

# The Scribe

"Every Scribe which is instructed unto the Kingdom of heaven is like unto a man that is an householder, which bringeth forth out of his treasure things new and old" - Matthew 13:52

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## GENESIS: THE TRAVAILS OF HAM

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Good morning, church. The Lord bless each and every one of you. It is nice to be together again. We thank God for the

past week, and we are believing Him for a better week, this week. Each day draws us closer to the coming of the Lord, and each day brings the world closer to its end. And brothers and sisters, we have to realize we are living not just at the end, but we are living at the very end of the end. We do not know how long time will continue, but one thing is sure, for one thing is definite: Time is very short. When God starts this thing, a lot of prophetic events will drop in place, and things will unfold rapidly, and God will wind up everything for the rapture of the bride. So it is a time to really get ourselves in tune with the Lord Jesus, and live just for him, and prepare ourselves for his glorious coming, for everything



is now coming to a close. Everything is signing off. Everything is wrapping up. And brothers and sisters, we have no time to waste. We really have no time to waste. It is a day and an hour that you have to give God your heart, for that is what He requires from you. Give Him your all. Give Him your everything, and live just for Him, and prepare yourselves for the second coming of the Lord, so that we may get out of this very warped and terrible world. It is a very evil world we live in; very bankrupt, very wicked, very violent, very corrupt, and perverted world. It is a world filled with a very decadent and degenerate generation of people. They have no manners; no respect; no consideration for others; most selfish and conceited; no morals; haters of those that are good, being themselves, haters of God. This indeed is Satan's Eden. Truly, we are seeking a city to come. As such, we do not want anything to bind us here, or bog us down. We just want to be ready, to get away from this degenerate mass of humanity. May the Spirit of conviction be strong upon

us, so that like Lot, we may not get used to the evil sights we see on every side, everyday. The Bible says his righteous soul was vexed everyday, by the evil that abounded in his day, on every side. We are pilgrims and strangers here. Do not forget that. May God help us, and uphold us. Amen.

We will turn our Bibles to Genesis chapter 9 this morning, as we continue on in our message in Genesis. But before we take that text, I want to remind you of the series of messages we have taken so far. We have taken, *Genesis: The Creation of the Universe*. We have also seen, *Genesis: The Eden of Angels*. We have seen, *Genesis: The Eden of Man*, before we came to, *Genesis: Cain And Abel*. Then we took, *Genesis: The Mark Of Cain*, and finally, we came to, *Genesis: The Mixing Of Seeds*. The last message takes you straight to Genesis chapter 6, and that is where we really stopped, because in Genesis chapter 6, we see the climax of the mixing of the two streams of humanity:

The Sethite line, and the Cainite line. And by the grace of God, looking through the genealogy of Adam, we have been able to locate precisely in which era, the mixing of seeds started; the day the mixed marriages actually started. It is obvious by Scriptural revelation, that it started before Enoch got on the scene. He was born into it, and he protested it. It started in the days of Enos, but that is not our message today. The tapes are there. But we have been able to Scripturally determine precisely in whose day, mixed marriages started. Essentially, we stopped the Genesis series, with the destruction of the world in Noah's day. And today, we are going to skip a few chapters. We are going to skip Genesis chapter 6, as well as chapters 7 and 8, because they simply give us the record of the details of the commission, preparation, and of the judgment that fell in Noah's day, and of the end of that t e s t i n g . It is a straightforward account, and there is no complexity about the account, which gives us a very interesting but sad event, an event that

also sets a type of the spiritual reality we find at this end time, in this seventh and final age, as revealed by Jesus Christ, in Luke chapter 17, verses 26-37. Brothers and sisters, God called Noah out to follow the light He shed for him, that he may bear a revelation, that would be the saving grace for a people that would have an ear to hear, and an eye to see, and a heart to receive and believe something, in that day. Halleluyah! He built the Ark of salvation for everyone who would believe in that day. But Noah's household was the only believers of that message, and God started afresh with Noah. Therefore, with Noah, the old world came to a close, and with him, a new world also began. And we are the ones that are living at the very end of that world. Can I hear Amen? Absolutely! The world Noah was born into, the world before the flood, was judged, but with Noah, God started a new world, a world which subsists till this day. And today, God is going to bring that world to a close, by a divine judgment as well. But this time, it is going to

be by fire. And He will establish a new world, a world of true peace and prosperity, which is the Millennial kingdom, a righteous kingdom. Can I hear Amen?! Amen! Apostle Peter confirms that in 2 Peter, chapter 3! So we are the ones that are living at the very end of it all. We are at the end of this world. And as I stated earlier, we will skip the rest of Genesis chapter 6, as well as chapters 7 and 8, for we already know about the commission God gave Noah, the building of the Ark, the rebellion of the world in that day, and how God destroyed and wiped out that world, saving only Noah, and his immediate family; not his extended family, but his own immediate family: That is Noah, his wife, his three sons, and their three wives. Period! Eight souls alone were saved, and the rest of humanity perished! And God started a new world with Noah and his family. With that background we will start our message this morning, from Genesis chapter 9. We will take our text from verse 20, because from verse 1, God gave Noah and his three

sons the commission to replenish and refill the earth. God was going to use the three sons of Noah to accomplish that, and He used them to bring that about. Verse 19 tells us: ***“These are the three sons of Noah: and of them was the whole earth overspread.”*** That simply lets us know, the whole world, as it is populated today, all go back to the three sons of Noah, and hence, all go back to Noah. And that is precisely the revelation of Dr. Luke in the book of Acts, chapter 17, verse 26: ***“And hath”*** (that is, God hath) ***“made of ONE BLOOD”*** (the blood of Noah) ***“all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth, and hath determined the times before appointed, and the bounds of their habitation.”*** We all, regardless of colour, race, or nationality, go back to Noah, for God used him as the progenitor of the entire population of humanity we have on earth, through his three sons: Shem, Ham, and Japheth. Shem is the progenitor of the yellow race (the olive skinned people), made up of the Jews and Arabs. Ham is the

