

LAW ENFORCEMENT

Sunday 19th June 2022

Revelations 5:5

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

2 Corinthians 6:7-10

7 By the word of truth, by the power of God, by the armour of righteousness on the right hand and on the left,

8 By honour and dishonour, by evil report and good report: as deceivers, and yet true;

9 As unknown, and yet well known;
as dying, and, behold, we live; as
chastened, and not killed;

¹⁰ As sorrowful, yet always rejoicing; as poor, yet making many rich; as having nothing, and yet possessing all things.

Webster dictionary

Possess (verb)

pos·sess | \ pə-'zes also -'ses

: to have and hold as property

: to seize and take control of

THE LEGAL CLAIM

The document that is the source of
Authority to possess
(The Book)

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

116 Now, oh, my! Now, the forfeited title deed is now in the hands of the original Owner, Almighty God.

The title deed to the earth, and to
Eternal Life, when Adam forfeited it;
then Satan's dirty hands could not
take it, so it went back to its original
Owner, God Himself.

We're going to find it, just in a minute. There He sits on the Throne, with it in His hand, the title deed. [Brother Branham claps his hands together two times—Ed.] Oh, that makes me feel religious.

The title deed to Eternal Life, abstract title deed to Eternal Life, when Adam forfeited it for wisdom, instead of faith, it went back to the hands of the Owner, Almighty God. What a great thing!

117 All right, waiting. What's it doing? In the hands of God, waiting for redemption claims. He made a way of redemption, He made a way back, and someday the Redeemer is to take it back.

You see where we're getting to now?
We'll watch this Fellow sitting upon the
Throne. All right, waiting for redemption
claims, its redemption.

119 Its redemption means all legal possession to all that was lost by Adam and Eve. Oh, my! [Brother Branham claps his hands together once.]

What ought that to do to a
born-again Christian! Its legal
possession to that abstract deed, title
deed of Eternal Life,

means that you possess everything
that Adam and Eve lost. Whew! What
of it, brother? The possession of that
deed!

God's Law required a Kinsman
Redeemer

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167 Here is the Book, here is the title
deed, and It will be offered to the
Kinsman Redeemer that can meet the
qualifications.

That's God's Own law, and He can't defile His law, can't defy His law, rather. See? God required a Kinsman Redeemer Who was worthy, Who was able to do it, Who had the substance to do it.

Grace provided the requirements
of the Law

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121 But the law required a Kinsman Redeemer. The law of God required a Kinsman Redeemer. You want to mark that down, “Kinsman Redeemer,” find it in Leviticus 25.

123 But God's law received a substitute. Now, what if God had not offered to take a substitute? But love constrained Him to do it.

That, man was without a way back,
and there's no way for him to get back.
He was gone. But the grace of God
met this Kinsman Redeemer in the
Person of Jesus Christ.

Law required it. Grace met its requirements. Oh, amazing grace, how sweet the sound! God's law required an innocent substitute.

Kinsman Redeemer met the requirement (Paid the price) at Calvary but He has to take the Book and pass it to the beneficiaries – so that they can enforce it.

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Seals

37 Now, see, the mystery of this
Seven-Seal Book will be revealed at the
sounding of the seventh church angel's
Message. See?

“The seventh angel begins to sound,”
and there is the Messages wrote out
there, and we got It in tape and book
form. Now, “At the beginning of the
sounding of the Message,

the mystery of God should be finished, see, at that time.” Now we will notice. The Book, of the mystery of God, is not revealed until the seventh angel’s Message is sounded.

God's challenge is to ensure that
only the Predestinated receive it
(Hide it)

63-0319 - The Second Seal

78 Now, remember. Don't...And don't forget now, that, "He does nothing until He reveals it." And don't forget, also,

that He does it in such a simple way,
that, “The wise and the prudent miss
it.” Now, if you want to mark that
down, that’s Matthew 11:25-26. And,
remember, “He does nothing till He
reveals it.”

