THE NEW BIRTH BY REVELATION

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Matthew 16:13-18

13 When Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I the Son of man am?

14 And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist: some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets.

15 He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am?

Matthew 16 16 And Simon Peter answered and said, <u>Thou art the Christ,</u> the Son of the living God.

17 And Jesus answered and said unto him, Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona: for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in <u>heaven</u>.

18 And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

19 And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.

20 Then charged he his disciples that they should tell no man that <u>he was Jesus the</u> <u>Christ.</u>

<u>New Birth – Christ, A</u> <u>Revelation of the Great</u> <u>Mystery</u>

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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.

ONE OF THE MOST VITAL SUBJECTS IN THE BIBLE

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It's a Doctrine that our Lord preached first, it would be good to make it our first year's teaching.

<u>61-1231M - You Must Be Born</u>

Again

24 Now, thinking this morning that on the basis of being new year, I thought it would be good maybe that I would lay aside my <u>New Year's Message</u> until

tonight,

and go back here in some Sunday school Scriptures, and take a text to talk on for a while, on one of the most vital subjects that I know of in the Bible

It's a Doctrine that our Lord preached first, the first Doctrine that Jesus preached, and I suppose it would be good to make it our first year's teaching.

<u>The first Doctrine of Jesus,</u> <u>was: You Must Be Born</u> <u>Again</u>

61-1231M - You Must Be Born Again 28 Now, God bless His Word. And I want to take the subject this morning of Jesus' first Doctrine. The first Doctrine of Jesus, was: You Must Be Born Again. That was His first Doctrine.

It's all an unraveled mystery.you won't know the Blueprint until you are borned again.

<u>61-1231M - You Must Be Born</u>

<u>Again</u>

45....In other words, "You'll never be able to understand the Kingdom of God until you are borned again." It's all an unraveled mystery.

when you are borned again, the plans of the Kingdom, the Kingdom Itself, becomes real to

<u>you.</u>

44 Like a contractor to build a building, unless he could read a blueprint there's no need of him trying to build a building, if he doesn't understand the blueprint.

And then when he understands the blueprint, then he knows how to build the building. That's—that's the way it is.

That's what happens about building the Kingdom of God. You've got to understand the Blueprint, and you won't know the Blueprint until you are borned again.

ALLOWED TO BE OTHER THINGS IN OTHER AGES

You must be born again." There is so many different versions of it.

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<u>61-1231M - You Must Be Born</u>

- Again
- 34 So this great Doctrine of Jesus that's wrote here before us, in the Bible, <u>"You must be</u>
- born again." There is so many
- different versions of it,

as I have said before, till, I thought this morning, for the sake of many who's been asking me what it meant and how could they become a real Christian,

then I thought maybe that we would just approach the subject and take it just as clearly as I know how to give it to you.

And it's not in the way of a sermon, it's in the way of teaching Sunday school, that the people might get the Message. Now, many interpretations of the "born again."

When this Token is upon you and God has sealed you, It's the new Birth.

<u>63-1128E - The Token</u>

153 And now you are His. Oh, because He is, we have the right to all that He has purchased for us. Every promise in the Bible is vours. It belongs to you, when this Token is upon you and God has sealed you.

Now we want to check ourselves just for a moment. When God has give you the true baptism of the Holy Spirit, then the Life of Jesus Christ is within you.

Now, that's true, and every theologian will have to admit that to be. Yes, sir. It's the new Birth. You are borned anew, of the Holy <u>Ghost.</u>

And because that God has did this, and you know you're no good in yourself, and you accept what God has did, then He seals vou into His Kingdom, by the Holy Spirit.

And everything that Jesus purchased and promised you, in the Bible, is yours. It's your property because it's paid for. Amen.



We have sometimes allowed it, we find out that <u>all of it was wrong. The</u> **Token It's you and Christ** <u>as persons together.</u>



63-0901E - Desperations 13 Now, and same thing about this Token. The Token, we have talked to the Token all the way along, but now is the manifestation of the Token. See?

14 Now, we have sometimes allowed it. The Lutherans allowed it to, "Accepting the Word; accepting Christ as personal Saviour." The Methodists said, "When you get happy enough to shout, that's It."

The Pentecostal says, "Speak in tongues, then you got It." <u>And we find out that all of it was wrong</u>. See?



The Token is the Token. It's you and Christ as persons together. See? It's the Holy Spirit, His Life in you, working His—His Own Life through you.

By one Spirit we're all baptized into one Body," and that Body is the family of God.