progenitor of the black and coloured race. Japheth on the other hand, is the progenitor of the entire white race. As such, all races we have on earth today, evolved out of Noah, through a law God established in the genes of all of His creatures, called the law of mutation. This is a law God uses to produce variations in the offspring produced, at God's appointed time. This law, for instance, does not allow a man to give birth to a monkey, but it allows a white man, to give birth to a black child, when this dormant law is activated in the genes of man. I say that just for mere illustration, for that is precisely how Noah was able to give birth to three sons, who had different skin colours! As such, when we talk of mutation with regards to man, the law of mutation was present in the genes of Adam, but it was not activated in Adam. The law of mutation was activated in Noah, enabling Noah to give birth to three distinct sons, with variant colours, out of whom also came, virtually, every colour and race we have in the earth today. Mutation is God's

way of producing variety on earth, for God is a God of variety; yet, it does not nullify the law of reproduction, which ensures that everything brings forth after its own kind. Mutation only gives variety, but not a different creature, for the Scriptures cannot be broken. Nevertheless, coming out of the flood, Noah's three sons, with their three wives, were the ones God used to repopulate the entire earth. Noah did not have any other issue, except the three sons. But the account of Genesis continues: ***“And Noah began to be an husbandman, and he planted a vineyard: And he drank of the wine, and was uncovered within his tent. AND HAM, THE FATHER OF CANAAN, SAW THE NAKEDNESS OF HIS FATHER, AND TOLD HIS TWO BRETHREN WITHOUT. AND SHEM AND JAPHETH TOOK A GARMENT, AND LAID IT UPON BOTH THEIR SHOULDERS, AND WENT BACKWARD, AND COVERED THE NAKEDNESS OF THEIR FATHER; AND THEIR***

***F A C E S W E R E BACKWARD, AND THEY SAW NOT THEIR FATHER'S NAKEDNESS. And Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his younger son had done unto him. And he said, Cursed be Canaan; a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren. And he said, Blessed be the Lord God of Shem; and Canaan shall be his servant. God shall enlarge Japheth, and he shall dwell in the tents of Shem; and Canaan shall be his servant.”*** Amen. Saints of God, coming out of the flood, a sad scenario occurred. We are considering Genesis chapter 9. Look at this scenario closely. Noah planted a vineyard. He made wine out of the fruits of his harvest. He drank wine, got drunk, and uncovered himself in his tent. That is, he lay naked in his tent. And up to this time, there was no second or third party with him. And in that drunken unconscious state, one of his sons, Ham, came in. As he came into the tent, he saw his father stark naked, unconscious, dead drunk on the floor. This was not a case of

incest! The entire scenario had nothing to do with incest! I know in Leviticus chapter 18, verses 6-8, to “*uncover nakedness*” means incest. But that text in Leviticus, has no application to the simple and straight forward account in Genesis chapter 9, where Ham only “**saw the nakedness of his father**”, but did not **uncover the nakedness of his father**! Exactly! Read the text! Noah was already uncovered in his tent in verse 21, before Ham saw him! Absolutely! Thus saith the Lord in verses 21 & 22! Noah was alone in verse 21! And as such, it is wickedness to imply or teach that Ham committed incest with his own mother, on the application of Leviticus chapter 18, for Leviticus chapter 18 scenario, has no bearing on Genesis chapter 9 account, even though the word “**uncover**” is used in v e r s e 2 1 , a n d “**nakedness**” is also used in verse 22! But you have to consider the account itself, in Genesis chapter 9! And fortunately, it is a simple and most straight forward account, which therefore needs no special

interpretation, as to give room for the application of Leviticus chapter 18! It does not! Moreover, Mrs. Noah was not once mentioned in the entire chapter! And Mrs. Noah was not in the picture either! She never was! Mrs. Noah was not at all in the entire picture! So, how can anyone in his right mind make this a case of incest? It makes no sense! But nevertheless, in that unconscious state, as Ham came into the tent, and saw his daddy, instead of running out, or turning his face away, out of respect; instead of leaving the place, reverently, and doing something to help his daddy in that state, he began to make jest. You have to read between the lines! He began to ridicule and mock his dad! He forgot, even if his dad was not the standard bearer, although he was, his dad was his dad! He deserved respect! And let me tell you now: whether your dad and mum believe the end time message or not, your dad and mum deserve respect! You owe them love and respect! No, I did not say they have to make you compromise. I said they

deserve respect! But Noah was much more than just a dad! He was the prophet of God to that generation! Ham should have known that! He should have respected that! And it did not matter that his dad was not aware of what went on! Even if he ridiculed him in the closet, he would still have had to pay the bill! He would have had to! Because whatever any man did to Noah, he did to God! Ham made mockery of his own dad, because he was drunk, naked, and unconscious in his tent. Saints of God, he then ran out to tell Shem and Japheth. Verse 22 tells us that! It is like saying: “*Brother Shem! Brother Japheth! Wonders will never cease. Daddy is dead drunk and naked in his tent! Yak! Yak! Yak!*” And he began to carry on, opening his mouth and speaking stupidity, making jest concerning the prophet of God for that day! He was! How do I know he was making jest? The reaction of his two brothers in verse 23, lets me know! Because immediately they heard what he told them, they took a garment... They did not go face forward into

the tent. Note that! Shem held one edge of the cloth, whilst Japheth held the other end, and they went into the tent backward, not wanting to see something, and covered their father's nakedness. Mr. Gan, I ask you: Who was covered up? Noah or Mrs. Noah? Just how would it occur to these two brothers to use a piece of cloth to cover incest, if it was incest Ham committed with his mum?! How can you cover incest with a piece of cloth?! It does not make sense! It is utter, and absolute nonsense, to say Ham committed incest here! He never did! The reaction of his two brothers lets us know exactly what Ham told them! He told them, "*Daddy is naked.*" Why do I say that? Because they took a piece of cloth to cover something, and they did not cover Mrs. Noah! They did not cover Mrs. Noah! They covered Noah himself! And they did it, based upon the testimony of Ham! Mrs. Noah was not in the picture, and therefore, Mrs. Noah was not covered up; and she would have been the one to be covered, if Ham had reported a case of incest! Precisely! Yet,

