while. And he won't see, but he will see." Well, that's good, that's wonderful, that's nice. That sure sounded good. But then one day the scales drop off his eyes, the scales drop off, then you find out the mystery of His will.

Then things change, then everything looks different. Everything takes on a new meaning. And what was it? I just... No! You did not! No! It was the purpose of His own good will, that done it. That he had somebody down here, that He was gonna reveal it to. "Oh, Lord could it be me?" Yes! It was you. It is you! "I believe it's His will! Oh, I see - that's me! I see the mystery of your will! Oh, I see it's me!" Oh, then what a fellowship, oh what a joy divine. But before, that the mystery belonged to the Lord, but then when it's made known see...Deuteronomy 29:29. Then when it's made known it belongs to us.

## Deuteronomy 29:29

"The secret things belong unto the Lord our God: but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law."

And you say, "Oh Brother Bob, why can't nobody understand it?" They can't, because it's not to them, it's to you. BUT IT'S HONEY IN THE ROCK to you! It's honey in the rock to you! Somebody said, "I don't know why they jump and holler like that." Yeah, but it's honey in the rock. Said, "They talk about this, and that, it hurts my head." But it's honey in the rock to them who its revealed to, see. It's His mystery being revealed.

First, it's with the Lord, sealed up by the seven seals, and they put him on the outside of the churches. "Oh, we got it, we got it we don't have need of nothing." Just look at that Church Age, Laodicea, Baptist, Methodist, Pentecost and the whole kit- and-caboodle of them. What did they say to the Lord Jesus? Said, "Oh, we're rich in the spirit, we got so much of the Holy Ghost we

don't know what to do with it. WE DON'T HAVE NEED OF NOTHING! We don't have need of nothing, not a thing we're just so rich in the Holy Ghost!"

But Jesus said, "But I say to you, your wretched, but your wretched, all the Baptists are wretched, all the Methodists are wretched, all the Catholics are wretched, all of them are wretched because they got on their forehead BLASPHEMOUS NAMES." I'm a Baptist its blasphemy, I'm a Methodist, its blasphemy, I'm a Pentecostal that's blasphemy. She had on her head names written that were blasphemous, full of blasphemous names. Two thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine blasphemous names.

## *Revelation 3:14-17-Reference quote:*

- 14 And unto **the angel of the church of the Laodiceans** write; These things saith the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of the creation of God;
- 15 I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot.
- 16 So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.
- 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:

## *Revelation 17:3-Reference quote:*

3 So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured **beast, full of names of blasphemy**, having seven heads and ten horns.

(Brother Lambert sings part of a song that Brother Kevin Considine wrote.)

"But there is a name above every name," Yes sir! "And He's called the Word of God!" It's the Word of God, yes sir! At the end of all that, the Son of Man stands on the outside to reveal the mystery of His will, to who? To the great public? To the great crowd, No! Just to us!

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489 It goes right by them, and they don't recognize it till it's gone. It only picks up the predestinated Seed that God predestinated before the foundation of the earth. The same thing come through in the days of Noah, same thing come through in the days of Moses, days of Elijah, days of the prophets, days of Jesus, on down through and to this very hour. The pregnated person with the Seed of God, the Word in there manifesting Itself, so surrendered to the will of God that the Word, and the Word alone, manifests Itself in this person, the prisoner, to an individual. 490 Not say, "My church..." Now, "my church" has nothing to do with it. 491 It's an individual, one person! All hell is against this Teaching. All hell is against this Truth, but it is the Truth. 492 Jesus never said, "Now, Peter, you and John, and all the rest the people, YOU'VE GOT THE REVELATION, NOW THE WHOLE CHURCH IS SAVED." No. 493 It was to him, personally. "I say unto thee, thee," not to them, "to thee, thou art Peter; upon this rock I'll build My Church." And the word Peter, means "a stone." Stone means "the confessed one," or, "the separated one." 494 Upon a certain stone, upon a certain thing; see, a called-out, the Church called out; upon this stone, upon this "revelation." "Flesh and blood"

never revealed it to you. But upon this revelation, called-out group, I'll build My Church in them. And all the gates of hell will never be able to withstand it." 495 "Not one hair of your head shall perish. You are Mine! I'll raise you up in the last day, give unto him Eternal Life, and raise him up at the last days." There it is, the revelation. Not them; but "him," an individual! Not a group; an individual! All hell is against it. 496 BUT HIS MYSTERY IS ONLY REVEALED TO HIS BELOVED BRIDE. THAT'S THE ONLY ONE COULD SEE IT.

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19 Now, what is the works of the Father? Now, He plainly declared it, that how He represented His ministry to the people, was by the—the spiritual people. Now, there is two churches: there's the church natural; there's the Church spiritual. And mixing those together, which there's no way to segregate them, as Jesus said, "A sower went forth and he sowed seeds. Some sowed good seed, and a evil man sowed tares. And the husbandman, which was the pastor, said, 'Shall we pull out the tares?' He said, 'You'll root up the wheat with it. Let them grow together.'" So there's no way of separating church natural and Church spiritual. BUT THE CHURCH SPIRITUAL IS THE ELECTED CHURCH, CALLED OUT AND SET ASIDE BY GOD ALONE. AND THEY ARE THE ONES THAT WILL HEAR THE WORD OF THE LORD. No matter how hard—it seems strange to say it—but some men are predestinated to eternal destruction; the Scripture says so: "Men of old, foreordained to this condemnation, to turn the grace of God into lasciviousness," in the chapter of Jude. So we don't like to think those things, but there's some people who will never be saved, no matter what you do, and they're very religious. 20 And the antichrist spirit is a religious spirit; don't forget that, dear people. AND HOW BLESSED ARE YOUR EYES THAT DO SEE, AND HEAR, AND UNDERSTAND; FOR YOU CANNOT UNDERSTAND, UNLESS GOD REVEALS IT TO YOU. FOR THE WHOLE CHURCH IS BUILT UPON A SPIRITUAL REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST **BEING THE SON OF GOD.** Every time you hit it, you hit mixed multitudes, especially when supernatural's done. Moses went out of Egypt with supernatural; a mixed multitude went.

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337 John would have never know Him, no, sir, had the Holy Ghost not pointed out. See how GOD HIDES HIS MYSTERY TO THE HIGH, EDUCATED AND EVERYTHING? LOOK, EVERY ONE OF THEM PEOPLE, IN SIMPLICITY REVEALS IT TO WHOM HE HAS PREDESTINATED TO SEE IT. Look here! Others standing by and NEVER EVEN SEEN THE DOVE, they NEVER HEARD NO VOICE, for it was only sent to that predestinated Seed. Predestinated! Certainly, was predestinated!

Endnote: 63-0318 - The First Seal William Marrion Branham

258 No more we could understand these things until the time comes for It to be understood. Oh, my! SEVEN THUNDERS, OF REVELATION, MAY HE SHOW THE BRIDE HOW TO PREPARE FOR THE GREAT TRANSLATION <u>FAITH</u>!

Now, just face it down one time, face it down. It's just like I asked the man, "Is your Christ divided, is your Christ divided?" Like I asked one of my friends a Baptist you know, A lotta my... I found out one of my buddies in town, went to be a Baptist minister. And then they find out I'm a minister. They want to find out who's covering my head!

I met one of my mail...one of my, was relation, was my relation, was a mailman all his life. Brought the mail to my ole grandaddy's door every day. And we got mail and in them days, the only mail we got was a little advertisements. The ole grandaddy watched for it all the time. And he brought it all the time. Well, he died, and his son's a mail man. And I was out in my camper, and I saw him and look out. I said, "Hey" Said, "Come over here let me see you." He looked and seen who I was, and he was just as happy as can be. He said, "Bobby, where have you been?" I said, "I've been preaching." I said, "what have you been doin?" He said, "I've been preaching." I said, "Oh, you have." I said, "Where are you been preaching?" He said... well he said a, "The Baptist church."

I know he wanted to know what head covering I had, you know. You know Paul said, "It was a shame for a man to prophesy and have his head covered."

## 1 Corinthians 11:4-Reference quote:

4 Every man praying or prophesying, having his head covered, dishonoureth his head.

Come on! PAUL SAID, IT'S A SHAME FOR A MAN TO PROPHESY WITH HIS HEAD COVERED! You know, covered by the Baptist, covered by the Methodist, covered by the United Pentecostal, covered by the Assemblies of God. You know, a prophet is a prophesier, he prophesies his message. Paul said, it's a shame for a man to have his head covered.

Now listen, see, he had his head covered by the Baptist, now he's wanting to find out who's my head covered by. In other words, now if I got the same head covering, we're brothers. So, tension building up to find out what hat is on my head! And so, I let him know right away! Well, I said, "I was a Baptist!" I said, "And then I got Born-Again, and I become a Christian and now I've been following the Lord Jesus where so ever He leads" And I said, "I wanna ask you something my friend, mailman. What are you gonna do with that ole antichrist covering? What are you gonna do with them ole blasphemous names over there in Revelation 17 and Revelation 18?" He said, "I tell ya brother," He said, "I tell ya one thing, I ain't gonna have nothing to do with it." I said, "You got something to do with it right now!"

## *Revelation 17:3-5-Reference quote:*

- 3 So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns.
- 4 And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet colour, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication:
- 5 And upon her forehead was a name written, MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH.