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65-1128M - God's Only Provided Place Of Worship 225 Now, the Lutherans wanted to get in one way, by joining the Lutheran church. The Methodist wanted to get in by shouting. The Pentecostals wanted to get in by speaking in tongues.

That still ain't it! See? No, that's gifts, so forth. But First Corinthians 12 says, "By one Spirit." Spirit of God, which is the Life-giver to the Word (the Seed), to vindicate that Seed for that season. See?

227 "But by one Spirit we're all baptized into one Body," and that Body is a family, the family of God. And that's the House of God, and the House of God is the Name of Jesus Christ.

<u>The Name of the Lord is a</u> <u>mighty Tower, the righteous run</u> <u>into It and are safe</u>."

Revelations 19:11-13 11 And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and <u>make war</u>.

12 His eyes were as a flame of fire, and on his head were many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself.

13 And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: <u>and his</u> <u>name is called The Word of God.</u>

By Birth we are baptized into the Body of Jesus Christ! what is that Body? John 1:1

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65-0220 - God's Chosen Place Of Worship 86....But, by Birth we are baptized into the Body of Jesus Christ! Amen. "By one Holy Spirit we are all baptized into one Body."

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87 And what is that Body? "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us."

WATER AND SPIRIT

The whole soul, mind and body of man is contaminated with sin.

<u>61-1231M - You Must Be Born</u>

<u>Again</u>

- 55 First, we reckon ourselves
- sinners and worthy of
- condemnation. And we are all
- born in sin and shaped in
- iniquity, there's not a sound
- parcel of us.

Our minds are bad, our soul is corruptible, our constant thinking is evil, every imaginary thought of a man's mind is evil, a sinner, and also that our body is weak, our spirit is no good, and we're just full of corruption.

And how could one corruptible thing bring another good thing out of a corruptible? Let me say this, that in Job, 14th chapter, he said, "Seeing that man is borned of a woman, is full of sorrow and trouble, yet he cometh forth like a flower, he fadeth away."

And on, as the prophet goes on speaking, he said, "Who can bring a clean thing out of an unclean? Not one!" You stick your bucket down into the well and pull out a bucket of water, and it's stagnant,

it stinks; you look in it, and it's muddy, and little worms is in that water, there's no way at all to put your bucket back and get a clean bucket. The whole well is contaminated.

And the whole soul, mind and body of man is contaminated with sin. He's born in sin, physically, shaped in iniquity, and come to the world speaking lies, so that his own soul is contaminated.

Nothing good! One cannot redeem the other, because it's all wrong. And you can't take a bucketful of water here, that's contaminated,

and another bucketful that's contaminated, and mix them together, you've got more contamination. There's no purification to it.

Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit

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Washing of the water by the Word

Ephesians 5:25-26 25 Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it; 26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word,

Now ye are clean through the word

John 15:3 Now ye are <u>clean through the</u> word which I have spoken unto

you.

<u>The words that I speak</u> <u>unto you, they are spirit,</u> <u>and they are life</u>

<u>John 6:63</u>

It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: <u>the</u> words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.

<u>The Father, the Word, and</u> <u>the Holy Ghost: these three</u>

are one.

<u>1 John 5:7</u>

For there are three that bear record in heaven, <u>the Father, the</u> <u>Word, and the Holy Ghost</u>: and <u>these three are one</u>.

<u>The Holy Ghost is Christ,</u> <u>"the anointed," the Logos.</u>

<u>64-0401 - The Identified Christ</u> <u>Of All Ages</u>

- 49 Each time He appeared on
- the earth, at the end of an age,
- He always sent a man and
- anoint him with the Holy Ghost,
- <u>Christ.</u>

<u>The Holy Ghost is Christ, "the</u> <u>anointed," the Logos</u>, and It went out, and <u>It comes to identify</u> <u>the—the Words of that age</u>.

The Holy Spirit, or the Logos, which went out of God.

57-0120M - The Impersonation Of Christianity 147 Then, God commissioned the Holy Spirit...The first Person. is introduced, is God. God! "In the beginning was God," in Genesis.

And then the next, is introduced, is the Holy Spirit, or the Logos, which went out of God. Yet, it was all of God went out, into a Person.

And the Bible said, "It begin to brood over the earth." Brood means "to make love," to coo like a dove. It begin to brood over the earth. What happened?

And I declare to you that Christ is the Holy Ghost.

<u>63-0825E - Perfect</u>

154 Now, watch. Now, He has appeared to us in the same form that He did to them in the Old Testament, and in the same as He did in the New Testament; and has showed by the same Word, the same Christ.

And I declare to you that Christ is the Holy Ghost. The-the word Christ means "the anointed one"; just a person that's anointed, that is the Christ, the anointed one.

