

What a Friend we have in Jesus

What a Friend we have in Jesus,
All our sins and griefs to bear!
What a privilege to carry
Everything to God in prayer!
O what peace we often forfeit,
O what needless pain we bear,
All because we do not carry
Everything to God in prayer!

Have we trials and temptations?
Is there trouble anywhere?
We should never be discouraged,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.
Can we find a friend so faithful
Who will all our sorrows share?
Jesus knows our every weakness,
Take it to the Lord in prayer.

Are we weak and heavy-laden,
Cumbered with a load of care?
Precious Savior, still our refuge—
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
Do thy friends despise, forsake thee?
Take it to the Lord in prayer;
In His arms He'll take and shield thee,
Thou wilt find a solace there.

There's not a Friend like the lowly Jesus

*There's not a Friend like the lowly Jesus:
No, not one! no, not one!
None else could heal all our souls' diseases:
No, not one! no, not one!*

*Jesus knows all about our struggles;
He will guide 'til the day is done:
There's not a Friend like the lowly Jesus:
No, not one! no, not one!*

*No friend like Him is so high and holy,
No, not one! no, not one!
And yet no friend is so meek and lowly,
No, not one! no, not one!*

*There's not an hour that He is not near us,
No, not one! no, not one!
No night so dark, but His love can cheer us,
No, not one! no, not one!*

*Did ever saint find this Friend forsake him?
No, not one! no, not one!
Or sinner find that He would not take him?
No, not one! no, not one!*

*Was e'er a gift like the Savior given?
No, not one! no, not one!
Will He refuse us the bliss of heaven?
No, not one! no, not one!*

*The anchor holds,
Though the ships been battered.
The anchor holds,
Though the sails are torn.
I have fallen on my knees as I face the raging seas.
The anchor holds in spite of the storm.*

This journey is not for wimps; you are going to be battered from pillar to post. I know for my own self when I look back I wonder how did I make it; I spent many nights in prayer, that's how, kicked out, from your own family rejected, but you just keep on going. God always has an open door, and you just go through that open door. That's what this thing is all about, He keeps moving us on.

I noticed when I read the Bible, the early church they just stuck around Jerusalem, they didn't move on. God told them to go to all parts of the world, and when they hung around Jerusalem, God sent the persecution. That's why God wants us always to move on. You get yourself out of a lot of problems if you just allow yourself to be moved by the spirit. It's a good journey but it's not for wimps you have to persevere.

I'm still on the same subject. I can't seem to get away from it, it's on 'Water Baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ'. When you look at the early church, if you take a birds-eye view from Pentecost, how they operated in the early church they only had one mode of baptism. Satan had not yet infiltrated the Christian world. He only began to infiltrate it once the early apostles went off the scene, that's when he tried to get his foot in the door. That's how the devil works, when God does something, he sits around and figures out a strategy on how he can pervert what God is doing. You can go

back to the early church, like Paul said, 'after my departure grievous wolves will come in'.

You see, you can never let your guard down. Even with what we are about, we have been given a message through Brother William Branham and Brother Jackson and nobody is going to get us off that. We know what we have been taught. We see a picture and Satan if he can get his foot in the door and just kind of twist it a little bit then he can do whatever he wants. A lot of these ministers since brother Jackson went off the scene it looks like everybody and their dog figures they have the right to the pulpit, and to do what, - to pervert it. You can see it if you look around.

Anyway, I just want to kind of give you the picture of how Satan works when God does something. You see, Satan at one time was Lucifer, he was not a fallen angel yet. He was perfect in all his ways until a certain time, iniquity was found in him, but before that, like the Bible says, he was perfect in all his ways. He was not yet fallen. At one time there were no fallen angels in the universe, everything was in harmony, but when he was tested he failed his test. These angels were tested, everything God creates has to go through a test. You and I, we have to be tested too, and back there they the angels were tested and they fell. Like they say, '*Gleich und Gleich gesellts sich gern*'; misery loves company. When you fall you kind of want everybody else to fall and thats Satan's strategy; he doesn't want anybody to be saved.

So when God began this thing with Adam and Eve, Satan was there too. God was going to test Adam and Eve. We had a conversation last week, we just want to recap it a little bit. Like I said, when God does something, Satan watches to see how he can pervert what God does. That's what he did back in the garden you can go back and you can read it. I'm going

to try to keep it very simple. There is a lot that I can say about this but in order for people to understand it, you have to keep it simple. When you go back to the beginning, God gave Adam and Eve a commission and that commission was: be fruitful and multiply. He also gave the animal kingdom that same commission: *be fruitful and multiply*.

The animal kingdom did not have two laws. It reads that there were two trees in the midst of the garden. If you pictured the garden you cannot have two literal trees in the middle of the garden, they cannot both be in the middle of the garden. What it really was: there were two laws and they were both in the midst of the garden. The animal kingdom were not given two laws, their only commission was to be fruitful and multiply, whereas man God gave a soul.

And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul. Genesis 2:7

If you go out and watch nature in the fall of the year, the deer they will start mating; the buck will start mating with the deer. They are still in their own category were God put them in: they are still being fruitful and multiply. Like I said, they didn't need to be tested. They did not need to be tested but man will be tested here with this fruitful and multiply law.

They were given two laws: one was the law of life, and the other law was the knowledge of good and evil. God knew that there was a Satan around, and he kept him around for a reason to test the Human family. Satan is not bound up. He is still free to roam, but we don't succumb to him. We just don't yield to his deception and all his deceptive ways. Adam and Eve were given a law. God put it into their DNA, into their make up. When God gives you a law, it consumes you its part of you, and they knew very well what that law was. They were

to be fruitful and multiply, in the way that the animal kingdom still does today, but you see, they took Satan's advice. The serpent was not the devil; the serpent was not Satan. Satan used that serpent, and before God cursed that serpent, he was an upright creature. He was the highest form of animal life. He was very close to the human family; he had the same makeup that Adam did. He only became a reptile after God cursed him after he had done this thing. You can go back and you can read it.

Anyway, Satan used that serpent, he was the tool that the devil used. What I'm trying to say is this: when God tests you there is something there that you have to be tested with. God will not give you a test and then there's nothing there to test you with. It's just not the way he does things. He was going to test Adam and Eve, and the testing tool was that serpent, who was actually, Adam's servant before they were tested. Adam and Eve did not have to work, that serpent was a servant, he did all the work in the garden. He was tilling the garden and everything; he just followed the instructions of Adam and Eve and he was glad to do it, because that's what he was created for. When he fell, and you can go back and read it, God told Adam now you are going to have to go out and earn your own bread by the sweat of your brow, because their servant was no more there.

Anyway going back to the test, Satan he didn't just come on there right away, he was lurking in the shadows observing everything on how he could destroy the human race. It was a genetic thing. He took that serpent creature, and that serpent creature had a relationship with Eve through deception, and Eve brought forth Cain, and that's where Cain comes from. You can go and you can look at the attributes of Cain, there was absolutely nothing spiritual about Cain, because he was

not fathered by Adam. You can go to Matthew and read the genealogies.... Cain is not in that number even though he was the firstborn. He was the firstborn of that serpent. What I'm trying to get to here is the Word of God. God gave man right from the get-go his Word, then God would step back and see what they were going to do with his Word, just like he does today with us, he will give us his Word, and then He will see what we do with his Word. He gave Adam and Eve a commission: do not partake off the tree of knowledge of good and evil; I'm Paraphrasing here: don't allow the devil to deceive you, just partake of the tree of life. I am sure they saw how the deer were going about the being fruitful and multiply process; they saw that when it came to a certain season. I do not know how long they were here, but they were here long enough for Satan to observe life in the garden and how he could pervert it because that's his game to pervert what God has done and what he is doing today.

