

# Breaking The Generational Curse

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## Exodus 20:4-6

<sup>4</sup> Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

5 Thou shalt not bow down  
thyself to them, nor serve them:  
for I the LORD thy God am a  
jealous God, visiting the iniquity  
of the fathers upon the children  
unto the third and fourth  
generation of them that hate  
me;

<sup>6</sup> And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

Curse

Is A Terrible Thing

Most Of The Time

You Don't Even Know It

Is There

You Treat  
Its Symptoms – As:-  
Epilepsy/Blood  
Pressure/Cancer

# You Can Be Condemned

For-

~Alcoholism

~Womanizing

~Hate/Anger /Resentment

Until And Unless – Its  
Source  
Is Properly Discerned



To Discern It People Consult:

~Psychic

~Witch Doctors/Medicine

Men

~Mediums/Seers Under

Different Names

God Have:  
Prophets And / Or  
Dreams/Urim And  
Thummim

## Exodus 28:30

<sup>30</sup> And thou shalt put in the breastplate of judgment the Urim and the Thummim; and they shall be upon Aaron's heart, when he goeth in before the LORD: and Aaron shall bear the judgment of the children of Israel upon his heart before the LORD continually.

Which Is The Living  
Word Of God

## Hebrews 4:12

<sup>12</sup> For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

King Saul Like Men  
Today:- Looked For An  
Alternative To God's  
Provided Way

## 1 Samuel 28:5-7

<sup>5</sup> And when Saul saw the host of the Philistines, he was afraid, and his heart greatly trembled.

<sup>6</sup> And when Saul enquired of the LORD, the LORD answered him not, neither by dreams, nor by Urim, nor by prophets.



<sup>7</sup> Then said Saul unto his servants, Seek me a woman that hath a familiar spirit, that I may go to her, and enquire of her. And his servants said to him, Behold, there is a woman that hath a familiar spirit at Endor.

Ahaziah – Son Of  
Ahab: Inquired From  
Baalzebub

## 2 Kings 1:1-4

1 Then Moab rebelled against Israel after the death of Ahab.

<sup>2</sup> And Ahaziah fell down through a lattice in his upper chamber that was in Samaria, and was sick: and he sent messengers, and said unto them, Go, enquire of Baalzebub the god of Ekron whether I shall recover of this disease.

<sup>3</sup> But the angel of the LORD said to Elijah the Tishbite, Arise, go up to meet the messengers of the king of Samaria, and say unto them, Is it not because there is not a God in Israel, that ye go to enquire of Baalzebub the god of Ekron?

<sup>4</sup> Now therefore thus saith the LORD, Thou shalt not come down from that bed on which thou art gone up, but shalt surely die. And Elijah departed.

# Jeremiah Prophesied To Israel

## Jeremiah 2:5

<sup>5</sup> Thus saith the LORD, What iniquity have your fathers found in me, that they are gone far from me, and have walked after vanity, and are become vain?



## Jeremiah 2:11

<sup>11</sup> Hath a nation changed their gods, which are yet no gods? but my people have changed their glory for that which doth not profit.

## Jeremiah 2:13

<sup>13</sup> For my people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.

## 65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

22 Like this military man, a while ago, was speaking to us and saying that some certain things, that perhaps maybe in some other country has a certain missile,

or—or something on that idea,  
and we've got to find  
something to counteract that  
in—in a military strategy.

23 Well, the same thing goes into a church, to a parish where a man is preaching, or if he is an evangelist in the field. When he sees uprisings, and something that's just starting, going, its infancy or whatever it is;

it's that man, if he is a servant  
of God, to block that thing so  
far from the people's minds  
that they'll keep away from it.  
And we don't want that to  
happen, for us to get into  
places like that.

65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

38 We find out here that Israel  
is accused by the prophet,  
when God had ordained him  
and sent him out, they were  
accused of two major sins.

And we want to talk on those two things that they had done. And, from that, we want to prosper by it.



Now, they had turned from  
God, the Fountain of living  
water, and had hewed  
themselves out cisterns. They  
had turned from the thing that  
God had given them,

and had hewed themselves  
something that they had did  
themselves. And these  
cisterns, you notice, he had,  
they had broken and they were  
leaking.

65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

51 Now notice they had left  
Him, the Fountain of living  
waters, and had hewed  
themselves cisterns.

Hanging Over Hell  
With Every Word To  
Keep

65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

56 When God first set the  
human race in...on earth, He  
told them they live by His  
Word.

Now the Word of God is like a  
chain, you're passing across  
hell with It; and its chain is only  
its best at its weakest link, and  
God wants us to keep every  
Word of It.

Now that was the first of the  
Bible; just to break one Word,  
plunged the human race into a  
darkness of death.

57 Jesus came in the middle of  
the Bible, and He said that,  
“Man shall not live by bread  
alone, but by every Word.”



Not just part of the Words, or  
ninety-nine out of a hundred;  
but every Word, just like Eve  
and Adam was.

58 And in the last of the Bible,  
Revelation 22:18, He said that,  
“Whosoever shall take a Word  
out of This, or add one word to  
It!”

Jesus Said

## John 7:37-38

<sup>37</sup> In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink.

<sup>38</sup> He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.

65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

113 And here is an artesian

well. Now watch this. It's self-supporting. You don't have to get any big systems and bring a lot of money into it.

You don't have to join a lot of members. It supports its members, of the Spirit of Life in them, functioning.

114 Notice the water that comes  
from it, fresh, pure and clean. Not  
a cistern, something stagnated  
that's been indocumented by  
forty, fifty different minds, saying,  
“This is right, and that's right, and  
this conception,”



and vote and call on, and as they do, and then make a denomination out of it. It's pure and clean, unadulterated Word of God, coming from the hand of God. It's a real artesian well.

115 Notice, the secret of its  
power is within itself. Man  
cannot find it. Some kind of a  
pressure, beneath it, that's  
making it push up.

## 65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

117 And that goes to show that any denomination, through a little lack of Spirit or a little change of atmosphere, will freeze over. But God's artesian well, He's the—

He's the same yesterday, today,  
and forever, it keeps all the  
things bubbled out of it and  
shoved out of it. And there is  
none in there, to begin with.  
And anything gets into it, it'll  
push it out of the way.

## 65-0123 — Broken Cisterns

120 If it could have spoke to  
me, you know what that well  
would have said?

He'd have said, "Brother  
Branham, it isn't me bubbling,  
it's something behind me,  
bubbling me." And that's the  
way it is with... That's a poor  
word, but you know what I  
mean.

121 And that's the way it is  
with a born-again experience.  
You cannot contain it.

It's a—a well of water within  
you, bubbling up into  
everlasting Life. See, there is  
something about it, that you  
have nothing to do with.



The man-made tanks may  
freeze, and them begging for  
revival and everything; but a  
man that's under that  
Fountain, living in that  
Fountain, it's day and night!

No, you don't have to wait on local rains and local revivals. You are full of It. “I'll give unto him a fountain of Life, in him, bubbling up.”

There's something in It, that's  
fresh every day, pure and clean.  
It's the unadulterated Word of  
God in your heart and mouth,  
vindicating Itself, speaking for  
Itself.

I don't care whether it's raining,  
whether it's snowing, what kind of  
weather it is, you are still happy  
because the Holy Spirit is in  
there bubbling up. It's the hidden  
Power. Notice. Oh, its secret is  
within it.

Elijah To King Ahaziah

## 2 Kings 1:3

<sup>3</sup> But the angel of the LORD said to Elijah the Tishbite, Arise, go up to meet the messengers of the king of Samaria, and say unto them, Is it not because there is not a God in Israel, that ye go to enquire of Baalzebub the god of Ekron?

Ahaziah Sent Captain  
Of 50

## 2 Kings 1:9-17

<sup>9</sup> Then the king sent unto him a captain of fifty with his fifty. And he went up to him: and, behold, he sat on the top of an hill. And he spake unto him, Thou man of God, the king hath said, Come down.



<sup>10</sup> And Elijah answered and said<sup>65</sup>  
to the captain of fifty, If I be a  
man of God, then let fire come  
down from heaven, and  
consume thee and thy fifty. And  
there came down fire from  
heaven, and consumed him and  
his fifty.