<u>Christ and the Holy Spirit's</u> <u>the same thing.</u>

64-0830M - Questions And

Answers #3

82 So, get Christ in your heart; that's a real...Christ and the Holy Spirit's the same thing. Holy Spirit, Christ means "the anointed One."

And the Holy Spirit is that Anointing, and you are the one that's anointed. See? And it's Christ in you anointing you. See what I mean?

<u>The Christ means the</u> <u>"anointed Word."</u>

63-1124M - What Shall I Do With **Jesus Called Christ?** 151 Jesus is on the hands of the people. It's on the hands of the church. What will you do with this Jesus that's called the anointed Word? The Christ means the "anointed Word." See?

<u>Christ is the anointed</u> <u>Word. He is the Word.</u> <u>anointed. All of the Word.</u>

63-1124E - Three Kinds Of Believers 305 "He that receiveth My Words, and believeth on Him that sent Me, has already passed from death to Life."

But can you receive the Word, first? Can you receive the Word, all the Word, all of Christ? Christ is the anointed Word. He is the Word, anointed.

306 Christ means "the anointed One," the anointed Word for that day, made manifest, the Saviour, the Redeemer. That's when He was to come, and He was that anointed Person to take that place.

307 Now it's the Holy Spirit in the last days, to shine forth the evening Lights, restoring back the Faith [Blank spot on tape—Ed.] that's been trampled down, through the denominations;

<u>Christ - One anointed with</u> <u>the Word of God and the</u> <u>Spirit of God.</u>

62-0407 - The Signs Of His Coming 182 Jesus bore record of the Word. He was the Messiah, the Anointed One. Christ means "the Anointed One, the Messiah,

One that's sent, Anointed One, One anointed with the Word of God and the Spirit of God." He was the Word, He was the anointed Word. Amen.

<u>The Word is the conductor</u> <u>of the Spirit, because</u> <u>where the Word is</u> <u>preached, the Spirit follows</u>



61-0117 - The Messiah 40 See, that's the thing that delivers the Word. The Word goes right out, and the Holy Spirit follows the Word. Wherever the Word's preached...

You see your pastor preach it. First thing you know, "whew," [Brother Branham makes a blowing sound—Ed.] across the building goes the Holy Ghost. See? That's right. It's the conductor of the Word.

The Word goes...or, <u>the Word is</u> <u>the conductor of the Spirit</u>, because <u>where the Word is</u> <u>preached</u>, the Spirit follows it.

Wherever it goes, why, the Spirit follows the Word. Oh, I like that. I like sound Bible teaching, and the **Bible Holy Ghost coming** back confirming Bible teaching.

If the Holy Ghost doesn't confirm it, then you got your wires crossed. You got a ground somewhere. Yes, sir. If you can get that Word hooked up to the <u>dynamo,</u>

that great thing that puts out the fullness of the current, He will just—He will just set that little wire afire for you. That's right. And it'll do things for you.

When the Word, or the water, "the washing of the water of the Word" fell upon you, it was expressed in a being.

65-1205 - Things That Are To Be 32....Wherever you are, God knew that you would be here, because you have to be one of His genes, or His attributes. You had to be. If you ever, if you've got Eternal Life, then It always was Eternal Life.

And God, before there was a foundation, world, knew that you would be here. And when the Word, or the water, "the washing of the water of the Word" fell <u>upon you—you, it was</u> expressed in a being.

The predestinated seed will only be watered by that type of water that's give for that seed.

65-1128M - God's Only Provided Place Of Worship 88 If I taught you a Methodist message, it would take no effect on you, this is Bride time.

If Moses taught the message of Noah, <u>it would take no effect</u>. If Jesus taught Moses' message, <u>it</u> would take no effect.

Because the predestinated seed are laying there that will only be watered by that type of water that's give for that seed. See? It won't grow any other conditions. It must be the conditions that grows it.

THE PART OF THE <u>WORD YOU WERE –</u> (THE TYPE OF WATER FOR YOUR SEED)

Born again by the incorruptible seed

<u>1Peter 1:23</u> Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the word of God, which liveth and abideth for ever.

Every Word is sent to a specific seed - it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

Isaiah 55:11 So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

The anointed Word of God before any man with the predestinated germ into him for this hour, he'll see God's Message as sure as there's a God in Heaven.

65-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ 240 The anointed Word of God being vindicated before any man that's born to be a son of God, with the predestinated germ into him for this hour, he'll see God's Message as sure as there's a God in Heaven. 122

Martin Luther saw It for his. Wesley saw It for his. The pentecostal saw It for his. Now what about you? Uh-huh. They went into a denomination.

