

The Holy Ghost Today Part ii

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The Holy Ghost
Quickens Us Into Our
Position In The Body
Of Jesus Christ

1 Corinthians 12:12-13

¹² For as the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ.

¹³ For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit.

The Holy Ghost Is The
Same In Every Age

God Is Not Just Piling
Up Material; He Is
Building His
Tabernacle

63-0116 - The Evening

Messenger

9 Now, you know, when God came to the earth, when He was brooding over the earth at the beginning,

and maybe the first thing did
come up was a—a polliwog, as
the scientists try to say.

Next thing might have been something...I believe in true Christian evolution, but I don't believe it all come from a single cell. I believe it just...

God made a polliwog, and then He made a fish, and then He made something else. And just...I believe in coming up, not by the same cell, but a different creature all the time.

10 And finally He kept on, coming higher specie, and after a while it reflected the One that was doing the brooding, which was God.

Now, to prove that's right, when God was made flesh it was Jesus Christ, a man. See? So, not an Angel, a man. So it goes to show that it reflected Him.

61-0216 - The Mark Of The
Beast And The Seal Of God #1

19 I believe in evolution. The first thing maybe, when there was nothing but just plain chaos, volcanic eruption.

You know, God's a great Contractor. You believe that? A great contractor always lays out all of his stuff when he builds his subdivision.

God, when He was moving the earth around, creating calcium, potash, and petroleum, and so forth, He was laying our bodies on the earth right then,

the material that we're made out of. And the great Holy Spirit went out from God to brood over the earth, or coo, make love like a hen her brood.

And His...Let's think He had wings. He did not, but let's think He had wings like—like a hen over a brood.

He begin to brood over the earth. And I can see some calcium coming, running down a little place, mixing up with some moisture and potash.

And a little Easter flower come out. And I can hear Him say, “Come here, Father, and look at this.”

“Very good, keep on brooding.”

After while, brood a little more. What come out next was probably the—the flowers and the vegetations, and the birds flew out of the dust of the earth.

And then come the animal life,
and kept getting higher life,
higher life, higher life, higher
life, until finally a man come up
in the very image of God.

Strange something didn't come up higher than that, wasn't it? Can't get no higher; it was the image of God.

So as it...Evolution brings it up like that. But they can't cross and make themselves higher, God said every seed brings of its kind. Now, in that come up then, the man.

63-1229M - There Is A Man Here
That Can Turn On The Light
162 Yesterday's, Luther's
manna, would not work for
Methodist. Methodist manna
would not work for Pentecost.

Pentecostal manna will not work for today. See what I mean? Every day it come, day by day, fresh, and so has it through the church ages.

Luther's manna was the
message of justification.
Wesley's message was
the manifestation of sanctifica
tion. Pentecostal was the
restoration of the gifts.

But this is introducing the
Headstone, the last day, the
Bride Tree, which is contrary to
all of it, and yet It's the same
Light for the matured.

Like the same sun, shine today,
will be ripening the grain for
the harvest in July. See what I
mean? But the light today
won't do any good back there
in July. It's stronger.

The wheat is more advanced;
it's ready to take it. Amen.

Certainly is. They couldn't take
it now; it can then. The season
wasn't right, then; it is now.

59-1217 - What Was The Holy Ghost
Given For?

50 Same Holy Spirit that saved
the Lutherans, that sanctified the
Methodists, that baptized the
Pentecostals, is now setting in or
der the Coming of the Lord Jesus.

When, it'll be so powerful, that
Body, will come into this
Group, a Church, that'll draw
the rest of them from the
grave. There'll be a
resurrection.

That's what the Holy Ghost is
for. What is the Holy Ghost?
“Without us they cannot be
made perfect.” They lived in
one day, under that. We live in
another day.

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of
The Bride Of Christ

65 Now, God, He, every
generation, He adds
a new part of His Book. It all
goes together.

66 Like my body was built. I'm told it started in the spine, but wasn't all spine. It went from that to ribs,

and from...lungs, and to hands,
and arms, and feet, and so
forth, and it come on out to be
the person that I am.

67 And so was God manifested in the beginning. And finally He was appeared as Jehovah, God the Father.

Then He appeared as God the Son, in Jesus Christ. Now He's appeared as God the Holy Ghost. The same God, all the time, three manifestations of the same—same God.

68 Now, we find in this, that,
each generation, God has
lotted His Word from the
beginning.

69 Just like evolution came. Just like first thing God created, probably, was...Let's say He created botany life, first.

Then He created animal life,
next. Then He created human
life, next. Kind of an evolution,
rising higher.

70 So has it been in God and
His Church. Justification under
Luther. Sanct-...That's pulling
His Bride out, now.

He's creating His Bride.
Justification under Luther;
sanctification under Wesley;
and so forth, you see.

He, the evolution of the Spirit
being given more and
more, 'cause the Body is
building, coming to the Head,
which is Christ, the Body of
Christ.

What Makes The Holy
Spirit Different Between
The Ages Is The Word
Lotted To Them

65-1204 - The Rapture

47 God lotted His Word out to
each age, and each one of
those age has to manifest
That.

And He also foreordained men
for that age, to fulfill that
Word. Every time He lotted His
Word, He lotted a man for
it. When He lotted Moses'
time, He lotted Moses to it.

When He lotted the time for
the Son of God to be born,
He lotted Him to it. Every age,
He's lotted His man,
foreordained, as the Bible said.
Nothing...

65-1205 - Things That Are To
Be

11The Church is growing.
Each age, it's lotted in the
Scripture here.

So, God, through the Holy Spirit, reveals His Word, by manifesting It and vindicating It, Hisself, showing that It's His Word being brought to pass in the day that It's promised. ...

The Holy Spirit Is The
Quickener Of The
Word

65-0410 - The Easter Seal

52 Now, now, is the Spirit that quickens.

It's not the Word that quicken
s.

It's the Spirit that quickens the
Word, or gives the Word Life,
gives It wings to fly, gives It
access. It's the Spirit that does
that.

65-0911 - God's Power To
Transform

112 God, through a Seed of His
Word! And there is only one
thing that can quicken the
Word, and that is the Spirit, for
It is the Life-Giver to the
Word.

And when the Life in the Word
meets the Life of the Spirit, It
produces whatever the Seed
is.

64-0404 - Jehovah-Jireh #3

115 As I said, take these old mother birds. It's coming springtime.

I was noticing the other day,
how they're taking straw and
going up and making their
nests. Now she can get up there
and make a nest, and lay a nest
full of eggs;

and sit on them, and hover
them, and be so loyal to them
eggs until she—she would get
so poor she can't fly off the
nest, to get her something to
eat.

But if she hasn't been with the male bird, they'll never hatch. They're not fertile. You know that. They'll lay in the nest, and rot.

116 And that's the way of some of our churches. We just got a nest full of rotten eggs. They don't have no faith of Abraham.

It's time to clean the nest and start back, get in contact; not with some organization, some theological seminary.

But get in contact with the
mate, Christ Jesus, Who brings
the fertility to the Spirit of Life
that's in you. He is the One
that makes you believe It.

Clean out the nest and start
over again.

64-0719M - The Feast Of The Trumpets

112 Go into the prophet's chamber and watch them seven steps. Where did the—where did the guard meet the challenge to bring the comer into the presence of the king?

At the top of the steps; was in the seventh step. There shows that we've got to come again with that same Spirit that was on John; he introduced the Messiah.

He was greater than all the prophets; he introduced It. And we've got to come to a place, again, to something that's going to introduce the Messiah.

113 And how will the
Messiah...the people that's
believing Him know it unless
they're constantly in the Word
, to know what He is!

Daniel said, “The wise shall know; but the foolish, the unwise, wouldn’t know. They shall know their God.” Now, now, how He shall appear in the last days,

is to bring the people back to
the Word, so that the Bride will
know Her Husband, know Her
Mate, the revealed
Word. That's why this has to
happen.

114 It wasn't in the reformers;
wasn't in Luther, Wesley,
and—and the Pentecostals, and
them. Scripture says it wasn't.

115 But it will come. That is His promise for this age. We're living in the age that His Coming will be in.

**She must be identified in Him.
Any woman must be identified
with her husband, for the two
are one.**

And Christ's Bride has to be identified with Him, for the two are One; and He is the Word, not the denomination. The Word!

60-0515E - Adoption #1

76You know, a Christian knows who his Papa was. See, it takes two to make a birth.
That's right, papa and mama.

The mule don't know which was
papa, or which was mama. But
we know Who Papa and Mama
was, for we were born of the
written Word of God,
confirmed by the Spirit.

Peter said, on the Day of Pentecost, “If you will repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the Name of Jesus Christ, for the remission of your sins, you shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.”

77 And, brother, a real
borned-again Christian, (oh,
my) his spirit, as soon as he
gets the Word, he receives the
Holy Ghost. Ask him
something then! He knows
where he's standing.

65-0829 - Satan's Eden

123 I heard Brother Neville say, this morning, someone might have been asking him why didn't I preach on the Holy Ghost, why didn't I do *this*.

Here it is. The Holy Ghost is the
action in you. It's a Life, not an
emotion; not some sort of a
fleshly evidence.

But It is a Person, Jesus Christ,
the Word of God established in
your heart, to quicken every
Word of this age.

Right. Watch the Holy Ghost in
action, not so much in
demonstrations; but, in action,
what It does according to the
Word.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's Filter

164 What's It drawing? It's
drawing through the Word,
because you are a part of the
Body of Christ of this age. And
if that Word is in you,

It can only draw through the
Word, the Spirit
that quickens that Word that's
in you. Just the Word alone
won't live. That's the reason,
“All the Father has given Me will
come to Me;

and if I be lifted up, I'll draw all men unto Me." See? See, "the Father," the part of the Body of Christ that's in the world, predestinated, put into the heart.

The Bride Is
Comprised Of Saints
Of All The Ages, Not
Just The Last Day

64-1212 - The Harvest Time

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. They'll come up missing, you won't even know they're gone.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

226 And He said, “As it was in the days of Noah, so will it be in the coming of the Son of man, see, where eight souls were saved.”