When Adam and Eve fell, when they took Satan's advice, they lost what God had given to them. They didn't follow God's advice; God said don't partake of the tree of knowledge of good and evil life. They took Satan's advice, they went against the Word of God, and by doing so they brought the whole human race into chaos, not only that they lost their kingdom. Its like land titles, basically what they did they gave the titles over to Satan, and they lost possession off this planet, because God told them to be fruitful and multiply, replenish earth, to have dominion over the fish of the sea, and fowl of the air and over every living thing. God gave Adam and Eve this planet earth to subdue it; to run it.

When they disobeyed and took Satan's advice they not only lost their spiritual well-being, they also lost the planet, their physical well-being. All of a sudden they had to deal with

the weeds and that kind of stuff, simply because they did not stay with the Word of God.

***EXCERPTS FROM Brother Jackson contender
THE SEED OF THE WOMAN
SATAN WAS THE FIRST MURDERER NOT CAIN***

Listen beloved, Cain killing Abel was by no means the first murder! No, Satan himself was the first murderer. He had to commit a murder somewhere in order to be condemned out of the category of the Lord's righteous angels, because notice, when Satan enters the Garden of Eden he is already a fallen angel! Therefore the serpent talking to Eve is by no means the devil. The serpent before his fall, as a physical creature was much in physical identity or likeness unto man. Yet standing somewhere in the background was that spirit (the devil) waiting to take a slap at God. Satan moves upon this serpent creature and by controlling his intellect, his impulses, and emotions, begins to inspire the serpent for this terrible thing which is about to take place. And it is all the devil's way at getting back at God by ruining his picture.

After the serpent stated what he does, the woman answered, we may eat of all the trees of the garden...meaning peach trees, apples, pears, oranges, etc. But concerning verse 3, may I say to any human mind who desires to say the trees mentioned here are of the same nature and relationship to those natural trees shown in verse 2, YOU ARE WRONG!

Under the inspiration of God, Moses wrote the first five books of the Bible. By inspiration he received the law and was instructed how to build the tabernacle...build it according to the pattern shown in the heavenlies. If Moses saw the

heavenly pattern in order to know how to build the tabernacle, then I am persuaded in writing the first five books, much of it was history of their hour, recording the events that Israel had just passed through. Yet Genesis goes back and brings up to date the time of Israel's departure from Egypt. Therefore God inspired him to write the record of history.

TRUTH PERVERTED

Verse 3...But of the fruit of the trees which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die. Verse 3 shows the woman has already stated what would happen if they ate of the tree of knowledge, Verse 4...And the serpent said unto the woman, ye shall not surely die: For God doth know in the day ye eat thereof your eyes shall be opened and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. In a sense he is telling her the truth, but he is telling her this to benefit a wrong motive! Now God (not gods) does know the difference between good and evil. Remember there is only one God, not a plurality of gods! Satan, inspiring the serpent creature, would certainly like to get this thing into a trinity, wouldn't he? Yes the serpent told the truth, but it is truth presented to deceive by, because we know for them to know the difference between good and evil, it certainly won't be to their good, will it?

TO EAT IS TO PARTAKE

Verse 6...And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food...Critics will ask why is all this worded in this manner? The answer is simple, God allowed it to be worded that way to cloak the whole story until the end of time. And when the woman saw that the tree was good and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took

of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat.

*The question can be asked, what did she eat or partake of? The serpent, this manlike creature, introduced to her the use of sex strictly on the pleasure relation basis. The serpent, since he could talk, was influenced to approach Eve and discuss this thing. And I want to say, this subject in its original plan of God, was one of the most virtuous, holy, and sacred things in the whole universe! It was God's divine route and means to propagate and bring his family into existence. Adam was not born like that because there was no man. He was the son of God! Yes, within Eve's body there was a perfect law of conception to set up and take motion. In Genesis, Moses said the serpent beguiled her! Did not the Apostle Paul, writing in Corinthians, tell also that Eve was beguiled? When writing to Timothy, Paul stated how the woman was not to teach nor usurp authority, but was to be under subjection, because Adam was not in the transgression, **BUT IT WAS WOMAN!** Transgression means to have gone beyond the limits or stepped across the line. It was God who drew a line and said, don't step across it for the day you do, **YE SHALL SURELY DIE!***

Notice, the serpent never approached Adam, the headship of creation. No, he approached Adam's helpmate because it would be through her a law would operate, as to when a sacred relationship between Adam and her would be performed, for the sole purpose of God bringing the two together for conception of producing children.

The devil comes along and through his serpent creature stands on the other side of the line, tempting her to cross over

the line. The woman, having not crossed the line as yet said, this is what God said. But the serpent standing on the other side if the line says, now wait a minute. That is not so, for God knows that the day you eat thereof you shall become as gods. In other words, woman don't you want to be wise? Finally this serpent caused her to cross the line as he introduced sex to her for pleasure. To her she knew the tree of life in its original makeup was only to be partaken of at certain times and that would only be when God said so, and then it was strictly for the production of children.

This serpent was a creature who looked like man, having an intellect much like that of man, yet was not man in the sense of being the son of God, as was Adam. Nevertheless, he had a capacity to talk and communicate with her, and he introduced this act strictly for pleasure. In actuality, the woman committed fornication with the serpent, becoming a transgressor to the perfect original law of God. She stepped across the line! Certain people like to hammer the woman down saying Adam did no wrong. Don't fool yourself! Remember, the Bible never said Adam had to eat it! And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took the fruit thereof, and did eat. (Here carnal minds always say, see, she had to eat of plant life. Just hold your seat, and we will test your revelation to see whether it be of God or not. Just for the sake of argument we will say she did eat plant life. What then did she eat? Every tree of plant life that was in the garden is on earth today.) And did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat. Now if you say sex is to be the order then where did she do wrong in going to her husband? It was all because the act had been

introduced for pleasure. Remember, it was only for God to bring the two together for the sole purpose for them to express their love to the other, yet it is also the heavenly creator's way of perfect conception.

ADAM WAS NOT DECEIVED

When Eve approached Adam, do you think she said, hon, lets make a baby. That was not in the question, yet I want you to know there is going to be two babies born. No sir, she approached him, lets make love, lets have a little fun! Adam probably asked, woman what have you done? No, Adam did not give into her on the first approach. Because, in Paul's writing to Timothy he stated, Adam was not in the transgression, meaning he was not enticed to step across the border. Adam was certainly not beguiled! Being the headship of this earthly creation he was too smart for that! Romans declares the first man was of this earth earthy. Before Eve was ever taken from Adam's side, Adam knew exactly what it meant to be fruitful, multiply and replenish the earth. Therefore it wasn't the serpent coming to him, it was his own wife but remember, he was not beguiled by his wife. Not at all! Romans 5 plainly tells us through the disobedience of one, many were made sinners. In what way were many made sinners? Adam disobeyed God. Disobedience means to refuse to obey!

Yes, you could say Adam stepped across the line but when he did it wasn't because he figured everything would come out alright. Oh no, he knew it wouldn't! Adam stepped across the line and on his part it was strictly an act of disobedience.