To know Who God is, what He is, how
He lives, His nature, His Being.

62-1014E - A Guide

35 And the Holy Spirit always speaks of the Word. “I’ve got many things to tell you, you cannot understand It now, but when He comes, He’ll guide you to It.” That’s the reason the coming of the Seals.

At the finishing of the Seventh Seal,
the mystery of God should be finished,
to **know** Who God is, what He is, how
He lives, His nature, His Being.

You're supposed to be all the way up here by that time, see, bring us into the full stature of sons and daughters of God,

a Church that's washed in the Blood of Christ, that's bought without money, is paid for by the Blood of Jesus Christ.

Knowing - The facts that God and
Christ are one

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

147 Everything that...That shall never die. It's constantly unrolling itself.

From the very thing happening, to the picture being Jesus standing looking at us;

and now exactly on Sunset Mountain,
and the sunset Light. The evening Light
has come, God vindicating Himself.
What is it? It is the facts that God and
Christ are one.

The “white,” how many seen it, the white wig upon Him, as we talked in Revelation 1? See, the Supreme Deity, Supreme Authority;

no other voice, no other god, no other
nothing! “In Him dwells the fullness of
the Godhead bodily.” The Angels
Themselves was His wig. Amen.

148 What's happened upon Mount
Sunset? God confirming His Word.
That's what all this noise is about.
Notice, it's God fulfilling His promised
Word again, of Revelation 10:1 to 7,

“And in the days of the sounding of the seventh angel’s Message, the mystery of God should be finished.”

The hidden mystery of Revelation 10:1 to 7, the last Message to the last church age. Fulfills exactly, in this age, Saint Luke 17:30, “The day when the Son of man shall be revealed.”

Knowing Him is Eternal Life

John 17:3 And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent.

Come back with Eternal Life - as long
as you're pregnated, you become in
Him.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of
God Revealed

517 As the Head was took from the
grave, so must the Body follow Him
back to Eden. Where, the Head of the
family, the Man, the Bridegroom;

the Bride being the Body of the
Bridegroom, must follow, the Bride,
because that's the Head. And the Head
is revealed, and come back with
Eternal Life;

and the Body must follow that,
because it is Husband and Wife
again. Amen! And as long as you're
pregnated with the same Word,

which is His Body; you've took His
Body, become in Him, when you took
the Word. Not the creed; the Word!
Oh, my!

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

269....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.

270 If you haven't fed fully on every
Word, to give yourself strength to fly
above all these denominations and
things of the world, will you at this
time do it, while we pray?

When you know Him - then you
recognize yourself in Him

St. John 14:20

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

Then when the revelation comes
forth, then it's, "I in you, and you in
Me."

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of
God Revealed

449 Jesus said, “At that day,” that’s this day. “At that day,” when this revelation is made known, “you will know that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me; I in you, and you in Me.”

When the revelation is made manifest,
“At that day ye shall know that I and
the Father are One; I am in the Father,
and the Father is in Me.”

Then when the revelation comes forth, then it's, "I in you, and you in Me." There you are. See the manifold, threefold mani-..What for? To bring it back. We've got to be...

All that's in this Book is the Believer

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of
God Revealed

524 Now you see the Seals? When He's in His mediatorial work back there, redeeming, but some day He comes forth to get this Book that He's redeemed.

And all that's in this Book would be
Him, for that's the believer, the words
in the Book, and the Word is Him. And
all that's in that,

He come forth for this Book of Redemption, whose names are written on the Book before the foundation of the world, when He was slain as a Lamb.

Is my name there? - **There you are!**

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Seals

300 Say, "Is my name there?" I don't know. I hope it is. But, if it is, it was put on the Book before the foundation of the world.

301 But the first thing, that
represented that redemption, come
the Lamb that had been slain from the
foundation of the world. And He took
the Book, (glory!) opened the Book,

and tore off the Seals; and sent It
down to the earth, to His seventh
angel, to reveal It to His people!