Richard Gan consistently says it was incest Ham committed with his mother, and will not be corrected. My foot! That is not a revelation! That is a wild projection, and is therefore absolute nonsense! It is the teaching of a desperate man, wanting to show he has something when he has nothing! It is a desperate man that sees something where there is nothing! Exactly! You cannot manufacture revelation! Brothers and sisters, our message on *The Input Of Ham* already deals sufficiently with this matter, and as such, I will leave it as it is, so we can move on in this message. (That book is yours for free on request.) But watch church, Shem and Japheth covered their father's nakedness, and left the place without looking at their dad's nakedness. And do not think they only took the garment, and went in to cover their dad. They would have rebuked Ham as well! They must have rebuked him as well! I say that because what Ham found funny, they did not find funny at all. Exactly! They did not find it funny! And that is why their reaction

was different to Ham's reaction. That just lets you see what went on. But the fact remains that Shem and Japheth covered their Dad's nakedness, and walked out reverently. Noah eventually got out of his drunken stupor. And when he came out of it, church, he knew exactly what Ham had done to him! He knew! He had it by divine revelation! How do we know that? Because he pronounced a curse, as a result, by inspiration! How do I know he was inspired? He cursed Canaan who was not yet born! Canaan would later be the fourth son of Ham! Yet, when Noah pronounced the curse, Canaan was not yet born! Yet, he picked his name and cursed him: "***Cursed be Canaan.***" How could he do so without divine inspiration? Exactly! That just lets us see how God viewed this act of filial dishonor, particularly towards God's principal mouth piece! Blood relationship does not take away the respect God expects His people to have for His servant. And no matter how close the relationship may be, there is still a line you cannot

cross, on account of headship. If you do, you will pay a bill. And God has not changed. Ham should have known better, seeing the prime position his father held, in God's plan of salvation, for that day. He should not have ridiculed his dad! He should not have made fun of him! He still should have shown respect to God's prophet, regardless of what he did, for we are mere mortals; men of like passion! Exactly! And if faults are what you want to see, to enable you preach a sermon to God's servant, you have enough with which to hang yourself! God hates this thing of looking on the nakedness of others, and making jest of it! That is a fact! Prophet Habakkuk had a similar revelation in chapter 2, verse 15: **"Woe unto him that giveth his neighbour drink..."** Are you listening to me? That is one of the reasons we do not give drinks to people. As a Christian, you do not entertain people with wine and hot drinks. In fact, a bottle of wine, or a bottle of hot drink, or a bottle of beer, should not be in your house to start off with. It should not

be in your house! Because I will ask you, What is it doing in your house if you are not drinking it? What are you doing with it except it is medicinal? We believe, however, in taking wine at the Lord's table. **"Woe unto him that giveth his neighbour drink"** (Woe means misery), **"that puttest thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also, THAT THOU MAYEST LOOK ON THEIR NAKEDNESS!"** Because the bottle of drink you are offering him is going to have that effect! He will drink, get drunk, and be naked in his drunken state! You will see his nakedness! Now, to look on their nakedness in this verse of Habakkuk does not mean incest, does it? No! It has no bearing on incest! It is simply to see the nakedness of another person, and that was what happened in Genesis chapter 9! Verse 16: **"Thou art filled with shame for glory: DRINK THOU ALSO, AND LET THY FORESKIN"** (that is your m a n h o o d ) **" B E UNCOVERED: THE CUP OF THE LORD'S RIGHT HAND SHALL BE TURNED UNTO THEE."**

Amen. It simply means God will turn the table on you, and He will make you naked! Exactly! This just lets us see the attitude of God towards acts like that. Ham should not have made fun of his dad! He should have shown respect, because his dad was the voice of God for that age; he was God's mouthpiece. That was the prophet to that generation! That was the bearer of the light. And even though Noah did not hear the mockery of Ham; even though he did not see it whilst he was in his drunken state, but coming out of it, the Lord showed it to him, and he saw exactly what went on, and God inspired him to place a curse, not on Ham, but on Canaan. Why? We will see why. But nevertheless, I will tell you now categorically, with that curse began the travails of Ham, not immediately, but much subsequently. That is not the only reason though, but it is one of the main reasons for the travails of Ham.

With this necessary background laid, I want to take a message this morning I will title, **The Travails Of Ham**. We will

go to Genesis chapter 10. In that chapter, saints of God, we see the three sons of Noah in their genealogical projection, because the three sons of Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth, were the ones God used to repopulate the entire earth, and to produce all races, all nations, all tribes, and tongues, all peoples that are on the earth today, a great variety of people. Look at our planet; look at our world. This gives you the map of the world (Brother Amos is pointing to the world map), our world. Everything, saints of God, started with just the three sons of Noah. But look at the variety of humanity! Look at the diversity of colours! Yet, all came out of the three sons of Noah! Think about it for a while. How did God do it? As I bore out earlier, God used those three sons and their three wives, and through those three men, and by the application of the dynamics of genetic mutation, which started in Noah, every race on this earth, every colour, every nation, every tribe, and every tongue, was established. And as I also laid out earlier, Shem is the