ADAM'S CHOICE

Let's go back to the garden but remember the Bible is not specific in every word and all of its approaches, nevertheless Eve was beguiled. Oh yes, the serpent told her the truth but it was only to seduce her, to deceive her in order to defile her and commit this pleasure relationship which was fornication and that began the first act of fornication in the whole human race! When she obtained this knowledge she had already been beguiled and everything had become so turned upside down for her, she hardly knew anything. She could not help but come to her husband with this knowledge. They are the only two creatures in the garden. We do not know the entire conversation that transpired between Eve and her husband but he probably said, honey, you realize what you have done. I can't do that. You know the Lord said we would die and as he talks to her, she knowing there is no way she can possibly step back out from under the penalty of this probably said, but honey I don't want to die by myself. Here were two people confronted with the greatest test any two people has ever endured! There lay the decision of what would be the destiny for the entire human race. On and on she probably begged him. Picking up Paul's revelation in Ephesians 1 we note how God had predestinated us in himself before the foundation of the world, therefore we can begin to see how Paul could write in Roman's 8 saying that the creation was made subject to vanities not willingly, but by reason of him who subjected the same in hope. In other words, as Adam listened and looked toward the future, he couldn't see any further than the end of his nose, yet remember he wasn't beguiled nor misled. He looked at the whole scope about him, Me, living by myself, NO! If she is going to die, I will die with her!

Beloved, it had to be somewhat like this in order for Paul to declare in Romans 5 how Christ had to take upon himself the same. Adam set the type of Christ who is the seed of the woman and came into this world born of woman, yet perfect in the essence of flesh. However, he was made in the likeness of sinful flesh in order that in his fleshly body he might bear the sins of the entire human race. Why had God done this? Because as God looked down upon his fallen creation he didn't want to be alone. He still desired a family of children. Therefore clothing himself in human flesh he came down in the likeness of man, came in the likeness of sinful flesh and took upon himself the same that he might die with us in order to redeem us (his bride) back to himself. See, even in Ephesians 1 all this was in the mind of God. Before ever there was a star, moon, or anything, this was all in the plan of God! No, it was not a question of whether Adam was deceived or beguiled, it was a decision he had to make, SHALL I DIE WITH HER? God, who created Adam, could have created him another helpmeet, couldn't he? But had he done so God's beautiful plan of salvation could never have been portrayed in the manner it was. That is why you must read between the lines. Therefore, as Adam partook of this we must remember he did not do so because he was beguiled, OH NO, he knew the very moment he committed this. He wasn't saying to Eve, let's have a child. That wasn't in his mind at all! Let's make love for pleasure. So they did. When it was all over, not only Eve is guilty, but Adam also. Adam is the head of creation, therefore everything that goes on in the garden, he is going to be held responsible for. The minute their little love act is over they realize they are naked.

Shame on the critics who say she ate an apple! Apples are eaten with the teeth and nothing went into their mouth! You know this is not the true story. For the sake of the critic, let's say she did eat an apple. We realize the eating of the apple is merely a substitute of mankind to evade the real issue. But had they ate fruit from plant life, let's see where it got them. Some fig trees were close by with good size leaves and realizing they were naked Adam took a bunch of fig leaves from the tree, which is plant life, and made them both a covering. Notice where both placed those fig leaves - AROUND THEIR LOINS! Had they eaten some fruit of plant life which is taken in through the mouth, why then did they not cover the mouths instead of the part of the body they did cover? The very thing they did was what got them into trouble. Note where they hid, going deeper into the garden they hid behind the trees of plant life. Placing fig leaves about their loins they hid themselves behind trees of plant life!

When time had arrived that God would visit them in the cool of the day, they heard the voice of the Lord God walking in the garden coming to fellowship. And may I say, God is also walking in the evening time, talking to certain people telling them exactly what happened there in the Garden. It is his way of communicating. Thanks be to God because he sent that seed of the woman (Christ) to make it possible that we could be reconciled from the course of sin and death and be given the promise of eternal life and the resurrection from the dead. If that Spirit of God is in you here in the evening time of church history, it shows he is again walking among mankind seeking hearts who will fellowship with him.

Hearing the voice of the Lord God walking in the Garden, they hid themselves behind trees. Suddenly this omnipotent,

omnipresent God who knows all things, knowing what his children had done calls out to Adam. Sure he is fully aware of what has been going on but he calls out to Adam because he placed him at the head of creation. Perhaps the serpent is off somewhere now since the devil has gotten off him, wondering why he did such a thing. God never spoke first to the serpent who was to blame. He never called Eve first even though she had been beguiled but he spoke first to Adam the son of God who was hiding. Normally Adam would

have been waiting for him. Oh, I don't want to be hiding when Jesus comes. I want to be waiting for him. I want to be ready and listening for him. God said, Adam where art thou? Hands shaking and voice trembling Adam knows he cannot hide any longer. He said we are over here. Why are you over there, you used to meet me over here? We found we were naked and hid ourselves. Note the whole conversation is to Adam. He did not have to do it but he did anyhow. Adam disobeyed God; Adam went contrary to God's law, willingly and with all knowledge of knowing what it would cost him.

SERPENT CURSED

God said, Adam hast thou eaten of the tree of the forbidden fruit? Adam began to pass the buck. Man simply will not face up to the fact of his own responsibility! Looking at his little helpmeet, Adam said, this woman you gave me, she gave me to eat. Nobody made Adam do that, he made the choice! Eve looked at the serpent and said, he deceived or beguiled me. He made it sound so good. She wasn't pointing to a snake, she was pointing to an upright creature. Notice, the Lord God looked at him and did not say what have you done, he said CURSED ARE YOU! He cursed him placing him on the end of

the line of animal creation. He put the serpent out there where the snakes are! Remember, it is not every snake out there that is the serpent. There are many species of snakes yet no two species will cross. But out there somewhere is one of those little fellows who is that serpent who crawled off on his belly. The question can be asked, did the serpent have a mate? Sure he did! Recall when God made the animal kingdom he made them male and female. What happened to his mate? She went with him. You say, I don't believe that - when Korah and the others withstood Moses in the wilderness Moses said, separate me these fellows, and recall, their families there also and were slain.

The reason I'm doing this is because I want to show you the importance of staying with water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the chaos that it creates when you deviate away from the Word of God. I just want to show you what the results are, when man left the Word of God and took Satan's advice, and that's what they did, they took Satan's advice through deception, Eve was deceived, all she would've had to do was stick with that Word, because God put it into her makeup. She had no business listening to that serpent, sure she did not know that Satan is enticing that serpent. That serpent had communicating skills and he could communicate with Eve; he could talk; he had vocal cords; he had sex organs, and he could have an intimate relationship with Eve, because that is how God was going to test them. Why have a test, when there is nothing there to test you with. Like when you take a test for a drivers license, you have to go up there you have to write your exam and you have to do whatever it takes to pass the exam. It's a hands on test.

It's the same with Adam and Eve they were tested and Satan used that serpent as a tool; the tool he would use was that serpent; you can read it, and then once God came on the scene, in the cool of the day, what did they hide, they had to hide their sexual organs now, because that's the very thing that they sinned with. They disobeyed God and took Satan's advice. When God came to the serpent he didn't even ask: He just said, from now on its on your belly, before that he was not on his belly he was an upright creature, he was the most cunning and crafty of all the animals.

Genesis 3: and the serpent was more subtle than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made. You see he was a beast; he was out of the animal kingdom. God created him; he made him. You can read it over in the New Testament of his cunning craftiness.