They know better! There in the alley with none of the congregation around, he'll admit to it he was wrong. But Paul said, it's a shame for a man to prophesy and have his head covered. You know as long as that Baptist covering is over there, the mystery of His will can't get through that, can't get through that.

Hey listen, here it comes! "BUT THE HEAD OF EVERY MAN IS CHRIST!" Amen. The head of every man, is Christ.

## 1 Corinthians 11:3-Reference quote:

3 But I would have you know, that the head of every man is Christ; and the head of the woman is the man; and the head of Christ is God.

Now...now if Christ is your covering, the mystery of His will can get through that. Here! That's why that...Listen! That's why I can say, what I said. There's not a speck of Christ in any denomination, not a speck. There's not one speck of Christ in any denomination. What was in there, was put on the outside. But the head of the prophesier is Christ.

Now Prophesying tells it back there, tells it like it is and like it will be. Now you follow a true prophesier you'll get a true experience. Follow a prophesier with his head covered, you'll get a false birth, a false baptism and go right on through the tribulation.

## Endnote:

61-1231M - You Must Be Born Again William Marrion Branham

120 <u>But the true Word comes to the true prophet, and he tells you the true Word. You follow that true Word, and you get a true experience of the Word because the Word is made flesh in you, and you become God's son, and the Word of God is revolving right out of God into you, because you are His Nature, His Spirit is in you and you'll do the works of God. Hallelujah! The Bible said so. Oh, my!</u>

How many's glad you ain't got no head covering? Just Christ, just Christ. How many would rather be martyred before you'd take a denominational covering? I'd rather be martyred, before I'd take a denominational covering. And they're gonna be asked to be covered.

Oh, but I'd rather for Boaz to spread his skirt over me! Why, I'd rather go lay down in the barley house, where the wheat is, where Boaz is! Amen! Amen! I know it's a shame, it's a reproach but he'll raise up before day light and spread his garment over us.

Endnote: 65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ William Marrion Branham

258 John was the vindicated Word. You believe that? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] It wouldn't work in the days of Jesus. Certainly not. No, sir. "Law and prophets were until John; since then, the Kingdom of Heaven." 259 The apostles, them who set forth the Bible. Here come Luther out, in Reformation, his words, that, his church, won't work today. Wesley's won't. Pentecostal's won't. It worked in their day. 260 BUT IT'S ANOTHER DAY. THIS IS THE **OPENING OF THE SEVEN SEALS**. I know It sounds strange to you, but God has vindicate it so perfectly. There's no—no question in It. Just perfectly! I ain't scattering that to the local assembly here. I'm speaking to the people out across the nation. See? Do what you wish to. 261 Now notice the anointed Word of his day, of which you are a part, by predestination. You immediately, like, knew. When you heard That, you knew right quick that you was an eagle. You also realized that you wasn't a denominational chicken, to begin with. You knowed there is something wrong there. There is something wrong, that's right, for you know that you were trapped into it, at the beginning. 262 HE, THE BRIDEGROOM, TOOK AWAY YOUR SHAME, "And put it in the Sea of Forgetfulness, BY THE WASHING OF THE WATER OF THE WORD AND THE BLOOD OF LIFE." That's what the Bible said. Your first husband that you were married to, the world...THE ANOINTED BRIDEGROOM, WHICH FOREORDAINED YOU, HAS WASHED YOU BY THE WASHING OF THE WATER. By "the church"? [Congregation says, "No."—Ed.] That don't sound right, does it? ["No."] You might find that in the almanac, but not in God's Bible. "By the washing of the Water by the Word." In the Word! See? By the... 263 You are standing completely justified, as though you never did it at the beginning. This is my Message to the Church now. As you...as we go off the air, just in a minute. You are standing, if you're standing on God's Word and with God's Word, every amen, every jot, every tittle. Where you standing? I'm trying to tell you, pull away from them shucks. And get out here in the wheat, where you can get ripe before the Son. I hear the coming of the combine. You're standing complete, justified, like you never did it in the first place. Hallelujah! 264 Talk about a thanksgiving! I feel real good. I'm more thankful for that than anything I know of. 265 YOU ARE THE PURE, VIRTUOUS, SINLESS BRIDE OF THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD. EVERY MAN AND WOMAN THAT'S BORN OF THE SPIRIT OF GOD, AND WASHED IN THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST, AND BELIEVES EVERY WORD OF GOD, STANDS AS THOUGH YOU NEVER SINNED AT THE FIRST PLACE. YOU ARE PERFECT. THE BLOOD OF JESUS CHRIST! How can you...If a man... 266 If I was supposed to die in the morning, a man took my place, I cannot die for that sin. Somebody took my place. 267 AND JESUS, THE WORD, TOOK MY PLACE. HE BECOME ME, THAT A SINNER, THAT I MIGHT BECOME HIM, THE WORD. Amen. Let me hold true to It, not the church. The Word! Amen. 268 Oh, that spiritual union of Christ and His Church now, when the flesh is becoming Word, and the Word is becoming flesh, manifested, vindicated. Just what the Bible said would happen in this day, it's happening, day by day. Why, it's cumulating so fast out there, in those deserts, and things taking place, that I couldn't even keep up with it. We're near the Coming of Jesus, to be united with His Church, where the Word becomes the Word. Call of the Holy Spirit, searching the hearts! 269 YOU'RE

STANDING, COMPLETELY. YOU NEVER SINNED AT THE FIRST PLACE. GOD DON'T EVEN KNOW. IT'S IN THE SEA OF FORGETFULNESS. YOU NEVER DID IT. YOU WERE ACCUSED OF IT, BY THE ACCUSER. But really, from the beginning, you were predestinated to be a son and daughter of God. You're standing there, washed. And your old book of divorcement is put away, and it's dead, absolutely out of existence, even in the mind of God. 270 You're the virtuous Bride of Christ, washed in the Blood of Christ. Precious, virtuous, sinless Son of God standing with a pure, unadulterated Bride-Word that He washed by the Water of His Own Blood; that become flesh and manifested, that He might take you which were predestinated in the bosom of the Father, before the beginning, the same as He was. He was that great attribute of God, called "love." 271 Whatever you are, you are servants of God, whatever God wants you to do, where your place is. "God placed in the Church, some apostles, prophets, teachers, pastors..." HE PLACED THAT BY VIRTUE OF HIS OWN PREDESTINATION. And you were that, to begin with. 272 Your first wedding was annulled. It was. You never done it, in the first place. Because, there's only one thing could do it, that would be God come down, Himself, and took your place in a form of the Son of God, Jesus Christ, and washed you by the Water, of the washing of the Water by the Word. The Word; not the denomination! The Word washed you. But if you won't stand in the Water of the Word, how you going to be washed? You're still as spotted as Eve was. Oh, dear dying Lamb, Thy precious Blood Shall never lose Its power, Till all the ransomed Church of God Be saved to sin no more. 273 What is sin? Sin is "unbelief." Unbelief in (what?) the Word; unbelief in God, which is the Word. 274 Pure, unadulterated; oh, hallelujah; leaving soon for the skies; amen; standing ready. Think. YOUR GARMENTS, WASHED BY THE WATER OF THE BLEEDING WORD! THE WORD BECOME BLOOD. THE WORD BLED FOR YOU, AND YOU ARE WASHED IN BLEEDING WORD. THE WORD, BLEEDING! The Life of God in the Word, and the Word was bled for you, that you might be washed from the filth of these prostitutes, and be cleaned and sanctified by the washing of the Water of the Word, and makes your mind and heart stayed on God and on His Word. 275 Now, how you know It's true? When God comes down and vindicates It and prove. 276 You say, "Well, I didn't believe It that way." They didn't believe It Jesus' way, but God proved It. They didn't believe It Noah's way. They didn't believe It Moses' way. They was willing to take Balaam's word for It, "We're all the same, so let's just associate together." "Separate yourself," the Bible said, "from unbelief." 277 Hallelujah! Now notice. You're not only that, but you're going to the Wedding in the sky. AND YOU ARE WEARING THE WEDDING BAND OF PREDESTINATED, UNMERITED GRACE, A WEDDING BAND OF GRACE UNMERITED OF YOUR OWN. GOD DID IT, HIMSELF. HE KNEW YOU BEFORE THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD, SO HE SLIPPED THE WEDDING BAND ON YOU THERE, PUT YOUR NAME ON A BOOK. What a thanksgiving! Hallelujah! Praise our God!

Ain't it wonderful? Ain't it wonderful how you can stand here and prophesy? That ain't it wonderful, that I can just stand and prophesy without a head covering, and just know that over top of my head is a pillar of fire! Hallelujah! Amen! That's right! Not some ole... not some ole denominational covering, but the covering of Christ!

Christ, the anointed the pillar of fire. Why? Because He's waiting to come down and separate himself among the saints that he has revealed the mystery of his will to. Think about it! Every

girl, every boy, every mommy and daddy, that's gonna go in the rapture, is gonna know the mystery of His will. And He hid it from all of the ages, but it's gonna be revealed to you. How? By a servant of God. See! First, it's the Lords mystery, then he reveals it, then it belongs to us.

See now, now if you're not elected and your names on the book, when you hear it, it'll be a parable. Well, it was a parable to you at one time. Well, you say, "I didn't understand what he preached this morning."