Here is the Word condemning it; telling you what we're to have today, and just exactly Malachi 4 and all these other promises for the hour. What do you see?

What are you looking at? Amen. Here we are. The real, genuine eagles hear. "My sheep know My Voice. A stranger they'll not follow."

241 Why? It was put in there by predestination. You were foreordained to a son of God. You were in God before the foundation of the world. You're only manifested in this day for His honor and glory.

How can you do it without honoring His Word, and stand with every Word of God? Yes, sir. Which, you are a part of that Word, by predestination. Because, look, the God is the Word.

You believe it? [Congregation says, "Amen."—Ed.] Well, then, if...<u>He always was the Word. "In</u> the beginning was the Word." And if the Word was God, then you were in God. The Word, the part that you're to play, was in God before the foundation of the world. <u>He seen you</u>. <u>He knew</u> <u>you</u>. <u>He predestinated you to it.</u>

The only way you can <u>come born again has to be</u> from your Heavenly Father, His attributes.A part of God's Word.

<u>65-1207 - Leadership</u>

120 The life that you come in, the natural life, physical life, that was by your father. And the only way you can come born again, is the only way, is it has to be from your Heavenly Father, His attributes.

"All the Father has given Me will come to Me." See? 121 You are here because your name were placed on the Lamb's Book of Life before there was even a foundation of the world. That's exactly right.

You're a gene, a spiritual gene out of your Heavenly Father, a part of God's Word. That be so, as I've said, then you was with Jesus when He was here because He was the Word:

you suffered with Him, died with Him, buried with Him, and rose with Him, and <u>now setting in</u> <u>Heavenly places in Him!</u>

That real gene, that real germ, a soul of God - you were here in Christ because He was the fulness of the Word.

65-1206 - Modern Events Are Made Clear By Prophecy 172 But the real, ordained of God, that real gene, that real germ, a soul of God that was in God before the foundation of the world;

remember, you that's really got the Spirit of God in you tonight, you were here in Christ because He was the fulness of the Word.

He was the fulness of the Godhead bodily. God was in Christ, reconciling the world to Himself. Do you believe that? Look, He was in Christ.

Then if you were in God, a gene, a word, a attribute from the beginning, then you walked with Him here on earth, you talked with Him on earth, you suffered with Him on earth, you died with Him at Calvary, and you rose with Him again;

and now you're setting in Heavenly places in Christ Jesus, communing with Him (the Word) as It feeds into your soul, that, "Man shall live by every Word that proceedeth."

That germ that was in you at the beginning, found

<u>you.</u>

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.

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That little germ that was in you, was to be you, before the foundation of the world.



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

You being a part of God's gene, a part of the Word, other men a part of God's Word, seated together, manifest the entire Body of Christ.

<u>65-1128M - God's Only</u> **Provided Place Of Worship** 263 The Headstone crying what? "Grace! Grace!" Passed from death and creed, into a living Word of the living God. God's only provided plan for His <u>aqe,</u>

His sons in the Word age guickened by the Spirit like a spark that's lit off of something to make it alive; and seated now in Heavenly places (in present tense), already alive and subject to every promise in the Word.

Then what does that do? You being a part of God's gene, a part of the Word, other men a part of God's Word, seated together, manifest the entire Body of Christ,

because there's no leaven among you. (See what He's talking about, Brother Brown?) No leaven among you, just the Word only, seated in Heavenly places, in the door where He put His Name: Christ Jesus.

264 No leaven among you, that brings the entire fullness of the godhead bodily among you. Couldn't do it in Luther's age, couldn't do it in Wesley's age, couldn't do it in Pentecostal age; but in the day when the Son of man will be manifested, revealed, brought back the Church together with the entire Deity of God amongst His people,

showing the same visible signs, manifesting Himself like He did at the beginning when He was manifested on earth in a form of <u>a Prophet-God</u>.

Oh! Glory! Promised by Malachi 4, promised by the rest of the Scriptures. Where you worship at? The house of God, seated (in present tense).

If you're a born-again Christian, that little germ that was predestinated to you, it's Word coming on <u>Word, on Word, on Word,</u> on Word, and come into full stature of Christ - there is your Name. 155

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 predestinated to you, it's Word coming on Word, on Word, on Word, on Word, and come into full stature of Christ,

that's right, <u>so He can come get</u> <u>His Bride. Now we're just ready</u> 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.