Like I said, when God does something Satan is right there to pervert what God does. It is up to you and me to stand on guard. Had Adam and Eve stood on guard, had they taken the reproductive process the way nature does, every child that would have been born out of Adam and Eve would have had Eternal Life, but God knew they would fail and He had provisions made; when Adam and Eve fell, God said that He would send somebody, that would make everything right. What I'm trying to say is this: in God nothing is ever lost, because the Bible says, everyone that my heavenly Father has given me will come to me. Sure look at all the pain; look at all the suffering, all that's going on out here, the killing, it's all because Adam and Eve made the wrong decision. They took the wrong advice. They took the wrong turn.

When you look all the disturbances in the middle east; when you look at ISIS and all that stuff, it's just driven by

Satan, because he knows his time is short, and he's coming down with great wrath.

Mankind has been given the Word to stabilize him. That's what God gave Adam and Eve; that's what God gave mankind. All we have to do is stick with that Word.

When you fast-forward to our era of time to the birth of the church; God had said that He would send somebody to make everything right. You can read it over in *John 3:16: for God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever shall believe on him should not perish but have everlasting life.* With the new covenant now, back when God gave the promise that he would send somebody, *Genesis 3:15: and I will put enmity between thee and the woman, between thy seed and her seed it showed bruise thy head and he shall bruise His heel.* That's the promise that God made that he would one day send somebody that would make everything right. That process took 4,000 years. To make everything right God had to send his only begotten Son.

Jesus Christ did not exist before 2,000 years ago. He was only in the mind and in the heart of God. Then at the fullness of time that thought that lay in the mind of God, at the birth of Jesus Christ that thought became flesh. For 4,000 years mankind would just hang on to that promise that God would one day send somebody to bring everything back to where it was before Adam and Eve fell. We still have a polluted planet. We still have sin but as time goes on all of that is going to be taken care off, because of what Jesus did at Calvary. I want to go to, *Luke 20:2*, God is going to start a new thing now with men, He's going to start it with John the Baptist. John the Baptist was the forerunner of Jesus Christ. God is going to introduce something that had never been introduced before through John the Baptist. He is going to

introduce water baptism. To see water baptism in its purity, you have to go back to where John was. He was down by the River Jordan where there was lots of water. The early church they never had 10 modes of baptisms. There was only one way to baptize. The word 'baptism' mean simply to immerse. *Therefore we are buried with him by baptism into death:*
Romans 6:4

God is going to use John now to start and to get it into motion now. What Adam and Eve did back in the garden, for 4,000 years there was no sign of no water baptism, but God was going to introduce it now through the ministry of John the Baptist.

If you take a look at the Word of God, water baptism what instituted in heaven. I'm trying to lay a foot work here that this baptism was instituted in heaven, it was not perverted by Satan yet, but what Satan will do now he will do the same thing that he did back in that garden; he will take that Word and take what God does and pervert it.

In the early church Satan had not yet put his foot in the door, but he's laying in the shadows waiting for an opportunity and a way infiltrate the church.

Now we will go to the next phase we know that water baptism was instituted in heaven and that it started with John the Baptist down by the River Jordan. You can read it yourself how the Scribes and the Pharisees they came down wanting to be baptized too and how John reacted to them, but see when you read it, *'...the chief priests and the scribes came upon Him with the elders*. You can see who Satan is using now, he is not using that serpent anymore like he did back in that garden, now he is using religion, the Scribes and the Pharisees and the elders, that is who he is going to use to pervert that pure Word of God.

To prove to you that water baptism was instituted in heaven *Matthew 21: 24-27* you can go read it.

I want to walk you through the process of how God is going to institute that new covenant now. I want to let you see the importance of water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ in its pure form, you are looking at its purity here now, you are not looking at it in the way that it is today, you want to go back and look at it in the way that God intended it to be; in the way that it was in the early church: *Matthew 16:13*

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?

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

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

And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God. 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 heaven.

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

Here is the scripture that I want to stay with:

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.

The keys here are not like a literal key, you have to go to Acts 2: to find out what those keys are. #1. Who did He gave them to. He gave them to Peter. Jesus gave them to somebody that He knew that he could trust; he gave them to somebody that he knew that will not pervert it.

Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their hearts, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do?

In other words, what shall we do to be saved? He just told them that they crucified the Lord of glory and they were pricked in there hearts; they realized what they had done and they wanted out of this dilemma.

He didn't tell them to go build a commune or have a certain dress code to get into that kingdom. You have to look at it in its purity; in its undefiled form before Satan got a hold of it. As we read on you will see how Satan is going to take and pervert this very thing. Here Peter took the keys of the kingdom of Heaven at Pentecost.

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission

of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

For the promise in unto you, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call.

If people would stay with this formula trust the Lord and stay with the Word. I was baptized on the colony and it was good enough for me, that's what my parents told me I needed to do. Later on in life I realized God is a lot more serious, and this baptism is a lot more serious than people realize. The Lord began to deal with me that you cannot mess with the Word of God.

There was Mike from Hillside, he was ex-communicated, you see I always had a longing to go to people and talk about spiritual things, so when I went to Brandon I would stop in to see this Mike Hofer in Brandon, MB. He would always be willing to talk about the Bible, so I would stop in there and every time that I did he would ask me, 'Sam, have you been baptize' and I told him, 'I was baptized in the colony, my dad, baptized me.' He asked, 'how did they baptize you?' I told him, 'you know how they do it, they poured water on in they name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.' He said, 'God will not accept that baptism, you have to be baptized by immersion in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ.'

He kept on bugging me about this for years, and one day I said to him, 'Mike, I am going to go out there and get baptized just like you say just to get you off my back, because you are bugging me with this thing.' He was really offended that I would say that, I could tell by the hurt in his eyes.

You see God was using that Mike, with him using the Word of God. God used His Word to convict me. It's the Word. Mike kept hammering away at me, but it wasn't until the Lord began to convict me about the Word of God; You cannot mess with that Word; you cannot try to make it say something that it doesn't say and then for months the Lord began to deal with me. First of all about water baptism by immersion and He showed me He took me back to the days of Moses. God allowed Moses to be born and then He caused that Egyptian women to take that baby out of the water and then she adopted Moses. Then for 40 years he was trained in all the wisdom of Egypt in the Kings palace. From there God took him into the wilderness for 40 years. When God spent 80 years of Moses life preparing him to take the Israelites out of Egyptian bondage He sent Moses over to Egypt and on the way over there God was going to kill Moses, because God told Abraham every son should be circumcised when he is eight days old, and here Moses had not yet circumcised his 2 boys. If you read it between the lines it was really his wife that prevented him from circumcising them and Moses was not a man who liked debates or arguments so he just let it ride.

On the way to Egypt God put him on the death bed and his wife went and took 2 stones and circumcised their sons herself because she knew why this is happening. If you read between the lines they had conversations on this very issue time and time again, but she was determined not to let these kids suffer. She did not understand the Word of God, and here God was going to finish Moses off. God was not playing any games and she could tell that this was serious. She took 2 stones and circumcised their 2 sons and then Moses recovered. *Then she said, A bloody husband thou art, because of the circumcision.* That is how God began to deal

with me on the Word of God and that you don't mess with it and that's ye and Amen.

Like I said, I was under conviction I remember driving out west in my car. When you are under conviction it consumes you day and night. I remember driving through Regina and I thought if I would know of a church here where I could go and be baptized by immersion I would stop and get baptized. That is how convicted I was. I was on my way out to Vancouver and I stopped in at Joe Waldner, I knew that he was a Christian and I said, 'Joe the Lord has been dealing with me to get baptized by immersion'. That is all the Lord convicted me of; to get baptized by immersion. You see the Lord deals with me a lot different then He does with a lot of other people. All He convicted me of was water baptism by immersion. That's what John the Baptist did. He baptized people by immersion. He didn't say, 'I baptize you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ'. Jesus was not yet crucified so he baptized unto repentance.