Then you had to get the tape recorder, you had to let everything else take last place. You say, "Well come over here!" "I ain't got time, I'm trying to find out a mystery here." Huh! See! I wonder if you'd could count how many times you turned that back to hear it one more time? Huh! It was a parable! In other words, it was a sentence that was put together in such a way that it formed a mystery to your mind. But you know it was revealed, but you couldn't hear it. And so, you had to... faith cometh by hearing, so you had to turn it back and hear it again, hear it again, hear it again, hear it again! What is it, you may not have gone to Arabia like Paul, but you went to your little bedroom, you went to the basement, to the den room. And to put on that scroll, but of course it was an electronic tape recorder but you turned it back. So that it would no longer be a mystery but be honey in the rock, be Revelation to you.

Now do you see why I say what I say, "You have as much Holy Ghost this morning as you have revelation upon the word of God."

You know there's... I met that preacher up there he'd quote the whole Bible, Oh! that's wonderful. I enjoyed it. He said, he was sick of hearing messages. So, He's a pilot, and fly's around missionary evangelists. And he'd just quote...I know in one...forty-five minutes...a thirty minutes he'd quote fifty sixty scriptures, just one right after the other another perfect. Quoting now, over there in Ephesians, One and five and revelation 3:6. And He'd see all that, and put it all together, just quote, quote, quote. He was just a walking Bible. I thought, "That's wonderful, I thought where's the life at?" Where's the Revelation at? They wanted me to preach, and I thought, "Well, he said he was sick of hearing sermons, I thought what can I say?"

But I said, something that changed the scene, I said...I said, "You have as much Holy Ghost, see, I said, "You have as much of the Holy Ghost this morning as you have revelation on his Word." Boy, that went off like a sledge hammer in that preacher's heart. Then when he come to preach that night, he couldn't preach, he didn't know what to say! He was just so confused, he didn't know if he was coming or going. Why? Because he knows it's the truth! He don't have no message. And he sees these others delivering evangelists ain't got no message. And they done preached out the ten messages that they had, and they have to keep coming back to the same churches, so now they're all quoting scriptures. And then I got up and said, "You have as much of the Holy Ghost as you have Revelation on the Word of God." It scared them, but that's the truth! And you can't have Revelation, unless Christ the Holy Ghost reveals it to you, and then that's the mystery of His will. The message of the hour, is the mystery of his will.

Now, look here brother and sister, for you to know the mystery of his will, is more important than your job, it's more than important than your family, it's more important than all of your friends, it's more important than anything else in this world. That we only got three or four years left on earth. It's more important that you get Revelation and understand the mystery of his will. Is that right! Now let's go on a little bit.

Now do you see that the book is a book of redemption? Now what is this Bible? That's the book that was in the hands of him that sat upon the throne.

*Revelation 5:5-7-Reference quote:* 

- 5 And one of the elders saith unto me, Weep not: <u>behold, the Lion of the tribe of Juda</u>, the Root of David, <u>hath prevailed to open the book</u>, and to loose the seven seals thereof.
- 6 And I beheld, and, lo, in the midst of the throne and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, stood a Lamb as it had been slain, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.
- 7 And he came and took the book out of the right hand of him that sat upon the throne.

## Endnote:

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

44 Now, we see that this SEVEN-SEAL BOOK, NOW, IS THE MYSTERY OF REDEMPTION. IT'S A BOOK OF REDEMPTION, FROM GOD. 45 Now, all the mysteries, at this time, should be finished at the sounding of this messenger. Now, here is the angel on earth; and "ANOTHER" ANGEL, MIGHTY MESSENGER, COME DOWN. SEE, THIS ANGEL WAS AN EARTHLY ANGEL, MESSENGER; BUT HERE COMES ONE DOWN FROM HEAVEN, A RAINBOW COVENANT, SEE, ONLY CHRIST IT COULD BE. 46 Just exactly like was in Revelation, 1st chapter, "Standing in the midst of the Seven Golden Candlesticks, with a rainbow, to look upon as jasper and sardius stone." 47 And here He returns back, in the 10th chapter, after the coming time that all the mysteries is to be finished and the Seals are to be broke, and proclaiming that it's, "Time is no more." And He said, "When the Seventh angel has begin to sound, then the mystery should be finished, AND TIME FOR THE ANGEL TO APPEAR." We're close, somewhere.

How many just give me a minute here. (Amen) Now notice here, this is a written deed, see. This is a written will, a written deed, see. Now notice here, Adam was the first begotten Son of God. He was the only begotten Son of God. Is that right, Adam? (Amen) And how did he come? By the spoken word! And then let his wife talk him into doing something that he knew was wrong to do? Now friend, I wish everybody could really see this, it's as plain as lookin at yourself in the mirror. You'll see what Christianity is, not what people think it is. It's power, Christianity is power and authority. It's God tabernacle in human flesh, that's what I'm trying to tell people. It's not speaking in tongues or prophesying, but it's God tabernacled in human flesh, giving you power and authority.

Endnote:

62-0407 - The Signs Of His Coming William Marrion Branham

45 And if it's the Word of the Lord, then it's His premeditated thoughts. Amen. <u>That's how we have Eternal Life, because we was spoken into existence by God</u>, not joined into a church, <u>but born by the Word, the original Seed, that God said</u>, "<u>LET THERE BE</u>," AND THERE WAS. Amen. THAT'S THE WAY GOD BORNS HIS CHILDREN TODAY, IN THE WOMB OF

THEIR HEART <u>WITH HIS WORD</u>, AND <u>HIS WORD TAKES ROOT</u> AND GROWS. How can a spirit in a human heart say it's of God and deny this Word, when the very God-Word itself is what's in the human heart? Amen. If it isn't, it's something else, and it isn't the Holy Spirit in there. All right.

Endnote: 62-1104M - Blasphemous Names William Marrion Branham

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.

Now notice here in just a minute, in closing. Notice here that Adam was the spoken seed Word of God. Notice Adam was the God of the earth. Did you know Adam was over all the birds, did you know he was over all the animals, did you know he was over all vegetation, did you know he ruled upon everything that was upon the earth? He could say to this mountain, it's blocking my view of this valley, mountain be thou removed over here, and give me a view through here. That mountain would literally pick up and move over here. Now I know that staggers maybe your imagination, but it's the truth. He could say, "I want a banana tree right here. Eve wants this over here." Banana tree be thou plucked up and put over here, now there it was boom bam, there it went right in there! Huh! He just did just anything he wanted to do by the spoken word.

But when he sold out to his wife. He had the abstract title deed. He had; Adam had the abstract title deed to the whole earth. He owned the whole earth; he was supreme ruler of the whole earth. His father was ruler over the heavens and the universe. But now the God of the universe came down in the cool of the evening to fellowship with the God of the earth. That's right! Think about it! Now there's...now there's... if there is a trinity there's one. Did not the prophet of God, Moses said, "Whom the word of the Lord come...God said to Moses said, "You'll be a God to them and Aaron will be your prophet." Aaron was not God's prophet. Aaron was Moses's prophet. Huh! And Moses was a God to the people. Huh! Is that right? (Amen)

#### *Exodus 7:1-Reference quote:*

I And the Lord said unto Moses, See, I have made thee a god to Pharaoh: and Aaron thy brother shall be thy prophet.

And it is also written, "Ye are Gods." Now come on! Now you know Eve, before you met Christ, you wanted to be a little God. Didn't ya?

# Psalm 82:6-Reference quote:

6 I have said, Ye are gods; and all of you are children of the most High.

You thought that you were so handsome that if you died the world would stop. Huh! I remember when I was a boy, when one of the teenagers in our town would go up to New York city, she'd come back so prissy and sassy, it'd make you want to slap her face! She'd come back and try to talk like they do in Brooklyn. (New York) Try to talk like they do in New York city, you know. And act so, you know how it is! It'd just make me sick, I never did like that, you know, all that put on. And just to think she was the most beautiful thing in the world, and if she died the world would stop going around. And you know you see men like that today, going around, they got to have a mirror in their pocket. All the time a primping, you know and they got to look so good, and smell so nice.

You know especially among the ministers, first thing they'll get them a little ministry and a hold among the people. They'll step out with a red vest, a blue coat, alligator blue shoes you know, big diamond ring, diamond around their watches. Why, seen one evangelist, that's supposed to have the power of God, and when them women got lined up there, they just fainted before they ever got there. And they'd say, "Oh, the... Oh power of the Lord is there. The power of the Lord is there, it's slaying all the people." So, I went down to see this great slayer, and I went over and there stood the most beautiful man you ever seen. Boy. Just suit down decked out, looked like a neon sign. Huh! Plenty of beautiful black wavy hair!

Now I ain't...I ain't against a black...I know brother Gatlin's got beautiful hair, I ain't got none. But you know, I'm just tryin to make a point, you know, talkin about Gods. I find... I find all kinds of people think their God, they're God. Really believe their God.