227 I don't say there going to be eight saved now. Now don't get that all wrong. I never said that.

I don't know how many is be,
going to be saved in that, that
that's the...that last moment
to—to Rapture that little group.

It'll be a small group, I'll tell you that. "For strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, but few there'll be that'll find it."

228 But when the great
ransomed Body through all
ages comes up, then that's
going to be
a great throne there! Revelatio
n 7 express it,

“Great number, which no man
could number,” through all the
ages has come up, THEM
THAT’S WALKED IN THE LIGHT
OF THE BIBLE AS FAR AS IT WAS
REVEALED TO THEM.

And now we know that Wesley
had more Light than Luther
did. We know Pentecost
outshined Wesley. See?
Certainly, it does.

229 Because, it just gradually let loose, as it did down through the prophets, and so forth, till it was perfectly made known, “the Godhead bodily in Christ.”

230 And now the Christ in the Church is just being made known. The whole thing is the revelation of God,

to take Eve back to her right position again with her Husband. Notice, and God is the Husband of the Church, and the Church is His Bride.

By Quickening You To
The Word Of The Age,
The Holy Ghost Places
You In Your Position In
The Body Of Christ

63-0901E - Desperations

22 And all the things that He
hasn't done down through the
ages, in the church ages, He is
now doing.

Back to the Word, because the
messages and the messages
and the messages has to wind
up in the entire Word.

And in the last days, the Seven
Seals being opened, was to
pick up every straggler that's
been left off in it, and make
the whole thing in one great
big body of the Bride,

that them who lived back there
was not perfect until this
Church be perfected, this Bride
group in the last days, to bring
them in, and all together be
taken up. See?

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

128 Neither will a Christian eat
on that dead a carrions from old
denominational doctrines and
things.

They want the Word of God,
fresh, the promise of the hour.
God promised rabbits in the
days of Luther. He promised
other things in the days of
others.

But now He promised us a full
square Meal, the full seven
course Menu, for all the Seven
Seals are opened, and
everything is ready for the
Word of God, to those who can
receive!....?....

64-0816 - Proving His Word

210 He proves all of His

Words, all of His Words. Just

think of it, all of His Words!

And you were His Word. He

was the Word, and you were

part of His Word.

And, that's the reason you're
sent here, to confirm your
place in life. |—|—| don't think
you got that. See, He is the
Word. Now you get it?

211 He was in the feet, in
Luther; in the thighs, in
Wesley; in the shoulders, in
Pentecost. See what I mean?

He is the Head. You have
a part that joins that together,
this hour that we're living
now; not the feet part, not the
thigh part, not the shoulder
part, but the neck part.

Is that right? It joins to the head. That's the part of the body. Those that are asleep in Jesus will God bring with Him. The trumpet of God shall sound, and the dead in Christ shall rise first.

Is that right? See, you become a
part of that Word, you become
a part of Him. And you take His
Name to recognize it,

see, you're placed in there,
baptized into His Name, into
His Body, "By one Spirit we're
all baptized in one Body," into
here, just exactly like the same
position.

He never changes His way.
If...How many believes the early
Church is in Him? Let's see, how
many believes it?

How were they baptized? All right. See, He's unchangeable God. We proved that. We could stay here till midnight tonight, proving that, and still go on and on and on.

See, unchangeable! See? You
are in Him and a part of Him,
because you were a part of the
thinking of Him. Before the
foundation of the world, He
called you!

65-0822M - Christ Is Revealed In
His Own Word

160 A little lady here, she don't belong in this organization, or this organization...belong in this congregation.

She comes from somewhere else, and she come in this morning, got a picture there.

She was...give it to my son, who was very much astonished.I don't know whether she ever heard about This or not.

I don't know. She had a picture of this Angel of the Lord that was on the Seven Church Ages, Seven Seals opened, out there, when it did.

Said, looked back through
there, and she seen that
standing in the sky, in a
dream. And she looked back
through there and seen that,
seen somebody in white,
marching forward;

and behind it, said it
looked...Said, "Brother
Branham, it was you." And
said, "Marched in there," said,
"behind you, was people of
different colors, packing
banners;

Georgia, Alabama, all different
kind of places, marching
forward,” coming
up into the headship to where
Christ was being revealed into
the vision. Oh, hallelujah!

64-0802 - The Future Home Of The
Heavenly Bridegroom And The
Earthly Bride

267 And if you are the Bride, the
Bride is a part of the
Husband. And if...The only place
that you'll ever recognize it,

is recognize what part of that
Husband (that Word) you
are, or you can't recognize
being the Bride. How many
sees that? See? See? You have
to recognize your position.

268 You can't recognize
somebody else's. What
if—what if Moses would have
come with Noah's message?

And Noah was a part of it, but it wouldn't have worked. What if—if—if—if Jesus would have come with Moses' Message? It wouldn't have worked.

See, it was a different age, it was a different prophecy, a different part of the Word had to be fulfilled there. They was in another day of the week.

Not, Tuesday's work can't be
done on Wednesday. And
Wednesday has got to be done
on Wednesday. See? Saturday
has to be Saturday's work.

See?

64-0802 - The Future Home Of
The Heavenly Bridegroom And
The Earthly Bride

500 I know it's been long and hot, but, people, we won't always be standing here.

I won't always be your pastor.

Let's make it sure.

“Is there a way, Brother

Branham?”

501 Yes, become a part of the
Word, a part of the Word of
today. Can't be a part of the
Word of Moses' day; that part
is done made up, that was the
feet. We're at the Head
now. This is Christ.

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Luther, no. This is the Head
time. Christ, the Headstone,
comes to the Body.

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for the matured.

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ

256 Noah was the vindicated Word for his day. Do you believe that? [Congregation says, “Amen.”—Ed.] Well, his message won't work today.

257 Moses was the vindicated Word of his day. Do you believe that? [Congregation says, “Amen.”—Ed.] It won't work for now. Jesus was...

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 vindicated 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.

64-0112 - Shalom

260 The Word of Moses' time did not work in the days of Jesus' time.

The work...the Word in
the days of the apostles does
not work in this day. It's a
promised Word for this
day. They said themselves,

and spoke it by the Holy Ghost,
what would take place in the
last days, how the churches
would be heady, highminded,
how the whore would rise up
and the harlots would be right
with her,

and how the...they would
darken the earth. And the last
church age, the Laodicea, Jesus
would be completely taken from
the church.

The Holy Ghost Today

Part iv

Friday's fellowship, 20th January 2023

Bro James Menni

The Evidence Of The Holy Ghost

John 16:12-16

¹² I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now.

¹³ Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.

¹⁴ He shall glorify me: for he shall receive of mine, and shall shew it unto you.

¹⁵ All things that the Father hath are mine: therefore said I, that he shall take of mine, and shall shew it unto you.

¹⁶ A little while, and ye shall not see me: and again, a little while, and ye shall see me, because I go to the Father.

Ephesians 1:13-14

¹³ In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise,

¹⁴ Which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory.

The Evidence Of The Holy
Ghost Is The Transforming
Power Of Christ That
Comes Subsequent To The
Belief Of The Truth

62-1230M - Absolute

231 Pentecostals, you say,
“Well, we believe in speaking in
tongues, for the
evidence.” Sure, speaking in
tongues is all right, but that is
still not the evidence.

Many people speak in tongues,
that's true, and that's as far as
they ever go. The devil can
impersonate any gift that's
got, any gift that's in the Bible.

232 Paul said, “Though I speak with tongue of men and Angels, though I give my body to be burnt as a sacrifice, though I sell all my goods to feed the poor,

and though I have faith to move mountains, though I went to the seminary and learned all the knowledge there is to be learned, I am still nothing.”

233 It's the Person of Christ.
Christ, receive Him, and you
can't receive Him without
receiving His Word. The Word
has to come first, then the Life
comes into that Word and
manifests that Word.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

303 God is known by simplicity
and of revelation of Jesus Christ
to the most illiterate person.

See?

Not your theology. It's a
revelation of Jesus Christ.

“Upon this rock I'll build My
Church.”

No other rocks accepted, no other things accepted, no other Roman rock, no other Protestant rock, no other school, no other nothing, but on exactly the revelation of Jesus Christ through the new Birth.

He borns in there, and He
injects His Own Life, and your
life is gone. And the Life of
Christ is projecting Itself
through you, with the
preeminences, to the
people; that they see the very
Life,

and works, and signs, and
wonders, that He did, is doing
the same thing through
you. Outside of that, the rest
of it's not even called to, at all.
Watch God's great revelation
unfolding!

59-1219 - Questions And Answers On
The Holy Ghost

201 Oh, brother, sister,
we're—we're at Kadesh-barnea.
You're tasting now. Last night the
Holy Spirit fell upon us, come in
us, in like a rushing wind. It
settled upon many of you.

Today ministers have been visiting homes here and there, laying on hands and praying for them that's seeking the Holy Ghost. Don't you take a substitute. Don't you take some kind of a noise.

Don't you take some kind of a
sensation. You wait there until
God has molded you and made
you a new creature, made you
a new person.

You're tasting It now, just
tasting It, BUT LET THE DOVE
LEAD YOU RIGHT TO THE
TABLE, AND—AND THE LAMB
AND DOVE SET DOWN
TOGETHER,

AND FEAST FOR EVERMORE
UPON THE WORD OF
GOD. FOR IT WILL STAND
WHEN THERE'S NO HEAVEN OR
EARTH; THE WORD OF GOD
WILL REMAIN. THAT IS TRUE.

63-0901E - Desperations

18 Now—now, just not
no certain evidence. See? You
say, “Brother Branham,” I feel
it in your minds, you see, “why
will I know?””

Look, what were you, and what
are you? There is how you
know. See? What was you
before this Token was
applied? What are you after
It's applied?

What was your desires before,
and what is your desires
after? Then you know whether
the Token is applied or not.
And these other things just
automatically go with That.
See?

63-0901E - Desperations

21 And the devil can

impersonate any of those

things, but he cannot be the

Holy Ghost. See? He can

impersonate these gifts, but he

can't be the Holy Ghost.

