## IHR ELTERN NIMMT DIE KINDER

Du bist auf den weg zum Himmel Doch wo sind die Kinder dein Warum nimmst du sie nicht mit dir Willst allein du selig sein

Oh ihr Eltern nimmt die Kinder Die euch anvertraut der Herr Führt sie zu dem Freund der Sünder Fleht das Er euch Sie bekehrt

Hier weilst du in Gottes Hause Freust dich das du Selig bist Während dort in Welt Gebrause Jetzt dein Sohn so fröhlich ist

Warum sitzen deine Kinder Jetzt nicht munter neben dir Warum folgen sie geschwinder Bösze Freunde mehr als sir

Elter sprich mit euren Lieben Ernstlich von der Seelenheil Weint für sie erflöht mit ihnen Gläubig jetzt das gute theil. I just want to go over this subject "Remember the children". I know that there's a lot you can say and I know that everybody that has children loves their children, and are concerned over their children. People like their children and would do anything for their children but that's just the human side of things. I was reading this here one day, it's over in *Hosea 4:* 

6. My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge and because they have rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shall be no priest to me: seeing that thou hast for-gotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children.

This scripture has stuck with me over the years. Now, I'm going to give you the flip-side of this scripture. My people are blessed because of knowledge because thou hast accepted knowledge, I will also accept thee, that thou shall be a priest to me, seeing that thou hast accepted the law of thy God, I will also remember thy I children.

This is just the flip-side I'm adding nothing to it. I'm just giving you the flip-side of the picture that I see in here. If you go back to the days of Hosea, it is not only Hosea that said it, Jeremiah basically said the same thing and over in Proverbs, you will see the same picture and down through time you will see the same principle to this day. There is only one person who has the knowledge and that's God himself.

Back in the Old Testament, God had to speak to mankind through the prophets; as He spoke to Moses

coming through the wilderness and then Moses talked to the people. Like it says here I'm going to read you a scripture in *Hebrews 1:1* 

> God who at sundry times, and in divers manners spake in time passed unto the fathers by the prophets, Hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son, whom He hath appointed heir of all things, by whom also he made the worlds;

That's why I'm saying the only one that has knowledge is God himself, and in the days of Hosea the only one that could transmit the knowledge of God to the people was Hosea himself because God spoke to Hosea. If you would go back in time to see the conditions that Israel was in, and what God was saying through Hosea to the people was: Receive what Hosea has to say and you will be blessed and I will remember your children. They rejected what Hosea had to say, you can read it in the Book of Hosea what kind of condition Israel was in because they had rejected, which was really the word of knowledge for their hour.

See in every hour and every generation, God has a different voice and in that hour it was Hosea. In the days of Jeremiah, it was the voice of Jeremiah, and the people that listen to Jeremiah were blessed. What I'm trying to get to here is everybody is concerned over their children. They want their children to be blessed they want their children to succeed, and as you can see, a lot of it is just natural love for their children. It really goes a lot deeper than that, there is a song in German.....

> Hast Kinder lieb von Herzen sinn So führe sie zu Jesus hin! Wer dies nicht tut ist ihnen feind, Wie gross auch seine liebe scheint.

I was at a colony one time and one guy said, 'Sam you didn't want your children and your family anymore and you set it up so the preachers would kick you out.'

I tell you it even shocked me that a person would have such a sick mind to say that. I mean what kind of a low-life type of mind would even think of something like that and there I was accused of that simply because I could not go along and support their hypocrisy and apostasies. I mean there are a lot of people that want their children around them 24 hours a day, they think the world of their children they would give them anything they want, but if you and I failed to talk to them about the Lord Jesus Christ and his saving grace then according to this song we actually hate our children, we are their number one enemy.

In Hosea, what God was trying to say through Hosea because thou hast rejected the message for your day the message of the hour I will also reject you and I will forget your children. I have a lot of friends and I have seen a lot of things. Some would get a phone call at night, like my brother John one day he received a call your son Ben had an accident and was killed. Then there's my brother-in-law Martin from Spring Hill Colony, one day he too got a call, he only had one son, and one day he got a call your son had a fatal accident and he too was killed.

That Eli Mandel over in Pine Creek colony, he had his little boy with him all the time on the tractor sitting on the fender while he was working. I'm sure he loved his child, one day he bounced off the tractor and went under the wheel and was dead right there.

I never had that experience what it must feel like to have your only son taken from you. I analyze all these things and I saw this scripture, 'I will forget your children', and I also saw the flip-side of it, 'I will remember your children if you accept knowledge', and I know what that knowledge is -If you can accept the message of truth for your hour.