<sup>11</sup> Again also he sent unto him another captain of fifty with his fifty. And he answered and said unto him, O man of God, thus hath the king said, Come down quickly.

<sup>12</sup> And Elijah answered and said unto them, If I be a man of God, let fire come down from heaven, and consume thee and thy fifty. And the fire of God came down from heaven, and consumed him and his fifty.

<sup>13</sup> and he sent again A captain of the third fifty with his fifty. And the third captain of fifty went up, and came and fell on his knees before elijah, and besought him, and said unto him, O man of god, I pray thee, let my life, and the life of these fifty thy servants, be precious in thy sight.

<sup>14</sup> Behold, there came fire down from heaven, and burnt up the two captains of the former fifties with their fifties: therefore let my life now be precious in thy sight.

<sup>15</sup> And the angel of the LORD said unto Elijah, Go down with him: be not afraid of him. And he arose, and went down with him unto the king.

<sup>16</sup> And he said unto him, Thus saith the LORD, Forasmuch as thou hast sent messengers to enquire of Baalzebub the god of Ekron, is it not because there is no God in Israel to enquire of his word? therefore thou shalt not come down off that bed on which thou art gone up, but shalt surely die.

<sup>17</sup> So he died according to the word of the LORD which Elijah had spoken. And Jehoram reigned in his stead in the second year of Jehoram the son of Jehoshaphat king of Judah; because he had no son.



Our World, Time And  
Age Everything Is  
Cursed

By What?  
Departing From  
Apostles' Word

## Galatians 1:6-9

<sup>6</sup> I marvel that ye are so soon removed from him that called you into the grace of Christ unto another gospel:

<sup>7</sup> Which is not another; but there be some that trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ.

<sup>8</sup> But though we, or an angel from heaven, preach any other gospel unto you than that which we have preached unto you, let him be accursed.

<sup>9</sup> As we said before, so say I now again, if any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed.

For The True Church's  
Foundation Is:-

## Ephesians 2:19-22

<sup>19</sup> Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellowcitizens with the saints, and of the household of God;



<sup>20</sup> And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone;

<sup>21</sup> In whom all the building fitly  
framed together groweth unto  
an holy temple in the Lord:

<sup>22</sup> In whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit.

God Promised  
Remedy For The  
Curse – Faith Of Our  
Fathers

## Malachi 4:5-6

<sup>5</sup> Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the LORD:

<sup>6</sup> And he shall turn the heart of the fathers to the children, and the heart of the children to their fathers, lest I come and smite the earth with a curse.

# The Plagues/Vials/Trumpets

Have Come Down As  
A Cluster



65-0822E — A Thinking Man's Filter  
12 .....And I'm anxiously waiting  
for the hour to where we can all  
congregate in one place and  
preach on those Seven Plagues,  
and Seven Vials, and the  
Trumpets, and so forth. They all  
happen right in a cluster.

200 Million Demons  
“(Rev 9:13-21)” - Yet  
No Repentance

## Revelation 9:20-21

<sup>20</sup> And the rest of the men which were not killed by these plagues yet repented not of the works of their hands, that they should not worship devils, and idols of gold, and silver, and brass, and stone, and of wood: which neither can see, nor hear, nor walk:

<sup>21</sup> Neither repented they of their murders, nor of their sorceries, nor of their fornication, nor of their thefts.

65-0822E — A Thinking Man's  
Filter

70 “The woman that liveth in  
pleasure,” with her bobbed hair  
and painted face, “is dead while  
she is alive.”

The Bible said so. See? See, she  
may be religious, but she never  
was saved. She's got a outward  
motion. She might sing in the  
choir, or she might dance in  
the Spirit,

she might speak in tongues,  
and have all the manifestations  
of the Spirit. But unless that  
soul on the inside is God's  
daughter, see, she is gone, no  
matter what she does.

## 65-0822E — A Thinking Man's Filter

72 But when you're born of the Spirit of God, then you've got a...you are a son of God, and you always was a son of God, and you always will be a son of God.



No way to separate it, because it's...you have Eternal Life. And Eternal never did begin; neither will it ever end.

73 Oh, for the grace of God,  
that He would give us  
understanding of such great  
mysteries!

As Paul spoke here, further on down in Ephesians, speaking of the husband and wife, and said, “This is a mystery,” how the women should be in respects to their husband.

Even the second place, I believe it is, the entire Bible, that reverence was ever spoke to. Said, “The women, seeing she reverence her husband, reverence her husband.”

Then a husband ought to live  
such a life before his wife that his  
wife could reverence him as a son  
of God. And if he doesn't live that  
kind of life, well, then, course,  
she wouldn't reverence him,  
because she knows what he's  
made of.

But when it is a man that is  
reverent man, reverent and clean,  
with his wife and before his  
family, a real servant of God, then  
the women, children, and all,  
should respect that servant of  
God, with reverence.

65-0822E — A Thinking Man's Filter

146 Oh, hide me in the Rock of  
ages! God, let me, let me.

Breathe upon me, Lord. Spirit of  
the living God, breathe on me.

Let me take God's Filter and live  
under That, Lord.

Let me breathe the fresh air of  
the Holy Ghost into my lungs,  
in my soul each day, that I sin  
not against You, O Lord.  
Breathe on me, Holy Spirit,  
breathe on me! l...



147 Let me plant the Word of God in my heart, and purpose there that I'll not turn to the right hand or to the left hand, away from It, but I'll live true to It all the days of my life.

O Father God, then send down  
upon me the Holy Spirit of Life, to  
quicken those Words to me, that  
I might manifest Jesus Christ  
before those who are before me,  
to looking for it to happen. That's  
my prayer.

That's The Prayer Of  
A Thinking Man

65-0822E — A Thinking Man's Filter

54 Can you imagine a preacher standing in the pulpit, because he's paid good by a congregation that pats him on the back, calls him, "Doctor, Brother, Reverend,"

and takes him out to all kinds of parties where they mix bathing, and everything else, on the beaches; could you imagine a man claiming that he's coming through a thinking man's Filter?

155 And some of those women  
on the platform, with their  
dresses above their knees, and  
cut so tight and shows every  
form, every move they make,

and their underneath clothes  
showing through their dresses;  
just as bad as wearing shorts,  
bikinis, or anything else. You  
Pentecostal, blind, Laodicean  
preachers,

how long will God suffer you, I  
don't know. Be...God be  
merciful to your—to your blind  
eyes. He's got eyesalve  
tonight, to open your eyes,  
that you might see.



156 As I said this morning, we're  
in the seeing age, the top.  
There's no more faculties above  
that, that you can move  
outwardly, to know.

You, from your nose, you can smell; from your lips, you can speak; from your hands, you can feel and reach; and your feet, and so forth; but you can't go farther than your eyes.

157 Malachi 4 has come; sight!

“And it shall be Light about the evening time.” Oh, walk in the Light!

We’ll walk in the Light, a beautiful Light,

That comes where the dewdrops  
of mercy are bright;  
Shine all around me by day and  
by night,  
Jesus, the Word, the Light of the  
world.

158 Yes, sir. Pass through It, oh, brother, and you will come out with a holy man's taste, with the Holy Ghost.

159 Oh, woman, just pass your  
modern thinking of dress. Pass  
your modern thinking, before  
you go out on the street before  
man;

you young women, you old  
women, before you go out on  
the street with your clothes so  
tight, pushed out in the back  
and front. I'm not critical.

I'm your brother. I stand  
between the living and the  
dead, and realize what I'm  
saying. Before you enter out,  
and know that your body is a  
sacred order,



or a sacred caste that God has  
given you; before you enter the  
street, dressed like that, pass  
your mind through a thinking  
woman's Filter.

And let it remember, that,  
“Whosoever looks upon you to  
lust after you, you have  
committed adultery with him  
already.” Remember that,  
sister.

160 And, brother, before you turn your head to look at her, on that second glance, pass your mind through a thinking man's Filter. You'll come out with a holy man's taste, see, of doing what's right.

161 Notice, if you pass your  
mind through a thinking  
woman's Filter, you'll come  
out with a holy woman's dress.  
That's right. You'll come out,  
brother, with a holy man's  
look.

Now, that's just one thing.  
Everything that you do, pass it  
through the Filter of God's  
Word, see if it's right or wrong.