father or the progenitor of the yellow race: The olive skinned people. This gives us the nation of Israel, and the Arab nations. They all belong to Shem. They have the same lineage: The Jews and the Arabs. Japheth on the other hand, produced the Caucasian race, the entire white race. Brothers and sisters, that gives us the Europeans, all the way to the areas of the old Soviet Union. But Japheth also includes the Americans, as well as the Canadians, together with other nations, making up the lineage of Japheth. This gives us a diverse range of people, for there is diversity in Japheth, in colour tone. But church, look at Ham. Of the three sons of Noah, Ham was the one that produced the most diversified variety of people. And as such, Ham takes in, not only the entire African nations, with its diverse colour tone, but also Iraq, South India, the native Pacific Islanders, like the Maoris of New Zealand, the native Philipinos of Mindanao, the Aborigines of Australia, to the Caribbeans etc., for Ham was the progenitor of the entire black or negroid

race. When you even come to the Middle East, it was the children of Ham that first settled in that region, for they were the greatest migrants of the three. In reality, Ham preceded Japheth on virtually every Continent he subsequently settled on. Whether you are looking at the Continent of the Americas, Ham got there first. Every historical writer agrees on that fact, for it is the reality of things. But saints, my message today is not zeroing in, or focusing on these genealogies, but to show you something in a measure, in view of apostle Paul's warning, in 1 Timothy chapter 1, verses 3-4: ***“As I besought thee to abide still at Ephesus, when I went into Macedonia, that thou mightiest charge some that they teach no other doctrine, Neither give heed to fables and ENDLESS GENEALOGIES, WHICH MINISTER QUESTIONS, rather than godly edifying which is in faith: so do.”*** There is a lot of unnecessary controversy over genealogies, and people that have taken on the study of genealogy

have had to invest many precious years of their life, decades in fact, studying just that. Yet, at the end of it, although we must acknowledge the benefits such tireless studies have brought to our understanding of the various races, these studies have never been able to take away the conflicts, the issue of genealogy generates. And more often than not, these people who make genealogy their life work, know nothing else! With all their knowledge of genealogy, they are still devoid of the revelation of the Word of God! But we preach Christ in a revelation! And true revelation opens up the entire plan of God's salvation for us. And that is what makes the difference! And if there is a thorny issue of genealogy that needs to be resolved, as it is in the way of true revelation, the Spirit of God will resolve such genealogical issues, by divine revelation. Period! Because the genealogical tables we find in Genesis was not inspired by man, but by God! He has all the answers! Moreover, my

emphasis and focus is on the travails of Ham. And as such, we will touch genealogy, only in a measure. Watch Genesis chapter 10 verse 1: **“Now These are the generations of the Sons of Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth: and unto them were sons born after the flood.”** Now Moses begins the breakdown: **“The Sons of Japheth; Gomer”** (That is the Cimmerians, out of which came the Germans, Britons, Danish, Scandinavians, French etc), **“and Magog”** (that is Russia), **“and Madai”** (that stands for Medes. That is Iran. Iran is Japheth, but they are not Europeans. But they belong to the same lineage. Please note that, for all the three sons of Noah and their families first settled in the Middle East! And as such, all three of them are represented there in the Middle East. Iran, which is Madai, was Japheth's third son.) **“And Javan”** (that is Greece), **“and Tubal”** (Tobolsk; State of Georgia) **“and Meshech”** (Moscow. All these names just takes you back to that big Soviet Russian area), **“and Tiras”** (the Thracians, who are

modern day Turkey, the old Asia Minor). Now you have the Japhetic lineage. The Bible says in verse 5: **“By these were the Isles of THE GENTILES divided in their lands; every one after his tongue, after their families, in their nations.”** Halleluyah! Do you realize that the Japhetic people were the ones called Gentiles in the beginning? Yes! They were the Gentiles, which means heathen! Yet, we know, Gentiles, as used under the New Testament, now means every none Jew, and none Samaritan. They are Gentiles. But in the beginning, before there was an Israeli race, when all you had was Shem and his immediate family, the Gentiles gave you Japheth's lineage. But Gentiles today have taken on a wider connotation than that. But watch verse 6: **“And the Sons of Ham...”** Before we go into the sons of Ham, in our study of the travails of Ham, I want to re-affirm, we will not go into his genealogy in detail. We will only go into it sufficiently to prove a Scriptural issue; it is to establish a thought; it is simply to establish a truth. We have to do so,

because we want to look at Ham. Who is Ham? As we have laid out, Ham is the progenitor of the black or negroid race, for Ham is predominantly black. Now let us look at the lineage of Ham, from verse 6: **“And the sons of Ham; “Cush”** (that is Ethiopia). Cush is Ethiopia. There is no commentary on the Bible that disagrees on the identity of Cush. He is also sufficiently identified by the Scriptures. So that is settled. Cush is Ethiopia. That takes you straight to the Continent of Africa. He is the firstborn of Ham, but remember, it was Canaan that was cursed. Let us continue: **“And Mizraim”** (That is the old word for Egypt), **“and Phut”** (that is Libya). That is the third son. All these bring you to Africa. Are you with me? Yes! But look at Ham's fourth son, the one that was cursed: **“And Canaan.”** This takes you straight to Canaan land in Palestine, a land later given to Israel by God. We shall later see his posterity. **“And the Sons of Cush; Seba, and Havilah, and Sabtah, and Raamah, and Sabtecha: and the Sons of Raamah; Sheba, and Dedan.”** Saints of God, all

these names take you straight to the Middle East, right into the land of Arabia. As such, you have to understand, they were the first ones to get there, and the first to settle there, but they were later dispossessed, and most of them were wiped out. The rest of them were assimilated into the Shemitic society that later took over Arabia, following the birth of the various nations God used Abraham to produce. Are you with me? So, today, Sheba and Dedan are Shemites, and not Hamites. Please take note. But Ham got there first, and settled there first, before Shem later took it over, and populated the place. So today, Arabia is not Ham, it is Shem. Do not forget that. Verse 8: **“And Cush begat Nimrod.”** Cush is the progenitor of the Ethiopians. He is the first born of Ham. But the Bible says he begat Nimrod, and Nimrod was the founding father of the Babylonian kingdom. Yes, Nebuchadnezzar brought it to its height, with his hanging gardens, grand architecture etc. But Nimrod was its founding father. Church of the living

God, the area of old Babylon, in our modern day, gives us Iraq. We are coming to it. And as such, Iraq of today is Ham. It is not Shem, and it is not Japheth. It is Ham. That is incontestable, for that was the kingdom of Nimrod. It gives us the modern day Iraq, for that is the area of old Babylon.