[Congregation greatly rejoices—Ed.]

There you are. Oh, my! What
happened?

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62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride
Tree

86 Enforcement! Oh, what a text! How
I'd like to have two days on that,
enforce!

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

84 To restore, means, “to bring back.”
Or, to restore, a—a claim can be
enforced, now, to bring anything back
to its rightful owner, where it belongs.

Therefore, some way, it went away from its rightful owner, and can wander around anywhere. But, to restore, is to bring it back to it who really owns it,

or to bring it back to its natural estate
where it was at the first time, bring it
back into its natural condition.

And in order to do this, we have a right to enforce, if there is a law, to enforce this rightful condition of restoration, to restore.

85 Like if somebody stole some property, and they're holding the property captive. Then you can take the law and go to this person,

and the law forces, enforces this
person to restore this property back to
its natural owner, into its liable first
estate.

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

97 What is it? Enforcing. “Give it back.” See? That’s it. That’s what it’s talking about. “Restore it. Bring it back to its right owner.”

98 And if Satan has robbed you of the privilege of being a son or a daughter of God, we have a right this morning, by the Holy Spirit, to enforce the claim of God. “Bring them back.”

63-0120E - Just One More Time, Lord
15 Satan has no more power, only as
he can bluff with it. If he can bluff you
into it, all right, you'll have to have it.
But, legally, he has no power at all,
every power he had was taken from
him at Calvary.

That's where the price was paid. He is nothing but a bluff! If you want to listen to his bluff, well, all right. But, you don't have to, you are free tonight. He has made you free.

16 And now if something in the Word
can make you realize that you are free
by His grace, or if something, realize,

and the Word makes you understand,
or some act of God, that it included
you, it includes us all, then you just
accept it on those basis, and you're
free, also.

You don't have to feel any different,
you don't have to feel anything at all.
It's not based upon...Jesus never did
say, "Did you feel it?" He said, "Did you
believe it?" It's faith!

That's our—that's our—our...Faith
is—is an arm, a mighty arm that holds
the sharp two-edged Sword of God.

And that sharp two-edged Sword will cut every promise free, if that arm of faith is able to yield that Sword.

Some people has very weak muscle trouble and they can just maybe cut off a little scratch, enough to join a church. Others can come into justification.

Some can go all the way to the baptism of the Holy Spirit. A great strong arm, holding this Bible, can cut every promise free. That's right. So be strong in the Lord!

62-0506 - Possessing All Things

59 Yet Abraham had a right to the promise, and the promise was his, yet he had to fight to possess it. Amen.

There you are.

The believer today, yet we're heir to all things, yet we're heir to every spiritual blessing, every physical blessing, every blessing the Bible promises, yet you have to fight every inch of it.

That's the way God's got it set up. It's always been that way. You have to fight to possess what you know is your own. You have to fight to possess it. And that's what we have to do now.

62-0506 - Possessing All Things

83 Oh, my, how I like that, believer's promise! You say, "What's that got to do with us?" To every believer! The believer's promise is Eternal Life. The believer's promise is Life, joy, peace,

longsuffering, gentleness, patience,
fruits of the Spirit, Divine healing, a
dozen things I got wrote down here,
nearly, that is your possession. It
belongs to you, but you cannot have it
until you fight for it. It's yours.

Everything that's seen, every temporal thing that's seen, belongs to me. God give it to me, because through Christ He gave it to me.

And things unseen belongs to me.

Amen. I like that! What you can see, like Divine healing, so forth, like that, that's good, we appreciate that; but the unseen!

The Enforcement Agent

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The
Bride Tree

88 Enforce! Then, we are the...have
the privilege to enforce, upon Satan,
the claims that God give us.

For, God has a law, and His Word is a law, and God in this Word made certain claims to the Church.

Therefore, we have a right to force these claims upon Satan, and say, "Give it back," and he has to do it.

Because, we can take God's Agent,
the Holy Spirit, go right down on our
knees, and say, "It's THUS SAITH THE
LORD."