And "Oh God was slaying the people, by his power." And you know who most was in the prayer line, was women. And I knew one of these women. I knew that she wore a bathing suit. I knew that she didn't live nothing. I knew that she spoke in tongues and I knew she went to the Assemblies of God, but I knew that she was filthy and dirty. And I said, "If the power of God knocks her down, it ain't the power of God." And you know what, when them girls got up there, and got to lookin at him...Boy he was a preacher you know, oh, that microphone whipping around, walking around boy, sawdust on the floor and just... the organ... oh just, really wonderful! And when they got up there before they ever got to him, aw just down they go. I know why they was fainting, it's because he was so good looking, that's was what made them faint. And you know what, I believe God came down and convicted the man, must be me sitting there praying. God came down and convicted the evangelist. He said, "Here! Here! You women quit fainting now, here stop that!" I guess maybe he thought God would strike him dead. He thought he was so good looking, that the world wouldn't just have it! And I find that all over the country, that people are God. They got so much pride, and talk about themselves. But where's the humility of Christ? See! Look at all the evangelists, how they dress like Hollywood, everything's Hollywood.

And down there in Ohio, them evangelists started out with me, down there on television, all of them with that long hair, you know. And I'm not, I don't want to criticize, but even Billy Graham see, with his ole hair hanging down long. I don't believe in that. I don't believe a man of God acts like that. Where is the fear of God? WHERE IS THE HOLINESS, WHERE IS THE GOD CALLED PREACHERS AT IN THIS COUNTY? Everything is Hollywoodized,

modernized, and glamourized. Where is the simplicity of the gospel? See, that just makes me sick!

That great evangelist showed me his pictures, showed me all of his a, this and that. About forty visions he had and my head was hurting. Then the last thing he showed me was his physique, and all the time... And I'm not kidding or joking, it's the truth. God let me sit down beside him on the plane. First, he showed me all of his recommendations, see. This is a great man of God, he's a humble man, he's got miracles, he's got wonders, he's got discernment, he's got a mighty Revelation on the Book of revelation, and he told me forty visions. The angel of the Lord talked to him, I saw this vision, I fasted forty days, he said this he said that. And he just went on and I was trying to get Brother Canada over there awhile, just to relieve my ear. I said, "That's wonderful, Oh that's wonderful, that's wonderful. What could I say? And then after he wound all that up see, he showed me a picture after all that, he showed me a picture of his beautiful body, of his big biceps. And then all the time trying to impress me how humble he was. Why you never impress me, how humble he was! It just made me sick! And so, when I got a chance, I said, excuse me brother. Well, I said, "Brother Mike, I'm sick." I said, would you sit over here?" And he said, "You sick?" I said, "Mike I'm sick, I've got to sit here!" And I got Mike over there, and he had to hear all the forty visons and all.... Brother Graybill, you remember. Now see, that man could never convince me he talked to an angel. I don't care about all them things. And he's a good example of the whole thing that's supposed to be a deliverance ministry.

But what's called a deliverance ministry today, they're the ones that needs deliverance! They're the ones that needs deliverance! Nah, they can't never get the mystery of His will, they got their head covered, see.

Now who's gonna find out the glorious mystery of His will? While were gonna close right now. Who is it that's gonna find out the mystery of his will in this last day? Where... Oh, God children, that just...I feel like it claws down in my heart, just pulling at it. THERE'S GOTTA BE TRUTH SOMEWHERE!! THERE'S GOTTA BE SOMEBODY WHO KNOWS WHAT THEIR TALKING ABOUT!! How many would like to see Christ exalted over all this stuff, ride over all this Hollywood evangelism, so called churches of the Christ? And raise up a real church of Christ, the real body of Christ, and He's gonna do it, I believe it with all my heart.

Now notice children, you're here on earth today, not to work, not to just raise a family, but you're here to find the mystery of His will.

Now you look back down there at Brother Louie and his wife, Naomi, all the terrible things they've gone through. Why? Is because they was elected to find the mystery of His will. And they was trying to find it here, trying to find it here, but then God comes down and leads them to the mystery of His will, God comes down, and leads them to the mystery of His will. And then you wonder why you wasn't satisfied in this church, why you satisfied in that church. Why they acted this way, and why they acted that way, and then you find out why. The mystery of His will tells you why you're here on earth. Tells you why they act the way they do.

Now friend, how far are we up the road? How far are we up the road? If Christ is standing on the outside of the church, the seals have been taken off the book now, for seven years or more. Right? There is a people now that He is revealing the mystery of His will to. Now when that is revealed, when the mystery of His is bein' read to you, in other words he's reading and telling you all that He's gonna give you! Huh!

Endnote:

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Satan is afraid. He knows that the Spirit of God is about to let the people know of his works. That is why he hates these meetings so much. When names are called and diseases revealed, Satan hates it. Now what is this? It is not mind reading, it is not telepathy, nor is it witchcraft. It is a **REVELATION by the Holy Ghost**. That is the only way I can know it. Of course the carnal mind will call it anything but the Holy Ghost. Let me show you another reason why Satan hates this Book of the Revelation of Jesus Christ in the church. He knows that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, and today, and forever, and He changes not. He knows that a whole lot more than do ninety percent of the theologians. He knows that since God is immutable in His nature, then He is just as immutable in His ways. Thus Satan knows assuredly that the original church at Pentecost with the power of God (Mark 16 in action) is the True Church that Jesus claims as His own. All else is false. It has to be. Now remember this. Christ in the True Church is a continuation of the Book of Acts. But the Book of Revelation shows how that the antichrist spirit would come into the church and defile it, making it lukewarm, formal and powerless. It exposes Satan, revealing his works (attempted destruction of God's people and the discrediting of God's Word) right down to the time he is cast into the lake of fire. He fights that. He cannot stand it. HE KNOWS THAT IF THE PEOPLE GET THE TRUE REVELATION OF THE TRUE CHURCH AND WHAT SHE IS, WHAT SHE STANDS FOR AND THAT SHE CAN DO THE GREATER WORKS, SHE WILL BE AN INVINCIBLE ARMY. If they get a true revelation of the two spirits within the framework of the Christian church, and by God's Spirit discern and withstand the antichrist spirit, Satan will be powerless before her. He will be as definitely thwarted today as when Christ withstood his every effort to gain power over Him in the desert. Yes, Satan hates revelation. But we love it. With true revelation in our lives, the gates of hell cannot prevail against us, but we will prevail over them. You will recall that I mentioned at the beginning of this message that this Book we are studying is the actual revelation of Jesus, Himself, in the church and His work in the future ages. Then I mentioned that it takes the Holy Spirit to give us revelation or we will fail to get it. Bringing these two thoughts together you will see that it won't take just ordinary study and thinking to make this Book real. It is going to take the operation of the Holy Ghost. THAT MEANS THIS BOOK CAN'T BE REVEALED TO ANYONE BUT A SPECIAL CLASS OF PEOPLE. IT WILL TAKE ONE WITH **PROPHETIC INSIGHT**. It will require the ability to hear from God. It will require supernatural instruction, not just a student comparing verse with verse, though that is good. But a mystery requires the teaching of the Spirit or it never becomes clear. How we need to hear from God and lay ourselves open and become yielded to the Spirit to hear and know. As I have already said, this Book (Revelation) is the consummation of the Scriptures. It is even placed exactly right in the canon of Scripture; at the end. Now you can know why it says that anyone who reads or even hears it is blessed. IT IS THE REVELATION OF GOD THAT WILL GIVE YOU AUTHORITY OVER THE DEVIL. And you can see why they who would add or take from it would be cursed. It would have to be so, for who can add or take away from the perfect revelation of God and overcome the enemy? It is that simple. THERE IS NOTHING OF SUCH PREVAILING POWER AS THE REVELATION OF THE WORD.

Now notice here see, what did Adam do? He had it, he had the abstract title deed. He was the God of the whole earth. Adam was the God of the whole earth, but he sold out, God came down and took the abstract away from him. He said, "Adam give me the abstract!" "Oh, daddy!" "Son I told you not to do it, you did it! "Give me the abstract!" "Oh Dad! Oh, please Dad! Forgive me Dad! Son, give me the abstract!"

Now He ain't gonna let it go to Satan, it goes back to the fall. The father takes the book, the abstract, goes back up. Huh! No more could Adam say, "Banana tree be moved over here." Eve said, "Honey, I want you to move this tree over there." He said, "Aw, that don't work no more. I'd have to shovel it out of the ground. And besides, we'd never be able to lift it. We'll just have to leave it there."

Now oh, now let me say it, Adam could no more do those great things. Now, everything is bringing forth thistles and thorns. Now the earth is cursed, now the tree died, the banana tree's dying, the peach tree's dying, the orange tree's dying, the apple tree's dying, the pine tree's dies, the hickory tree's dies, everything is dying. The birds are dying, the animals are dying, everything's dying.

Like the old Indian said, "Great spirit gave us this land." He says, "White man was little man when he came over in a big boat. All cramped up, he was little man from sitting many days on big boat. Then he begged red man give him a piece of land to raise food." Said, "Now white man, no more little man, big man. Now white man says wild west. West wasn't wild till white man got here." Said, "Now west wild, they call Indian wild. But west wasn't wild till white man got here." Said, "Make prostitute out of squalls. Make spine in warrior, turn water. We didn't know rum till the rum runners come." Said, "Our women had honor, now they lose honor. Our warriors were brave, and now their knees turn to water." See! "Red man dig little hole in ground, white man tear up all the land." Said, "Red man have little, little t-pee, move easy. Big man cut down trees. Indian take dead branches and make fire. White man cut down trees. Tree cries when white man cut down tree. Tree cries, the ground cries, buffalo gone, white man kill buffalo, buffalo cry. Deer gone, deer cry." Huh!