And if you're here to do that, won't It vindicate that Word? Won't the Church vindicate Itself? Won't Malachi 4, and all these other things, perfectly, perfectly vindicate Itself and show that That's what It is?

<u>THE WORD DRAWS</u> <u>FROM THE WORD –</u> <u>THE NEW BIRTH</u>

If you're a thinking person, you are predestinated. you've got to find that right Filter, 'cause you're a thinking person.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's

<u>Filter</u>

165 Any man that's a real Christian, born again today, knows, since he was a little kid, or a little girl, either, that there was something in you that hungered for God.

And you tried joining churches and everything else; it wouldn't work. What was it? It was that Word. You was hunting for a Filter. And one day It flashed before you;

you seen Jesus Christ the same vesterday, today, and forever. That satisfied the taste. See? Cause, life was in you, drawing. See, the life in you is drawing.

It's—it's telling what desire you got here. You're pulling. You can't pull through this, and that, and the other. You've got to find that right Filter, 'cause you're a thinking person. See?

166 <u>If you're a thinking person</u>, <u>you are predestinated</u>, or filtered 'fore...from before the foundation of the world. In you was that predestinated seed down in you, that makes you hunger for God.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's

<u>Filter</u>

126 And then that shows that in you was that predestinated seed down in you, that makes you hunger for God. "All the Father hath given Me, has given Me to redeem;

they died with Me at Calvary; they raised with Me in the resurrection; <u>all that He has</u> <u>given Me, will come to Me.</u>

<u>They'll be placed in the Body</u>, where foot, arm, nose, mouth, whatever it is; they'll be placed in There. And they will come to Me in their seasons." Oh, my!

It's the germ, seed Word from the beginning, that you was in God at the beginning, standing here drawing the seed Life. The seed is in your heart, by foreordination.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's

Filter

127 There is that real filtration of all the sin of the world, and the love of the world is dead, and this soul is drawing only one thing. Here it is, don't...Remember! Don't forget it.

All you out there on the telephones, set this down in your mind. When a thinking man begins to think Who he's going to stand before,

and what the Word of God is; when he begins to think, then when he draws through That, there's nothing can get to it but the Holy Ghost.

What is it? It's the germ, seed Word from the beginning, that you was in God at the beginning, standing here drawing the seed Life. The seed is in your heart, by foreordination.

Hallelujah! The seed is already in there, by the foreknowledge of God, predestinated. And when it draws, it can't draw through nothing else but the Word.

And then it's the taste of the thinking man, the righteous man, the holy man who sees the Bible, that Jesus Christ is the same vesterday and forever. What comes into that place down there?

That Word, that's in the heart. "I've hid Thy Word in my heart, that I sin not against Thee." What is it, when it's drawing through the Word? There's only one thing will pass through the Word; that's the Holy Ghost.

That's <u>the only thing that can</u> <u>pass through the Word, is the</u> <u>Holy Ghost</u>. And <u>a thinking</u> <u>man's Filter gives a holy man a</u>

taste.

128 Then, he's tasted of the Heavenly things; he's got the Word of God in his heart. He sees It manifested before him, and his whole soul is wrapped into It, and the world and all things is dead around him.

When a thinking man hears the Word of God, "My sheep hear My Voice, a stranger they will not follow," for down in there is Life, and Life connects with Life.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's

- Filter
- 109 A thinking man's taste,
- when a thinking man hears the
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- Life, and Life connects with

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

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's <u>Filter</u> 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 guickening 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. <u>I've lost my mind if</u> 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.

If the taste is the Word of God and the will of God, It's drawing through the Word, because you are a part of the Body of Christ of this age.

65-0822E - A Thinking Man's

Filter

- 163 Now let us all, tonight,
- check our desires, and then
- you can see what kind of a
- filter you've been drawing
- through. Let's check, each one of us, here and out across the
- nation.

Check your desires, what you want really in life. Check what you're fighting for. Check what vou're here for. Check what you go to church for. What makes you...

It's good to go to church, but just don't go to church only; that won't save you. See? Just check just a few minutes, say, "Is my objective...What-what kind of a filter am I drawing through, anyhow?"

And if you won't cope with the Word of God, and your soul don't do it, then there's something wrong; for it shows up your taste, that the life...what kind of a life is in <u>VOU</u>.

If it's a holy, discreet, honorable, it'll come out that way. If it isn't, you've got another taste in you you're drawing from. That's exactly right.

And if the taste is the Word of God and the will of God, then you know what's in you, what's drawing the taste. Shows you are a part of that Word. That Word is in you, drawing from the Word.

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.