Martin Luther had a message in his hour and the people that accepted it God remembered their children according to God's Word here and He will never go against His Word. The people in the days of Hosea, I'm sure that there was a handful there that accepted what Hosea had to say, and God according to that scripture, God remembered their children.

In this hour God did send a Prophet and a Message, and people that accept that, they have that guarantee because God will never go back on his Word. You can trust God he will be faithful to his Word. The picture that I see here is what Jesus said when He was here, 'this is Eternal Life that they believe in Him whom God has sent'. Jesus was referring to himself. He was what you could say, in the terms of what Hosea wrote, that knowledge that God had imparted to mankind, through the words of Jesus Christ in His hour when the people that accepted His Words, God remembered their children. God will bless them because Jesus says Himself, 'this is Eternal Life that they believe in Him whom God did send,' referring to himself. Before He went to the cross I think it was just a week before He was crucified and I'm paraphrasing here a little bit, 'and this will be Eternal Life that they might believe on them whom I will send. Jesus knew what the program of God was. He knew that He was going to get crucified and that He was going to be resurrected, He knew it through the Old Testament writings. He knew that He was going to the Father and that He would be the heir of all things. Like everything was created because of Him; for Him. Jesus was not there in the first creation when God first created the universe but the universe was created because of Jesus Christ. Everything was created for Him and because of Him, but Jesus had to be tested and He had to pass the test. He went to the crucifixion and He passed with flying colours when He said, 'it is finished' and only then did He become Heir of all things. After the resurrection, He said, 'now all power has been given to me in heaven and in earth'. Now God speaks no more through the prophets; He speaks through Jesus Christ and then Jesus Christ relays to the angels and then the angels bring it to the person that God has anointed for that hour whom He said, 'I will send'. That scripture continues on, 'that they believe in him who I will send.

It says in Revelation 1:

1. The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave unto him, to shew unto his servant's things which must shortly come to pass; and He sent and signified it by his angel unto his servant John:

I know that there are a lot of voices in this hour but did God send them? Like in the days of the apostle Paul if they listened and believed what Paul had to say they were blessed. In the days of Martin Luther: Martin Luther had a message for the people in his hour, coming out of Roman Catholicism out of the dark ages. 'The Just shall live by Faith'. There were literally thousands that followed Martin Luther and as time went on everything got perverted. You know how the devil does things, when God does something Satan is right at the heels of it waiting to jump on it and to pervert it. That's what he did, that's where the Lutherans come from. They have legalized everything, changed everything and that's the way it is in this hour. In this hour He has also sent a message. It runs in continuity with what Jesus said, 'that they believe them whom I will send or anoint'. You and I know that in this hour, he sent brother William Marrion Branham, and if we accept the message of Brother Branham; come out of her my people (*Revelations 18:4*), Baptism in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ (Acts 2:38). God will provide a way. We believe that brother Branham was that Malachi 4: 4-5 and it is by these conditions, that God will remember our children. I can go to sleep at night, confident that God will remember my children.

My son Jonas was up by the Arctic Circle here for about a month or six weeks and that's way up north and how could I go way up there and watch that no danger happens to him. You know you care about your children, the only way you can really scripturally care about your children is to believe and follow the Message of the hour. Like it was in days Hosea, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Martin Luther, and all those that God has sent and anointed over the years. The knowledge that He was talking about was - If you will accept what I have to say, because I am getting what I'm saying from God, and if you can accept that, you will be priests before me and God will remember your children. What is more important to a person then that God will remember his children if you really think about it.

I realize for me it doesn't look too good, none of my children really believe one word I'm saying. In fact, I just talk to my son Jonas and he said I don't agree with you and I said I know you don't. You see I could get all worked up about it but I know at the end of the day God will make a way because I have accepted His Word of knowledge for my day he will remember my children. The title of this message is, Remember the children. Like I have said there's a lot of people that would do anything for their children but really they have no guarantee that the grim reaper will not come for them. It's not just believing the message you have got to live by it.

I remember a couple of years back, Jonas, he left the colony. I didn't pick him up I believe that Henry Reimer picked him up. Towards the fall, right before winter, he gives me a call and said he wants to move in with me. At first, I took him to church, and it seemed that he would come to church out of duty. After a while when I would say okay its time to go to church. He would say, 'oh I'm too tired, had to work last night,' but what he did was he was out partying and I tolerated it for a while longer than I actually should've. I tolerated him in my house partying all night and him thinking he can live the way he wants to live under my roof and the Lord began to deal with me on that.