162 You'll come out with a holy  
woman's dress, with long hair,  
decently dressed; a quiet,  
humble spirit;

not up and brawling, and  
fighting and carrying on. “A  
quiet, meek spirit, which is a  
great treasure from God.” The  
Bible said so.....

## 65-0822E — A Thinking Man's Filter

192 And, Father, we realize that, as I compared it with these organizations of today; not to be different, Lord.



You will judge me, someday,  
from my heart. And I pray, God,  
that You'll see that it wasn't to  
be different,

but it was to be honest, to try to be sincere, realizing I hold the purchase of Your Blood, from coast to coast, right now, in my hand. And many of them has believed the Report.

193 And, God of Heaven, may  
there not be one of them lost. I  
claim them, every one, and hold  
before them the Filter from sin,

the Waters of separation, the  
Blood of Jesus Christ, the Word  
made flesh. Grant it, Lord. And  
may the Holy Spirit pour  
through every promise, into  
our souls.

And may we be living  
representatives of the Bride of  
Jesus Christ, in the time of the  
eyes, of the seeing in the  
evening Light, for we present it  
to You in Jesus Christ's Name.  
Amen.

We Fear So Much  
About Generational-  
Curse How Do We  
Break Them?

## Ezekiel 18:1-4

1 The word of the LORD came unto me again, saying,

<sup>2</sup> What mean ye, that ye use this proverb concerning the land of Israel, saying, The fathers have eaten sour grapes, and the children's teeth are set on edge?



<sup>3</sup> As I live, saith the Lord GOD,  
ye shall not have occasion any  
more to use this proverb in  
Israel.

<sup>4</sup> Behold, all souls are mine; as the soul of the father, so also the soul of the son is mine: the soul that sinneth, it shall die.

## Ezekiel 18:20

<sup>20</sup> The soul that sinneth, it shall die. The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, neither shall the father bear the iniquity of the son: the righteousness of the righteous shall be upon him, and the wickedness of the wicked shall be upon him.

Its An Individual  
Personal Thing

63-0728 — Christ Is The  
Mystery Of God Revealed

478 Listen, listen close now. I  
want you not to fail to get this.

No other church, no other sign,  
no other fellowship, no other  
government, no other  
testimony, no other creed, no  
denomination, is accepted  
outside of This. God accepts  
nothing else but that,

“Christ in you, the hope of  
Glory,” the only thing that God  
recognizes. No fellowship, no  
church, no creed, no  
denomination, no nothing;  
everything else is dead.

It's fragments that has to be  
cut off, pruned off away from  
the thing, that Christ might  
live with preeminences in you.



63-0728 — Christ Is The Mystery Of  
God Revealed

484 His Presence, in the  
individual, with a personal  
vindication of Himself  
expressing Himself,

the living Word that's  
promised for the day,  
expressing Itself through you,  
a vindication of the great  
revelation of God.

Look, only in an individual,  
never in a group! An individual;  
not in a group! His  
identification is with an  
individual.

You get that? [Congregation says, “Amen.”—Ed.] Not with the Methodist, not with the Baptist, not the Presbyterian, not the Lutheran, not the Pentecostals, but as an individual!

485 “I’ll take one, and leave one; I’ll separate them.” That’s right. “There’ll be two in the field; I’ll take one and leave one. There’ll be two in bed, and I’ll take one and leave one.”

486 It's not a group. It is a  
personal vindication of a  
pregnated child of God, filled  
with the Holy Ghost, so  
surrendered to God that he  
don't care about anything else.

And the Holy Spirit living Its  
Life, pulsating through him,  
showing the  
personal—personal vindication  
of the Word, Itself, expressing  
Itself to the people and to the  
world.

63-0728 — Christ Is The  
Mystery Of God Revealed  
491 It's an individual, one  
person! All hell is against this  
Teaching. All hell is against this  
Truth, but it is the Truth.



## Galatians 3:13-14

<sup>13</sup> Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree:

<sup>14</sup> That the blessing of Abraham might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.

## 63-1128E — The Token

62 “And when I see the token,  
I’ll pass over you.” It’s a sign,  
it’s a sign that the price has  
been paid.

Jesus paid the price, and you received it from Him. Holding the Token in your hand, you have an assurance of resurrection. You have the assurance that everything you have need of,

in this journey, is provided in  
that Token of His suffering at  
Calvary, where He met the  
price of every curse that could  
be put on you. That Token  
speaks peace. Amen.

## 63-0319 — The Second Seal

162 ....If she would have stayed behind the Word, she would have never fell. Now that's in the natural, notice, the natural woman.

63-0728 — Christ Is The  
Mystery Of God Revealed

430 And when He come on  
earth, He was the Tree of Life.

Do you believe that?

[Congregation says,  
“Amen.”—Ed.]

And Rome, what did they do? He had to be chopped down. And He was put on a tree of disgrace, “cursed is he that hang on a tree,” become a curse for the human race.



55-0724 — Enticing Spirits

68 You can't bless what God  
has cursed, neither can the  
devil curse what God has  
blessed. It's an individual affair,

no matter how poor or how stupid, how unlearned, how uneducated. What God has blessed is blessed. What God has cursed is cursed. Know to differentiate what is right and what is wrong.

64-0614M — The Unveiling Of God

93 He had to come into human flesh, to...and nobody, no sexual desire. Because that proves again our statement of the serpent's seed, see, "sexual," absolutely sex.

Not apples; sex! That's right.  
That had to be. Notice here, see,  
for any good man...Look at  
those prophets back there, but  
He had to be more than a  
prophet.

See? In order to do that, He had  
to come virgin birth, showing  
that virgin birth proved...He  
had to be born virgin birth, to  
take the curse off, the  
Antidote.

See what I mean? So, it had to be sex. He proved it in His Own coming; He come not in sexual desire, but through virgin birth.

And He changed His mask from Jehovah to Jesus, in order to take the redemptive work in the drama that He was acting out, in God at the cross.

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

22. At one time—at one time  
were we all white or colored?  
Of the two, which one was the  
curse put on?



153 Now, as far as we know, I couldn't tell you whether Adam and Eve were—were white, or brown, or yellow, or black. I cannot tell you. No one else knows but God alone, I guess;

He was back there. Now, in  
the...As we come all of one  
language and one people until  
the tower of Babel, a confusion.

And then their languages went different. And as far as we know they were all one people till that time. And they broke up and scattered in different parts of the world.

154 And some...You take an animal; you take any life that eats off of a certain soil, it'll turn that color. If there's a hunter here, you just follow me a few minutes.

Go down into Mexico, and get  
the coyote; take up here in  
Arizona and get the coyote; you  
go up in the North and get the  
same coyote,

and watch the three colors. Get a Gila monster that's raised in Texas, and get one that's raised in Arizona, and look at the difference in them (see?), 'cause it's the soil they live on. See?

To Be Born Again  
You Must Die

## Romans 7:3-5

<sup>3</sup> So then if, while her husband liveth, she be married to another man, she shall be called an adulteress: but if her husband be dead, she is free from that law; so that she is no adulteress, though she be married to another man.



<sup>4</sup> Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ; that ye should be married to another, even to him who is raised from the dead, that we should bring forth fruit unto God.

<sup>5</sup> For when we were in the flesh, the motions of sins, which were by the law, did work in our members to bring forth fruit unto death.

## 2 Corinthians 5:17

<sup>17</sup> Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new.

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

213 That's the reason you have to be born again. You have to separate; you have to die to that first husband.

You can't live with it. You just can't say, "Well, I'll divorce him, and hang him up here till occasion." No, sir.

No writing of divorcement! He dies. The nature of the world has to die. Every speck of him has to die. You have to be reunited, again, with another Nature.

Only The Quickened  
Word In You Will  
Break The Curse

## 1 Peter 1:23-25

<sup>23</sup> Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.



<sup>24</sup> For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away:

<sup>25</sup> But the word of the Lord endureth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.

## Romans 8:11

<sup>11</sup> But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you.

# 65-0418M — It Is The Rising Of<sup>188</sup> The 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!

251 What you scared about? No wonder He said, “Fear not; I am He that was dead and alive again; and I’m alive for evermore; and have the keys of death and hell.”



Don't worry about nothing.  
Even death ain't going to hurt  
you. Notice. Beautiful!  
Let's go right quick now.