I want to walk you through how the Lord dealt with me: first of all He convicted me with this Word, that you don't mess with it; that you leave it the way it says, baptism simply means by immersion. I got there at 6 o'clock in evening and we had visited before we went to bed, I said, 'Joe I need to get baptized,' he didn't say anything. Then the next morning, I said again, 'the Lord has really been dealing with me to get baptized'. Throughout the day on several occasions I talked to him on it. Finally, he came out and said, 'you know a week ago the Lord dealt with us to go get a tank to baptize people in,' and he said, 'we will baptize you, there is a tank down in the building, its full of water ready for someone to be baptized'. You see, God works at both ends, He knew that He had me under conviction and directed me to that Joe Waldner,

and that he was going to baptize me. So after 6 that evening, he, his wife and his brother Jake, they baptized me in, in the Name of the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost. That is all that God convicted me of: Baptism by immersion.

I was done with that and I had done what the Lord convicted me of. I didn't see no stars. It was just the way the Lord dealt with me on water baptism. I got baptized in the titles but I was baptized by immersion.

So from there I continue to go to Vancouver and I ended up out by these Branhamites. My cousin Jake goes to that Branham church. One of the first things they asked me was, 'Sam have you been baptized,' and I was glad I could answer them and I told them. 'Yes, I got baptized here a couple of weeks ago.' They asked, 'well, how were you baptized,' I told them, by immersion. Then they asked me, 'What did they say when they baptized you. 'In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost,' I replied. 'Well, they said, that's not valid, you have to be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.'

The Lord was dealing with me on His Word, so I read it in Acts 2:38. I won't say that the Lord really convicted me on that, I just knew by now the Lord had already dealt with me on His Word, that you can't mess with His Word. Not only did I see baptism by immersion in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, I also saw that God sent a Prophet, and if God sends a prophet, then I have to be obedient to what the Lord is saying through His prophet. Brother William Marrion Branham, he was that Malachi 4:5, *Behold I sent you Elijah the prophet before the great and dreadful day of the Lord...*,

Not that Brother Branham was Elijah but he had that same anointing on him. God anointed Brother Branham to do exactly what it says, 'to turn the hearts of the children back to the apostolic faith of our fathers'. When you read it you would

think that it's a literal child and that all of a sudden the children will respect their parents but that is not what it means. It means, spiritually speaking, we are the children to the first apostolic church, and what God is going to use Brother Branham to turn us back to that Word.

That's how the Lord dealt with me on water baptism by immersion in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

I am kind of getting off the topic here, I want to explain how Satan will sit back and wait and wait until he can infiltrate what God is doing. You can see it when you go through the pages of the Bible, you can see how the apostle Paul how he had to fight with these religious leaders. In fact, they're the ones that stoned Stephen. It was done by these religious zealots. Those religious leaders are still around today persecuting the true believers.

Satan is no more using that serpent to defile and to pervert, He is using Scribes and the Pharisees and the religious leaders. He is using religion to pervert the things that have been firmly established. They were constantly harassing the early church to get their foot in the door and to pervert the Word of God.

Then finally, like I said earlier, when Paul warned them, after our departure grievous wolves will enter in..., and then John speaks about many antichrist. As long as the early church apostles were here, they could detect that stuff. Even after they were gone for a couple of hundred years, the church was still vibrant. They could still detect that antichrist spirit. They kept it from coming into the church.

In year 325 A.D, at Nicaea Rome, Constantine had a counsel. Constantine he was the ruler then. He legislated that from now on the way to baptize is in the name of the father,

son and Holy Ghost; No more, in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

I know what Matthew says, *Go baptize in the name of the father son and Holy Ghost*. It says, 'in the name' which is singular the disciples they knew what that name was; that it was the Lord Jesus Christ. Father is not a name. Son is not a name; It is a title. The Lord Jesus Christ is the name and He gave Peter the keys to the kingdom. You have to look to what keys Peter used to that kingdom, *'repent and be baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins'*.

Now, when you fast-forward it 300 years, Satan has managed through these zealots, and through these religious leaders to call for a council. The first thing he was going to attack is water baptism by immersion in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. He is going to change water baptism to Father, Son and Holy Ghost, which are titles, not names. Then about 400 years later they were baptizing by sprinkling, then they were baptizing infants. By the time the 1500s rolled around, that original baptism was nowhere to be seen. The Catholic Church had taken over that mode of baptism.

Then you will see God is going to restore the church again. It took 1000 years to bring it to where the Roman Catholic Church had it by the time the 1500s rolled around. There were a lot of people they did not fall for that false baptism. They had to go into exile. They had to go in the mountains into the caves, like the Waldenses. They didn't fall for that Constantine church, which is the birth of the Roman Catholic Church, and we know what the Roman Catholic church is today. It's the Great whore in Revelations, and the church system are her harlots.

Anyway, I'm just trying to walk you quickly through 2000 years of history, how that by the 1500s that baptism what so perverted, that now they were sprinkling infants, thinking that that's the way to salvation. An infant cannot repent, it was so perverted. You have to be of a certain age before you can repent. You have to realize that you're a sinner and that infant does not have the capacity to realize that yet. This whole thing was perverted and educated people they just go out and they take Satan's advice, baptizing in the titles, of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

The same thing happened when you take what happened back in the garden when Adam and Eve took Satan's advice, they allowed the devil access to this planet, and they lost the whole thing. That's the same with you and me, when we get baptized in the title of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, we are taking on Satan's counterfeit baptism; he is the one that brought it on to pervert the original one that Jesus Christ gave to Peter, when Jesus gave Peter the keys to the kingdom, Peter use those keys on the day of Pentecost - Acts 2:38. Like I said, you have to see it in its entirety how Satan gradually and gradually is going to pervert it, watering it down, and by the time the 1500s rolled around, it was nowhere to be seen.

Then through the Reformation, with Martin Luther, which was the first phase of the Reformation. Now here in this end time He is restoring the church back to its originality. That is why the Lord has dealt with me with such intensity. He took me away from my home from my family, away from everything, and He took me on this journey. One of the first things that He dealt with me on was water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ by immersion.

God did not restore water baptism, through the reformers, through Martin Luther. The first thing that God restored was the '*just shall live by faith*' because God is going to start to restore and to bring everything back to its original. Then through John Wesley, he was the 6th Church Age Messenger, through him holy living was restored, 'living a life of holiness'. You can no more go to the bar, which back in the days of Martin Luther people would still go to the bar and God tolerated it, because they were just coming out of the dark ages now here through John Wesley he expects holy living. Then through Brother Branham, the 7th Church Age Messenger, it goes a step further. Restoration does not happen in one day, it started in the 1500s. Then in the early 1900s God introduced water baptism to the church in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

That's what the Lord has been dealing with me on before he could move me into the ministry of brother Branham, He convicted me on water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ by immersion.

I will say this here right now, anyone that is going in rapture, is going to have to realize that God sent a prophet, Brother William Marrion Branham; he is the 7th Church Age Messenger. He is that Malachi 4, prophet. He is revelations 10: *in the days of the voice of the seventh angel*. He was not the angel, he was the voice of the angel.