<u>The Word seen the Word</u> <u>that was in you and you</u> <u>come to lt.</u>

<u>65-0119 - The God Who Is</u> **Rich In Mercy** 48 And then after a while, you heard the Gospel. Maybe you went to church, you picked out this and that, and went from denomination to denomination.

But one day, you being part of God, you had to be part of the Word. And when you heard the Word, you know where you come from, you knowed what was the Truth.

You were always, the seed was in you always. The Word seen the Word that was in you, that was before the foundation of the world, saw the Word and <u>you come to lt</u>.

<u>THE NEW BIRTH IS A</u> **PERSONAL REVELATION OF** <u>CHRIST – THE GREAT</u> **MYSTERY**

'The Christ' in the Church just being made known, the revelation of God, to take Eve back to her right position again with her Husband.

<u>63-0728 - Christ Is The</u> **Mystery Of God Revealed** 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.

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.

<u>I'll build My Church upon</u> <u>this rock," a revelation of</u> <u>Jesus Christ.</u>

63-0728 - Christ Is The **Mystery Of God Revealed** 231 Now, Peter, when he called, said, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God."

232 Now watch. "Blessed art thou, Simon Bar-jona," says, which means, "son of Jona." See? "Blessed art thou, for flesh and blood never revealed <u>This to you</u>.

You never learned It from some school. But My Father which is in Heaven has revealed It to you." Notice what He said to him, "Upon this rock..." That's Peter, the predestinated Seed of God that had received this Light, and given the keys to the Kingdom.

"Upon this rock of revelation of Who Jesus Christ is," He is the full, manifested God.

"<u>Upon this rock</u>..." Not a Father, Son, and Holy Ghost; and Him being the second Person.

"Upon this rock I'll build My Church, and the gates of hell will never shake It down, never prevail against It." See? "I'll build My Church upon this rock," a revelation of Jesus Christ.

233 Look, Christ in you makes Him the center of Life of the revelation. See? Christ's Life in you makes Him the center of the revelation. Christ, in the Bible,

makes the Bible the complete revelation of Christ. Christ in you makes you the complete revelation of the whole thing, see, what God is trying to do.

Who is the Son of man? The Word!

64-0816 - Proving His Word 222 And the Son of man is revealing Himself in the same power that He was, (not down through the church age, through justification, sanctification, all these things here) but the Son of man. Who is the Son of man? The Word! 218

Who is the Son of man? "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

65-0418M - It Is The Rising Of The Sun 93 Now, Who is the Son of man? "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us."

And if all the teaching that we have, and confirmation of the Word of God; by Word of God, by signs, by wonders, we see today, that in the Book of-of Luke here, that as we just quoted from, or the—<u>the Luke</u> the 17th chapter and the 30th

verse;

and Malachi 4, and the different Scriptures that we are acquainted with, that that Word again is waved over the people,

that the dead traditions of man is dead, and the Son of God is alive again with the baptism of the Holy Spirit right among us, and is giving us Life.

This rock of revelation <u>reveals Who He is, upon</u> the spiritual revelation of Who He was and He is the Word! Saint John 1.

65-1206 - Modern Events Are Made Clear By Prophecy 29 The Bible is to be revealed by inspiration. That's the only thing, the revelation. Jesus told Peter, "Upon this rock." This rock of revelation reveals Who He is.

"Blessed art thou Simon, son of Jonas, flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but My Father which is in Heaven has revealed this to you; upon this rock I'll build My Church."

Not upon Peter, not upon Himself, but upon the spiritual revelation of Who He was. 30 And He is the Word! Saint John 1, "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

And the Word was made flesh and dwelt among us." Hebrews 13:8, "<u>He's the same</u> <u>yesterday, today, and forever</u>."

31 Therefore we're living in the day when the manifestation of the Word of God has to come to a different age than the Pentecostal age. And that's right.

You heard the Gospel, and "faith cometh by hearing," revelation comes by hearing. There is a little something inside of you.

<u>65-1126 - Works Is Faith</u>

Expressed

126 Like my little eagle, last night. He knew when he heard that scream of that mother eagle, "there's a lot difference between that and the cluck of the hen."

See, because he was an eagle from the egg. Not...he wasn't made an eagle right then, he always was an eagle. And a Christian always was!

That's the reason, the divorce, when you divorced, <u>because</u> vou were trapped into it, see, by your first parents, Adam and Eve. You become a sinner by nature.

You didn't want to be, but now you heard the Gospel, and "faith cometh by hearing," revelation comes by hearing. There is a little something inside of you.

If you'd let that intellectual faith move down through your brains into your heart, then it becomes a reality with a new birth.