252 The abstract title! The debt is settled. Everything against it has been struck off.  
Ha-ha-ha! Glory! I may act silly, but I feel good. Notice. See?

Oh, an abstract deed, do you realize what that means? Do you realize what that means, brother? There is nothing can take it away from you. Amen. I am a holder. Amen. What a...

## 65-0410 — The Easter Seal

110 Let somebody try to put you off the land, say he belongs, and you with the abstract in your hand. Let him try to do it. There ain't a law in the land can do it, because you hold the abstract.

111 And there's no devil, no church, or any theology, that can overstep the boundaries of God's proof and abstract, that the baptism of the Holy Ghost has recognized us in Jesus Christ.

We're just as sure to raise as He raised, because potentially we have already raised in Him.  
Amen.

112 The old things...What does  
it do to our mortal bodies? It  
turns our opinion, changes our  
notions. It sets our affections  
on things which are Above.

And the smoking, drinking,  
gambling, the things that you  
used to do, is dead. It's beneath  
you.



113 And you are quickened.  
And this quickening power  
brings your body into a  
raptured condition, already.....

65-1212 — Communion

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.

50 Then look up to the trees,  
and I think, “Leaf, I seen you fall  
off last year, and why are you  
back there again?”

Where'd you come from? What brought you here?" See, it was that Eternal Life working in the body.

51 Now, then one day as I walked on, that Voice talking, “Don’t never smoke, drink, so forth.” And the young fellows and all got older. See, there was Something moving.

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. 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.

# What Is A Generational Curse?

*From:*

*<https://psychcentral.com/lib/how-intergenerational-trauma-impacts-families>*

A generational curse is a habit  
or behavior that has been  
passed from one generation to  
the next. Parents strive to  
make sure that the life they  
lead will help their children live  
a better one.

Children practice what they  
have learned on their own and  
what they have gathered from  
generations before them.

# How Intergenerational Trauma Impacts Families

According to the American Psychological Association (APA), intergenerational trauma is expressed when the descendant of someone who experienced a traumatic event presents challenging emotional and behavioral reactions that are similar to their ancestor or relative.

# How Intergenerational Trauma Is Passed On



“We inherit pain. When it’s not coped with, it gets passed again,” said Merissa Nathan Gerson, author of “Forget Prayers, Bring Cake,” a visiting assistant professor of communications at Tulane University, and inherited trauma consultant for Amazon’s “Transparent” series.

Trauma can be transmitted in  
many ways — from our  
genetics to conversations at  
the dinner table.

Some experts in the medical community attributed intergenerational trauma to the stress of living with a traumatized person who may still be reliving horrific events.

Others attributed  
intergenerational trauma to  
children becoming “containers”  
for their parents’ unwanted  
pain.

# Epigenetics:-

(How Your Behaviours And Environment Can Cause Changes That Affect The Way Your Genes Work - Centers for Disease Control and Prevention )

In the 1990s, researchers began to look at the biological mechanisms of intergenerational trauma via epigenetics

A 2018 review by Yehuda R. & Lehrner A. explored evidence that suggests children may be influenced by exposure to parental trauma that occurred before they were born and even prior to their conception.

Some ways trauma can be passed down include:

~DNA modifications

~in utero

~memory

~cultural messages and conditioning



- ~cultural patterns
- ~cumulative emotional wounding
- ~dominant family narratives
- ~normalization of hatred, cruelty, and dehumanization toward others

~parents bypassing or not  
coping with their trauma  
~aggressions and  
micro-aggressions

# Treatments for Generational Trauma

No easy answers exist, but healing from generational trauma may include:

- ~Accepting the trauma, its effects, and how you may treat it
- ~Pinpointing signs and symptoms that may relate to the trauma

- ~Resisting environments that worsen the effects of the trauma
- ~Psychotherapy, or talk therapy, helps lessen or resolve the effects of generational trauma. Talk therapy enables you to recognize the trauma and how it affects you.

# Ministering Spirits

## What /Who Influences You?

*Sunday Service, 11<sup>th</sup> June 2023*

*Pastor Obadiah Kamwatti*

## Hebrews 12:1-2

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

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



## Hebrews 12:18-24

<sup>18</sup> For ye are not come unto the mount that might be touched, and that burned with fire, nor unto blackness, and darkness, and tempest,

<sup>19</sup> And the sound of a trumpet, and the voice of words; which voice they that heard intreated that the word should not be spoken to them any more:

<sup>20</sup> (For they could not endure that which was commanded, And if so much as a beast touch the mountain, it shall be stoned, or thrust through with a dart:

<sup>21</sup> And so terrible was the sight,  
that Moses said, I exceedingly  
fear and quake:)

<sup>22</sup> But ye are come unto mount Sion, and unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to an innumerable company of angels,

<sup>23</sup> To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect,

<sup>24</sup> And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.

## Ephesians 6:10-13

<sup>10</sup> Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.



<sup>11</sup> Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.

<sup>12</sup> For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

<sup>13</sup> Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

Who Are These  
“Cloud Of  
Witnesses”?

# Hebrews 11 Deals With Heroes Of The Faith

## Hebrews 11:39-40

<sup>39</sup> And these all, having obtained a good report through faith, received not the promise:

<sup>40</sup> God having provided some better thing for us, that they without us should not be made perfect.

Starting With Abel-  
Though Dead  
Influenced Those  
Living On Earth



## 54-0103E — Questions And Answers #2

15. Now. Does man at death go to Heaven or—or to hell immediately, or do they wait for the judgment?

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

24 Now, many people...The  
Adventist people believe that  
when a man dies that he goes  
right into the grave and stays  
there, soul, body, and everything  
else, until the resurrection.

And their...They call that “soul sleeping.” Well, that’s all right. It’s all right as long as they believe Jesus Christ and is borned again, that won’t hurt them.

But now, according to the  
Scriptures, that when the  
person dies, if he's a Christian,  
if he's borned again, filled with  
the Holy Spirit, he'll never have  
to stand in the judgments of  
God.

See? He goes straight to the Presence of God. And he'll never have to be in judgment, because he's already...See?

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

28 Now, the sinner never...The  
sinner's got to stand judgment.  
And there won't be but this  
judgment. It's just like a—a  
circle

or a rainbow around the world  
of the Blood of Christ. As long  
as you're in here... If God could  
look upon the earth in its  
condition tonight any other  
way than through the Blood of  
Christ,

He would destroy it in a  
second. He'd have to. Certainly  
He'd have to. That's where the  
judgments is coming.



29 Now, if, or, as long as a  
man's under here, no matter if  
the man is a drunkard, and a  
gambler, and a horrible  
unbeliever, the mercies of God  
still atones for him.

And a woman, she might be,  
ever what she might be, a  
prostitute or whatever, the  
Blood of Jesus Christ still  
atones for her.

But the minute that her soul  
leaves this body and she goes  
beyond that, she's passed over  
mercy into judgment. God's  
already judged it. That settles  
it. She's done. She's judged.  
She judged...

30 You judge yourself by the way you treat God's propitiation, there, for your sins. See? You judge yourselves.

You don't judge Him just  
enough to forgive you. See? If  
you think He'll forgive you,  
confess your faults, and He'll  
forgive you.

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

32 Now. But when we die  
now—when we die now, we go  
directly into the Presence of  
Almighty God in a celestial  
body.

If I would meet Brother Neville  
up there, if we both die now, in  
an hour from now I'd meet him;

I'd say, "Greetings, Brother Neville," talk to him. I couldn't shake his hand; he's in a celestial body. I could talk to him; he'd look just like he does there. I'd look like I do.



But we could talk to one  
another, but we couldn't touch  
one another, because we  
haven't got any of the five  
senses of see, taste, feel, smell,  
and hear. See? But we would be  
immortal, and we could see  
one another.

We'd live in the blessed realms  
by the altar of God. Don't you  
know John saw the souls under  
the altar crying, "How long,  
Lord, how long" to come back  
to the earth to be clothed upon?

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

34 Look. Jesus told His disciples,  
taking their Communion, He  
said,

“I’ll eat no more of the fruit of the vine until I eat it and drink it with you anew in My Father’s Kingdom.” Is that right? See? There it is. So, we...When the dead dies...

A justified person, standing in  
the Presence of God, goes into  
His Presence as a immortal  
being and lives in the blessed  
realms of peace until the day  
that...returns back.