And the Holy Ghost is the Token
that the Blood has been
applied, because It follows the
Blood all the way from the Book
of Redemption. See it?

That was the purpose of Him coming. That's what He followed in every age. Every age He has followed that, to see that it's brought forth, and they could not be made perfect without us.

And now the entire Holy Spirit
visits the Church, making God
in human flesh; as He did
before Sodom, the burning
there, which was a type. Then,
Abraham, He appeared to him.

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been left off in it, and make
the whole thing in one great
big body of the Bride,

that them who lived back there was not perfect until this Church be perfected, this Bride group in the last days, to bring them in, and all together be taken up. See?

23 The Token, Jesus Christ, the Holy Spirit, is among us. We should reverence that.

We—we—we—we can't humble ourselves enough.

Taking off your shoes, or getting on your knees, wouldn't expel it; it wouldn't—it wouldn't satisfy it, wouldn't suffice us; but a life that brings forth the fruit of the Spirit!

54-1003M - The Word Became Flesh
(India Trip Report)

211 But, a human being can be changed from a pig to a lamb, because he's got a soul made in the image of God. Amen.

212 Well, his thoughts
changed. Something does it
for him. Hallelujah! “As a man
thinketh in his heart.” See?

Christ the Creator come to
him, in a still
form, and created. His Own
Spirit took the man's nature
away, to love dancing, and the
world, and carrying on,

and from that time he just laid
it aside and was hungering
after God. And God was in him
all the time. It was God, in the
beginning. See? There you are.
Amen.

65-1205 - Things That Are To Be
112 “I got the baptism, the
Holy Spirit.” That still has
nothing to do with it. That’s
just only a temporal gift for
you.

THE REAL GIFT IS YOUR SOUL
DOWN IN THERE, SEE, THAT
WAS BORN OF GOD, AND THAT
CONTROLS THE WHOLE THING
TO THE WORD OF GOD AND
THE WILL OF GOD.

AND THERE YOU GROW UP,
SEE, THEN YOU'RE A SON AND
DAUGHTER OF GOD. YOU'RE A
CHILD OF GOD. AND THESE
THINGS, AS YOU COME
UP...LIKE THE MOTHER,

NOW YOU'RE IN THE BOWELS
OF THE EARTH, TRYING TO
COME FORTH. YOU'RE A SON
OF GOD, COMING FORTH, AND
YOU SEE THE WORD SAYS, "I
SHOULD DO THIS.

I SHOULD BE BORN-AGAIN.”

“Well, I belong to church.” That don’t mean one thing. See?

“I’m Methodist; my mother.”

That’s good for your mother.

113 “Well, my, I’m Pentecostal,
I belong to that.” If you don’t
line with that Word, there is
something wrong. See? Then,
you see, your real father ain’t
God.

See? Because, that real start in your soul, before there even was a spirit, it was your soul. That soul didn't come from God, then it wasn't a germ of God, to begin.

You're deceived. You're in a patch of weeds and bearing the world's record of the weeds coming forth. Acting like the world, loving the world, is because the love of God is not in you.

63-0901M - Token

224 Don't you rely upon no
speaking in tongues, no
nothing else. But let the Token
Itself be there, the Person of
Jesus Christ, His Own Life in
you.

Circumcise not just *this, that;*
but circumcise
your whole being, till you and
Christ are One. Christ is in you,
and His Life lives out through
you.

65-0410 - The Easter Seal

98 Notice, you—you are now
on your way, growing to the
full resurrection. No tree just
comes up overnight.

It's got to grow, as we grow in
the grace and knowledge of
God. You are baptized into the
Holy Spirit. Now, as the
pentecostal Church, baptized
into the Holy Spirit, It's begin
growing.

Limbs has died. They was pruning them off. But the Tree is still growing, is still going on, because It's got to come to the resurrection.

99 They're led by the Spirit, to
quicken the Word to you who
is believers.

The Word keeps quickening, as
you come to first limb, second
limb, third limb, on up. It just
keeps quickening. The Spirit of
God keeps quickening to you.

57-0303A - Why Is It That So
Many Christians Find It So Hard
To Live The Christian Life?
30 Oh, you say, Brother
Branham, I—I got all
the evidences.”

I KNOW, BUT WE'RE NOT
TALKING ABOUT EVIDENCES;
WE'RE TALKING ABOUT
THE PRODUCT. That's
right. Yes, sir.

I've seen heathens shout. I've seen them speak with tongues. I've seen them lay down a pencil and write in unknown tongues, and a witch raise up and read it, interpret it and tell the truth.

If a man could speak with
tongues, if a man could shout, if
a man could see visions, if a
man could do any of these other
things that he can do without
Divine love, they are lost.

That's right. Christ is in the heart. See?

So don't be deceived by signs and evidences.

There's all kinds of signs. The Bible said, in the last days false prophets will rise up and show such signs, it would deceive the very elect if possible. Come back to the Bible signs.

31 Notice, now, “I’ll give you a new spirit, and I’ll put My Spirit...” Notice, the new heart is put right in the middle of you. And the new spirit is put right in the middle of your new heart.

And His Spirit is put right in the
middle of the new spirit.
It's just like the mainspring in a
famous watch.

When that...When that
mainspring sets in the middle
of the watch, it controls every
movement of that watch. And
that's what's the matter,
friends.

Now, I hope you see this. And I'm not saying it to be—try to twist or be indifferent; I'm only saying it because I know that someday I'll stand in the judgment with you.

You see, if the Holy Spirit is in
the middle of your spirit...And
that watch spring makes all
the rest of the movements just
tick just exactly to the place,
keeping perfect time.

When the Holy Spirit is in the
middle of your spirit, it makes
every action of the Holy Spirit
in you tick off just exactly
according to God's Timepiece,
the Bible. Right.

64-0823E - Questions And
Answers #2

289. Question for Sunday morning: (Sorry it's this time, but...) At the instant of receiving the Holy Ghost, or the baptism of the Holy Ghost, is there a difference?

Does a person speak with
tongues? If not always, what
manifestation is known?

94 Well, could you imagine a mother giving birth to a baby and not knowing it? She'd have to be unconscious not to know it.

Neither can you receive the
Holy Ghost without knowing
it. There's something takes
place in you. See? There's
something that changes you.

Your whole system, your whole
spiritual system is made new
again, and you become a new
creature in Christ, as the Bible
puts it, a *new creation* in Christ.
You know it.

95 Now, you say, “Brother Branham, then you don’t believe that a man should speak with tongues to receive the Holy Ghost.” Not to prove he’s got the Holy Ghost.

96 I would that every member of my church spoke with tongues. I would like for them to do that, and if...

I believe if you ask God, God will grant it to you. But let me tell you; I know plenty people that speak in tongues and hasn't got the Holy Ghost.

And there's not a minister that's true with himself and with his congregation but what'll tell his congregation the same. The devil can impersonate that.

97 Paul said, “Though I speak with tongue of men and angels, though I give my body to be burned as a sacrifice, though I understand all the mysteries of the Word,

though I give all my goods to
the poor, and all these
things, and have not charity, I
still am nothing. I have faith
that I can move mountains and
so forth;

I'm still nothing.” Then he said,
“That which is in part will be
done away with when that
which is perfect is come,” or,
“when that which is perfect is
made known.”

64-0823E - Questions And
Answers #2

55 Now, the Holy Spirit, when
It comes, It is a witness unto
you (see?) that this Word is
right,

the Word for today, not the
Word for Luther, the Word, not
for Moses. We witness It's the
Truth, but it's another day.

56 Now, what if Jesus would come and said, “Now, as Moses come taking you all out of Egypt, I’ve come taking you somewhere else”?

What if He said, “Let’s go to work and build an ark. I—I’m the Lord God, I—I’m going to float the world away now.”

I'm going to drown the world, all of them"? Why, He'd been out of the...See, the Scripture never said He'd come like that. See? He wouldn't have been the Messiah.

No matter how much ark He'd built, or whatever He had done. He's still not...He'd have not qualified the Messiah. Hallelujah! There you are! It's qualification! Yes, sir!

57 First Corinthians 13 says
this: “When that which is
perfect is come, that which is
in part shall be done away
with.”

So all these little things of
jumping up and down like
a kid, trying to talk in
tongues, and all these other
things, when that which is
perfect...

AND WE DO HAVE TODAY, BY
GOD'S HELP, THE PERFECT
INTERPRETATION OF THE WORD
WITH DIVINE
VINDICATION! THEN THAT
WHICH IS IN PART IS DONE
AWAY WITH.

“WHEN I WAS A CHILD, I SPAKE
AS A CHILD, I UNDERSTOOD AS
A CHILD; BUT WHEN I BECOME
A MAN, I PUT AWAY CHILDISH
THINGS.”

64-0719M - The Feast Of The
Trumpets

100 And Jesus said, "As it was in
the days of Lot, so will it be at the
coming of the end of the
world, when the Son of man,"
not Son of God, "when the Son of
man will be revealing."

101 Hadn't had it through the
age. See that perfect
continuity of the Scripture?
Here we live in it. The
mysteries: even of the baptism
in the Name of the Lord Jesus,

and away from the Oneness
idea; and these other things,
how the Holy Spirit has moved
that in and showed it
perfectly;

and the true Baptism of the
Holy Spirit, the Token, and
everything, and placed it; and
how He placed every reformer
and everything, just
exactly. And, see, right before
our own eyes, and it's not in a
corner.

It's world-known. JESUS, THE
SON OF GOD, REVEALING
HIMSELF BY THE
SCRIPTURES, MAKING THAT
SCRIPTURE (THAT HAS BEEN
PREDESTINATED TO *THIS DAY,*

LIKE IT WAS TO THAT DAY, AND
ALL OTHER DAYS) LIVE. AND
TO BELIEVE IT, IS THE EVIDENC
E OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

102 Righteousness, you can't pronounce that just "going to church" is the evidence of the Holy Ghost. If you do, then them Pharisees had it. See?