Verse 8: **“And Cush begat Nimrod: he began to be a mighty one in the earth. He was a mighty hunter before the Lord: wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod the mighty hunter before the Lord. And the beginning of his kingdom was Babel, and Erech, and Accad and Calneh, in the land of Shinar. Out of that land went forth Asshur, and builded Nineveh.”** (That is the capital of the old Assyrian empire). **“...He builded Nineveh, and the city Rehoboth, and Calah, And Resen between Nineveh and Calah: the same is a great city.”** (That is the city called Resen). **“And Mizraim begat Ludim, and Anamim, and Lahabim, and Naphtuhim, And Patrusim, and**

**Casluhim, (out of whom came Philistim,)**” (That is the Philistines, out of which came the word Palestine), **“and Caphtorim. And Canaan begat Sidom his firstborn”** (that is Sidon, whose posterity later became known as Phoenicians. They occupied the area now called Lebanon). **“And Heth...”** (that is the Hittites, for Heth was the progenitor of the Hittite nation, a people who settled in Europe, before they were wiped out, and the Caucasians (the lineage of Japheth) took over the place. These people from the lineage of Ham, were the first settlers in Europe, and their old skull remains are still being discovered there today, skulls whose bone structure are different to that of the Caucasians (i.e. Whites). Heth was Canaan's second son. But Sidon, Canaan's firstborn, gives us modern day Lebanon. They are Hamites.) **“And the Jebusite, and the Amorite, and the Girgashite, And the Hivite, and the Arkite, and the Sinite, And the Arvadite, and the Zemarite, and the Hamathite.”** All these

people, from the Jebusite, which later became Jerusalem, to the Hamathites, give us Canaan land in Palestine, which God later gave to Israel: **“and afterward were families of the Canaanites spread abroad.”** That is, they migrated to various regions of the world, being the first settlers on virtually every continent. Thus saith the Word of God here! And all secular history confirms that. They were the greatest migrants of the three sons of Noah. **“And the border of the Canaanites was from Sidon, as thou comest to Gerar, unto Gaza; as thou goest, unto Sodom, and Gomorrah, and Admah, and Zeboim, even unto Lasha. These are the Sons of Ham, after their families, after their tongues, in their countries, and in their nations.”** This gives us the genealogy of Ham. Now we are to see the lineage of Shem: **“Unto Shem also, the father of all the children of Eber, the brother of Japheth the elder, even to him were children born. The children of Shem; Elam,**

**and ASSHUR...”** What does that show you? The Assyrian empire, the Assyrian kingdom, was initially Ham, but invariably, Shem took it over, wiped away those people, and populated that area. And now, today, Assyria is Shem. Assyria gives you your Nineveh area. Those old cities are still there on the map today. But it is Shem now. But the original inhabitants of Assyria was Ham. So you see Asshur out of Ham, and you see Asshur as a seed of Shem. It is all pointing to Assyria. **“And Arphaxad, and Lud, and Aram. And the children of Aram; Uz”** (the land of Uz), **“and Hul, and Gether, and Mash. And Arphaxad begat Salah; and Salah begat Eber. And unto Eber were born two sons: the name of one was PELEG; FOR IN HIS DAYS WAS THE EARTH DIVIDED; and his brother's name was Joktan. And Joktan begat Almodad, and Sheleph, and Hazarmaveth, and Jerah, And Hadoram, and Uzal, and Diklah”** On and on it goes. Verse 31 states: **“These are the Sons of Shem, after their families, after their tongues, in**

***their lands, after their nations. These are the families of the Sons of Noah, after their generations, in their nations: and by these were the nations divided in the earth after the flood.*** Amen. But remember verse 25, the earth was divided in the days of Peleg.

Saints of God, I want us to back up a little to verse 21, for we have to show the precise position of Ham, in Noah's family, in order to do justice to this message, for there is a lot of controversy over who was born before who: ***“Unto Shem also, the father of all the Children of Eber, the brother of JAPHETH THE ELDER.”*** Right here, Moses, in laying out the lineage of Shem, compares him with Japheth, and Japheth is declared to be the elder of Shem. We must then ask: What is the precise order of the birth of the three sons of Noah, because when we consider Genesis chapter 5 verse 32, it is written: ***“And Noah was Five hundred years old: and Noah begat Shem, Ham, and Japheth.”*** This order,

which sets Shem above Ham, and Ham above Japheth, giving us, ***“Shem, Ham, and Japheth”***, was also laid out in Genesis chapter 6 verse 10: ***“And Noah begat three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth.”*** Moses re-affirmed this order in Genesis chapter 7 verse 13, when they were entering the ark: ***“In the selfsame day entered Noah, and Shem and Ham, and Japheth, the sons of Noah, and Noah's wife, and the three wives of his sons with them, into the Ark.”*** The same order was again repeated in Genesis Chapter 9, verse 18, when they came out of the ark: ***“And, the sons of Noah, that went forth of the Ark, were Shem, and Ham, and Japheth: and Ham is father of Canaan.”*** In all these verses of Scripture, Shem was set above Ham, whilst Ham was set above Japheth, for Shem came first, followed by Ham, whilst Japheth came last. But we must then ask: How do we reconcile all these verses, with Genesis chapter 10 verse 21, which sets Japheth as the elder of Shem? Saints of God, what

we must realize is that the Scriptural order, which sets Shem above Ham, and Ham above Japheth, was strictly in order of inheritance! All these verses give us the order of inheritance, and not the order of birth! And in the order of inheritance, Shem came first. But Ham was placed over Japheth, in order of inheritance, for He came right after Shem, whilst Japheth came last. I repeat, according to the order of inheritance, Shem came first, being the heir, followed by Ham, and finally Japheth. Hence it is written: ***“Shem, Ham and Japheth!”*** This was the order of inheritance, and all the verses of Scripture referred to above, confirm that. Remember though, the first born was usually the heir, for the law of inheritance devolved upon him. But in certain situations, this was reversed, according to the will of God, as we see in the case of Isaac and Ishmael, in Genesis chapter 21 verses 1-13, and in the case of Jacob and Esau, in Genesis chapter 25 verses 20-26, and in Romans chapter 9 verses 6-16, as well as in the case of