That angel used brother Branham's vocal cords. To do what? To turn us back to the Word. That is why the Lord dealt with me with such intensity. Like I said earlier, he is not just going to whoosh me in there with this false baptism. To enter into this you will have to have the proper water baptism, and that is water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ by immersion for the remission of your sins and you shall receive

the gift of the Holy Ghost. It is really very simple from where we are today. I expect people to see the very thing that I see but I know that they don't, because they have been brainwashed, just like I was. People had to tell me, like that Mike, I was content, but he kept hammering away. Then the Lord began to convict me. Then by the time the people in Vancouver told me, I already had enough respect for the Word of God, that it didn't take much convincing. I just saw it in the Word. I read it. I just did what the Bible says to do. I didn't need no more convicting, it's that Word, I read it in the Word of God; in the Bible. Then the first chance that I got I got baptized, Eddie Byscal baptized me, by immersion in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Then I had fulfilled that part of water baptism, but the Lord is going to take me on. He is not just going to stay with that.

I want to show you something here in Ephesians 5, the Lord just wouldn't not let me get away from it, because it's the foundation; water baptism is the foundation. I know that there are a lot of people out there they are born-again; they had an experience with the Lord, but they haven't even begun this journey, they are just on the way back to the beginning. The beginning is water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, then from there you move on.

I want to go to *John 5:22* before I go to Ephesians though. Just to stay with how important that Word is. We hear a lot of people say, 'I'm not going to judge, God is going to judge' but we have to go back to the Word to see what the Bible says about judging. *John 5:22*

*For the father judgeth no man
but hath committed all judgement
unto the son.*

People will say, oh, God is going to judge it. No, He has committed all judgement unto the son.

Now we will see what *John 12:48* says, because it's that Word that is going to judge us on that day. That is what I am trying to get to. If we have a reference and a respect for this Word we wouldn't have to be afraid of the day of judgement, because God is going to use the Word to judge us.

*He that rejecteth me, and receiveth
not my words, hath one that judgeth
him: the word that I have spoken, the
same shall judge him in the last day.*

Its like Jesus is saying I am not going to judge either; The words that I speak are going to judge you on that day. There we have it. It's that Word, that is why we need that Word and if we follow through with what that Word says. You see how Satan back in the garden perverted that Word. They chose to listen to that serpent. Had they listened to what God said, they would not have had all this chaos. Here Satan is always trying to pervert it. Jesus is saying, 'I'm not going to judge you the words that I speak will judge you on that day.' That is why I'm saying we have to have a reference and a respect for the Word of God. Let's see what *Matthew 22:29* says, that is why it is so important for us to know the scripture. We are blessed that we were brought up in a Hutterite Colony, we had to go to church everyday; We had to memorize a lot of Bible verses and spiritual songs, so we have this Word within us.

Here Jesus answered the Sadducees, '*ye do err, not knowing the scriptures, nor the power God.*'

Like I said we have been blessed with having the scripture within us, they can't pull the wool over our eyes. They can try but when we step back and analyze it - No, that is not what the Bible says. Another thing, they can quote you

half truths but once you see the picture, like the things that are coming out now since Brother Jackson went off the scene. God raised up Brother Branham, anointed him to be that Elijah prophet; he was that prophet, *'in the days of that voice when he shall begin to sound'*. That angel used Brother Branham's vocal cords. That is why that word *'begin'* is there, and when Brother Branham died, He had another vessel prepared, where that angel is going to use the vocal cords of Brother Jackson now. Not that Brother Jackson was that angel, he was the vocal cords of that angel. That is why this is so important to know these things because that is what is going to stabilize you, - *'ye do err, not knowing the scriptures, nor the power God.'*

If we go to *Ephesians 2:20*, the early church they had a handle on this Word. Paul said, *'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'*.

They were so sure that they had the right thing, and they knew that as time goes on Satan is going to come in and take that written Word and pervert it, that is why he strongly states in *Galatians 1:8*, *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*.

In *Ephesians 2: 20-21*, *...and are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone; In whom all the building fitly framed together growth unto an holy temple in the Lord: In whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit*.

What I'm trying to say is that you have to stay with that Word. Water baptism in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost is preaching another gospel and these people as

it says - are accursed. God is rich in mercy, He looks at the heart. These people in the Hutterite colony they still have to be reformed, they have not moved beyond 1520 in terms of Biblical revelation. I was just as ignorant as they are, but you see God had not dealt with me yet. God is going to deal with them maybe as time goes on. I am sure that there are people there that want something real; that are sincere. That was the way I was, I was sincere, but I was brain-washed. They told me that's the way it is. That was before the Lord took me into His Word. Here He took me back into His Word, on how serious His Word is. Trying to tell people that living in a community is the way into heaven is preaching another gospel. That is not what the early church taught. Sure they had all things in common, but it says, *'all those that believed had all things in common'*.

I believe that before the Lord takes us out of here, the Lord is going to take us back to where this thing is going to be like that of the early church. We are going to care for one another, my property is really not my property; It says that nobody said that the things were theirs. We are not there yet, but we will be. I can see the way the Lord has dealt with me in life, He doesn't twist my arm; He walks me through life and I know in my heart of hearts that as we move on the things of this world have no real value. It's the spiritual things that makes us tick. When the spiritual things is where the real value is, then that truck out there don't matter, it's just something to get me from point A to point B that's all it is. It's not something that's on my heart. That truck out there that's just a way to make a living, I have to have a way to make a living that is all what that is. My car is yours. That's how God is going to bring us back where all those that believe had all

things in common. I can see it already beginning to take shape, but like I said we are not there yet.

I admire the Hutterite colonies, but it has nothing to do with going to heaven. It has nothing to do with that at all. It's just Satan has infiltrated it, by getting the people to believe that you have to live in a community to get to heaven. That is not the way it is. You can be up drilling oil in the Arctic, or somewhere, if you are serious with the Lord you just repent; you don't have to wear a certain dress code or live in a commune. You just do as the Bible says, '*repent*' and as time goes on He will make it possible to get baptized.

In fact, if you go down to your local church, they are not going to baptize you like that, you can go ask them that you want to get baptized in Jesus name; the pentecostal church will tell you we will baptize you by immersion but we will baptize you in the titles. WE don't baptize that way. So I will say right here and now if anyone wants to get baptized, I'll go across the globe to baptize in Jesus name if somebody want to be baptized in true Christian baptism. I can go down and rent a pool or something, or if it is summertime we will just go down to the river and I'll baptize you in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins. A lot of people when they baptize you they think that you belong to that organization; let's say for instance the Hutterite colony, that is who we are mostly dealing with, they baptize you and then you belong to that Hutterite colony, you don't belong to that pentecostal church, but the Pentecostal church they have the same ideology.