You can't pronounce "shaking or jumping" being the...If you do, the heathens has got it. If you say "speaking in tongues," what—what devil worship doesn't speak in tongues? Tell me one.

Brother Jackson setting here for Africa, from Africa, he could tell you that. I've been into the Indian camps here, see the witches and wizards cut themselves,

and pour their own blood, and speak in tongues; and—and the witch doctor interpret it, and see them lay down a pencil and write in unknown tongues. So that's not it. But if it...

103 What is the true evidence?
Jesus said, “That you believe
that I am He.” And He is the
Word.

104 Why didn't they get It? Why didn't the Jews get It? They were righteous men; they were good men; they were holy men, and there were all kinds of people; but, to whom is predestined to hear the Word!

105 “And how do you know
whether it is the Word? Each
one says this.”

106 It's the promise of the Bible being vindicated of that age, there you are, then you come back to where the Holy Spirit is.

Watch the sound of the Trumpet in a few minutes, what It declares. The Trumpet, the Gospel Trumpet, see who can hear It.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

234 What is the new Birth
then? You'd say, "Well, Brother
Branham, what is the new
Birth?"

It is the REVELATION OF JESUS
CHRIST PERSONALLY TO YOU.

Amen! See? Not you joined a church, you shook a hand, you done something different,

you said a creed, you promised
to live by a—a code of
rules. BUT CHRIST, THE BIBLE,
HE IS THE WORD THAT WAS
REVEALED TO YOU.

And no matter what anybody says, what takes place, it's Christ; pastor, priest, whatever it might be. It's Christ in you, that is the revelation that the Church was built upon.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

403 Look it, having the
revelation of this secret made
known to them by His grace!
Look!

When this great revelation,
revealed mystery, is made
known to you, THEN
YOU DENOUNCE ALL THE
THINGS OF THE WORLD.

65-0418M - It Is The Rising Of The²⁶²
Sun

246 Like the pentecostal
experience today,
and the coming of the Holy
Ghost in this last days, as
promised, is like the abstract
to a title deed. See?

247 Now, you can get a title. Sure. See? You can get a title to a place, but that still don't say it's yours. No, sir. Somebody way back yonder could come in and put a claim on it.

But when you get an abstract, that shows that everything that's ever against it is struck off, plumb back from the foundation. Is that right?

248 And when a man has said
that he believes the Word, and
then when the Holy Spirit
comes, It is the abstract
to the title.

And that gives you permission,
when you have that abstract,
that every bit of that belongs
to you, and everything is on it
belongs to you.

Amen! And that gives
us the abstract, when the Holy
Ghost comes upon this
title deed that God saw back
yonder 'fore the foundation
of the world,

and put it name on the Book of
Life; but was born through a
man and woman, and subject
to sin, and guilty of sin.

But when I believed on It, I
received the deed; but
when the Holy Ghost come, It
was the abstract that
everything against me,
whether my mother done it,
my father done it, my
grandmother done it...

249 Like the little, epileptic child I prayed for, a few minutes ago, that come through from the grandparents. The epilepsy fell down, and upon the child, I said.

250 But when the abstract has
come, it struck off, omitted
everything. I'm a abstract
holder then. Amen! And as sure
as the Spirit that raised Christ
from the dead,

I have a abstract deed that I'm
part of that Body, with the
abstract of the Holy Ghost
making that body of Word live
out just exactly like It did in
Him, as He promised in the last
day. The abstract!

All my sins are struck out, all
your sins are struck out, by the
Blood of Jesus Christ, and the
Holy Ghost is come as an
abstract to the title deed that
God give me by grace, by
foreknowledge. Oh, my!

65-0410 - The Easter Seal

118 It's the Holy Spirit, today,
hunting out honest hearts that
will believe that Message.

Everything in the Bible, that
was promised, is to that
believer. And when you accept
it in its fulness, and
God knows that you'll do it, He
gives you the abstract to that.

And then every promise that's
made is in your possession,
and the Holy Spirit is there to
quicken that to you. Oh, my!
What—what kind of people
should we be?

How wonderful to see the
God's great Holy Spirit here to
do that power! Think of
it. When, the Holy Ghost Itself,
here to bear record of this
hour. Jesus said so. He's the
same yesterday, today, and
forever.

CAB 04 - Smyrnaen

In every age, (and every age is the age of the Holy Ghost for the true believer) — I say, in every age the evidence was the same. Those who had the Spirit, the Teacher, heard the Word,

and that Spirit in them took the Word and taught it (revealed it) to them; and they were of the group that heard the messenger and his message and took it and lived it.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's Filter

121 When you come in this world, you were born in sin. You didn't even come with a fighting chance.

You were “born in sin, shaped in iniquity, come to the world speaking lies,” within your own spirit, the desire of sin, a lover of sin because you were born in sin. You didn’t have a chance.

But down inside of you,
somewhere, here you come,
there was something in there
that begin to draw. If you
knowed, it was something that
told you there was a God
somewhere;

and you read His Word. Then you took the church, you took their ideas when you was told better, then you never used a thinking man's Filter.

But when you use God's Filter,
which is a thinking man's
Filter, because, "All other
filters will pass away, but Mine
shall not."

And when you take God's Filter
and draw your life, your
desires; if you draw your
desires through God's Filter, a
thinking man's Filter, there is
nothing left but the Holy
Ghost.

122 Now, if you want
the evidence of the Holy Ghost,
there it is. When that soul of
yours will line with the Word of
God, in every respect, it shows
you've drawn your life through
the thinking man's Filter, God's
Filter.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's
Filter

138 But a thinking woman
won't take that kind of a thing.
She knows she's got to be
holy. And the only thing that
you can draw through God's
Word is the Spirit,

the quickening Power to make
the Word Itself, which is in
you, live to manifest Jesus
Christ in the age you're living.

Hallelujah! Brother, if that ain't
the Truth, I don't know what
the Truth is. I've lost my mind
if that isn't the Truth.

139 It is the Word Itself in your heart, predestinated there, that's drawing. And it spits out that world; it don't want it.

But when it gets over here in
the Word, it begins to
draw. And when it draws
through the Word, it can be
nothing else but the Holy
Ghost to quicken that Word.

The Holy Ghost Today Part V

Friday Fellowship, 27th January 2023

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The Holy Ghost
Baptizes Us Into The
Name Of Jesus Christ

1 Corinthians 12:13

¹³ For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jews or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit.

Proverbs 8:10

¹⁰ Receive my instruction, and not silver; and knowledge rather than choice gold.

Deuteronomy 16:1-2

1 Observe the month of Abib, and keep the passover unto the LORD thy God: for in the month of Abib the LORD thy God brought thee forth out of Egypt by night.

² Thou shalt therefore sacrifice the passover unto the LORD thy God, of the flock and the herd, in the place which the LORD shall choose to place his name there.

The Name Is The
Person, And The Person
Is The Spirit That
Moves The Man

Adam Was Not The
Flesh Man But The
Spirit Man

Genesis 1:26

²⁶ And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

Genesis 2:7,15

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

¹⁵ And the LORD God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.

Genesis 5:1-2

1 This is the book of the generations of Adam. In the day that God created man, in the likeness of God made he him;

² Male and female created he them; and blessed them, and called their name Adam, in the day when they were created.

Jesus Was Not The
Flesh Man But The
LOGOS Which Came In
Him

63-1112 - Sir, We Would See
Jesus

247 See, *Jesus* is just a common Jewish name. I'm acquainted with many people named Jesus.

Right where I live there in Arizona, I know three or four men right there, even ministers, named Jesus.

248 But this is Jesus the Christ,
the anointed One, see, the Son
of God; and this Prophet, Jesus,
was coming by. She knowed
that, that He was a prophet.

And she knowed that God was the Word, and He come to His prophets, so she said, “If I can only touch that Man’s garment, I’ll be made well.”

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

591 What is it? Not them
people.

The Headship and the Body ha
s become one unit.

It's God manifested in His
people. That's the reason the
husband and wife is no longer
twain; they're one.

God and His Church is one,
“Christ in you,” God’s great
revelation. Glory to God! Even
bearing His Name; His Name is
Jesus, the Anointed.

The reason He is called Jesus,
He is the Anointed. It's the
anointed Body of Christ,
proving, manifested God like
That body did. And That body
redeemed every of this, these
bodies,

and through there God works
His threefold manifestation,
going to the Kingdom. Risen,
paid the price! We're redeemed.
God has proved it, vindicated it.
See?

The Comforter Would
Come In The Name Of
The Father

John 14:18-20

¹⁸ I will not leave you
comfortless: I will come to you.

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

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

The Name Was Given
To Mary By The Angel
But It Remained A
Mystery

The Name Given Was
Not Fully Revealed

Luke 1:26-33

²⁶ And in the sixth month the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto a city of Galilee, named Nazareth,

²⁷ To a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph, of the house of David; and the virgin's name was Mary.

²⁸ And the angel came in unto her, and said, Hail, thou that art highly favoured, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women.

²⁹ And when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and cast in her mind what manner of salutation this should be.

³⁰ And the angel said unto her,
Fear not, Mary: for thou hast
found favour with God.

³¹ And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS.

³² He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David:

³³ And he shall reign over the house of Jacob for ever; and of his kingdom there shall be no end.

65-0220 - God's Chosen Place Of³²⁹

Worship

44 And now we find out

that Jesus said, also, "I came in

My Father's Name, and you

received Me not." Then, the

Name of the Father must

be Jesus. That's right.

The Name of the Father
is Jesus, 'cause Jesus said so. "I
carry My Father's Name. I come
in My Father's Name, and you
received Me not." Then, His
Name was Jesus.

And Gabriel called Him Jesus, the
prophets called Him Jesus, and
He was absolutely Jesus. Before
His birth, even the holy
prophet called His
Name *Emmanuel*, which is, “God
with us.”

Then, “God was manifested in the flesh, in order to take away the sin of the world,” and, in doing so, He was given the Name of Jesus.

So, Jesus is the Name.
And the Name was placed in a
Man; not a church, not a
denomination, not a creed, but
a Man!