One day I sat down with him and said, 'Jonas, I'm a deacon in the church and I have got to have my house in order. There are three things I could do: I could resign from being a deacon, or I can move out of my house and let you take over, or you have got to get out of here. You can choose one of these options, or number four you just change your way of living.' He seemed to like the idea of me moving out and him taking over the house but I said there is really only one option you have got to get out of here, it is very obvious that you are not going to change your ways and your ways of living. You like your party life too much. I'm not moving out because the Lord gave me this house. You are the one that's going to have to move and he didn't want to move. He had it made he didn't have to pay rent he could party all night coming home to sleep and sometimes he would even not bother coming home.

The Lord was dealing with me on that. It's not that hard to raise children but you've got to be sensitive to what the Lord is saying; you have got to be obedient to the Lord. The Lord told me to have this conversation.

The Lord gave me a warning and He warned me a few times. I have been driving truck and I have been very blessed, nothing, no major accidents, not even a flat tire. I knew that the Lord was warning me, 'you need to deal with that situation in your house, you can't have that boy there, taking advantage of you and you do nothing about it'.

So I told him you need to move out. Then one day I had a close call going through Minneapolis; I almost killed somebody by accidentally cutting somebody off. I knew that the Lord was speaking to my heart through that. When I came home I got very serious with him and told him he has got to get out of here.

Finally, he did move; he moved to Brandon, and about a week later he wants to come back again. He calls me up he wants to come back again and I told him, 'no you're not coming in or you are going to end up out in the snowdrift; you are not coming into this house'. Every time he would stay here I would end up having nightmares. I knew that the Lord was dealing with me. See the Lord will help you raise your children, sometimes you will just have to put your foot down, and that's what I had to do, I had to put my foot down.

Then one day he calls me up, he wants some money, he figured that he could just do what he wants, you know how kids are. I wasn't going to give him any money living the life he did, out partying. He is really not that bad and he doesn't party that bad but he's really not coming to church; he is not living for the Lord. It is one or the other. I told them I have no money for you. I said to him, 'what if I told you to go get a gun and blow your head off'.

He said, 'what kind of crazy talk is that?' I said, 'well that's exactly what I would be doing because you will never get nowhere, and will never learn anything if I'm always there for you, helping you continue on down your lifestyle.' I just had to pull the plug on him for his sake; you can just see how you can get along. I know I was rough but I knew I was doing the right thing. As I said, the Lord will work with you, it's not that hard but sometimes you will have to be serious. You will have to put your foot down.

Today the man is a driller, they choose him above most anybody to go way up to the Northwest Territories when the season is over in Alberta up at Fort McMurray. They call on him to go up to the Arctic Circle to do drilling up there. He is very responsible now but you see you have to put your foot down sometimes to make something of your children. The Lord moved on my heart; I know that the Lord protects them and keeps them, simply because I follow the Lord. I follow the Message of the hour, what God has in this hour. God sent a prophet and on the heels of him, He anointed brother Jackson, to continue the work that He is doing. We are just following that pattern what Jesus said, 'that they believe them whom I will send'. We are just tapping into that knowledge. There is really nobody in this world that has any knowledge. The only one that has knowledge is God himself. What I'm trying to say, for somebody who may want to hear this: if you really care

about your children then you follow this Message, you follow what the Lord has for us in this hour. Sure you talk to them about the Lord and all that, but you have to do everything you can to walk with the Lord and the Lord will take care of your children.

I remember my situation my daughter was a year-old when I was ex-communicated from the colonies. My children grew up without me but that doesn't mean that the Lord was not there taking care of things. God knows it all; He got me to speak up against this Hutterite system against the leadership there. God knew that they were going to ex-communicate me because He told me so. He said, 'I want you to go speak for me, and when you do, here is what they will do to you: they will take everything away from you'. That's these religious leaders, it's not any different then it was in the days of Christ. If Jesus was here today, they would do the same to Him as they're doing to us. That's what they did to me, back in the early 90s. Jacob Kleinsasser gave orders to my father-in-law, he was one of his strong men, his thugs, get this guy out of there and then once that split happened, that Blumengart Jake, he wasn't any better he would do the same thing.

You see it's the spirit of the thing. You just go on, you can't fight them because you're fighting the devil; that's who you're fighting with. You are not fighting these people, it's a spirit on those people: a religious spirit, and anti-Christian spirit.

So I was in exile from my children; my children grew up without me but the Lord was putting me on a route. He was still imparting the knowledge that Hosea talks about. I did not reject that knowledge that's why God would be there for my children.