I remember a friend of mine, he went and got baptized at the Pentecostal church, so the preacher told him, — 'now we are going to baptize you and I want you to know that you can only fellowship with the people that come to this church'. You

see they lock you in. Jesus asked the Scribes and the Pharisees, *'the baptism of John the Baptist is it from Heaven or is it from man.'* It is still from Heaven; it still belongs to God, but Satan has gotten man to change the true baptism formula and uses it to lock people in church systems and organization. They have high-jacked it so to speak; they have high-jacked water baptism and they use it to lock up people into their religious prisons. I want to tell you the dream that the Lord gave to brother Branham had in 1962. *Sometime around daybreak he dreamed he saw a big man take a three-sided stick and knock a small woman to the ground with it. This man and woman were supposed to be his father and mother, although neither one looked like his real father and mother. While the woman lay on the ground whimpering, this big man strutted around her, proud of what he had done. Shakily, the woman stood. Again the big man whacked her in the head with his three-sided club. She crumpled into a limp pile of submission. In the dream Bill watched this from a distance. He thought, "I can't tackle that man because he's too big. I'd never win if it came to a fight. Still, he has no business mistreating her that way". When he saw that man hit that poor little woman again, it upset him so much that he lost his fear. Standing between the cruel man and his victim, Bill said, "You have no right to strike her." Suddenly Bill's arm muscles bulged, expanding until he looked like a giant. The woman was trying to get up and the man lifted his club to hit her. Bill threatened, "If you strike her again, you'll have to deal with me." The man gauged Bill's muscles and hesitated. After this dream Bill received a vision to interpret the dream. That woman represented Christians in churches today, and that man represented the denominational system that rules them. That three-sided stick represented the false concept of a*

triune God, and incomplete baptism that goes with it. Every time a congregation tries to rise and accept the truth about baptism in Jesus' name, their denomination whacks them down with that Trinitarian dogma. For years Bill was reluctant to challenge the system because it was so big. Finally he did challenge it, and then the muscles of his faith grew to the size of Romans 8:31: "If God be for us, who can be against us."

When you get baptized into Jesus name you belong to the Lord Jesus Christ. What Jesus told Nicodemus, He said, *The wind blows where it listeth, you hear it but you don't know from where it's coming from and where it is going, so is everyone that is born out of the Spirit.* You have no more control over your life; you don't know how the Lord is going to deal with you or where He is going to lead you, because I do not know because it says so, but in the colony you belong to that colony. Your whole life is pretty well all mapped out for you; you have no control over your life. The preacher, the system, the organization, the pope has control over what you are going to do and what you are not going to do. No more like it said here: *the wind blows where it is listed.* It is all so polluted and twisted.

I am not going to go in there and disrupt their system. It's a way of life; it's a very well organized machine and rightly so, because the people they need that because they are not Born-Again. We do not need that, we are Born-Again; we are born of the Spirit. Nobody has to tell me that I shouldn't go out and get drunk, - I don't do that. Nobody has to tell me I shouldn't do this that or the other, - I just don't do it and I don't want to do it, because it perverts this Word; it goes against my conscience. I can go to all parts of the world; I don't have to be part of the world. Its just something that I don't want to do. If those people on the colony if they would have the freedom,

that we have, they would do this that and the other and even a lot of them in there they don't have the freedom but they do it anyway.

Its better to have rules and regulations then to have anarchy. That's what you see down in Ferguson, MO; It is better to have a civil society even though it is corrupt then to have no civil society at all and have anarchy. When Jesus came He didn't go in and destroy the Roman system, He just showed them a better way. It is not our job to go in and disrupt and to destroy the Hutterite system, all they would have to do is just switch over into water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Maybe someday it will happen and they will line up with the Bible.

What they did here a few years back, Jacob Kleinsasser, he was ready to sign that whole Hutterite nation with the power of attorney signature and he was ready to give it over to the Mafia, and the Mafia is controlled by the Catholic church. I had inside information on all of this, the Hutterites have that Catholic church water baptism, so if you really analyze it the Catholic church has the rights, the titles to their property. They just have not claimed it yet and as time will go on, if they don't put Jesus first the Catholic church is going to want their property back; I do not know how but that almost happened here back in the late '80's and early '90's but God intervened and God stopped him through the supreme court decision and he could no longer do what he wanted to do. He even said, 'if I would have had 6 more months I would have had them exactly where I would have wanted them'. Jacob Kleinsasser, was blind as a bat; was completely clueless what he was getting into when he was messing with these Mafia guys.

Anyway, the only way to break that yoke that the Catholic church has on the colonies, and that just what the colonies are its all just pure Catholicism, the only way to get out of them clutches is to take on water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, and then you are taking your titles back. Its like land titles and you are taking your land titles back and they are yours.

I was in Huron colony yesterday and my son-in-law told me how that Levi, he is down in Trileaf now, he stole all this property, I don't know what was all going on there, it was when that split was and he was like a maniac; I didn't know that he was such a ruthless person; He just thought he could steal everything, because Huron decided that they will not go with Jake Kleinsasser, that they would go with the Gibb faction, so he went in there and he stole the grain and he took whatever he could and then he wanted to get the land titles and somehow the bank, the banker and the lawyers they worked with Huron to get the land titles into the proper hands so that he couldn't get his hands on them.

It's the same thing here had that guy gotten the land titles they could have done whatever with it, but when you take on water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ you are taking that property back from Satan. God will somehow make a way, because when you honour God and His Word, He will honour you. Right now the Catholic Church has access to the Hutterite property through that water baptism.

Just like Satan took access to this planet when Adam and Eve yielded to the serpent, that give the devil the right to this planet but when Jesus came He said He will make everything right. When you and I honour water baptism in Jesus name we are honouring the Lord, all our property, everything that we have, do and are, belongs to the Lord

Jesus Christ, because we took on His name in water baptism; that original formula that God introduced to the Human Race water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. It is so simple, I wish I could make it as simple as I see it. How are you going to persuade 10,000 people to do that, it is practically impossible, they will have to kind off come their own way.

I know how the Lord dealt with me and now everything that I own is His, He has access to. Everything that I have and do it all belongs to the Lord Jesus Christ; my health my well-being my property it is all His. You have to see it in its entirety; Had Adam and Eve obeyed the Lord when He told them from every tree thou shalt eat, had they taken off the tree of life they would not have lost the planet but they partook of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. They would have subdued it. They would have had control of it but they give it over to Satan, and here again God is going to restore it all again. If you and I accept water baptism in its originality, I know that it sounds too simple, but what else are you going to do you have to be able to trust the Word of God. I have to be able to trust it.

Like I've said, I wish that I would have the capacity to explain and express what I see. The best that I can simply do it and with few words is: when you accept water baptism in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost by pouring or sprinkling you accept satan's baptism and he has access to your soul, he has access to your property, and the only way to break that accessibility, is to go back and get re-baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, then everything that you do, say and are, belongs to Him because you honour His Word, and God will not go against His Word

I remember you telling me back when you were baptized

in the colony how you felt, would you mind to just kind of put in on here in your own words.

Lorraine talks: I remember when I was baptized I became a Christian the previous year I did what I understood to do, I got baptized on the colony when I was about 22 years old and it's done by sprinkling in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost. I remember going home after baptism and crying bitter tears for a couple of hours and I felt such an emptiness and a void inside of me. I could not understand why I was feeling like that. There was not the completeness and the joy that I thought that I should feel.

I stayed on the colony for a number of years after that and in the years 2004, I was given the book by William Marrion Branham, 'The seven church ages'. In the book it clearly gave me an understanding of the importance of being baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. I remember feeling so convicted that I couldn't sleep all night, knowing the importance of it. I felt such an urgency to go and be baptized in that Name. I remember praying that the Lord should make a way for me. I knew that I could not get baptized in the colony in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ and how am I going to go about it. In the morning I felt peace about it and it wasn't until, (that was in November when I got the book), February I left the colony. The Lord made a way for me to leave. I walked by faith, it was a very difficult decision for me. I just remember by faith walking out the door knowing the Lord would lead the way for me, and in the summer-time I got baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ by immersion for remission of your sins according to *Acts 2: 38*. The peace that I felt the completeness and looking back I realized why I felt such emptiness when I was baptized in the titles of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. In order for you to continue in

your journey of faith as a Christian it is important to be baptized in Jesus Name. That is the sealing of your faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and what He did at Calvary.