He chose to place His Name
in Jesus Christ. Now we find
out that then He becomes the
place of God's worship, where
you worship Him.

In The Earthen Vessel,
The Name Was Still A
Mystery

63-0317E - The Breach Between³³⁶
The Seven Church Ages And The
Seven Seals

145 And the whole thing Here
is Seven Seals, got the
mysteries of God from the
foundation of the world all
sealed up in There,

and revealed by seven different
Seals, that, if God willing, let
Him let us pull back these Seals
and look down through the
Book and find out what's It all
about.

See? Oh, I hope we have a great time! There the mystery of redemption is sealed until...This Book could not be broken until the last angel's Message.

146 The scroll is there. We
knowed It was there. We know
that It was redemption. We
believed It was
redemption. Jeremiah said,
“This scroll must be kept...”

As you read it there, he'll say. He must be kept in a earthly vessel. See? Oh, what a beautiful thing there I could talk about, a while.

This scroll was kept in an earthly vessel, a vessel that once became flesh (glory!), died, rose again, and kept in a earthly vessel until the time of the purchase. Oh, my! Beautifully! All right.

147 Now, these Messages are
all kept up until, this
earthly vessel, until the time of
God's appointed time, at the
last messenger at the earth.

And all that these people had
judged at, and said, “I know It’s
there. I believe It’s there.” And
they fought at It, and brought
It forth and produced the
things.

By faith they believed it. But
now it's going to be brought to
us in revelation, and from the
hand of God by
vindication. God said so. He
promised it.

**It Was To Remain A
Mystery Until The Last
Days**

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

203 All those things typed
Him, just in type, but yet the
mystery was hid.

Them men didn't know what they were doing. They only knew that they were led by the Spirit to do some.

Now, holding it back in the last days, for the great revelation. But, expressing it, express Himself in Moses, and David, and Joseph, and Elijah, and on down through.

You...we could take each one of those prophets, and bring their lives out and show it expressed Jesus Christ perfectly, exactly. Yet, never giving His secret in full;

waiting for to make it known
in the last days as He
promised, waiting for it to be
fully comprehended, see,
before He could express it. If
He told the whole thing...

204 Because, the Bible is written in mysteries. Jesus thanked the Father for it, see, that It was wrote in mysteries.

205 Now, the Coming of the Lord is in mystery. We don't know when He's coming, how He's coming, but we know He is coming. See? And so was all the mysteries of God waiting for this last day.

After it's already been
completed, then He reveals
and shows what He's done. Oh,
my! Never gave His mystery in
full.

We Take On The Name
Of Jesus Christ Through
Marriage

Exodus 20:7

⁷ Thou shalt not take the name of the LORD thy God in vain; for the LORD will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.

Isaiah 4:1-6

1 And in that day seven women shall take hold of one man, saying, We will eat our own bread, and wear our own apparel: only let us be called by thy name, to take away our reproach.

² In that day shall the branch of the LORD be beautiful and glorious, and the fruit of the earth shall be excellent and comely for them that are escaped of Israel.

³ And it shall come to pass, that he that is left in Zion, and he that remaineth in Jerusalem, shall be called holy, even every one that is written among the living in Jerusalem:

⁴ When the Lord shall have washed away the filth of the daughters of Zion, and shall have purged the blood of Jerusalem from the midst thereof by the spirit of judgment, and by the spirit of burning.

⁵ And the LORD will create upon every dwelling place of mount Zion, and upon her assemblies, a cloud and smoke by day, and the shining of a flaming fire by night: for upon all the glory shall be a defence.

⁶ And there shall be a tabernacle for a shadow in the day time from the heat, and for a place of refuge, and for a covert from storm and from rain.

65-0220 - God's Chosen Place
Of Worship

62 A fellow said to me one time,
discussing that, he said,
“Brother Branham, my wife, I
don’t...”

He said, “She, her name is *Such-and-such*.” He’s a minister, may be setting here now.

And he said, “My wife,” said,
“she’s got my name.” I’ll just
say *Jones*, because it wasn’t
Jones. He said, “Now, she don’t
have to get up every morning,
get the broom and say,

‘Now I sweep the floor in the name of Jones, and I wash the dishes in the name of Jones, and I patch the clothes in the name of Jones.’” He said, “I don’t think you have to call any name at all.”

I said, “I believe you do.” That’s
right.

And he said, “Well, why? She
don’t have to say it. Everything
she does is in the name of
Jones, to begin with.”

63 I said, “But you never
walked down on a street and
got her, and said,
‘Come on, Jones.’ She had to
become, first, by a ceremony, a
marriage ceremony, ‘Jones.’

If she didn't, you're living in adultery. And if you're baptized any other way but in the Name of Jesus Christ, it's an adultery baptism, which is not found in the Bible."

Then, “What you do in word
and deed, do it all in the Name
of Jesus.” After that, what you
do! But first, you have become
in His Name.

64 There is many fine women in this building tonight, fine, loyal women; but there's one Mrs. William Branham. She's the one goes home with me. She's the one that's my wife.

65 There is fine people in the
world, fine churches; but
there's one Mrs. Jesus Christ,
and that's who He's coming
for.

That's where His Name
lays. There is where His
worship is, in Her and Her
alone. That is true. Oh, yes, sir.
We find that to be true.

66 Now, that's why, we, "All
we do in word or in deed, we
do it in the Name of Jesus
Christ."

65-0425 - God's Provided Place Of³⁷⁴

Worship

220 You take on His Name

when you are borned in there,

not by water

baptism. Although you can be

baptized in His Name, but that

don't take on His Name.

You take on His Name by birth,
not by water. See, you're
baptized into the Name of
Jesus Christ, yes, sir, into
fellowship;

but you are baptized by the Holy Ghost, into Jesus Christ. So you can be baptized a hundred times, any way you wanted to, the other way, it'd make no difference.

But when you're once baptized
by the Holy Ghost, into the
Body of Christ, you become a
son or a daughter of God, and,
"Every Word is true!" And,
then, He did that for that
purpose.

**We Are Not To Take
His Name In Vain**

65-0221M - Marriage And Divorce

256 Notice, He can put her away, but she cannot put Him away. He did it, has proved it, in the days when Luther, Wesley, and Pentecost,

when they refused to become
the further part of Him by
having spiritual sexual affair to
become pregnated
with further part of the Word.

You understand? She refused.
The Lutheran church refused
for Christ to have any more
desire with her; Luther refused
it.

And let me say this, going to
call me something anyhow; so
is it today with every one of
them, they fail to take that
Word, they refuse Christ!

257 And any woman that
refuses a man his child, has no
right to be a wife to him.

Amen. You remember, in the Bible, when the king married Esther? Because the queen refused, he just got him another one.

And when the...What happened when she refused to come out with the king and obey him? The same thing it is with a woman that refuses to be wife to her husband.

258 And so is it with the
church that refuses to become
pregnated in the age that we
now live in, to bring forth
children of this age. We are not
Lutherans, we're not Wesleys,
neither are we Pentecostals!

We've got to be the children of
this age, through the
pregnancy of the Word of
God, to bring forth a Child of
this age, the Seed Child. Amen.
I hope you understand.

If The Name In Types And
Shadows Was Mighty,
How Much More When It
Is Revealed Fully?

- Solomon's prayer
- John the Baptist
- The Apostles
- The Prophet tested It

The Name Is Revealed In The Thunders

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery³⁹⁰
Of God Revealed

106 God's great mystery, of
how, it's a secret. He kept it a
secret. Nobody knowed
nothing about it. Even the
Angels didn't understand it.
See, He didn't reveal it.

That's the reason, under our
seventh mystery, when the
Seventh Seal was opened,
there was silence. Jesus, when
He was on earth, they wanted
to know when He would come.

He said, “It’s not...Even the
Son Himself don’t know when
it’s going to happen.” See, God
has this all to Himself. It’s a
secret.

And that's the reason there
was silence in Heaven for a
space of a half hour, and
seven thunders utter their
voices, and John was even
forbidden to write it, see, the
Coming of the Lord.

That's one thing He hasn't revealed yet, of how He will come, and when He will come. It's a good thing that He doesn't. No.

107 He has showed or revealed
it in every type that's in the
Bible. Therefore, the entire
Bible is the revelation of God's
mystery in Christ.

Hum! The entire Bible is an expression of one goal that God had, one purpose He wanted to achieve in the entire Bible.

And all the acts of the—of the
believers in the Bible has been in
type, an expressing what God's
great goal is,

and now in this last day He has revealed it and shows it. And God's help, we'll see it right here this morning, what the Lord has had in His mind all along, and has expressed it.

63-0318 - The First Seal

275 See, nobody knows it. Did
you ever know that the Name
of *Jehovah* is not
correct? Anyone knows. Dr.
Vayle, you know that's true.
The translators could never
translate it.

It's spelled J-u-h-v...J-v-h-u, I
mean. It isn't *Jehovah*. They
couldn't touch It. They don't
know what It is. Called
It *Jehovah*, but it wasn't His
Name.

283 And, Jesus, His Name on earth was “Redeemer,” Jesus.
When He was on earth, He was the Redeemer, that’s true. But when He conquered death and hell, and overcome them,

and ascended on High, He
received a new Name. That's
the reason you holler the way
they do, and they don't get
nothing.

284 It'll

be revealed in the Thunders.

Uh-huh. See? Notice the mysteries. He is coming, riding...There's got to be Something to change this Church. You know that. There's got to be Something.

Notice, “No man knowed, but Himself.” Now, notice, “No man knowed, but Hissself.”

And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name was called The Word of God.

65-0425 - God's Provided Place
Of Worship

213 Dear God, we've had a fight
with Satan this afternoon, on
these microphones,

knowing them people probably
didn't get half of it, the
bounding around on the...in the
building like that.

But I pray, God, that the Holy Spirit will take that which was meant to be, Lord, to let the people see that we're not some dead dragging bunch of hope-so's.

God, we are alive now,
quickenened by the power of the
resurrection of Christ. Jesus
Christ lives in us. We believe
that, Lord.