54-0103E — Questions And  
Answers #2

37 HERE, AS I'VE OFTEN SAID, I  
BELIEVE, IN THE CHURCH HERE,  
THERE'S A—A ROW HERE LIKE,  
IN HERE LIVES MORTAL BEINGS.

AND EACH ONE IS IN THIS  
GREAT CONGLOMERATION OF  
GAIETY, OF BLACKNESS AND  
DARKNESS.

MORTALS LIVE IN HERE. NOW,  
THEY ARE EITHER INFLUENCED  
FROM THIS WAY, OR FROM  
THAT WAY. YOU CANNOT BE  
HERE A SPIRITUAL BEING,



SINNER OR SAINT, WITHOUT  
HAVING AN INFLUENCE FROM  
THE UNDERWORLD OR FROM  
THE ABOVE WORLD. IF YOU  
ARE INFLUENCED FROM HERE,  
YOU'RE FROM ABOVE.

YOUR CELESTIAL BODY IS  
WAITING UP HERE. BUT IF  
YOU'RE WICKED, AND  
HYPOCRITICAL, AND  
INDIFFERENT, YOUR CELESTIAL  
BODY IS DOWN HERE,

REGARDLESS OF HOW MUCH  
YOU THINK IT'S UP THERE;  
BECAUSE THE FRUIT THAT YOU  
BEAR BEFORE PEOPLE PROVES  
WHERE YOU'RE FROM.

So you are here what you are  
somewhere else. Your life that  
you live here is just reflecting  
what your inheritance is when  
you leave here. Do you  
understand?

38 We are right now (oh, when I think of that) we are right now glorified in the presence of God, borned again believers. “For if this earthly tabernacle be dissolved,

we have one already waiting in  
Glory,” not somewhere else,  
right yonder already waiting  
now. And these earthly bodies  
groan to be clothed upon with  
that immortality. Is that right?

Sickness, and aches, and pains,  
and disappointments, and  
heartaches, and...Oh! I'll be glad  
when the old pesthouse is  
closed up, won't you? Yes, sir!  
We can go Home. That's right.

39 Just, we are, groan to be  
clothed upon, the Spirit's  
groaning. Oh, when you look  
and see all the pains around  
about,



all the conglomeration, stink,  
and sin, and mortal living, and  
deceit, and everything, I think,  
“Oh, God, how much longer will  
it be?”

40 One of these days I'm going to preach my last sermon, going to lay the Bible down like this, and go Home. Oh, what a time that'll be.

And when this earthly  
tabernacle is finished here, it  
won't be one second till I'll be in  
that one yonder; so will you. Oh,  
my! No wonder they said:

This robe of flesh I'll drop, and  
rise,  
And seize the everlasting prize,  
And shout while passing  
through the air.  
Sure, moving on up.

God Can Allow Pain,  
Heart Ache And  
Sickness

64-0322 — Possessing The Gate Of<sup>294</sup>  
The Enemy After Trial

115 “He will conquer the gates of his enemy.” To those, Seed, He stands here alive to vindicate Himself to who? Those predestinated Seeds that can see it.

He conquered that. Who, after his test, of the promise of the Word, they were sealed by the Holy Ghost, into the Body of Christ, to them confirmed (what?) Hebrews 13:8 to be so.

They are sealed in there by the Holy Ghost, that Holy Ghost which was by...Abraham foresaw it; by faith he believed it.



And now we receive It, looking back to the promise of what He said. And John 14:12 is made confirmed in this last days, by the risen Conqueror, Himself.

116 Not some system; but a  
Person, Christ, the Conqueror.  
Not my church, not my Baptist  
church,

or your Presbyterian,  
Methodist, or the Pentecostals,  
not by that; but by Jesus Christ.  
He lives today. He rose over  
that, for our justification.

117 And because He lives, He said we live also. “Man don’t live by bread alone, but by every Word,” not part of the Word, “every Word that proceeds out of the mouth of God.” “I am the Resurrection and Life.

He that believeth in Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live. Whosoever liveth and believeth in Me shall never die. Believeest thou this?" Take the gate of every enemy!

## Jeremiah 20:10-11

<sup>10</sup> For I heard the defaming of many, fear on every side. Report, say they, and we will report it. All my familiars watched for my halting, saying, Peradventure he will be enticed, and we shall prevail against him, and we shall take our revenge on him.

<sup>11</sup> But the LORD is with me as a mighty terrible one: therefore my persecutors shall stumble, and they shall not prevail: they shall be greatly ashamed; for they shall not prosper: their everlasting confusion shall never be forgotten.

## Jeremiah 20:14-18

<sup>14</sup> Cursed be the day wherein I was born: let not the day wherein my mother bare me be blessed.



15 Cursed be the man who  
brought tidings to my father,  
saying, A man child is born unto  
thee; making him very glad.

<sup>16</sup> And let that man be as the cities which the LORD overthrew, and repented not: and let him hear the cry in the morning, and the shouting at noontide;

<sup>17</sup> Because he slew me not from the womb; or that my mother might have been my grave, and her womb to be always great with me.

<sup>18</sup> Wherefore came I forth out of the womb to see labour and sorrow, that my days should be consumed with shame?

Paul Says

## 2 Corinthians 4:6-18

<sup>6</sup> For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

<sup>7</sup> But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.

<sup>8</sup> We are troubled on every side,  
yet not distressed; we are  
perplexed, but not in despair;



<sup>9</sup> Persecuted, but not forsaken;  
cast down, but not destroyed;

<sup>10</sup> Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our body.

<sup>11</sup> For we which live are always delivered unto death for Jesus' sake, that the life also of Jesus might be made manifest in our mortal flesh.

<sup>12</sup> So then death worketh in us,  
but life in you.

<sup>13</sup> We having the same spirit of faith, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak;

<sup>14</sup> Knowing that he which raised up the Lord Jesus shall raise up us also by Jesus, and shall present us with you.

<sup>15</sup> For all things are for your sakes, that the abundant grace might through the thanksgiving of many redound to the glory of God.

<sup>16</sup> For which cause we faint not;  
but though our outward man  
perish, yet the inward man is  
renewed day by day.



<sup>17</sup> For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory;

<sup>18</sup> While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal.

58-1003 — Looking At The Unseen

33 And we see that, Abraham, he was not a young man when this happened. He was an old man, seventy-five years old. And his wife, Sarah, which was his half-sister;

and they had been married many, many years, since she was a girl of about seventeen, it's believed. And God told Abraham, “I have chosen you and Sarah, that you are going to have a child.”

And Sarah had been barren, all  
her life. But Abraham never  
looked at what his eyes would  
see, an old wrinkled woman,  
many years past the time of  
life, to have children,

but he looked at the Unseen,  
and he saw Isaac. By faith he  
saw Isaac. And he, after  
looking to the Unseen, “He  
called those things which were  
not, as though they were.”

He got a glimpse of the  
Unseen. By faith he saw it. And  
the Bible says, that, “He  
endured, as seeing the invisible  
God with him,” all along the  
road.

34 When a man once catches that vision of the invisible God, and know that He's always present, there is something that stabilizes that man's thinking. It stabilizes his actions.



And in the time of distress and trouble, it'll still make him look upward and above the things that are happening around him, because he's looking at the Unseen, yet, by promise.

35 Now, how Abraham, not only did he see the Unseen... And the reason he believed it, was because God said it. “And if we being dead in Christ, we are Abraham’s Seed.”

And if the Spirit that was in  
Christ dwells in us, It does the  
same thing. It takes every  
Divine promise of God that's in  
His Bible, and calls It present  
tense, and rests Itself upon  
there.

36 Where, if you look at, with  
your eyes, and you see now  
that our nation is shaking and  
trembling.

Wars' clouds are flying everywhere; every nation under distressed and perplexed of time. Every sign, that Jesus said would happen, is happening.

“There would be signs in the heavens above and in the earth below.” And great things would be taking place, like the flying saucers and mystic things taking place.

37 But He commanded His Church to lift up their heads, in that day, and to look up, for the unseen Christ will be appearing pretty soon. So if we only walk by sight, we would be children of darkness, sure enough now.

But I'm so glad to know that there is a Light that shines in every believer's heart, until that Eternal Day when Jesus shall come.