Today my youngest daughter, I think, she was just one year old when I was ex-communicated, today she is getting baptized, I think she is 22 years old. She is getting baptized in that colony. Well, I could get all worked up because that baptism is an artificial baptism. It is not a real baptism.

I was reading back when I was still in the colony, I began to do some studying because when J Kleinsasser became the bishop or the pope; that's what he is a Pope, I thought he's the man that's really is going to bring the Hutterite church back to its originality but after a few years of watching him after he became a pope I could tell it's not going to happen that way. It led me to search the Scriptures.

One of the first things I studied was Water Baptism. I went through the Confession of Faith by Peter Ridderman, through the book of martyrs and through the Bible. I did some extensive studying on Water Baptism. I found out on the Hutterite colony when you get to a certain age, they figure you should get baptized. I was reading in Peter Ritterman, Confession of Faith, he said, that baptizing a person before he is born-again it's like circumcising, (like if you would be back in your old Testament), a child before it's born, that's how Peter Ritterman explains baptism and here 90% of the people that are getting baptized today they are not even born again. They are simply going through this rigmarole of baptism, simply because either they come up to a certain age and there is pressure put on them to go through this rigmarole and some of them they don't want to go to Sunday school anymore. Once you get baptized you don't have to go to Sunday school anymore and some of them want to get married. Whatever the case may be, it's a phoney baptism; it is not real. It has absolutely nothing to do with the baptism that Peter on that day of Pentecost introduced in Acts 2:38. They put a bunch of creeds on that thing, you have got to go around for six weeks, you got to do this you've got to do that. You got to belong to the Hutterite church and all this and that. You see there again Satan has taken water baptism and perverted it and made a bunch of creeds and doctrines out of it; all these dos and don'ts. It says in *Galatians 1:* 

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

I tell you in this hour there are many people out there that are preaching another gospel. The early church had no such a thing as all these creeds that they have tied unto baptism. I could get worked up about it; I know at the end of the day the Lord will look into the situation. God, according to this Scripture, will remember my children. That's the only thing at the end of the day that really matters is that: God will remember your children! He will provide a way. I can't go in there and fight all these people, highjack them to do whatever. I can just go on, following the leadership of the Lord, doing what we are doing, that's all I can do. I have confidence that the Lord will remember our children. He will do the same for anybody that has purposed in his heart, that he is going to take this thing seriously.

What Hosea said, and what Jeremiah said, 'my people are destroyed for lack of knowledge,' and over in Proverbs it says something as well. In this hour and down through time it's basically, saying the very same thing. The very same thing I have said before, Jesus said, 'he who believes him whom I will send or whom I will anoint. Like I said there are a lot of people out there that are preaching their heart out today. God sent a Message in this hour, there are a lot of groups out here, a lot of people they put their whole life on the line with this whole community living and at the end of the day that is not where it is at.

Like I said some time ago about this group up somewhere in BC, these Maccabees it looks good it sounds good but do they believe in the message for their day. There's this group up in Fort Pitt they stepped out and they're doing their own thing. Then there is Elmendorf it looks good, in fact, I even know some people who moved down there thinking that that's it. These are all phoneys, all want to be's. There already is a King of Kings, a Lord of Lords and that is Jesus Christ the righteous. Jesus said 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*. God sent Brother Branham with a Message to turn *the heart of the children to their fathers*, and on the heels of him, He sent brother Jackson. We believe that; we follow that. We have the confidence in God's Word that He will look after things. Not only will He look after our children, but He is also going to make sure we continue on this journey; we are going to get away from all this horror that is coming to this world.

We are living in the last generation. There are horrible things that are prophesied in the Word of God that are coming to this world: the day of the Lord, and the great tribulation period. It says in the scripture 'their carcass will lay from one end of the earth to another and they will neither be buried nor will be lamented over' (Jeremiah *16:4).* This is going to happen in this generation. Why would you not do everything you possibly can to make sure that your children have that expected end. God will find a way through it if you and I follow what God has brought through these Messages, through Brother Branham, and brother Jackson. That's very simple, that's a very small price to pay for the safety of your children. There's a lot that you could say, many people like I have said, they are very concerned over their children and they would do anything for their children but, you've got to do what the Bible says, accept the Message for your day, accept the Message for your hour; like it was in the days of Noah those that accepted the Message of Noah were saved from the flood and that is one thing mankind doesn't want to do.