Sam talks: I was just reading that this morning, I was going to title this, you can read it over in *Psalms 138: 2: I will worship toward thy holy temple, and praise thy name for thy lovingkindness and for thy truth: for thou has magnified thy word above all thy name.* I'll tell you, you can trust this Word, but see what people do they pervert it, they make it say something that it doesn't say. The preachers out there they are satan's tool, not all of them, there are some of them that are still pretty good.

I was just browsing through the internet yesterday, I don't know who wrote the book I will have to go find out and man did it sound good, 'Behold I will sent Elijah the Prophet, but I am sure if I keep on reading that man sees himself as being that Elijah prophet. You see like Joseph Smith from the Mormons, he confesses to be that Elijah the prophet, see there is only one person that fits that role and that's William Marrion Branham. Satan he has all these decoys out there, he has all these want-a-be's out there that Satan is using to veer people of course.

Ever since Brother Jackson went off the scene it's a fee-for-all everybody is preaching different. We are in the 3rd day, the Midnight Cry hasn't happened yet, all this are satan's tools that he is using to get us off that Word. They give you half truths. They won't give you the picture. They give you something that's not true. Satan is using them through these seducing spirits, all of sudden ministers that we had a lot of respect for come on with the 2 days are done, the Midnight Cry has not happened yet. These are all perverters. That is why when I said earlier, that the ministry of Brother Branham

and Brother Jackson, if we use that to stabilize us they can say what they want they can't get us off course. There are people that call me, 'Sam have you listened to such and such'. - No, I haven't heard of him but I can check him out. So when I go back to the Internet and I check out this preacher and he doesn't even know that God sent a Prophet Brother William Branham, as the Elijah prophet; (Brother Branham didn't send himself, God anointed him), then I know that that guy is eventually going off course, it's just simply the way it is.

Jesus said in *John 17:3*

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

Then in *John 13:20*

Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that receiveth whomsoever I send receiveth me; and he that receiveth me receiveth him that sent me.

We got it so good, we can always go back to gauge ourselves with the fact that God did send a Prophet and on the heels of him He sent a Chief Apostle Brother Jackson, and now we are waiting for that 5 fold ministry. It's not that 5-fold-ministry that is out there claiming to be that 5-fold-ministry. I don't know where she is but the Bible says that there will be a 5-fold-ministry that is going to perfect the bride. Its either its is not here yet or its has already been here and gone. I don't know which it is, I just waiting, so I'm not going to say this, that or the other, but when she will be here I will recognize her, because she is not going to go contrary to what has been taught. She is not going to tell us that we are in the 3rd day. She is not going to tell us that the 2 days are done. It's not going to happen. We are established in that Word. We are not one of those like its say, '*Ye err not knowing the scripture*'. We know that scripture, we know how important that Word is.

That's what we are doing week after week we are getting our roots down further and further. The key, the foundation is that water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. That is the 1st thing that the Lord dealt with me on and the last four weeks, it has literally consumed me, that Word, do not mess with that water baptism. We are going back to that original foundation like Paul said, *'If any man preach any other gospel unto you than that ye have received, let him be accursed'*, and preaching another gospel is laying another foundation. That is basically what it is, and we are still with that original. That is why when Jesus gave communion, He used unleavened bread; representing that unleavened Word of God. We still have that, no matter what people think about us. We are still with that original Word. You are not going to hear me say the 2 days are done. In fact, when I hear someone say that the 2 days are done I don't fellowship with them anymore. You are not going to hear me say that the midnight cry hasn't happened yet. I am not going to fellowship with them anymore I know that the midnight cry was in February 28, 1963. Now nobody can tell me that its still up the road because it is established in my heart. Nobody is going to tell me that we are in the 3rd day when I know that the 3rd day cannot come until after the week. We are still in the 2 days, then after that it's going to be 7 years, then we will be in the 3rd day, and to be more accurate: we are in the 2 days now, and when the 2 days are done, then exactly in a millisecond the 70th week is on, which is 7 years, and then after the 7 years are done there are the 75 days, then after the 75 days the 3rd day begins. The 3rd day cannot start until the 75 days are done. WE have this established in out hearts. I know what I believe and I know why I believe it. I know where we are in time, and

nobody is going to move us on these issues and they need not try, because they are wasting our time.

It is very important, why did the Lord deal with me so intently for the last 4-5 weeks. You have to stay with that foundation: water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. We know this but there are people out there — its for them. People are going to have access to this conversation we are having, it's for them this is solid and it's going to stand the test of time.

Over in *Zephaniah 1:8* it talks about, *such as are clothed with strange apparel*; A strange apparel is a different believe system. We are in the 3rd day, the 2 days are done, trying to tell me that the midnight cry hasn't happened yet, all this is wearing a strange apparel. See He is going to take this Word, this Word is going to judge us. It says, in *Matthew 22:11*, He came in to see if there is anybody there that did not have on a wedding garment. What it is: it doesn't mean whether you have black pants or blue jeans, there are some people that's what they think it is, No, it's wearing a proper revelation; your revelation is right; your revelation is lining up with that Word of God.

Our revelation is still pure as it was back in that early church. We believe it as they did, water baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. We believe we are still in the 2 days; all this trash that is coming out now since Brother Jackson left the scene, God is allowing it to be said to test us to see what we do believe; Brother Jackson said over and over again, 'you need to know what you believe, and you need to know why you believe it'. It's one thing to know what you believe but it is a complete different thing to have scripture to back up - why do we believe it.

If I would ask these people why do you believe that there is a rapture in the first part of the week, they would say that they believe it but if I would ask them why do you believe it, I know that they could not answer me. You know what their answer would be, 'Brother Jackson said it,' but they could not back it up with scripture.

The Bible strictly says, *'that day will not come except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition: 2 Thessalonians 2:3, also, and he shall continue for forty and two months, Revelations 13:5.* That man of sin is not revealed until the middle of the week of Daniel, so the rapture cannot come until the 2 Prophets are killed, and yet there are thousands that believe otherwise. You and myself are probably the only ones that believe it for now. That is why we have the licence to teach people, because our revelation is pure.

I do not trust that stuff out there. I don't trust, Brother Allen, Brother Bud, Brother Davis; I do not trust these people that come along with an ideology. I don't even bother to listen to them. I can't because I see a picture and what they are going to do is they are going to confuse you if you keep listening to them. Probably not right away but if you give them an ear eventually you will be caught up in it. I just separate myself from them, that's what the Word says, 'to avoid them'. I keep with that Word. I know what we have been taught. I see a picture, and I see that scripture backs it up. I see that rapture and I cannot see it before the 2 prophets are killed. Once the prophets are killed then it can be any day, any week, any month.

It's a glorious journey if you stay with that Word, I wish that I could make it as simple as I see it. Always remember we are right and they are wrong you cannot argue with the facts.

At the end of the day when the final tally will be taken the Word of God will have the final say as it is written in Thessalonians 2:3-12

3. Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

10. because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved.

11. And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie:

12. That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

I keep listening for a different sound.

*We hear about the wars,
See famine in the land.
There's questions in the
Children's eyes,
Trouble in the East again.
The whole world is shaking,
There's no sure place to stand.
And mournful sounds are
Heard throughout the land.*

CHORUS

*But I keep listening
For a different sound.
The sound of the city
That John saw coming down.
The sound of the Bride
Being united with the Groom.
I keep listening, I keep listening,
I keep listening for a different sound.*

*I remember the preacher sayin'
"Son, it shall come to pass,
There will come a generation
That will be the last."
I can't believe I'm standing here,
Seeing the end of time,
And the preacher's voice,
Echoing in my mind.*