214 We claim no glory of our own. Like on Mount of Transfiguration, where every one of us is represented there;

there was Moses, the one that died and raised again; there was Elijah, the quickening saints that'll be caught up at the last day.

Oh, they seen then, when they looked back, they seen Jesus only. We know, Lord, we don't want people to see us. We're not here for that purpose. Far be it!

Ephesians 1:1-4,10

1 Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, to the saints which are at Ephesus, and to the faithful in Christ Jesus:

² Grace be to you, and peace,
from God our Father, and from
the Lord Jesus Christ.

³ Blessed be the God and Father
of our Lord Jesus Christ, who
hath blessed us with all spiritual
blessings in heavenly places in
Christ:

⁴ According as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love:

¹⁰ That in the dispensation of the fulness of times he might gather together in one all things in Christ, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth; even in him:

64-0830E - Questions And
Answers #4

92 That's the reason that all these great mysteries could not be given to Luther, could not be given to Wesley,

could not be given to the age that has just passed by us, the Pentecostal age. Why? It wasn't time.

They were begotten. Now, the
Person of Christ, Himself, the
Son of man (you
understand?) revealing Himself
in human flesh, it could not
have come till now.

64-0719M - The Feast Of The
Trumpets

243 The Holy Spirit has been
bound by these denominational
rivers, for almost two thousand
years, but is to be loosed in the
evening time, by the
evening-time Message.

The Holy Spirit back in the
Church again; Christ, Himself,
revealed in human flesh, in the
evening time. He said. He
promised it.

244 There was three stages of it, as I said. The martyrs, age of the martyr, for it; and then the stage of the reformers; and now the calling-out time.

245 When finished, at
Laodicean Age, according to
Revelation 10, the mystery of
all the Bible would be knowed
to the Bride.

Is that right? Revelation 10.
Listen close now. Uh-huh. Bride,
called out by the
Word; Christ Himself calling o
ut the Bride, making plain
Hebrews 13:8,

that He's "the same yesterday,
today, and forever," does the
same, is the same. "He that
believeth on Me, the works
that I do shall he do also."
See? Luke 22...

Or, Luke 17:30, and also
Malachi 4, Hebrews 4:12, all
these Scriptures that's
promised, this is to be
between the Sixth and the
Seventh Seal, and the Sixth and
the Seventh Trumpet.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery⁴²⁷
Of God Revealed

397 But God's great mystery,
what the Eternal God had as a
mystery, has now been
unfolded in Jesus Christ, then
given right down to His
Church.

What was once in God's mind
is now in the Body of
Christ. Jesus making love to
the Church, His Bride,
whispering secrets to Her.

398 You know how you tell your wife things, you know, the little girl you're going to marry.

You love her so much, you just tell her the secrets, and get her up next to you, and love you and everything. You know how it is.

399 That's what God, Christ, is
doing to the Church. See? He is
letting Her know the
secrets, just the secrets.

Not these flirts; I mean His
Wife (See? All right, now
look.) knows, by having the
revelation of His secret made
known to them, by His grace!

How the grace of God! People, I know it...I hope you don't think this sounds personal, to a—a bunch of people, or *this, that*;

but the secret that God is
sharing with the whole Church,
if they would just receive it.

See? It doesn't mean just me or
just you. It means the Church,
that He—He is trying to get
into it.

**We Have Ministry To
Usher The People Into
The Name**

2 Peter 1:11

¹¹ For so an entrance shall be ministered unto you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

64-0719M - The Feast Of The
Trumpets

112 Go into
the prophet's chamber and
watch them seven steps.

Where did the—where did the guard meet the challenge to bring the comer into the presence of the king?

At the top of the steps; was in the seventh step. There shows that we've got to come again with that same Spirit that was on John; he introduced the Messiah.

He was greater than all the prophets; he introduced It. And we've got to come to a place, again, to something that's going to introduce the Messiah.

We Don't Get Into The
Name All-At-Once;
Gradually The Name
Comes Through The
Word Until It Saturates
Our Every Fiber

64-0112 - Shalom

148 Many men go out,
impatient, but believing that
the time is near, you try to do
something within yourself.

Wait upon the
Lord. Patience is virtue. If you
can have patience, it's
virtue. It's virtue if you...

“They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.” Not they that try to get ahead of the Lord, they that try to tell the Lord, “Lord, I know You want me to do *this*,

and glory to God I...” Don’t do that. Wait upon the Lord. The Bible said, “They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.”

64-0119 - Shalom

111 Some people says, “But,
Brother Branham, I have tried
and I have tried.”

112 But wait a
minute. Patience is virtue.
Patience is Holy Spirit
virtue. “They that wait upon
the Lord shall renew their
strength.”

113 You say, “How can I wait
any longer?” Just keep on
waiting.

When you've done all you can
do to stand, then stand, see,
just stand. "How am I going to
do it?" Stand! He said it's the
Truth, and it's the Truth.

He said it'll happen. "How?" I
don't know; but it'll
happen. He said so. He
promised it. If He promised it,
it's going to happen. That's all.
IT CAN'T WASTE.

62-0211 - Oneness

189 What is it? You've got to get with the Word, get yourself killed out. I'm persuaded that many of us, friends, have received the Holy Ghost,

but we just receive enough
Holy Ghost in us to make us to
a place where we don't want to
lie, we don't want to steal, we
don't want to do anything.

But God wants to
fill every fiber of His Church,
He wants to fill your thinking
and He wants to fill your mind.

He wants to fill every bit of
you, just make you completely,
totally dead to yourself or to
your thinking, just so
surrendered in God till His
Word's just living right
through you.

62-0211 - Oneness

209 Here we are in the end time, coming from the East and West, North and South. What are we doing? Getting ready for that Rapture. Getting ready for...

Holding ourselves steady for a
few minutes till every fiber is
filled with the Holy
Ghost. Then She'll go up. Oh,
my! Calling His people
together to Himself, in the true
oneness with Himself,

because it's His one Holy Spirit. "By one Spirit are we all individually baptized into one Body, collectively the Body of Jesus Christ."

And Jesus Christ living with His
Spirit in our flesh, is serving
the Church and doing the same
things He did,

as a—as a sign, as an ensign to
the world, that we're in the
last days, getting ready for the
Rapture. Oh, I love Him, don't
you?

How Powerful Is This
Name?

Daniel 11:32

³² And such as do wickedly against the covenant shall he corrupt by flatteries: but the people that do know their God shall be strong, and do exploits.

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery
Of God Revealed

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.

How Will We Get It?
By Staying
Constantly In The
Word

The Word Is The Holy
Spirit That Makes Us
Know The Name,
Baptizes Us In Him

64-0719M - The Feast Of The
Trumpets

113 And how will the
Messiah...the people that's
believing Him know it unless
they're constantly in the Word,
to know what He is!

Daniel said, “The wise shall
know; but the foolish, the
unwise, wouldn’t know. They
shall know their God.” NOW,
NOW, HOW HE SHALL APPEAR
IN THE LAST DAYS,

IS TO BRING THE PEOPLE BACK
TO THE WORD, SO THAT THE
BRIDE WILL KNOW HER
HUSBAND, KNOW HER MATE,
THE REVEALED WORD. That's
why this has to happen.

114 It wasn't in the reformers;
wasn't in Luther, Wesley,
and—and the Pentecostals, and
them. Scripture says it wasn't.

115 But it will come. That is
His promise for this age. We're
living in the age that His
Coming will be in. She must be
identified in Him. Any woman
must be identified with her
husband, for the two are one.

And Christ's Bride has to be
identified with Him, for the
two are One; and He is the
Word, not the denomination.
The Word!

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The Holy Ghost Today
Is Our Name In The
Lamb's Book Of Life

Ephesians 1:13-14

¹³ In whom ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye believed, ye were sealed with that holy Spirit of promise,

¹⁴ Which is the earnest of our inheritance until the redemption of the purchased possession, unto the praise of his glory.

The Holy Ghost Is Our Inheritance

The Name In The
Lamb's Book Of Life
Is Our Inheritance

58-1228 - Why Little Bethlehem?

44 Did you know that those portions, how Joshua lotted them in Palestine, was given by inspiration? And those Hebrew mothers of those patriarchs, when the baby was coming forth,

and her in travailing pain, to
deliver the child, she uttered
the very spot that those
patriarchs would settle down
and be at the last days.

46 And even those mothers,
when the baby was born and
she uttered their voice, placed
them positionally where they
would be in the promised land,
hundreds of years later.

And Joshua, not knowing that,
yet by the same inspiration
placed them exactly where
they was to be.

60-0911M - As I Was With Moses,
So I Will Be With Thee

109 Each one of
those Hebrew mothers, giving
birth to those babies, called
their name. And each one of
their name has a meaning.

111 The name has something to do with your life. When Peter, a fisherman, had overcome, by his faith in Jesus, He said, “Your name is Simon.

But I'm going to call you *Peter*, which is a 'rock.'" It changes you. Your name has something to do with it, and your placement in life.

112 And when this great thing
taken place, when each one of
these Hebrew mothers, in the
travailing in the childbirth,

called out, like “Reuben,” that
placed him positionally in the
Palestine, exactly the way that
mother said, and called his
name, said it.

I don't have it all wrote down here. But, say, *Reuben* meant "shepherd." *Gad* means "cattle raiser."

And *Ephraim* meant "corn raiser."

Now, by spiritual discernment,
Joshua, the new leader, by
spiritual discernment, placed
each one where he belonged,
divided the land just exactly.

60-0515E - Adoption #1

110 Now, who could doubt that? That's what Paul said. That's Paul's Scripture. That's Paul's writing.

That's what he taught his church. The church, positionally, before the foundation of the world. When God, in His labor pain, was bringing forth, bringing forth you,

knowing what you would
do, He positionally placed you
into His Own Body, to be a
housewife, to be a farmer, to
be a preacher, to be a prophet,
to be *this* or to be *that*.

He placed you
positionally. Then when we
have come from the garlic lands
of Egypt, through sanctification,
and is baptized into the
promised land...