Like I said God is going to be faithful to His Word. We were singing this song yesterday, *"Gott Meines Lebens"* 

*Meister*", it's a German song. There are many angels out there, it says in *Hebrews 1:* 

14. Are they not all ministering spirits, sent forth to minister for him who shall be heirs of salvation?

We don't see them but they are around us. If you and I do what we need to do and follow God's pattern or program, angels are going to be around your children it's just that simple. God is faithful to his Word, He can't deny his Word and I have confidence that God will protect them wherever they are. All He needs is one angel to protect them and sometimes He'll send two.

There is one angel, in the reign of Hezekiah, that killed, 185,000 Assyrians. That's just one of them, and if you have one protecting your children what better guarantee do we have and all you and I have to do is believe the word for our hour.

Like I said I didn't have much of an opportunity to see my children, I couldn't even see my children grow up. The Lord knew that I would be ex-communicated; He knows the beginning from the end. He knew I was not going to back down. He knew at the end of the day that I'm not going to compromise, that I would stand for truth no matter what it cost me. He knew that if you don't compromise with that system, there is only one place for you and that is out of there. So of course my children grew up without me around. Before that I would go to bed with them whenever I could tell them Bible stories and pray with them do what needed to be done, I did whatever I possibly could within the system that I knew to do and I could have probably done a lot more but I did what I could. I know many times in school my children were ask something about the Bible and they were right there with the answer. I did tell them about Jesus about the Lord, and I'm still trying to this day to talk to them about salvation but it's pretty hard once they have been brainwashed to think that I'm some kind of a loser. They have been told I'm going to hell. These things don't shake me, I know what I believe and at the end of the day, the Lord is going to make a way. Everyone cares about their children but if you really care about your children, if you love your children you will lead them to Jesus. Whoever does not do that hates their children no matter how great his love seems to be. The last thing that I want to do is force them to believe what I believe, the Lord has to do that. I can only just continue on, live a life, and do whatever the Lord leads me to do, and God will somehow make a way. You just have to depend on Him. Jesus said, 'everyone that my Heavenly Father had given me will come to me.

It is my hope and prayer that if you really care about your Eternal Destination and that of your children you will do whatever it takes, it cost me everything and God's principals do not change. You may wonder what you need to do to have that in inheritance: There are some steps that you need to take, number one you need to believe that God sent a Prophet, Brother William Marrion Branham, according to Malachi 4: 5&6, the spirit of Elijah, to turn the hearts of the children back to the apostolic faith of our fathers; you need to be Baptized according to Act 2:38, in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ for the remission of your sins and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost; to lead and guide you into all truth. It says in *John 16* 

13. There is only, one Faith, one God, and one baptism.

The early church had one mode of baptism by immersion in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ, but down through time it has been perverted and that's what God is turning us back toward '*the apostolic faith of our fathers*'. The Hutterite will not accept that mode of baptism. There is a price to pay like I had to pay a price, Jesus said in *John 15:* 

20. If they have persecuted me, they will also persecute you. You may ask how can I get baptized that way?

I will go to the ends of the earth to baptize if anyone has that desire to be Baptized into Christian Baptism or I will let you know where you can go to be baptized into Christian Baptism. You have to put your trust in Him, like the song says, 'Trust in Him who will not leave you'. The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; and he knoweth them that trust in him: Nahum 1:7. We are in the Last Generation; we are that generation that will see the coming of the Lord and these are the step to take and I hope and pray that you will take this to heart and be one of those that will love His appearing: 2 Timothy 4:

8. Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall

give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.

We heard about the three girls that drowned in Spring Valley colony in Alberta and it was sad to hear such news, we felt the family's pain and we were wondering will they be in Heaven and we discussed it between the two of us. Then during the night I felt the Lord reassuring me that they are at a good place. Then the next day I discussed it with Lorraine, and she told me she saw them too, full of life and enjoying each others company. So there again, *by the mouth of two or three witnesses let every word be established.* It was tremendous reassurance to us to know that everything will be all right. Knowing that they have not reached the age of accountably yet and are not under that false Catholic baptism we know that God has a place for them in Heaven, and that was a comfort to us.

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## Hold to God's unchanging hand

Time is filled with swift transition, Naught of earth unmoved can stand, Build your hopes on things eternal, Hold to God's unchanging hand. Refrain: Hold to God's unchanging hand, Hold to God's unchanging hand; Build your hopes on things eternal, Hold to God's unchanging hand.

Trust in Him who will not leave you, Whatsoever years may bring, If by earthly friends forsaken Still more closely to Him cling.

Covet not this world's vain riches That so rapidly decay, Seek to gain the heav'nly treasures, They will never pass away.

When your journey is completed, If to God you have been true, Fair and bright the home in glory Your enraptured soul will view.