Ephraim and Manasseh, as recorded in Genesis chapter 48, where the law of inheritance devolved on the younger, for in each of these three cases, the younger was the heir. But when we consider the three sons of Noah, in the order of birth, and not in the order of inheritance, but in the order of birth, Japheth was the most Senior, followed by Ham, whilst Shem was Noah's last born. But Shem was the heir. This is the fact, even though the Bible was not written in such a way that lays out the truth in plain language, for every Tom, Dick, and Harry to understand. God inspired the writings of the Bible, in such a way that juggled the account, as in a jig-saw puzzle, to hide the truth from the theologians, the doctors of divinity, and professors of ignorance, as Brother Jackson would often say. The truth remains that in the order of birth, Japheth was Noah's first born, followed by Ham, and then Shem. That is the absolute truth! And this order of birth is confirmed by looking closely at two Scriptures. Please listen closely. In Genesis chapter 10 verse 21, Moses, in

giving us the lineage of Shem, speaks of him in relation to Japheth, and makes Japheth his elder brother: ***“Unto Shem also, the father of all the children of Eber, the brother of JAPHETH THE ELDER, even to him were children born.”*** Right here, Shem was compared with Japheth, and Japheth is plainly declared to be the elder, age-wise: That is, Japheth is Shem's elder, in the order of birth! And when we use the word ***“elder”***, that is comparative to just another person, because when we are talking in relation to three persons, we use the word ***“eldest”***. But because Moses was talking in this verse, strictly of two people, Moses had to use the word elder, for this verse is not in relation to Ham! It is strictly about Shem, in relation to Japheth, for he was speaking in relation to two people! Absolutely! That Scripture, plainly sets Japheth above Shem, in the order of birth. Absolutely! That is settled. That leaves us with the position of Shem, in relation to Ham. Who came before who? Who is the

elder, Shem or Ham? Or who is the younger, Shem or Ham? Before we determine this, we will first take a look at Genesis Chapter 9 verse 24, where similarly, the word ***“younger”*** is also used, a word that is used strictly in relation to two people: ***“And Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his YOUNGER SON”*** (Ham) ***“had done unto him”***. In this scenario, Noah was found dead drunk, unconscious, and naked in his tent. In verse 22, Ham saw him and made fun of him. He then informed his two brothers, Shem and Japheth, of the naked condition of their father, and verse 23 reveals. ***“And Shem, and Japheth took a garment, and laid it upon both their shoulders, and went backward, and covered the nakedness of their father; and their faces were backward, and they saw not their father's nakedness.”*** Verse 24 adds: ***“And Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his YOUNGER SON had done unto him”***. This verse talks of younger son, and not the youngest son. We now have to ask: Who

is the youngest? That is the material question! It is a mystery! Yet, this was a scenario that gave us the three boys, for it involved the three boys! Yet, Moses used the word “*younger*”, speaking strictly in relation to only two of the three sons of Noah! Obviously, and incontestably, the younger is Ham, for he is the one that dishonored his father! Exactly! As such, in this verse, Ham is the younger, but in relation to who? Japheth or Shem? That is the question! However, we have to realize that it has to be in relation to the one who suggested that they cover Noah! The thought of covering their father must have struck one of the two of his sons, and the other agreed to it, as Ham was making fun of a pathetic situation! Exactly! And because the act of covering Noah, was the brainchild of one of the sons of Noah, in contrast to the shameful and irreverent act of Ham, this made Moses use a comparative word, in relation to another son of Noah, as against the sin of Ham! Precisely! Whilst one son of Noah behaved badly towards his father, another one behaved in a kind

manner towards his dad. Therefore, the word younger, is in relation to another son of Noah, who suggested that Noah be covered! Who is it: Shem or Japheth? Saints of God, I want you to realize, this verse is still in relation to Japheth! It is not in relation to Shem! It is in relation to Japheth! How do I know that? It is because of this, and this is the clincher. Please pay attention. Moses, in laying out the posterity, or the lineage of the three sons of Noah, in his record in Genesis chapter 10, started in verse 1, with the order of inheritance: **“Now these are the generations of the sons of Noah, Shem, Ham and Japheth”**. This is in order of inheritance, which sets Shem first. I repeat, In verse 1, Moses opens up chapter 10 with the order of inheritance, setting Shem first. And as such, we would expect the actual genealogical record to start with Shem's lineage. But instead, the genealogical record, a record which actually gives us the precise order of births, starts in verse 2, first with Japheth's lineage!