# Look Away To God's Promise

63-1229E — Look Away To Jesus

37 And if Christ lives in me, the  
works of Christ you'll do. Right.

It's got to be. And what is  
Christ? The Word.

He said, “If ye abide in Me, My Word in you, then ask what you will; it’ll be done.” Because, the Word is there, just needs the Light; and the Light makes It live.

38 So now I am going to say  
something to you, now, that I  
haven't said all along. And, that  
is, the thing that we have  
looked forward to for so long

(for at least many years, four or five years, or maybe longer), the Third Pull, has now been vindicated, and I'm sure you all know what it is.

39 Now remember, there'll  
never be an impersonation of  
that, 'cause it can't be. See, it  
cannot be. Now it's in existent.

And I have...I am warned of this,  
that soon...Right at this time  
now it's just happened, so it  
could identify its presence  
among you, see,

but it will not be used in a  
great way until this Council  
begins to tighten up. And when  
it does, when that does...The  
Pentecostals, and so forth, can  
almost impersonate anything  
can be done.



But when that time comes,  
when the squeeze comes  
down, then you'll see, what  
you've seen temporarily, be  
manifested in the fullness of  
its power. See? See? See? See?

40 Now I must continue in evangelism. Just as I was commissioned, first, I must continue on. Therefore, you've had the Word, and you know what to look for, how to stand.

I must continue on in evangelism. And, friends of mine, keep still, and just keep moving on, for the hour is approaching swiftly, see, that when something is going to be done.

41 Now, you might see some little odd things happen for me. Nothing sinful; I don't mean that. But, I mean, something odd to what the regular trend.

Because, where I reached to now, in the ministry, I am dropping back here, watching that spot and waiting for the time to use it. But, it's going to be used.

42 And everyone knows that, for, as certain as the First was identified, so has the Second been identified. And if you'll think real closely, you who are spiritual.

As the Bible said, “Here is to him that has wisdom.” The Third is properly identified. See? We know where it is. So, the Third Pull is here.

43 It is so sacred, that, I mustn't say much about it. As He told me in the beginning, said, "This, say nothing of it."



You remember that, years ago?  
It speaks for itself. See? But  
you...I've tried to explain the  
others, and I made a mistake.

This will be the thing, that, to  
my opinion...I don't say the  
Lord tells me this. This will be a  
thing that will start the  
Rapturing faith, for the going  
away. See? See? And it...

44 I must lay quiet for just a little while. Now remember, and who is listening to this tape, you might see such a change in my ministry right away, dropping back, not going up; dropping back.

We're right at the age now,  
and it can't be, can't go any  
further. We have to wait just a  
minute until this happens over  
here, to catch up, then the  
time comes. But, it's  
thoroughly identified.

45 There is coming a time upon,  
in this nation, to where this  
nation is going to exercise all  
the power that the beast had  
before it, which was pagan  
Rome when it become papal  
Rome, see, that this nation will  
do that.

46 Revelation 13 plainly explains it. “The lamb come up out of the earth. The other beast come up out of water,” thickness and multitudes of people.

This lamb come up where there were no people. A lamb represents a religion. The Lamb of God... And, remember, it spoke like a lamb. It was a lamb.

47 And then, after a while, it  
be-...received power, and spoke  
like a dragon;



and exercised all the—the  
dragon, power the dragon had  
before him. And the dragon is  
“Rome,” always. So don’t you  
see? Roman denomination; “a  
mark,” Protestant  
denomination;

“a image unto the beast,”  
making a power that’ll force all  
Protestants, like a union. You’ll  
have to be into this Council of  
Churches, or you won’t be able  
to have fellowship. Or to—to...

48 Well, it's—it's practically that way now. You can't go to a church and preach unless you have a fellowship card or some identification.

And now, on persons like ourselves, we're going to be cut out of all that, altogether, that's exactly, 'cause they won't be able to do it.

49 It's tightening. And then  
when that time comes, and the  
press comes to a place to  
where you're pressed out, then  
watch what I'm fixing to tell  
you in a few minutes.

Watch the Third Pull then, see,  
and it'll be absolutely to the  
total lost, but it—it will be for  
the Bride and the Church.

50 Now we are closer than it seems to be. I don't know when, but it's real, real close. I may be building a platform for somebody else to step on. I may be taken before that time. I don't know.

And that time may be this coming week, that the Holy Spirit will come with...and bring Christ Jesus. He may come this next week. He may come yet tonight. I don't know when He will come. He doesn't tell us that.



51 But I do believe, that we are so close, that I would never die with old age. Yet, at fifty-four years old, I'll never die with old age, until He's here. See?

Unless I'm shot, killed, or something other, some way killed, just old age wouldn't kill me, until He's come. And I believe that.

52 And I want to say this. I've  
never said it before. But  
according to Scripture,  
according to what He said  
thirty years ago; thirty-three  
years ago on the river down  
there, in 1933, rather;

what He said, everything has  
happened just exactly. I may  
not do it, but this Message will  
introduce Jesus Christ to the  
world.

For, “As John the Baptist was  
sent to forerun the first  
coming, so is the Message to  
forerun the second Coming.”

And John said, “Behold the  
Lamb of God that takes away  
the sin of the world.” See? So,  
it’s, it paralleled it in every  
way. And I know it will, the  
Message will go on.

We Are Influenced From  
Three Dimensions:

i) Horizontal



ii) From Above

iii) From Below

# Isaiah – So Influenced By Uzziah

62-1013 — The Influence Of  
Another

44 So this young king, being  
influenced by his father when  
he was a young man, and  
taught Israel the precepts of  
God.

And then, all at once, he turned in his last days and taught against God. And his own people...He was slain by his own people. It looked like that would have been a great lesson to Uzziah, about this.

But we find, that, when Uzziah  
taken the throne, that he  
started right in the way his  
daddy did, bringing back the  
things of God, bringing Israel  
back to the worship of God. He  
strengthened himself.

45 And I want to always be thankful for him in his young days, because he never played any politics. Although politics might have been against him, but, yet, he stayed right on the line of God.

And it thrilled this little, young prophet, so, till he become a hero. He was an example to  
Isaiah the prophet.



Uzziah Was A Mentor  
To Isaiah- Hero

## 62-1013 — The Influence Of Another

47 This must have been a great influence, because Isaiah loved him. Because, he seen that he was a great man, and he—he stood firm and solid for God.

And you know, each time, in the days that we live, in the things that we do, remember, the public don't only look at the pastor, the way he lives. He...They also look at the laity.

62-1013 — The Influence Of  
Another

49 .....Little, that little  
prophet, young fellow about  
his age, in the temple with  
him,

they'd get down together and  
pray, no doubt, and ask the will  
of the Lord, and then compare  
it with the laws of the Bible.

Then, if it was all right, Uzziah  
passed it. If it wasn't all right,  
he condemned politics on it.  
God, give us more like that.  
And that thrilled Isaiah because  
he was born a prophet.

50 And Uzziah become a—a  
hero to Isaiah. You see, because  
of his—his stand for God, he  
became a hero in the eyes of  
the righteous.

And there might not been too many righteous. See? But the thing we want to do, is make our life count for God. Somebody is watching you.



## 62-1013 — The Influence Of Another

62 So many, today, you take  
a—a family of people that will  
start going to church, and God  
will heal the little family.

He will bless them and give  
them the Holy Spirit in their  
life. The little children will pray,  
around the table.

They'll pray before they go to  
bed. Mother and father will join  
hands and pray. And as long as  
they continue like that, they'll  
stay a family. But you let them  
get...

First thing you know, they  
didn't have nothing; an old  
junk car, maybe, riding around  
in, or maybe walking.  
Finally they'll get a good car, a  
better home.

And the first thing you know,  
then they want to get to what  
they, the world, calls, “a better  
class,” to associate with. They  
move into a different  
neighborhood,

and in there, they find out they  
become influenced by the  
wrong influence.

You must always stay where  
the Kingdom of God is, and  
where the glory of God is  
pouring out.

Stay where you can be  
spiritually fed, day and night.  
Then the first thing you know,  
separations comes in the  
home, and worldliness, and  
they get lifted up.

# 62-1013 — The Influence Of Another

70 I speak worldwide, you know, for the Full Gospel Business Men, around the world, organizing chapters.



Not long ago, when, I believe, it was at Kingston, Jamaica, when they had Castro and all of them up there at this meeting.