Just exactly like ole Indian saying, what the Bible said. THAT THE WHOLE CREATION IS GROANING, THE TREES ARE GROANING, THE TREE'S ARE CRYING, THE BIRDS ARE CRYING, THE DEER'S A CRYING, THE FISH ARE CRYING, EVERYTHING'S CRYING. Why? Because Adam sold out. God the father took the book, took it back to heaven, and sat down on his throne and it's sealed up.

## *Romans 8:21-23-Reference quote:*

- 21 Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.
- 22 For we know that the whole creation groaneth and travaileth in pain together until now.
- 23 And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body.

With a promise that Adam would be brought back, by a seed. But said, "I'll give you a way back Adam, this seed will bruise the head of the serpent. Is that right? The Messiah the Christ will bruise his head. He said, "Trees I'll make a way for you! The earth I'll make a way for you, the fish, the deer, the buffalo, the Indians, I'LL MAKE A WAY FOR YOU!

*Genesis 3:15-Reference quote:* 

15 And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

Endnote:

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

God fulfilling His Word! 50 History was being made, prophecy was being fulfilled. Salvation to the world was arriving, the great day that all the prophets had looked forward to. All that was in the grave was waiting for that day (my, think of it), all that had died, all the righteous of the blood of the martyrs and the prophets. 51 Which, He had just screamed out, "Jerusalem, O Jerusalem, you that stone every prophet that I send to you, and kill the righteous, how oft would I have hovered you as a hen did, would her brood, but you would not. But now your hour has come." 52 Everything that was in the grave, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, all the prophets, were waiting for this hour. 53 And the church was blind to It. "Who is this that's causing all of this noise? Who is that Fellow?" They said one time, "Is not that the carpenter's son over here? We know Him. Where did He get this wisdom? Why, we don't see Him connected with any of our schools. We don't know any books He ever learned from. Who is It?" 54 He was the answer of the prophet's prophecy. Here He comes, riding upon the foal of an ass. What an attraction! God was fulfilling His promised Word, the hour that had been waiting since four thousand years. In Genesis, the 3rd chapter and the 15th verse, God had made the prediction, "THE SEED OF THE WOMAN SHALL BRUISE THE SERPENT'S HEAD, BUT HIS HEAD SHALL BRUISE HER HEEL," THAT PROPHECY DOWN THROUGH THE BIBLE THAT HAD **BEEN PREDICTED OF THIS MAN COMING.** 55 And here just recently there was a prophet who stood up among them, that was vindicated a prophet, Zechariah, and he said, that, "You daughters of Jerusalem and you daughters of Zion, rejoice, shout, scream out, for your King comes to you, meek and lowly and humble, riding upon the foal of an ass." 56 And here those people that read that Scripture, day by day, watched Him come riding in, and cried, "Who is this?" See? God fulfilling His Word to the people that should have knowed what It was, but they didn't know It. 57 When God fulfills His Word, It always causes an attraction, always does. Causes an attraction, for It is the unusual. So unusual, when He fulfills His Word to the modern trend of the day, 'cause the modern trend of the day don't believe in It.

Endnote:

65-0718E - Spiritual Food In Due Season William Marrion Branham

Just as Jesus, when He come, He was the Word, Saint John 1. So the Word of God and the messenger of the age was the selfsame thing, all the time. That's right. 69 Jesus was the Word that was prophesied of. He was what the prophets said would happen, "A virgin shall conceive and bear this Child." Way back in the beginning, God told them, said, "The woman's Seed shall bruise the serpent's head, and he'll bruise her heel." All these prophecies had been given. David crying, all the rest of the prophets down through the ages, speaking of Him. He was that

Word manifested! Hallelujah! 70 Now do you see where I'm trying to get to? I spoke with you pretty plain this morning. DON'T YOU SEE THE AUTHORITY OF THE LIVING GOD IN THE LIVING CHURCH, THE BRIDE? THE SICK ARE HEALED, THE DEAD ARE RAISED UP, THE CRIPPLES WALK, THE BLIND SEE, THE GOSPEL GOES FORTH IN ITS POWER, FOR THE MESSAGE AND THE MESSENGER ARE THE SAME. THE WORD IS IN THE CHURCH, IN THE PERSON.

Endnote:

62-1104M - Blasphemous Names William Marrion Branham

First Timothy 3. "Adam was not deceived, but the woman was the deceived, was in the transgression." Adam walked with Eve, because it was his wife. 193 Same as Christ, not deceived by Satan, but walked into the death with the Bride. HE WENT TO BE WITH THE BRIDE, SO HE COULD REDEEM THE CHURCH. 194 Adam knowed he was wrong, so he just walked out with Eve. See? BUT THERE WAS A LAMB PROVIDED FOR THEM, THAT THEY WERE REDEEMED. 195 AND THESE LAMBS, TODAY, THAT WERE FOREKNOWN BY GOD, AND GOD HAS CALLED, THERE IS A REDEEMER. "No man can come to Me except My Father draws him. And all the Father has given Me will come to Me." That right? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] SO THERE IS A PROVIDED LAMB, FROM THE FOUNDATION OF THE WORLD, WHERE THEIR NAMES WERE PUT ON THE LAMB'S BOOK OF LIFE. A LAMB WAS PROVIDED, TO MAKE A WAY OF GRACE FOR EVERY ONE OF THEM TO GO IN THE RESURRECTION, A PROVIDED LAMB; Adam's lamb, now notice, as Adam had a provided lamb.

And here the little Bride is living in the end time, to deliver all nature, to deliver the tree's, to deliver the birds, to deliver the deer's. All nature is groaning and travailing to see what? TO SEE THE MANIFESTATION OF THE SONS OF THE LIVING GOD! Think about it friend!

When are they gonna be delivered? When? When us, we, to whom the Revelation of the mystery is revealed to. You're gonna be the Sons of God that delivers nature. Just think about the trees being cut down are crying, the flowers, the mountains, the streams, the fish, the birds, the Bible said they're all crying, all of its groaning, travailing, and agonizing. Why? To see...to see the manifestation of the Sons of God. When will they be manifested? When are they gonna be manifested? When the mystery of His will has been read. Who's the mystery read to? IT IS READ TO THE SONS OF GOD. Is that so? (Amen) Now, what's gonna happen, see when the mystery of His will is read?

Endnote:

49-1225 - The Deity Of Jesus Christ William Marrion Branham

78 But, oh, my, we've stood on that Rock, that's True, unto the baptism of the Holy Ghost, and now the power of Almighty God is formed in the church, coming forth. Hallelujah! I'm looking for when God is going to shake the whole thing, everywhere. Brother, it's already in session

right now. It's going on. That's right. 79 The Deity of Him. Who is He? Some of them makes Him a little baby back there. He is the One that stood on the invisible, oh, my, platform, raked out His hands, and spoke and said, "Let there be light," and there was light. That was Jesus Christ. "For He was in the world, and the world was made by Him, and the world recognized Him not." He was...He is the Deity of God. Look what He did back there. Talk about the miraculous back there; you talk about shouting? When He performed the miraculous things, to make things which are now, out of things which was not, He spoke and it was so. 80 And that same Power, that same Christ! Hallelujah! Let the fundamentalists, let them people who deny the Power of God, say It's wrong, but that same Power that spoke the world into existence is in those people that's got the Holy Ghost. That's right. Men and women, it's time that we found out who you are. The devil is trying to hide you back, tell you that you're some little cowed-down something. You're not. YOU ARE SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF GOD. THE DEITY IS NOT IN HEAVEN; IT'S IN YOU. Hallelujah! I know you think I'm crazy, but let me tell you something, brother. [Brother Branham knocks on the pulpit three times—Ed.] WHEN YOU REALIZE THAT ALMIGHTY GOD LIVES IN YOU; IMMORTAL LIFE, "MY LIFE I GIVE, ZOE." THE LIFE OF GOD IS IN THE HUMAN BEING. 81 He stood back there, He's the Creator of all things. He made life; frogs, oh, bees, ducks, chickens, animals, created everything. "And nothing was made but what was made by Him." Who? Christ, the Deity! "He brought down plagues, and everything in the days of Egypt." Who? Christ! "He stopped the—the mouths of lion. He quenched the violence of fire. They escaped the edge of the sword. They raised the dead from the grave." Who? Christ! Oh, my, what will it be! Who is He? Christ, the <u>Deity!</u> 82 And, brother, sister, that Deity is in you. "A little while and the world seeth Me no more. Yet you shall see Me, for I'll be with you, even in you, to the end of the age." Christ in the manger? No. Christ in you! Hallelujah! We're not worshipping Christ in the manger, BUT CHRIST IN YOU, THE HOLY GHOST, THE HOPE OF LIFE, HALLELUJAH, THE CREATOR, GOD HIMSELF DWELLING IN THE HUMAN BEING. "It doth not yet appear what we shall be, but we'll see Him as He is." For we'll be made like Him, the Spirit in the human being.