**“The sons of Japheth; Gomer, and Magog, and Madai, and Javan, and Tubal, and Meshech, and Tiras”** This gives us the precise order of birth, and this order starts with Japheth, who in verse 21, is said to be Shem's elder! This makes Japheth Noah's first born! Precisely! But after the lineage of Japheth had been laid out in verses 2-5, in verse 6, Moses then came to the lineage of Ham, up till verse 20, because Ham followed Japheth, in the order of birth! That was why his genealogy was laid out next! **“And the sons of Ham; Cush, and Mizraim, and Phut, and Canaan.”** That lets us plainly see, that Ham came before Shem, being the second son, and Shem was the last, in the order of actual birth! Finally, Moses picked up the lineage of Shem from verse 21, a verse which also declares that Shem is younger to Japheth! But looking at the order of births Moses laid out here, we can plainly see that Ham was set over Shem, being older than Shem, for Ham was Noah's second son, whilst Shem came last, making Shem the third son

of Noah. Precisely! You have to see that! To give you a similar case, when you consider the genealogy of Cain and Seth, both who were born of Eve, the genealogy of Cain was laid out first, for he was born before Seth! Precisely! The record of Moses in Genesis chapters 4 and 5 confirms that! Cain's genealogy came first! As such, the plain genealogical record God set in Genesis chapter 10, lets us realize that the true order of birth, is Japheth, Ham, and Shem. That is the true order of birth! That being infallibly so, when we come back to Genesis chapter 9 verse 24, we have to see there, that Japheth has to be the one Ham was compared to, for he was the one spoken of, in relation to what Ham had done to his dad: ***“And Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his YOUNGER SON had done unto him.”*** The younger son is Ham, in relation to Japheth. This verse cannot be in relation to Shem, because Ham is older than Shem, on the authority of the actual genealogical record of God in chapter 10! Precisely!

Chapter 10 therefore, gives us the account of the actual order of births! It gives us: Japheth, Ham, and Shem! But on the authority of Genesis chapter 5 verse 32; chapter 6 verse 10; chapter 7 verse 13; chapter 9 verse 18, and chapter 10 verse 1, verses which give us the order of inheritance, Shem came first, followed by Ham, and finally Japheth, giving us ***“Shem, Ham, and Japheth”***, in the order of inheritance! That lets us see, that Ham has always come second, whether as to the order of inheritance, or as to the order of birth. The position of Ham remained the same, until the sad development in chapter 9 occurred, a situation whereby Ham ridiculed his dad, and Canaan, his fourth son, was cursed, a curse which obviously indirectly affects Ham, for Ham is missing in the blessing Noah pronounced in Genesis chapter 9, verses 25-27, where Shem was set above Japheth: ***“And he said, Cursed be Canaan; a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren. And he said, Blessed be the Lord God of Shem; and Canaan***

***shall be his servant. God shall enlarge Japheth, AND HE SHALL DWELL IN THE TENTS OF SHEM; and Canaan shall be his servant.”*** Here, Shem was the one that the blessing devolved upon, as God set him over Japheth, but Japheth also received a blessing, which puts him under the banner of Shem! But absolutely nothing is stated of Ham! Ham is completely missing in this blessing, thereby reversing his place over Japheth, because of what he did to Noah, although he was not cursed. Nevertheless, we must realize that, although Ham could not be cursed directly, because of the covenant which God made with him, the covenant God made with the three of them, Shem, Ham, and Japheth, in Genesis chapter 9, verses 8 & 9, Ham had to bear responsibility for his sad action, for which reason God cursed his loins, for Canaan was still a seed in the loins of Ham, when Noah pronounced the curse, a seed who would later be the fourth son of Ham.

Now we see the precise

position of Ham in Noah's family: He was Noah's second son, and was also second, in the order of inheritance, till he sinned against his father, and his loins was cursed, for Canaan was still a seed in his loins, when the curse was pronounced. Everything was not written in a straightforward way, in order to hide the truth from the wise and the prudent of this world, and to use revelation to put the picture together for God's elect seeds. Hence the reason why God juggled the written record of Genesis. We will now move on to Genesis Chapter 11, having seen the account in chapter 10, for we need to deal with another issue, before continuing with the thought of Ham. Genesis chapter 11, verses 1-9: ***“And The whole earth was of ONE LANGUAGE, and of ONE SPEECH. And it came to pass, as they journeyed from the east, that they found a plain in the land of Shinar; and they dwelt there. And they said one to another, Go to, let us make brick, and burn them thoroughly. And they had brick for stone, and slime***

***had they for mortar. And they said, Go to, let us build us a city and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth. And the Lord came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of men builded. And the Lord said, Behold, THE PEOPLE IS ONE, and they have ONE LANGUAGE; and this they begin to do: and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do.”*** Therefore, the Lord said to His angels, ***“Go to, let us go down, and there confound their Language, that THEY MAY NOT UNDERSTAND ONE ANOTHER'S SPEECH. So the Lord scattered them abroad from thence upon the face of all the earth: and they left off to build the city. Therefore is the name of it called Babel; because the Lord did there confound the language of all the earth: and from thence did the Lord scatter them abroad upon the face of all the***

***earth.”*** At this time, we must remember, there was no longer a separate lineage of the serpent seed. The serpent seed had been fused with the seed of Adam, and the fusion, occasioned by mixed marriages, had come to its head in Noah's day, for in Noah, everything came to its climax. Therefore, God started afresh with Noah, and his three sons, through whom the whole earth was populated. But, here, in Genesis chapter 11 verse 1, we are told that ***“The whole earth was of ONE LANGUAGE, and of ONE SPEECH.”*** This is confirmed in verse 6, ***“...Behold, the people is ONE, and THEY HAVE ALL ONE LANGUAGE....”*** This clearly lets us know that up to the point of the building of the city and tower of Babel, the whole of humanity had one language, for the language of man was one, regardless of lineage, Shem, Ham, or Japheth. But because man came into a carnal unity, a unity of purpose, which defeated the direct objective of God in Genesis chapter 1 verse 28 commission, of multiplying

and overspreading the earth, to inhabit the whole earth, God had to stop man in his track. And what did God do? Because the people were united in their resolve, and had one language, God decided to **“confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech!”** How did He do it? By His anointing, God simply multiplied unto the people, different languages! By an act of the supernatural power of God, they woke up the following morning speaking different languages! And this happened overnight! It happened in just ONE DAY! This brought confusion at the work site the following day, as they could no longer understand each other, as they each spoke in a different tongue or language! But as the chief apostle to this day clearly pointed out, we must realize, God did not break up each family. He only broke up their project! Therefore, if each family was not to be broken up, and if the divine purpose of God for getting man to multiply and fill the earth was not to be defeated,