Or, we had been down to his place, that's the way it was, and the celebrity of all through the island was up there.

And those businessmen was trying to preach the Gospel. He's out of his place. We preachers have hard enough time to keep it level.

And they use every little influence they can find, and every little technique this way and that way, and keeps it so scruppled up, you don't know what to do.

71 Many times, in a—in a church, a little church can have a revival going on. Someone will want to go out here and lead a prayer meeting,

and then he's got a different idea from what really the Bible says, but he believes It this way, anyhow, and he'll start an influence and draw others away from It.

The thing to do is protect this Message, the way It's going. Stay right with It, and knock everything away from It, if we're ever going to cross the goal line. All right.

72 And I said, “Brethren, there is something wrong. You fellows are businessmen. The first place, you don’t understand the approach.



You don't understand the approach to the ministry, because the ministry is a God-called gift.”

“God hath set in the Church, first apostles, prophets, teachers, evangelists, and pastors.” God set them in there for the perfecting of the Church.

Businessmen should testify.

Women, housewife, no matter if you're the maid in somebody's house, testify. Do everything you can for the Kingdom, but don't never inject your own ideas.

Just say what the Message says,  
and keep going on, see, and  
then maybe you have some  
influence. But don't try to  
preach now until God, you  
know, calls you.

Just stay right with that, your testimony. Because, if you don't, you'll get off in the wrong category, and then you'll mess up everything. That's it. And it doesn't please God, at all.

## 62-1013 — The Influence Of Another

90 Sometimes God lets the very props be knocked from under us. Sometimes He lets sickness strike us. He lets disappointments, heartaches strike us.

Sometimes He does that to get you where you'd be influenced by the Gospel. Be wise enough to catch It. Don't be stupid enough to walk away from It. Uh-huh.

# The World Looks At Influential Heroes - Mentors



~Hammurabi  
~Confucius  
~Quotes From  
Sadhguru –Indian  
Wiseman

Doctors' Philosophy  
Is Based On:  
Hippocrates

~The Father Of  
Mathematics- Archimedes  
~Father Of Numbers-  
Pythagoras'

Culture Each  
Nation/Tribe/Race  
Have Those They  
Look Unto

But True Christians Have:

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~Looking Unto Jesus

~Heroes Of Our Faith

~Faithful Angels- Michael  
and Gabriel

## Hebrews 1:1-7

1 God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the fathers by the prophets,

<sup>2</sup> Hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son, whom he hath appointed heir of all things, by whom also he made the worlds;

<sup>3</sup> Who being the brightness of his glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things by the word of his power, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high:



<sup>4</sup> Being made so much better than the angels, as he hath by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they.

<sup>5</sup> For unto which of the angels said he at any time, Thou art my Son, this day have I begotten thee? And again, I will be to him a Father, and he shall be to me a Son?

<sup>6</sup> And again, when he bringeth in the firstbegotten into the world, he saith, And let all the angels of God worship him.

<sup>7</sup> And of the angels he saith,  
Who maketh his angels spirits,  
and his ministers a flame of fire.

## Hebrews 1:13-14

<sup>13</sup> But to which of the angels said he at any time, Sit on my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool?

<sup>14</sup> Are they not all ministering spirits, sent forth to minister for them who shall be heirs of salvation?

53-0609A — Demonology, Religious Realm

195 The devil, by these spirits, influence man. Now, look, the next is Angels. The next is God. Now, every mortal here is influenced by one of these worlds. You see what I mean?

The Ministration Of These  
Spirits Will Either Bring You To:  
~God's Blessings  
~Devil's Curses

For God Has No Grandchildren



53-0609A — Demonology, Religious  
Realm

191 Here, let's give a little picture here, a little mental picture. Here is a stream right through here, right down through this way, coming down through life.

Now watch. It's a channel. Give me your undivided attention now, so you won't miss this. Right down like this. Now, in this little channel here dwells mortal beings, you and I.

Now, in there, let's look what it is. It's a mass of folly and everything else, but once in a while you'll see a light. You see blackness and streets, that's gaiety and carrying-on, devils getting the people.

Oh, they dress fine, my, and highly cultured as they can be, polished scholars, but still the devil. But there's born-again sitting in there.

192 Now, these people in this channel is influenced from two different sides. Now, on this side going this a-way, there's a trinity. And on this side going this a-way, there's a trinity.

193 Now, when, now the first place, on this side, is souls of the unjust, when a man dies he goes into a place waiting judgment.

Jesus went and preached to them souls that were in prison there. The next is demons. The next, is the devil in hell.

Going up, the first, now, them in there is ghosts, spirits of dead men that never repented. They're waiting for the Judgment. The only thing they know is folly and what they did.



194 Now, up here, these Christians are influenced from Above. This is parable. Up here is another Ghost, the Holy Ghost, the Ghost of a Man, Christ Jesus. The Holy Ghost, the Holy Ghost influences His Church in this realm of mortal.

195 The devil, by these spirits, influence man. Now, look, the next is Angels. The next is God. Now, every mortal here is influenced by one of these worlds. You see what I mean?

53-0609A — Demonology,  
Religious Realm

174 And we religious people,  
we've got a lot of impersonators  
on both sides. Now hold still for  
a few minutes.

175 Now notice, that Miss Piper is a real medium. And the magazine said, “Here is one thing that can be assured, that, when a man dies, he isn’t dead. He’s living somewhere, because that woman calls their spirit back and talks to the people.”

176 “Now, what does she do, Brother Branham? Do you believe it?” Yes, sir. The Bible says so, that’s the reason I believe it. And she is of the devil. Spiritualism is the devil’s trick. Now notice, now watch them two.

53-0609A — Demonology,  
Religious Realm

196 Now what that woman  
done, she broke into that realm.  
And she is speaking to those  
demon-possessed men who  
were,

beginning, the spirits of those fallen angels that repented not back yonder in the beginning, and allowed their beings to be possessed of them. And they're waiting for Judgment.

197 And these over here are influenced and born again by the Spirit of God. And the devil has his prophets, and God has His.



See what I mean? It's influence,  
and there we go. Stop to  
separate it. Jesus, when He was  
here on earth...

198 Now, today, he cannot break into that realm and get a righteous man out of that realm. He couldn't do it, 'cause righteous men are not in there where they used to be, in Paradise.

No, sir. Paradise was done away with, when the Blood of Jesus took it away. Looky here. My!

# Celestial And Terrestrial Bodies

## 1 Corinthians 15:35-50

<sup>35</sup> But some man will say, How are the dead raised up? and with what body do they come?

<sup>36</sup> Thou fool, that which thou sowest is not quickened, except it die:

<sup>37</sup> And that which thou sowest, thou sowest not that body that shall be, but bare grain, it may chance of wheat, or of some other grain:

<sup>38</sup> But God giveth it a body as it hath pleased him, and to every seed his own body.



<sup>39</sup> All flesh is not the same flesh: but there is one kind of flesh of men, another flesh of beasts, another of fishes, and another of birds.

<sup>40</sup> There are also celestial bodies,  
and bodies terrestrial: but the  
glory of the celestial is one, and  
the glory of the terrestrial is  
another.

<sup>41</sup> There is one glory of the sun,  
and another glory of the moon,  
and another glory of the stars:  
for one star differeth from  
another star in glory.

<sup>42</sup> So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption:

<sup>43</sup> It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power:

<sup>44</sup> It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body.

<sup>45</sup> And so it is written, The first man Adam was made a living soul; the last Adam was made a quickening spirit.

<sup>46</sup> Howbeit that was not first which is spiritual, but that which is natural; and afterward that which is spiritual.



<sup>47</sup> The first man is of the earth,  
earthy; the second man is the  
Lord from heaven.

<sup>48</sup> As is the earthy, such are they also that are earthy: and as is the heavenly, such are they also that are heavenly.

<sup>49</sup> And as we have borne the image of the earthy, we shall also bear the image of the heavenly.

<sup>50</sup> Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.

# Celestial Body

**Celestial bodies** or heavenly bodies are objects in space such as the sun, moon, planets, and stars.

They form a part of the vast universe we live in and are usually very far from us.

The glorious night sky is dotted with such objects and when we observe them using a telescope, they reveal fascinating worlds of their own.