He's got to give it up, that's all,
'cause the Holy Spirit is there to
make him do it.

The law of the land is to enforce. It's
by the land, for the land.

89 But the law of the Spirit of God is to force Satan to give up that which he has unrightfully, deceitfully taken from God. Souls of men, he took from God; souls of women, children.

Sickness of the body, he placed upon people. Where, God made them in His image, to be like Him, and the Church is given the rightful legal rights, by the Bible, to take the Holy Spirit and enforce this upon him.

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94 Now, there's—there's the law.

Now, the One that's here to enforce
that law is the Holy Spirit.

How about people who don't believe in the Holy Spirit, would reject Him? See? Re-...You're rejecting your own peace and mercy. See?

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Bride Tree

132 Then, the law of God has got to
work by that Word. We're coming
down to a great thing in a minute.
See? See? Where, the law of God's
Word, the Law of God, is with His
Word.

133 Now, if the court writes out a word, “It is certain-certain thing, a penalty, to do so-and-so.” All right. Now, that’s the word of the court, and the law of the court enforces the word of the court.

134 And God speaks something, and that is a law. And the Holy Spirit is here to enforce that law, amen, for the believer. You have to be ordained to do so, and it takes a believer.

You got to have the badge of
“believer.” Somebody says, “You got
power?” No. But we got authority.
That’s it. Not power; but authority.
We ain’t got enough power to do
nothing.

How the Enforcement Works – The Process

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

101 Now, the only way He can work,
is when you let Him work. See? You've
got to believe it. There's a law. Oh, if I
ever get to my text. There's a law.
There's a law given amongst
everything.

102 You know, a fish has a law. And that fish can stand up here in water, and he has a law within him. If he'll just let go of that law that's in him, he can sink plumb to the bottom of the sea.

Won't bother him a bit. Won't break one cell. You try to do it. That law is not in you. You can't do it, but the fish can. He deflates himself with that air, such a way that he can't, there's nothing in him to burst open.

And he's made that way. He knows it.
And he can enforce that law, to take
him plumb to the bottom of the sea,
and then raise him back up again. Oh!

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

104 A bird has a law. Now, its body is material. It's earthbound, sets on the earth here. But it has a law within it, that, the way it spreads its wings, it can fly plumb out of sight.

That's against science. They claim it's—it's earthbound; gravitation has to hold it here. But it can defy gravitation, lift itself right off of it and go right on out, because it has to put that law that's in it to work. And it's built to possess that law.

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The
Bride Tree

105 Now I'm beginning to feel
religious. Now, we have a law, the law
of the Life in us. We don't...Only
thing you have to do...

You are made, and born, and placed here in the Body of Christ, as sons and daughters of God. You don't have to knuck' down to the devil. We've got a law.

That's the law of the Holy Spirit. The only thing you know...have to do, is know how to let go and let God.

You keep fighting at it, see, and it
won't never work. When, you let go
and let God, that's all. See?

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

106 If the fish said, “Wait, I’ll catch my breath real good. I’ll breathe up a little oxygen in me, and I’ll see if I can go down.” No. He does that, he’ll burst open. See?

107 The bird says, “I’ll see how fast I can run down here, and maybe I’ll take off.” No. He won’t do it. He’ll fall down. See? He’s got to know how to control, how that law can control him.

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The
Bride Tree

108 And the same way it is with us. It isn't what we fight, and pull, and—and hurry, and—and, “Oh, if I don't get this, if I don't get that.”

That's not it. Is to know that the law
of Life is in you, and you just let go
and let God. Then He takes you to
your healing, takes you to the
baptism of the Spirit ,

or anything that He's promised. Any claim that He's given is yours, and by letting go and letting God. Now, if you're...

51-0722A - Life Story

9 Now, there's a perfect way and a permissive way. And I feel that if God, here on the platform, can show me things that has been, and in my rooms and so forth,

He's able to tell me just where He wants me and what He wants me to do. But I feel as long as I've got it all hooked up, or I—I feel like then He won't put His hands on it, as long as I'm doing it. And that's the way it is, anything.