For, the promise of God is the Holy Ghost. Ephesians 4:30 says, “Grieve not the Holy Spirit of God whereby you are sealed until the day of your redemption.” Then God, having predestinated the church,

He said, “And all the peoples,
there will be millions times
millions that will walk very
religious and be deceived.” The
only ones that will not be
deceived will be those that
have come over into the
promised land,

who before the foundation of
the world had their names put
on the Lamb's Book of Life, and
is come over into the promised
land, and enjoying it.

60-0522M - Adoption #3

177 Inheritance by

predestination. I inherited

something. What inheritance? T

here had to be somebody leave

me an inheritance.

Why, you say, “Jesus left you an inheritance.” Beg your pardon! Jesus never left me an inheritance, Jesus never left you an inheritance;

He only came down and paid for your inheritance, brought you to your inheritance. But your name was put on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world. God give you your inheritance.

60-0522E - Adoption #4

72 Oh, “an inheritance.” Somebody has to leave you something, to inherit it. Is that right? An inheritance! What inheritance do we have? What inheritance did I have?

I didn't have any. But God left
me an inheritance when He put
my name on the Lamb's Book
of Life before the foundation
of the world.

60-0522E - Adoption #4

75 Look, “has predestinated us unto this inheritance.” If I’m a right inheritance of something, if God is knocking at my heart and saying,

“William Branham, I called you a long time ago, before the foundation of the world, to preach the Gospel,” I have an inheritance, an inheritance of Eternal Life.

Now, God sent Jesus to make
that inheritance real to me,
because there was nothing I
could do to—to inherit it. It
was blank, it was valid, there's
nothing I could do. But in the
fulness of time God sent,

in His Own good time, Jesus the
Lamb, slain from the
foundation of the world. His
Blood was shed that I might go
to my inheritance. To be
what? What inheritance? The
sonship, to be a son of God.

Every Person's
Inheritance Is A Mystery
Which Can Only Be
Revealed By God

CAB 05 - Pergamean

It also says here that He is going to give the overcomer a white stone and in (not on) the stone a new name, which the owner alone knows. Now the idea of a new name is a familiar one.

Abram was changed to Abraham, Sarai to Sarah, Jacob to Israel, Simon to Peter, and Saul to Paul. These names either brought about a change, or were given because of a change.

It was only after Abram and Sarai had their names changed by the Lord that they were made ready to receive the coming son.

In Jacob's case, he had to overcome and then he was called a prince. In the case of Simon and Saul, when they had received the Lord, their change came.

And today each one of us true
believers has had a change in
name. We are Christians. It is a
name common to all of us. But
one day we will have another
change; we will of a certainty
receive a new name.

It could well be that name was
our true and original name
written in the Lamb's Book of
Life from the foundation of the
world. He knows the name, but
we do not. One day at His good
pleasure, we will know also.

56-0101 - Why Are People So
Tossed About?

109 I hope you see it. Oh,
my! When I can see a preview
of it, it makes me rejoice,
seeing that our anchor holds
within the veil.

The Bible said, “He that
overcometh will I give
a white stone, and a new name
that no one knows but he
himself.” Don’t make any
difference what people say.

You know yourself when you
been brought into the inner
veil. No one could tell you any
different. Not because you
joined church, because you
did *this* or *that*;

but Something just tells you
that you got a stone that's in
the heart; not a hard stone; a
soft one. This stone makes
your heart soft instead of hard.

Our
Names/Inheritance
Was In The Book That
Adam Lost

61-0618 - Revelation, Chapter
Five #2

159 Now, our Kinsman is
handed the seven-sealed Book
of redemption from the
original Owner.

The original Owner...When we
lost it at the garden of Eden,
through Adam, it went back to
the original Owner.

But there's been a poacher on the land, a squatter, and that's Satan; he come over, he's a poacher. This earth don't belong to him; belongs to God. But he's a poacher, a squatter.

Man, how I could say something right now, but I better not. Is the title deed of our redemption, this seven-sealed Book. It's the title deed. You wait till we get into those Seals!

160 He breaks the seals,
reveals, gives us
His inheritance to His
people. He gives
the inheritance that He
inherited, becoming Kinsman
Redeemer, and freely gives it
out to us.

It all belonged to Him. He was
the One Who redeemed. But
instead of keeping it Himself,
He gives it back to the people.
That's His love for us. Oh!

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. 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!

63-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery⁵²⁹
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 Boo
k, 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.

525 And here He is today, in
His Word, manifesting the
same thing He did there. She
can't recognize another
headship.

No, sir. There's no bishop, no
nothing. She recognizes one
Headship, that's Christ, and
Christ is the Word. Oh, my!
Whew! I love that. Uh! Yes, sir.

We Are Quickened By
Hearing Our Names

John 5:24-29

²⁴ Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.

²⁵ Verily, verily, I say unto you,
The hour is coming, and now is,
when the dead shall hear the
voice of the Son of God: and
they that hear shall live.

²⁶ For as the Father hath life in himself; so hath he given to the Son to have life in himself;

²⁷ And hath given him authority to execute judgment also, because he is the Son of man.

²⁸ Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice,

²⁹ And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.

50-0716 - Believest Thou This?

85Then I can see Him
straighten His little self up
again; said, “Father, I thank Thee
that Thou hearest Me always.

But for these that stand by is why I said...” He’d already seen the vision. He knew what was going to happen.

Then He cried with
a loud voice and screamed, said,
“Lazarus, come forth.”

I believe, brother, if He hadn't
have called him specifically by
the name of Lazarus, I believe
the general resurrection
would've took place then.

That's what I think about
Him. That's right. I believe the
resurrection of every dead
thing that had ever
died would've come out of the
grave if He had just said,
"Come forth." Yes, sir.

But He called, “Lazarus, come forth.”

I’m glad today that my name’s on His Book. “One day He will call too, and I will answer,”
said Job.

60-1231 - Revelation, Chapter⁵⁴⁶

Four #1

149 Also, the same Voice that summoned John to come up, is the same Voice that summonsed dead Lazarus out of the grave, that same Voice of the archangel.

Christ is the Voice of the
archangel, “Voice of the
archangel,” see. Oh, that
trumpet Voice of Christ
summonsed John to come up,

the same Voice summoned
Lazarus. Did you notice at the
grave of Lazarus, He spoke
with a loud Voice. (Not just
said, “Lazarus, come
forth.”) “Lazarus, come forth!”
It summonsed him from the
dead.

150 And he answered, “Here am I.” And he come from the dead, after he was dead and his body rotten.

151 That same Voice said to
John, “Come up here, I’ll show
you some things that’s fixing
to happen.”

152 That same Voice that shall sound when the dead in Christ shall rise, “For the trumpet...”
The trumpet! What is a trumpet?

The Voice of Christ, the same
One sounded and summoned
him up. He heard the Voice like
a trumpet sound and said,
“Come up hither!” See how the
resurrection will be?

It'll be in a moment, in a twinkling of an eye. That clear sounding Voice, and He'll summons the Church, calling, "Come out of it." That great summonsing Voice. God, help me to hear It that day.

CAB 07 - Sardisean

“And I will confess his name before My Father and His angels.” Roll
call in heaven! “If a man die,
shall he live again? all the days
of my appointed time will I
wait, till my change come.

Thou shalt call, and I will
answer Thee: Thou wilt have a
desire to the work of Thine
hands.” The Great Shepherd is
calling His sheep by name.

The creative voice of God is
calling them forth from the
dust or changing their atoms
even though they had not
fallen asleep. It is the rapture.
It is the great Marriage Supper
of the Lamb and His bride.

But the rapture is not the only roll call. There at the second resurrection, at the great White Throne judgment, will names be confessed before the Father and His angels.

Now I have been told by those⁵⁵⁸
who know, that the
sweetest sound to a human
ear is the sound of that
person's name. How people
love to have their names before
the public. How they love
acclaim.

But no earthly voice will ever sound your name as sweetly as will the voice of God if your name is in the Book of Life and remains there to be revealed before the holy angels. What a day that will be when we hear Jesus say,

“Father, they confessed
My Name before men in the
days of their earthly
pilgrimage. Now I will confess
their names before Thee and all
the heavenly angels.”

The Return Of The Book
Is What All Nature Has
Been Groaning For

60-0518 - Adoption #2

28 With earnest expectations,
the whole creation is waiting
for the manifestation. See, the
manifestation! What is the
manifestation? Making known!

29 The whole world.

The Mohammedans over yond
er, they're looking for it. All
around, everywhere, they're
looking for it.

“Where is these
people?” We’ve had
the...We’ve had a mighty
rushing wind, we’ve had
thunders and lightning, we’ve
had oil and blood,

we've had all kinds of things,
but we failed to hear that little
still small Voice that attracted
the prophet that wrapped the
robe around him and walked
out, said, "Here am I, Lord."

See?

30 Now the whole creation is
groaning and waiting for the
manifestations of the sons of
God.

In Order For The Plan Of
Redemption To Be
Completed, There Must
Be A People Who Get
To See Their Names

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

299 Talk about a jubilee, talk about a time, when that Lamb walked forth! See, the Book is even sealed in Heaven, the mysteries are.

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 t
hat 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!

There you are. Oh, my! What
happened? The screams, the
shouts, the hallelujahs, the
anointed, the power, the glory,
the manifestation!

302 And old John, who had been standing there, our brother, crying! “Why,” he said, “everything in Heaven, everything in the earth,

and everything in the sea, heard me holler, 'Amen! Amen! Blessings, honor, and might, and power, be to Him that lives for ever and ever.'”

303 Talk about a happy time,
when them Seals broke! John
must have looked in and seen a
past the curtain of time, and
said, “There is John.” Oh, oh!

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

252 Now with the Lamb,
with the Book in His hands, we
are ready to ask His grace and
mercy upon us, to
open the Seven-Seal Book to us,

and let us look
a past the curtain of time, just
a little bit. Oh, my! Notice
when He
took the Book, the title deed,
sealed,

(just get that in your mind now), and broke the Seals of the mystery, to reveal them, to bring them to His, see, all of His redeemed subjects.