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

I wasn't the One that appeared down on the river; I was only standing there when He appeared. I'm not the One that performs these things and foretells these things that happens as perfect they are; I'm only one that's near when He does it. I was only a voice that He used, to say It. It wasn't what I knew; it's what I just surrendered myself to, that He spoke through. It isn't me, IT WASN'T THE SEVENTH ANGEL, OH, NO; IT WAS THE MANIFESTATION OF THE SON OF MAN. It wasn't the angel, his message; IT WAS THE MYSTERY THAT GOD UNFOLDED. IT'S NOT A MAN; IT'S GOD. THE ANGEL WAS NOT THE SON OF MAN; HE WAS THE MESSENGER FROM THE SON OF MAN. THE SON OF MAN IS CHRIST; HE IS THE ONE THAT YOU'RE FEEDING ON. You're not feeding on a man; a man, his words will fail. BUT YOU'RE FEEDING ON THE UNFAILING BODY-WORD OF THE SON OF MAN.

Endnote: 65-1205 - Things That Are To Be William Marrion Branham

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.

In closing now. Well, Adam sold us out. Right? (Amen) With a promise that Adam would be redeemed. True? Now look here, there He is sitting upon the throne with the book, with the abstract, in His hand. Now He asked John, when He wrote over there in the Book of Revelation, Say's "Who in earth and in heaven is worthy to take the book?"

## *Revelation 5:1-5-Reference quote:*

- I And I saw in the right hand of him that sat on the throne a book written within and on the backside, sealed with seven seals.
- 2 And I saw a strong angel proclaiming with a loud voice, Who is worthy to open the book, and to loose the seals thereof?

Now look, all nature waiting for it, the birds the bees, everything. Land, trees, people, earth is all waiting for the Sons of God. Now how is it gonna come into existence? They can't be delivered until the book is revealed. Now what happened? It says, "Who is worthy to loose the seals and open the book?" Said, "Behold the Lion of the tribe of Juda hath prevailed, Christ. The lion of the tribe of Juda hath prevailed to open the book and to loose the seals thereof."

#### *Revelation 5:3-5-Reference quote:*

- 3 And no man in heaven, nor in earth, neither under the earth, was able to open the book, neither to look thereon.
- 4 And I wept much, because no man was found worthy to open and to read the book, neither to look thereon.

5 And one of the elders saith unto me, <u>Weep not: behold, the Lion of the tribe of Juda, the Root of David, hath prevailed to open the book, and to loose the seven seals thereof.</u>

#### Endnote:

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

1 And when the Seals are broke, and the mystery is revealed. DOWN COMES THE ANGEL, THE MESSENGER, CHRIST, setting his foot upon the land and upon the sea, with a rainbow over his head. NOW, REMEMBER, THIS SEVENTH ANGEL IS ON EARTH AT THE TIME OF THIS COMING. 42 Just as JOHN was giving his message, THE SAME TIME THAT MESSIAH COME in the days. JOHN knew he would see Him, because HE WAS GOING TO INTRODUCE HIM.

Now look here, <u>Christ comes up</u>, <u>Christ comes up</u>, <u>walks up to the one that's sitting upon the throne, takes the book out of his right hand and sits down</u>.

# *Revelation 5:7-12-Reference quote:*

- 7 And he came and took the book out of the right hand of him that sat upon the throne.
- 8 And when he had taken the book, the four beasts and four and twenty elders fell down before the Lamb, having every one of them harps, and golden vials full of odours, which are the prayers of saints.
- 9 And they sung a new song, saying, THOU ART WORTHY TO TAKE THE BOOK, AND TO OPEN THE SEALS THEREOF: FOR THOU WAST SLAIN, AND HAST REDEEMED US TO GOD BY THY BLOOD out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation; 10 AND HAST MADE US UNTO OUR GOD KINGS AND PRIESTS: AND WE SHALL REIGN ON THE EARTH.
- 11 And I beheld, and I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne and the beasts and the elders: and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands;
- 12 Saying with a loud voice, WORTHY IS THE LAMB THAT WAS SLAIN TO RECEIVE POWER, AND RICHES, AND WISDOM, AND STRENGTH, AND HONOUR, AND GLORY, AND BLESSING.

#### *Revelation 5:6-7-Reference quote:*

- 6 And I beheld, and, lo, in the midst of the throne and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, <u>STOOD A LAMB AS IT HAD BEEN SLAIN</u>, having seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.
- 7 And <u>HE CAME AND TOOK THE BOOK OUT OF THE RIGHT HAND OF HIM THAT</u> SAT UPON THE THRONE.

Endnote: 63-1110M - Souls That Are In Prison Now William Marrion Branham

133 Remember, the Seven Seals was finished, and when those seven revealed Truths... 134 ONE **OF THEM, HE WOULDN'T PERMIT US TO KNOW**. We...How many was here at the Seven Seals, and heard? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] All of you, I guess. SEE, THE—THE SEVENTH SEAL, HE WOULDN'T PERMIT IT. 135 He stood right there in the room and revealed every one of them. And if I ever preached anything in my life, was inspired, it was that. And it ought to be true, to you. Stand here and tell you that it's going to happen, and go right there, and even science and everything else, the scientific research and everything, mystery to the people, proved that it happened right there. And come right back and hear it unfold, and make every Word exactly right. What day are we living? Where we at? 136 And remember, in that Sixth Seal, where, all Seven Trumpets sounds under that Sixth Seal. When we get to that, you'll see that. Every (seven) Trumpet took place in that Sixth Seal. 137 **THE SEVEN IS** <u>ALWAYS THE MYSTERY. WATCH THAT SEVEN, THAT'S THE FINISH. THAT WAS</u> THE COMING OF THE LORD, HEAVEN WAS QUIET, SILENT, NOBODY MOVED. Because, Jesus said Himself, "Not even an Angel of Heaven knows when I will return. I DON'T EVEN KNOW IT, MYSELF, what time. The Father has put that in His mind." God alone knows it, the Spirit. SAID, "I DIDN'T KNOW IT." THEN, IT WASN'T REVEALED. When that Seventh Trumpet sounded...or the SEVENTH ANGEL, a—a Seal was opened, then there was silence in the Heaven. See, IT WASN'T GIVE AWAY, WHAT WOULD TAKE PLACE. 138 But under the Sixth Seal, where these Trumpets opened, remember, under there, WE FIND OUT THAT THE LAMB CAME FORTH, APPEARED ON THE SCENE. He had left the Mercy Seat. His work of redemption was finished. And He came forth and took the Book out of the right hand of Him that sat upon the Throne, and "time was no more." And immediately an angel appeared in the seventh chapter, or the 10th chapter and the 7th verse, saving...This Angel come down and swore, that, "time was no longer." 139 But, you see, in this Book was what was redeemed. It was the Book of Redemption. And everything that He had redeemed was written in that Book. All that He died for was written in the Book, and He could not leave His mediatorial Seat until He had thoroughly redeemed. AND HE COULDN'T REDEEM IT AT THE CROSS, because they were predestinated in the Lamb's Book of Life, and He had to stay on There to make intercessions until that last person was finished. Glory! 140 BUT ONE DAY HE ROSE FROM THERE, COME FORTH. Where was the Book at? It was still in the abstract Owner, God Almighty. And John looked around, and he wept, because there was no man even worthy to look on the Book and, especially, open THE SEALS, TO REVEAL WHAT THE HIDDEN MYSTERY was. 141 The mysteries was in the Seven Seals. When these Seven Seals was opened, that opened up the entire Bible. The Seven Seals; It was sealed with Seven Mysteries, and in these Seven Seals held the entire mystery of It. AND IT WAS THE BOOK OF REDEMPTION, New Testament. 142 Not the Old. IT ONLY PROCLAIMED FOR THE NEW Testament. "THEY HAVE BEEN MADE...CANNOT BE MADE PERFECT WITHOUT US," Hebrews 11. See? See? Now, the REDEMPTION ONLY COME WHEN **THE REDEEMER DIED**. And they were potentially under the blood of lambs, not the Redeemer; hadn't been redeemed yet, until the Redeemer came. 143 Notice now when this Redeemer...JOHN LOOKED around, and here sat God on the Throne, with the Book in His