<u>55-0606 - The Waters Of</u> <u>Separation</u>

29....So that's what's the matter with people today. You come to the church, the water of separation (That's all right.), hear the Word

(That's very good.); <u>you get</u> separated from your sin; but you go out with an intellectual faith. That's the reason you can't believe. That's the reason you go back out and sin the way you do, the reason you can't hold up from one revival to another.

If you'd let that intellectual faith move down through your brains into your heart, then it becomes a reality with a new birth. Then it'll stay there, anchored forever. God sealed you in by the Holy Spirit, and it settles it forever.

It must be a Divine revelation of Jesus Christ to you that takes sin out of the heart.

55-0123E - Earnestly Contend For The Faith 109 Paul was down here in the natural realm with his Ph.D. See? He didn't know. He had an intellectual faith, but he didn't have a Divine faith.

There's quite a difference in me having an intellectual faith than a Divine faith. There's where you, my Baptist friends, failed to go on. You get the intellectual faith by that,

but it must be a Divine revelation of Jesus Christ to you that takes sin out of the heart. Intellectual faith is not enough. That's all right, but it only brings you to the Holy Spirit.

<u>The Holy Spirit is a personal</u> <u>experience of the birth, the new</u> <u>birth, regeneration, making a</u> <u>new creature in Christ.</u>

What is the new Birth then? It is the revelation of Jesus Christ personally to



<u>63-0728 - Christ Is The</u> **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.

The Holy Ghost takes a hold of you and reveals to you that He is the supernatural God Himself, outside of that you're never born again and you don't know.

56-0122 - The Junction Time 71....What is it? The spiritual revelation that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. And the Bible said, "No man can call Jesus the Christ, only by the witness of the Holy Ghost."

72 When the Holy Ghost takes a hold of you and reveals to you that He is the risen supernatural God Himself, then you realize where you're standing. Outside of that you're never born again and you don't know.

You're just taking what mama said or what the preacher said. But what do you think about it? It'll never be until it's revealed <u>to you</u>.

<u>Upon this rock I'll build My</u> <u>Church," (what?) the true</u> <u>revelation of the Word.</u>

65-0725M - The Anointed Ones At The End Time 67 "Blessed art thou, Simon—Simon, son of Jonas; flesh and blood never revealed this to you. My Father which is in Heaven has revealed it.

<u>Upon this rock I'll build My</u> Church," (what?) the true revelation of the Word. There is the true Vine again. "Abel, by faith!" You said, "It wasn't a

revelation."

68 What is faith? Faith is something that's revealed to you; that is not yet, but you believe it will be. Faith is a revelation of the will of God. So, by revelation!

<u>And upon this rock"</u> (spiritual revelation of what <u>the Word is</u>)

65-0221M - Marriage And Divorce 269 Not to be different, but take just what He said! He said, "Flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but My Father which is in Heaven has revealed this to you.

And upon this rock" (spiritual revelation of what the Word is) "I'll build My Church; and the gates of hell will never shake It down." His Wife will not be tempted with other men. "I'll build My Church, and the gates of hell can never shake It."

<u>Upon this rock I'll build My</u> Church, the spiritual revelation of Jesus Christ, Who is the Word. Then it would be the spiritual revealed Truth of the Word.

<u>65-0427 - Does God Change</u> <u>His Mind?</u>

34 And Peter said, "<u>Thou art</u> the Christ, the Son of the living

<u>God</u>."

35 He said, "Blessed art thou, Simon, son of Jonas, flesh and blood never revealed this to you. You never learned this by going to a seminary.

See, you never learned this by some man-made affair. But My Father, which is in Heaven, has revealed this to you. See? Upon this rock I'll build My <u>Church</u>,

and the gates of hell cannot prevail against It," the spiritual revelation of Jesus Christ, Who is the Word. Then it would be the spiritual revealed Truth of the Word, is exactly where the Church rests.

That's a genuine believer when the Holy Spirit has revealed to you the Word Itself, and you see the Word made plain.

<u>63-1124E - Three Kinds Of</u>

Believers

61 Now, that's a genuine believer, when the Holy Spirit; not some persuaded by some other person, not by some other thing.

But when the Holy Spirit has revealed to you the Word Itself, and you see the Word made plain, vindicated; then the Spirit of God come and get into that age, for the Word for that age, and make It manifested.

<u>Spiritual revelation of Who</u> <u>He is, and knowing!</u>

62-1230M - Absolute 117 "For upon this Rock I'll put My absolute, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it." Spiritual revelation of Who He is, and knowing! All right. Oh!