Holy Ghost Today Is
Our Part That Came
From God; It Is Very
Specific

65-0410 - The Easter Seal

84 And the same thing is with every true believer. When the preaching of God's Word comes forth, and is vindicated and proved that it's God's Word for this hour, then there's something within the believer.

I don't care how loyal his
father was to a church, or how
loyal his mother was, or his
grandparents, and if that
church is teaching contrary to
this hour of the baptism of the
Holy Ghost Message.

There's something in him that
screams out. He'll leave the
barnyard. He's got to do it. The
chicken might have been all
right one day, but this is eagle
hour. See? It—it's a different.

There is something, that, he
must leave the old coop and fly
away into the blue. Then this
earthly body is quickened and
brought, by the quickening
Spirit, to the obedience of
God's Word.

85 Now, when this Holy Spirit,⁵⁸⁴
represented as the
eagle flying over the land, and
finds the believer. “No man can
come to Me, no man can come
to Me as he wants to. All the
Father has given Me will come
to Me,

but no man can come by
himself.” It isn’t your own
thinking, your own drawing.
It’s God, drawing. See? “All the
Father has given Me will come
to Me.”

88 It's the Holy Spirit coming
down, to quicken, make alive
those people that's
foreordained of God to be in
the Rapture.

Notice. That is, if he is a true eagle, he will understand the Message of the hour if he's a true eagle. Now, the little eagle probably, in the barnyard, was eating all right,

but he—he knowed it wasn't just exactly right. But then when he heard the Truth, then he received this Truth. Now, in John 14..

65-1207 - Leadership

162 ...The cocklebur...Many of you think, “I got the baptism of the Holy Ghost, I’m going to Heaven.” That don’t mean one thing that you’re going to Heaven.

No, sir. You can have the
baptism of the Holy Ghost
every hour in your life, and still
be lost and go to hell. The Bible
says so. Uh-huh, that's exactly
right.

163 Look here, you are a
outside person. You have five
senses that contacts that
outside body. God gave you five
senses; not to contact Him,
your earthly home: see, taste,
feel, smell, and hear.

164 Then you have a spirit on the inside of that, and it has five outlets: conscience, and love, and so forth. Five outlets that you contact the spirit world with that, but with your spirit.

165 Your physical contacts the physical. Your spiritual contacts the spiritual. But inside of that you've got a soul, and that soul is that gene that come from God.

166 And like a baby formed in its mother's womb. When the baby comes into the—to the mother's womb by the little germ, it crawls into the egg,

it doesn't form one cell a human, the next a dog, and the next a cat, and the next a horse. It's all human cells because it's building off of an original human cell.

167 And when a man has been
borned again by the Word of
God, predestinated to Eternal
Life, called “The Elected,” it’ll
be Word of God on top of
Word, Word on Word!

Not a denominational creed and then a Word, and a creed; and it won't work. You can't have that leaven in It! Only one Eternal Life, Jesus Christ the Word:

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of
The Bride Of Christ

222 Well, you separated from your first union, by spiritual death. Now you are born again, or remarried again, to the new spiritual union;

of not your natural life of the things of the world, but of Eternal Life. That germ that was in you at the beginning, found you.

223 Now, your old book is gone,
with your old union. Now, your
name in your old, in your...has
been transferred.

Now, you say, “Do you mean to tell me that my old book...” God put it in the Sea of His Forgetfulness. You stand perfectly before God.

224 Now, your name is now in
the new Book; not the book of
life, but the Lamb's Book of
Life, what the Lamb
redeemed. Not the old book of
your natural union, but your
new, Bride.

Hallelujah! Your new life is in
the Lamb's Book of Life, your
marriage certificate,
hallelujah, where your true
Eternal germ, from the
beginning, takes hold.

Now you're not only forgiven,
but you're justified.

Glory! “Justified,” Romans 5:1
said. Yeah. Romans 5:1 said,
“Therefore being justified by
faith.”

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of
The Bride Of Christ

228 But the word, *justified*, is
though you never done it.

Amen. It's not even regarded, at
all. How is it done?

In God's Book of the Sea of Forgetfulness, your old book and marriage is divorced and dead, and it's not even in the memories of God. Amen. You are justified. "Therefore being justified." It was accused. You was accused.

You never done it, in the first place. The old union is in the Sea of God's Forgetfulness. You wasn't married to it, to begin with. He, the Bridegroom, bore your shame, Himself, for you, in your place.

He took your place, for you were predestinated for Him, to be in His Bride, before the foundation of the world. The Bible said so. You are the predestinated Seed.

229 How did you come to do this? You were deceived into it by your first marriage, to your adulterous parent, Eve. It's no fault of your own. By your natural birth, you come after Eve, who committed adultery.

That's the reason you was born
an adulteress. You're a sinner, to
begin with. That's right. You was
deceived into it. You had
no...No, you, it ain't your fault.

230 You never did it. Because,
that little germ that was in
you, was to be you, before the
foundation of the world. God
put your name in the Lamb's
Book of Life.

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The
Bride Of Christ

307 And that's my Message to you, Church, you that's a union, spiritual union by the Word, that you're dead to these old husbands. You're born anew. Don't try to dig him up.

He's dead. If you're a
born-again Christian, that
little germ that was predestin
ated to you, it's Word coming
on Word, on Word, on Word,
on Word,

and come into full stature of
Christ, that's right, so He can
come get His Bride. Now we're
just ready for one thing, that's
the Coming of the Lord.

308 There is your name on the
Book of Life. The Book of Life is
the Word of God, 'cause the
Word is God, and God is the only
thing that is Life. So your name
was represented in the Bible
before the Bible become on
Word.

65-0221E - Who Is This
Melchisedec?

88 Then, after you recognized
the very Word of God was
Eagle Food, then you left the
other thing.

You have then been formed
into the living image of the
living God.

You heard from your theophan
y. “If this earthly body be
dissolved, we have one
waiting.”

65-1212 - Communion

45 I was saying this, taking for myself, like you was going to say, “William Branham, well, forty years ago, the William Branham, it isn’t the same one tonight.” If somebody back there would say,

“William Branham, he was a rank rascal,” see, because I was born of Charles and Ella Branham. In their nature I was a sinner, I came to the world, a liar, and all the habits of the world laid right in me.

But down in there, too, was
another Nature present, see,
predestinated, was in there by
God. In this same body,
see, two natures in there.

46 Well, I only catered to one.
As it growed, I gooed as a baby,
“Dad-da.” First thing you know,
I become a liar,

become everything else that's a sinner, because I raised up that way. But down in there was a little speck of Life all the time.

49 What was it? There was
another William Branham.
See? A little spot of Eternal Life
down there,

from the—the—the genes of
God, the Word of God that was
placed in there. Each one of
you can think of similar things.
See, It was working.

52 But yet all at once I looked up, and I said, “I’m not the son of Charles and Ella Branham. There’s Something calling.”
Like my little eagle, “I’m not a chicken.

There's Something up yonder,
somewhere. O Great Jehovah,
Whoever You are, open up! I
want to come home. There's
Something in me, calling."

53 Then I was born again. That
little Life was laying there, the
life of water was poured upon
It, then It begin to grow.

⁶²⁸
Now, that old life was forgiven,
put in the sea of God's
forgetfulness, to never be
remembered against me no
more. See? Now we stand
justified (as though we never
had sinned) in the Presence of
God.

63-0901E - Desperations

21 And the devil can

impersonate any of those

things, but he cannot be the

Holy Ghost. See? He can

impersonate these gifts, but he

can't be the Holy Ghost.

And the Holy Ghost is the
Token that the Blood has been
applied, because
It follows the Blood all the way
from the Book of Redemption.
See it?

That was the purpose of Him
coming. That's what He
followed in every age. Every
age He has followed that, to
see that It's brought forth, and
they could not be made perfect
without us.

And now the entire Holy Spirit
visits the Church, making God
in human flesh; as He did
before Sodom, the burning
there, which was a type. Then,
Abraham, He appeared to him.

22 And all the things that He ⁶³³
hasn't done down through the
ages, in the church ages, He is
now doing. **Back to the Word,**
because the messages and the
messages and the messages
has to wind up in the entire
Word.

And in the last days, the Seven Seals being opened, was to pick up every straggler that's been left off in it, and make the whole thing in one great big body of the Bride,

that them who lived back there
was not perfect until this
Church be perfected, this Bride
group in the last days, to bring
them in, and all together be
taken up. See?

23 The Token, Jesus Christ, the
Holy Spirit, is among us.

NAME IS ONLY REVEALED BY
THE OPENING OF THE WORD

63-0319 - The Second Seal

346 Heavenly Father, oh, I—I just, sometimes, Lord, stand here and—and I tremble. I think of that awful hour that's approaching, and I...There is no way to stop it. It's predicted it would come.

And I thought of, “Why don’t
the people come
and—and—and listen? And
won’t they come and accept
it?” But, of course, I know
that—that You—You said they
wouldn’t, so they won’t.

347 But there is some that's
got their names written on the
Lamb's Book of Life. And when
them Seals
are throwed open there, they
see their name there, and the
Holy Spirit speaks to them.

They come. You can't keep
them away; no one can, no
one. They're coming, anyhow,
because You're leading them
like You did those little birds,

and the sheep and the
cattle. Thou art God! Some
instinct that them animals
have, that they know that they
must get away!

And if instinct, to an animal,
could warn him to flee from
danger, what should the Holy
Spirit do to a Church that
claims to be filled with It!

63-0324M - Questions And
Answers On The Seals

113 ...Is—is it true that every Jew born since Christ, that came into the world, is to be saved?

114 No. Nothing will be saved, only those whose names were put on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world, Jew or Gentile. See? That's all.

The Book holds that mystery,
and the Book is only unfolding
it now; not each one's name,
but what the mystery of the
Book is, while it's calling those
names. You finally understand
that now? See?

115 The Book doesn't say,
“Now, Lee Vayle is to be saved
in time of this church
age, or—or Orman Neville,”
or—or whoever.

No, it don't say that. It just
shows the mystery, unfolds
the mystery of what the thing
is. But we, ourselves, by faith,
believe it. That's what I said the
other night.