hand, that had been sealed with Seven Seals, and the whole plan of redemption was in It. 144 **And It had been lost by the human race, Adam**. And God...It went back where? Satan couldn't take It; he just caused him to lose It. But where did the Book go to then? Didn't belong to the human race. The blessings didn't belong here; here the human race had lost It. So It went right on back to Its original Owner, that was God. 145 Here He set with It, and HE CALLED FOR SOME MAN, SOMEBODY, TO COME AND CLAIM IT. 146 John looked around, and there was no man in Heaven, no man on earth, nobody, no Angel, nothing could take the Book or to loose the Seals, or to even to look on It. No man was worthy. John said he wept bitterly. 147 Then an Angel came to him, said, "Weep not, JOHN, for the LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH HAS PREVAILED, AND HE IS WORTHY." 148 And John looked to see a lamb...or see a lion, and what did he find? A LAMB, AND IT WAS A BLOODY LAMB, A LAMB THAT HAD BEEN SLAIN. How long? Since the foundation of the world. 149 The Lamb came forth, walked up to Him that had the Book in His right hand, and received the Book; climbed up on the Throne and sat down. That's it. It was over (when?) when the Seals was revealed. When the last one, that was everything that He had redeemed, there was nothing... HE COME TO **REDEEM.** 150 Say, "Why didn't He redeem them forty years ago? Two thousand years ago?" 151 See, their names are on the Book of Life, in that Book. And He had to stand here, because it was God's purpose to redeem them. Their names were put on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world. THE LAMB WAS PUT THERE WITH IT, TO BE SLAIN. HERE COME THE LAMB, WHEN WAS SLAIN, COME BACK to make intercessions. 152 Watch Him! There'll be a lot of impersonation, lot of everything else, but there was really somebody was going to be saved, for He... The Church was predestinated to be without spot or wrinkle. She is going to be there. And THE LAMB DIED FOR THAT PURPOSE. And then when the last name on that Book was redeemed, THE LAMB CAME FORTH AND TOOK THE BOOK, "I'M THE ONE THAT DID IT!" 153 The Angels, the Cherubims, the four and twenty Elders, the Beasts, everything, uncrowned themselves, fell down before the Throne, and said, "Worthy art Thou!" 154 John said, "Everything in Heaven and earth heard me hollering, 'Amen,' screaming, 'Hallelujah,' and praises to God.' The scream went up. Why? **THEIR** NAMES WAS IN THAT BOOK, TO BE REVEALED, AND THE LAMB HAD REVEALED IT. 155 THE LAMB HAD REDEEMED IT, but He could not come forth until every name was revealed, and that was taking place under the Sixth Seal, before the Seventh broke. Then the spotless...Then the Lamb came for what He had redeemed. He come to claim what He had redeemed. He's already got it, right here in the Book, taken It from His hand. Now He's coming to receive what He has redeemed. That's His work. He's done. He's come to receive it. Oh, what a—what a time! Has proven it, the Seventh Seal proved it. Come back and took the **Book of Redemption!** 156 Notice, it was to be **THE SEVENTH ANGEL'S MESSAGE THAT** WAS TO REVEAL THE SEVENTH, THE SEVEN SEALS. Revelation 10:7, now, you'll find it. See? 157 "And he saw THIS ANGEL COME DOWN, PUT HIS FOOT ON THE LAND AND ON THE SEA," THAT WAS CHRIST, "HAD A RAINBOW OVER HIS HEAD." Notice Him, you'll find Him in Revelation 1, again, "with the rainbow over His head; look upon as jasper and sardius," and so forth. Here He come, put one hand... "One foot upon the land, one upon the water; raised up His hand. He had a rainbow over His head," yet. That's a covenant. HE WAS THE COVENANT ANGEL, WHICH WAS CHRIST; MADE A LITTLE **LOWER THAN THE ANGELS, TO SUFFER.** There He come, "And put His hands up to Heaven, and swore by Him that lives forever and ever," the Eternal One, the Father, God, "that

time shall be no more," when this takes place. It's run out. It's done. It's finished. 158 And then the Scripture says, "And at—at the Message of the seventh earthly angel," the messenger on earth, the seventh and last Church Age, "at the beginning of his ministry," when it starts off into the earth, at that time, "the mystery of God, of these Seven Seals, should be made known by that time." Now we see where we're at. Could it be, friends, could it be? Notice, all possible. 159 All that had been redeemed in the Book, He come forth for redemption. All that was to be redeemed was in the Book, predestinated before the foundation of the world. He come to redeem It. All He had redeemed was written therein. 160 I want to ask you a question now. And you people on tape, listen close. Them hideous eyes, that hideous head, could that be why that this Message has been so against women of modern age? Could this be that last angel's Message? What did He say down there at the river, about thirty-three years ago? "As John was sent forth," see, "TO ANNOUNCE THE FIRST COMING OF CHRIST, your Message will announce the second Coming." Around the world, and that's what it's done, THEN THE COMING MUST BE AT HAND. Watch what's happens now.

Now to what? Now He sends the abstract title deed, the mystery of His will down to his elected sons and daughters. Now what does it do? It reveals it here on earth, so that the sons and daughters of God can know His will, to do all of His will in the hour that they are living in. Now can't you see what's gonna happen? Now can you see why the squirrels came into existence, why the fish was giving back life, why the storm was stopped? Remember what I preached last night about walking on the water. What is it? The Sons of God are listening to their will read. The Sons of God are listening to their fathers will.

Notice here, showing them that He is now giving back to them what He took away from Adam. Friend, I hope that goes down deep, under the fifth rib. He is now gonna give back to them, what He took away from Adam. Now when he gives back to them what he took away from Adam he said, "Ask anything in my name I'll do it! Whatsoever you ask in my name I'll do it, ask anything in my name."

*John 14:13-14-Reference quote:* 

13 And whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.

14 If ye shall ask any thing in my name, I will do it.

*John 12:28-29-Reference gnuote:* 

28 Father, glorify thy name. Then came there a voice from heaven, saying, **I have both glorified** it, and will glorify it again.

29 The people therefore, that stood by, and heard it, said that it thundered: **others said, An angel spake to him.** 

Friend, do you know any churches that can do that? Do you know of anybody on earth that can ask anything in his name and get it? But he said, the little end time Bride will do it.

Now, was there ever an hour when the Sons of God were to be revealed to deliver all nature? Do you realize what I'm saying children? That before this Bride leaves the earth, she will

demonstrate the authority and power THAT ADAM HAD! Oh, My Lord! She will demonstrate the power and authority that Adam had. Why do you think Jesus said what he did? He said, "If you have the faith of a grain of mustard seed and speak to this mountain to be removed to the sea of galilee, it'll go." That's what Adam done! Now notice Jesus come and demonstrated what Adam used to do. And then he said, "The works that I do, shall you do also, and greater works than these shall you do."

*Matthew 17:20-Reference quote:* 

20 And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you.

John 14:12-Reference quote:

12 Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.

Endnote: 63-0321 - The Fourth Seal William Marrion Branham

180 We find out that he gets killed with the sword, too, the sword of the Word. God's Word, sharp, two-edged sword, slays him, puts him right down. WAIT TILL THEM SEVEN THUNDERS UTTER THEIR VOICES TO THAT GROUP WHO REALLY CAN TAKE THE WORD OF GOD AND HAND IT THERE, IT'LL SLICE AND CUT. And they can close the heavens. They can shut this, or do that, whatever they want to. Glory! He'll be slayed by the Word that proceeds from His mouth, is sharper than a two-edged sword. They could call for a hundred billion tons of flies if they wanted to. Amen. WHATEVER THEY SAY, IS GOING TO HAPPEN, BECAUSE IT'S THE WORD OF GOD COMING FROM THE MOUTH OF GOD. Yeah. Amen. God, always, It's His Word, but He always uses man to work It.

Endnote: 63-0322 - The Fifth Seal William Marrion Branham

24 I believe...I'm not going to speak it in His Name; I'm going to speak it in my...in the revelation of my faith, what happened in Sabino Canyon the other day. I BELIEVE THAT THE HOUR IS APPROACHING, WHEN MISSING LIMBS WILL BE RESTORED, AND THE GLORIOUS POWER OF THE CREATOR. I—I believe, if He can make a squirrel appear, that has no...Here is the man or woman, just got a part missing. And that's complete animal, in itself. He is God. I—I love Him.

Endnote: 60-0313 - Hear Ye Him William Marrion Branham

37 Now, you see, Jesus had proven to God that He'd been the right kind of Son. And God took Him up on the top of the mountain, brought witnesses out there—heavenly witnesses and earthly witnesses—and He clothed Him in immortality. When they looked up, they said, "His garments shined like the sun." A supernatural something taken place. His garments glistened like the sun in its middle of the day, as white as they could be. God placed on Him that robe of immortality, showing that He had received Him. THAT'S THE THING THAT GOD WILL DO TO HIS SONS HERE ON EARTH SOMEDAY. He will call you aside, Church, if you'll only obey Him and stay on the Word and believe it. And He will place into the Church, before the coming of Jesus Christ... He will place into the Church... ALL THE POWERS THAT CHRIST HAD IN HIM WILL BE IN THE CHURCH. ALL THAT GOD WAS, HE POURED INTO JESUS; ALL THAT JESUS WAS, HE POURS INTO THE CHURCH. God wanting His work done, He sent it into His Son; the Son wanting the work done, sent it into the Church. "At that day you'll know that I'm in the Father, the Father in Me, and I in you, and you in Me." At that day, because the same power of God, was in Jehovah God, rested in Jesus Christ. The same power that rested in Jesus Christ, RESTS IN THE PLACED SONS IN THE BODY OF CHRIST. 38 PLACING OF A SON... TAKE HIM OUT IN A CERTAIN PLACE, HAVE A CEREMONY BEFORE ANGELS, AND PLACE HIM POSITIONALLY WHAT HE IS IN THE BODY OF CHRIST. THEN THAT PERSON HAS THE AUTHORITY. Let me say this, if you count me a fanatic from this night on. That very same thing that I'm speaking of will be done. THERE'LL BE A POWER PUT INTO THE CHURCH, AND NOW IS COMING IN, THAT THE HOLY SPIRIT WILL SO ANOINT THE PEOPLE, TILL THEY'LL SPEAK THE WORD AND IT'LL CREATE ITSELF RIGHT THERE. WE HAVEN'T SEEN POWERS LIKE'S COMING INTO THE CHURCH NOW. I KNOW IT FOR A FACT. "Say unto this mountain be moved. Don't doubt in your heart, but believe that what you've said shall come to pass, you can have what you have said": THE PLACING OF THE CHURCH IN POSITION, WHERE THE FULNESS OF THE POWER OF THE HOLY GHOST COMES INTO THE CHURCH. THEN CRITICS' MOUTHS WILL BE SHUT. IT'LL BE A SHORT TIME. Jesus come right off the mountain, went straight to Calvary. Notice, it won't last long, but it'll be here.