When the spiritual revelation of Jesus Christ, and He is the Word ("In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

61-0216 - The Mark Of The Beast And The Seal Of God #1 95 There's where the trouble is, people don't understand that the whole Church of the living God is built upon a spiritual revelation of Christ. Jesus said so in Saint Matthew 16, 27

"Blessed art thou, Simon, son of Jonas, flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but My Father which is in Heaven. And up-...Thou art Simon, upon this rock I will build My Church."

96 When the spiritual revelation of Jesus Christ, and He is the Word ("In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. And the Word was made flesh, and dwelled among us."),

And the Word was made flesh, and dwelled among us."), and when that Word comes into <u>you</u>, "It's sharper than a two-edged sword,

even discerning the thoughts and the intents of the heart," there's the Word coming in, the revelation of every Word of God is true, hang your soul on any phase of It, revelation.

Anything that's revealed, spiritual revelation, Satan is against it.

60-1204M - The Revelation Of

Jesus Christ

143 So then you see why Satan is so against the Book of Revelation. Anything that's revealed, spiritual revelation, Satan is against it.

<u>That's why he's so against the</u> <u>ministry today</u>. Because, <u>what</u> <u>is it? The revealing of Christ.</u>

The Church was built upon the spiritual revelation that He was the Christ.

58-0301B - The Great <u>Commission</u> 21...I believe that it was not upon Peter that the Church was built, neither was it upon Christ the Church was built, but it was upon the spiritual revelation that He was the Christ. See, see?

<u>The true Word comes to</u> <u>the true prophet, and he</u> <u>tells you the true Word.</u>

61-1231M - You Must Be Born Again 120 But the true Word comes to the true prophet, and he tells vou the true Word. You follow that true Word, and you get a true experience of the Word because the Word is made flesh in you,

and you become God's son, and the Word of God is revolving right out of God into <u>you</u>, because <u>you are His</u> Nature, His Spirit is in you and you'll do the works of God. Hallelujah! The Bible said so. Oh, my!

GENERAL - CLOSING

He's still Deity, the Word being made manifest by

<u>man.</u>

63-1222 - God's Gifts Always Find Their Places 95 Now, Christ in this day, that we now live in, is still a Dei-...identifying Himself: Deity, among the people. He's still Deity, because He is the Word.

And when we see the Word living Itself, then we know that man can't do that. It's Deity, the Word being made manifest by man. And Jesus said Himself. "The Son can do nothing in Himself. I can't do nothing, I'm a Man,"

Jesus said. "But My Father that dwelleth in Me, He showeth Me all things that Himself doeth." Amen! There you are! What is it? Deity being identified in man.

Now, <u>the same thing is today;</u> <u>that Deity, the promised Word</u> <u>for this day, can identify Itself in</u> <u>you</u>. Amen!

Then give your whole to It. Show that you believe in It. Give It Deity: believe It, service, and be ready to die out to yourself and your own thoughts. But today It's rejected as It was then.

<u>The Token - the Word has</u> <u>been quickened to you by</u> <u>the Holy Spirit, to vindicate</u> <u>this age.</u>

63-1128E - The Token 152 God's everlasting, Eternal Token, It's Eternal Life by the Eternal God. And anything that had a beginning has an end, and everything had a beginning besides God.

And God is the only form of Eternal Life there is. And when God places His Holy Spirit in you, which is God, and when God places Hisself within you, vou're as Eternal as God is.

Because, vou're a part of Him, because you become a son or a daughter of God and you are displaying His Word. Hallelujah! I feel religious. That's true.

<u>God identifies it, Himself.</u> You've got Eternal Life, and that's God in you. And this Word is God. And that Word lives and produces Itself. Just exactly what God has ordained for this age, you have it, amen,

the Holy Ghost, the Holy Spirit being displayed. Yes, sir. What is it? The Holy Spirit, the Word has been guickened to you by the Holy Spirit, to vindicate this age, that you have passed from death unto Life.

153 And now you are His. Oh, because He is, we have the right to all that He has purchased for us. Every promise in the Bible is yours. It belongs to you, when this Token is upon you and God has sealed you.

Now we want to check ourselves just for a moment. When God has give you the true baptism of the Holy Spirit, then the Life of Jesus Christ is within you.

Now, that's true, and every theologian will have to admit that to be. Yes, sir. It's the new Birth. You are borned anew, of the Holy Ghost.

And because that God has did this, and you know you're no good in yourself, and you accept what God has did, then He seals you into His Kingdom, by the Holy Spirit.

And everything that Jesus purchased and promised you, in the Bible, is yours. It's your property because it's paid for. Amen.