As long as you're going to do it...If
someone talks about you, and you talk
back about them, God can't fight your
battle; you're fighting it yourself. See?
Just—just let loose and let Him do it.

And just commit it to Him. The greatest weapon that I know of, of a Christian today, is a committal to God. When you can't do nothing about it, just commit it to Him, and God will take care of it

**The Law Enforcement Works
Regardless of the Conditions**

62-0422 - The Restoration Of The Bride Tree

119 God has set all of His laws to
serve Him, both natural and spiritual,
working according to His Word,
regardless of the conditions. I love
that.

I had a Scripture here on that. Yes, sir. God sets all of His laws in motion. Think of it. Let it soak in now, 'cause we're coming to a healing service in a few minutes. See?

God set all of His laws into motion,
that it must work according to His
Own Word. Are you getting it? See?
His Word! His laws has to work
according to His Word.

He commanded the sun. He
commanded the moon. He
commanded the earth. He
commanded nature.

And they all fall right in line, and all
the laws work in harmony with God's
spoken Word. And the law of Life
that's in us will also bring us to a
resurrection. It's got to. It's impossible
for it not.

122 Regardless of how little we are,
how low we are, how impure we are,
how unholy we are, how sick we are,
how afflicted we are;

the law of God's Spirit, by His Word,
makes it obey Him, forces the issue,
and says, "Give it back!" Amen.

Oh, if we could just think of that for a minute. Forces it, regardless of conditions. No matter what the condition is, the law of God's Word forces the condition to cope with His Word. See? It's got to.

62-0506 - Possessing All Things

107 “Brother Branham, are you worthy of that?” No. “You think I’m worthy?” No. “Do you think the Bishop’s worthy?” No. “Is there ever a man worthy?” No. “Well, why?”
You’re an heir.

108 If you was the biggest drunkard in the world, and your father left you a million dollars, whether you're worthy or not, his—his—his heir, you're the heir of your father's heritage.

Whatever he left you, it's yours
whether you're worthy or not. He left
it to you. Amen.

SERVE THE NOTICE TODAY!

62-0506 - Possessing All Things

61 The promise is yours. But, if you ever get it, you ain't going to get it easy, I'm going to tell you that. You're going to have to take it away from Satan.

Satan captures your health, you've got a right to go to—to Satan, say, “Give it back! Hand it over! I come in the Name of the Lord, the Possessor of Heavens and earth, and I'm His heir. Give it back!”

You took my child, you got her mixed up with the wrong boy. You took my boy and mixed up with the wrong girl. I claim them! That's right. I claim my children, I claim my brother, I claim my sister.

Yes, Satan, you've took them from God's house, coaxed them out there, but I'm coming after them. I claim them.” “Well, how you know?”

62 “I’m an heir of all things. Amen. It’s given to me. I’m an heir, I can claim everything that God promised me.”

Amen.

There you are. "It's mine." How do you get it, something you done? No, sir. It's the unmerited gift that God gave us, and it's ours, it belongs to us.

Satan cannot hold it if you go to him in the—the Scriptural authoritative Word, with faith, to say, “It’s mine! Lay it down.” Amen. Glory! I like that. “Satan, you lay it down.

You took it from me. You give it back, because I'm serving notice on you. I've got the notice written right here on the Word, 'Heavens and earth will pass away, but this notice shall not.'

So I come with this notice, to serve on
you, that Jesus Christ said whatsoever
I ask the Father in His Name He'll give
it to me.

If I say to this mountain, 'be moved,' and don't doubt in my heart, but believe that what I've said shall come to pass, I can have what I said. Lay it down!"

That gets him started. Don't get him started, gets him running. "Lay it down, because I have come with the Scriptural authority. I am a believer."
You get it? Yes, sir. Yes, sir.