When? When are you gonna do them? Well, let me ask you something, they've had seven church ages to demonstrate what Adam had. Huh!

Oh, Mohamad preached said, "Were waiting for you Christians to demonstrate what the Bible said you had." He said, "When Mohammad comes back from the grave and gets on this white horse, the whole world will know about it overnight." And he said, "You Christians that have had all these thousands of years to prove that Christ rose from the dead, and you ain't done it yet." He said, "Two thirds of the world don't know even know about Christ, but when our prophet, Mohammed, rises up from the grave and gets on this white horse and rides, they'll know'er in twenty-four hours, from one end of the earth to the other." You know God hears all that.

You know I hear people say, "If there is a God, that heals why ain't he in this hospital." How many times have I heard that?

Well, I wanna prophesy to you! He's gonna go in the hospitals, because he heard them say that.

You know, I was over in the hospital. [I'm closing now] Funny things happen. You know what the Lord Jesus said to me many years ago. You know and I always heard that all my life, "If there's a..." And I said that to God! I said, "If there's a God that heals, why ain't He in the hospitals?" That's what I said! Now not knowing that three days later, he's gonna appear to me. You know he lets your mouth say something. Yeah!

I laid in bed, this doctor of divinity come in you know, clergy cloth. He didn't know, you know...I looked just like anybody else laying there in my pajamas, little ole bald head showing, you know. He come in said, "God bless you" "Thank you!" And he talked till finally he wanted to know where I went to church. I tried to get away from it you know. I didn't want him to know it, I was a preacher, so I could ask him a few questions. You'd be surprised how you can make a man sweat when you know a little Bible, you know. And he kept pinning me down. He said, "You go to church?" I said, "Yes, I go to church. But I wouldn't... He said, "What denomination?" I'd just say something else, he'd come back to it and said, "Brother Lambert where do you go to church?" I said, "I live in Rockfall" He said, "Do you go to Saint Coleman's church? And he named another church there?" I said, "No sir" He said, "So where do you go?" I said, "Well, it's a little further up the street." He said, "Well, there's only one more, it's a little store front building and its got a funny sign out front that says, "Jesus Christ the same yesterday and tomorrow," I said that the one I go to! He said, "Oh, I passed that many times" I said, "You have? I'm the pastor there." Yeah, He said... I said now, "I'd like to give you my testimony before you go doctor. I was a Baptist, and a dying man in the Veterans Hospital, like I am here today, I was dying." I said, "That Doctor, never even asked me if I was saved! And I was dying! But I said, "All he asked me what I was, Baptist, Methodist, or Presbyterian." I said, "I was dying, thought I was dying leaving the earth, going to hell me a sinner, and never even prayed with me." I said, "I doubt if he was even saved." And I said, "You know three days later my Baptist church told me that He didn't show visions no more, he didn't speak to nobody no more, he didn't heal no more, he was a God of history." And I said, "You know that Lord Jesus come down and talked to me like a man. Come down and talked to me like a man." And I said, "He told me about my ministry and that's why I'm preaching, because He give me a ministry..." And then he interrupted me, and he looked around to see if anybody was there, and he said, "Brother Lambert, that's a marvelous experience. Oh my, that's wonderful." He said, "Brother Lambert, do you believe God, Great God" ... He got all carried away! "The Great God, would come down in this hospital and heal?" I said, "DOCTOR, THAT GOD WILL COME RIGHT DOWN IN HERE ONE OF THESE DAYS!" He said, "I've always wondered about that!" Because there is so much dying and death in here. Said, "He'd come right down in the hospital and can heal?" I said, "He will!"

And I was thinking after he left, I thought, "Lord, now why did that man come up here and ask me? He doesn't know what you told me down there."

See, they say that, "Why don't He come down and heal!" He will! He's gonna show that He's the only God, potentate before He leaves here! THERE'S GONNA BE ONE MORE RIDE!

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.

Oh, friend, let me tell you my vison for this last day. There'll arise a little group of people in this land of the United States of America, that the abstract title deed brother will be sent down to. They have sit there and heard the mystery of His will revealed to them. And then the abstract title deed will come down, the great seal of God, the token, baptism of the holy Ghost. Brother, they'll run out in the streets a screaming and a yelling and demonstrating the power of God. And that ole denomination will swoop down on them and try to kill every one. But before it happens, this old world is gonna see a demonstration of the abstract title deed before it's over. How many want the abstract? (Amen) "The works that I do shall ye do also, and greater works than these shall you do."

Let's sing a hymn before we go.

Why? By having the mystery of His will read to you. Then the great abstract is to come down. Never could come down and be given today to redeem Adam, Eve. And all the saints of God will be redeemed by the Bride of the Lord Jesus. See how wonderful it is, all that God was He poured into Christ, and all that Christ is, He's gonna pour into the little Bride. She'll be a savior and a redeemer and imparter of eternal life. Oh, what power is given unto the children of men, that they could say just the Word of the Lord, and let it be that way.

Endnote:

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of God Revealed William Marrion Branham

160 God, expressed in Jesus Christ, Who was both Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, "the fullness of the Godhead bodily." 161 Now "the complete fullness of the Godhead bodily" dwells in His Church, the preeminences. All that God was, He poured into Christ; and all Christ was, was poured into the Church, the believers. 162 Not denomination! We'll get to that in a few minutes, and it'll take it out of your mind forever, see; show you what causes that, by the help of God, if He'll just permit it to us. 163 What's His purpose now? Express Himself as a Son, see, and, now, that in Him might dwell "the fullness of the Godhead bodily." I'm, I've got Colossians laying here, right before me. See? That, all through the Scripture, that's what God purpose was. Then, through this Life of this Son, His cross, "the Blood," it says here, "of His cross," that He might reconcile to Himself a Body, a Bride; which is Eve, second Eve. And God give it in a type, like He did Moses and all of them. The same thing He did in Adam and Eve, giving a type, that they were Christ and the Bride. He is the second Adam; the Church is the second Eve.

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."

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)

Now where's the sisters that can play the piano?

Now brother and sister, that day ain't far off. We feel the presence of God as he's drawing near the earth with his great power comes down and visits with us time and time again. The giver of the abstract is upon the earth, the world don't know about it. All the movie stars and they see Hollywood's failed. Oh my, everybody's seeking for the Lord Jesus, but only the little bride is gonna find him. said, "You'll seek for me in that day and you won't find me."

## John 7:34-Reference quote:

34 Ye shall seek me, and shall not find me: and where I am, thither ye cannot come.

But there'll be an elected number who hears the mystery of His will read, and the abstract title deed will be sent down to a few. And they will take over, and do the works that Adam their brother, sold them out for. They'll be given back all that power and all that authority.

Now, can't you see that it's more than going to church, going to church, and being religious? Christianity is the proof of the resurrection of the dead and that you have the abstract title deed and you are demonstrating to the world that the person of Christ has indwelt you, and the works that He did you're doin' them also.

Now let's stand to our feet. Let's sing that ole blessed hymn, 'Amazing Grace.' How will we arrive there, by the grace of God! (*Congregation sings, 'Amazing Grace.*')

Page number, 219. Jesus keep me near the cross there a precious fountain, free to all a healing stream flows from Calvary's mountain. Friend, that's where we need to stay, near the cross. Now let's sing this before we leave. (*Congregation sings, 'Jesus Keep me Near the Cross'*)

Friend, near the cross. You see what's happening out here, she's all over. America's ready for the burning, that's all there is to it. It'll be a burning ash heap from one end to the other, millions and millions of souls, burnt by the atomic fire. Stay near the cross. The hour of his wrath is at hand. God help us to be faithful, knowing that we don't have much more pilgrimage left. We're just waiting for the power to come upon us to get us out of here. A short powerful demonstration of the Holy Ghost, this little hunted persecuted Bride will go to be with the Lord Jesus. And so, shall we ever be with the Lord.

Ichabob is written upon the door, been weighed in the balance's and found wanting.

## Daniel 5:23-28-Reference quote:

- 23 But hast lifted up thyself against the Lord of heaven; and they have brought the vessels of his house before thee, and thou, and thy lords, thy wives, and thy concubines, have drunk wine in them; and thou hast praised the gods of silver, and gold, of brass, iron, wood, and stone, which see not, nor hear, nor know: and the God in whose hand thy breath is, and whose are all thy ways, hast thou not glorified:
- 24 Then was the part of the hand sent from him; and this writing was written.
- 25 And this is the writing that was written, MENE, MENE, TEKEL, UPHARSIN.
- 26 This is the interpretation of the thing: MENE; God hath numbered thy kingdom, and finished it.
- 27 TEKEL; Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting.
- 28 PERES: Thy kingdom is divided, and given to the Medes and Persians.

May we be weighed in the balances and found not wanting, but be filled with faith, virtue, knowledge, temperance, patients, godliness, brotherly, kindness, and sealed by the Capstone Baptism. We'll balance God's scales to go out of here. We're not going out of here lopsided half

in the world and half in the world ...break in tape... How many want to balance the scales, filled up with all the wheat of God?

Now with our heads bowed and our eyes closed, Brother Kenny, dismisses us in a word of prayer.

## The End



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