Hence, we can define heavenly  
bodies as,

A planet, moon, star or other  
natural objects in the space



# What is Terrestrial?

What is terrestrial? The definition of **terrestrial** is something that is related to the Earth. The term 'terrestrial' refers to anything that comes from planet Earth.

## Terrestrial Bodies

The term 'terrestrial bodies' can have different meanings when applied to different scientific fields.

The thing that they all have in common to be classified as terrestrial is that their life is centered around the land. Some examples of terrestrial bodies in various scientific fields are:

Earth: Earth has a rocky surface that gives it the classification of a terrestrial body in the field of astronomy.

Trees: Trees grow on Earth's surface and are therefore classified as terrestrial bodies in the field of botany.

Cats: Cats and many other animals are considered terrestrial bodies because they live on the land.

Humans: Humans are considered terrestrial bodies because they also live on land.

# 59-1108 — Possessing The Enemy's Gates

32...God brings tensions into the church, “Every son that cometh to God must be tried, and proven, and tested.” He lets sickness strikes you. He lets diseases come on you,

to test you and to prove you, to show the world that you're truly the Seed of Abraham. He permits it by His Own will. He permits disasters. He permits the friends to turn against you.



He permits all these things, and turns the devil loose, to tempt you. And he'll do all but take your life. He could throw you on a bed of affliction. He could turn your neighbors against you.

He could turn the church against you. He can do most anything, and it's God's will for him to do it. We are taught that it is more precious than gold, to us.

## 59-1004E — Why Cry? Speak!

193 And I—I say this, that I believe that this great Spirit that's among us is the Holy Spirit. I believe that He called me for this purpose.

Doesn't make me any more than the man that got saved this morning; just your servant, your brother. Makes me less than you, because I'm sent to serve you. I am a servant to the public.

194 A public service, is a  
minister; to serve the public, to  
be the underdog, to take this  
knocks and brawls of the  
public. Whatever it is, stand  
there.

And if you haven't got grace  
enough to smile and take it,  
then you ought to go back to  
Calvary and reconfirm your  
commission. That's what  
you're supposed to do.

## 62-1013 — The Influence Of Another

90 Sometimes God lets the very  
props be knocked from under us.  
Sometimes He lets sickness strike  
us. He lets disappointments,  
heartaches strike us.

Sometimes He does that to get you where you'd be influenced by the Gospel. Be wise enough to catch It. Don't be stupid enough to walk away from It. Uh-huh.



We Are All Influencing  
Somebody

## 1 Timothy 4:11-12

<sup>11</sup> These things command and teach.

<sup>12</sup> Let no man despise thy youth;  
but be thou an example of the  
believers, in word, in  
conversation, in charity, in spirit,  
in faith, in purity.

## 63-0803E — Influence

11 Now I want to take a text  
from this, of: Influence. You  
know, there is something  
another that we are,

we, what we do, we influence  
somebody else by what we do,  
the way we act, the way we  
talk, the way we live. And all  
that we do, we influence  
someone else.

12 And now, you know, many  
people won't go to church.  
They say...Well, they've got a  
wrong impression of church.  
They think it's the—the women  
down there are—are witches,

and the—the men are—are  
black-robed demons, and they  
just got the wrong idea about  
it. But I tell you what they do  
do, they will watch your life to  
see what you do.

I believe it was Paul that said,  
“We are written epistles of  
God, read of all men.” When  
you’re on the street, and when  
you’re at your work, and  
wherever you are, somebody is  
watching you.



13 And especially after you have said and made your confession that you are a Christian, they'll watch you much closer then, and that gives an influence to—to the people that's around about you.

And we should watch what we do. Because, if we produce the wrong influence, then we bring reproach, not so much upon ourselves, but upon what we claim to be:

Christians. We bring it upon  
Christ. And no one, if we would  
think, you would never want to  
bring reproach upon Christ.

But the wrong act, at the  
wrong time, will certainly  
cause a wrong reflection  
towards the person that's  
watching you. And everybody  
is watched, when you profess  
to be a Christian.

62-0318 — The Spoken Word Is  
The Original Seed

109 Now remember, correctly.  
That's why each generation has  
its own revival, it gets a chance  
at the Word.

Then they hybridize it. Instead of taking on, they go somewhere else.

110 My mission, that I believe  
that God has called me  
for...I—I have to say some  
personal things today, because  
that's what I told you I'd do,  
see, and tell the world.

My mission, I believe, to the  
earth, is (what?) is to forerun  
the coming Word, see, the  
coming Word which is Christ.



And Christ, in Him, has the  
Millennium, and has everything  
right there, because He is the  
Word. See? All right.

64-0719M — The Feast Of The  
Trumpets

305 Oh, brother, watch! Exactly,  
to call all, call them out of the  
denominations and traditions.  
Now we see the church of  
pentecost age is finished.

306 The Bride must step out of the way, to go up now; so the two servants, the two servants of God, in Revelation, the two prophets, can appear upon the scene, to sound the Seventh Trumpet to them, make known to them the Christ.

307 The seventh angel,  
messenger, say, “Behold the  
Lamb of God that takes away  
the sin of the world!” Not,  
“behold my Methodist, my  
Baptist, my Pentecostal.”

But, “The Word, the Son of God,  
the Lamb of God that takes  
away the sin of the world,” for  
no other foundations is there!  
You see?

308 How long have we got? The Jews are in their homeland. The Bride is called. Scripturally, everything just exactly what He promised. We're ready. The hour is here.

Nations are breaking, Israel is  
awakening,  
The signs that the Bible foretold;  
The Gentile days numbered, with  
harrows encumbered;  
“Return, O dispersed, to your  
own.”

The day of redemption is near,  
Man's hearts are failing for fear;  
Be filled with God's Spirit, have  
your lamps trimmed and clear,  
Look up! Your redemption is near.



False prophets are lying, God's  
Truth they're denying,  
That Jesus the Christ is our God;  
(That's right.)  
But we'll walk where the  
apostles have trod.

For the day of redemption is near,  
Man's hearts are failing for fear;  
Be filled with the Spirit, your lamps  
trimmed and clear, (Don't take a  
chance.)  
Look up! Your redemption is near.

Abstract To The Deed  
Disconnect All Your  
Curses

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

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!

251 What you scared about? No wonder He said, “Fear not; I am He that was dead and alive again; and I’m alive for evermore; and have the keys of death and hell.”

Don't worry about nothing.  
Even death ain't going to hurt  
you. Notice. Beautiful!  
Let's go right quick now.

# The Revelation Of Jesus Christ Is The Opening Of The Seals

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

307 Look what we've seen in  
this day. The quickening Power  
has come to us, to open the  
Seven Seals.



What was that, the intelligence of a man? No, the quickening Power of God. See, the quickening Power of God foretold this would take place.

See, the quickening Power of God made the world testify to It, it's the Truth. The Angel of the Lord, I told you, was around, in a Pillar of Fire; quickening Power let the world testify that It's the Truth.

And, in that, they didn't know what It was; and we knew, just look this a way, and It's our Lord up there, you see.

308 He is the One Who opened  
those Seals. He is those Seals,  
for the whole Word of God is  
Christ, and Christ is the Seals  
that was opened. What is the  
opening of Seals then?  
Revealing Christ.

309 And the very seven Angels,  
which represented the Seven  
Churches all completed, and  
we couldn't even see it. They  
did, they took the picture, not  
us.

And there He is, standing  
there, Supreme Judge; showing  
that He is Alpha and Omega,  
the beginning and the end.  
What identification!  
Quickening Power did that to  
us.

## 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<sup>539</sup>  
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. 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!

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17 I am so glad to join hearts  
with many here that know that  
This is the infallible Word of  
God.



Then It, It is every Word the Truth, every Word of It, every phase of It. And with the grace of God, have been privileged to view the Land to which someday we shall travel.

18 Yesterday (People don't know what depressing times comes with this type of ministry.), I got real depressed, and I said to the wife, "I wish I could just go on."

She said, “Why you say that, Bill?”

I said, “Oh, here I have troubles and things.”

19 And then seemed like the Holy Spirit said, “Are you trying to bypass them? Are you—are you trying to dodge them?”  
See?

20 “No,” I said, “just let me stand right up in the face of all of it and face it out.” See, just...See?