God had to give each immediate family a peculiar tongue, a language spoken and understood only by that family. He touched their tongue, and intellect, so they could understand that tongue. So, although within each immediate family, the members spoke the same language, and understood one another, when they got to the work site that morning, they could not speak or understand the language spoken by the next person, even if he was a member of their extended family! As a result, the people broke up, and went their separate ways, as God confounded their language, bringing serious irresolvable confusion into their midst, as they just could not understand one another! They had to abandon the building of the tower! Each family therefore had to go his own way, but each family was also preserved by a common tongue! That lets us see that God is simply awesome, and perfect in all His ways. No one can defeat His counsel, for His will is sovereign. Amen.

As such, we should see

that language is supernatural, for the multiplicity of language man speaks came from God, supernaturally, and it was given overnight! Therefore, the tongues of men, not just the tongues of angels, are supernatural, being divinely given. But we must also understand that the various races, nations, tribes, and tongues we currently have today in the earth, had not yet evolved in that day, and as such, the languages they had in that day, was not as much as we have today. We have to see that! As man multiplied, and as time progressed, by the law of genetic mutation, God added the various races and colours He predetermined, until all what we have today was established. But we must also realize that the various languages we have today in the earth, although supernatural, also evolved from the original languages God gave back there in Genesis chapter 11! And that is why, when we look at the languages of men, we find common words and pronunciations running through many of them, with only slight variations, and in

some places, even the alphabets are similar, because the languages we have today, are extensions or variations of the original multiple language God gave man back there. It is more like language mutation, or language variation, God employed by His Spirit, to give men what he has today around the world, however similar or diverse they may be to one another. I say that because we cannot also deny the fact that in some instances, God gave a complete new tongue, different from that of their progenitors. Exactly!

However, when we consider the prophecy of Zephaniah, in chapter 3 verse 9, it is written: **“FOR THEN”** (i.e. in that day) **“will I turn”** (i.e. return; restore,) **“to the people”** (of the earth) **“A PURE LANGUAGE”** (A singular language; One language. And what is the objective of restoring to the people one language?) The prophet also laid it out: **“That they may all”** (regardless of race, colour, nationality, or tribe), **“call upon the name of the Lord, to serve Him with ONE**

**CONSENT”**, just as they set to build the city and tower of Babel with one consent, having the same language! Exactly! Here, we are clearly given a direct promise of the reversal of what God did in Genesis chapter 11. God is going to restore to the people of the earth, **“a pure language”**, that the inhabitants of the planet earth, may have the same one language, exactly as they did before Babel. This will be fulfilled in the Millennium, for it is in the Millennium, and for the purpose of the Millennium, a redemptive era, a restoring era, that this promise of one universal language will be effected, that the whole earth **“may all call upon the name of the Lord, to serve Him with ONE CONSENT.”** For as prophet Habakkuk put it in chapter 2 verse 14: **“For the earth”** (i.e. the whole earth), **“shall be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea.”** Prophet Isaiah stated the same thing in chapter 11 verse 9. That gives us only One Lord in the Millennium. Hence, prophet Zechariah declared in chapter 14 verse 9: **“And the Lord**

**shall be King over all the earth: in that day shall there be ONE LORD, AND HIS NAME ONE.”** And if there is One Lord, and His name One, and the knowledge of this One Lord is to cover the whole earth, then the language of man must be One, in order to carry that One Name, as opposed to variations of the same name. Exactly! Look at it today, on account of the multiplicity of language, the name of our Lord and Saviour, a man whom we call Jesus the Christ in English, is called Yeshua in another language. Yet, in another language, he is called Jesu. In another language, he is called Yesu. Yet in another language, he is called Isa. On and on it goes! And in translating the Bible, for instance, into the various languages we have today, certain words, phrases, and verses of the Bible, are omitted, or butchered, for lack of similar words, phrases, and verses, in the language the Bible is being translated into! Exactly! I have encountered translation problems in the various parts of the world, in preaching the Word of God! Therefore, restoring

to the whole earth One language, simply takes away this problem, and as such, Scriptural misunderstanding, occasioned by the diversity of languages, is totally done away with. And in the Millennium, it is written: **“And the Lord shall be King over all the earth: In that day shall there be ONE LORD and HIS NAME ONE.”** Hence; it is further written: **“For then will I turn to the people A PURE LANGUAGE, that they may all call upon the name of the Lord, to serve Him with ONE CONSENT.”** Amen! And this will happen overnight, for it shall be effected by the Spirit of God in one day, in the Millennium, even as God multiplied the language of man overnight, in Genesis chapter 11. Humanity will wake up one morning, and the power of God will change the tongue of men, and their intellect, to give them one language, supernaturally. And in the Millennium, and all through eternity, the language of planet earth will be One, and the Lord One. Amen. And do not forget, just as God's anointing will come on men, overnight, to

change their tongue and their intellect, to give them one language (one tongue), so will the anointing of God also come on all animals, overnight, to take away the enmity they have for one another, and also to change their nature and gastric system (i.e. their digestive system), so they do not eat flesh, or kill, or harm, any longer, and neither will the desire for flesh ever come into them anymore. They will become herbivores, and will no longer be carnivorous, even as it is written: **“The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; AND A LITTLE CHILD SHALL LEAD THEM. And the cow and the bear shall feed; their young ones shall lie down together: and THE LION SHALL EAT STRAW LIKE THE OX. And the sucking child shall play on the hole of the asp, and the weaned child shall put his hand on the cockatrice's”** (i.e. snake's) **“den. THEY SHALL NOT HURT NOR DESTROY IN ALL MY HOLY MOUNTAIN”** (i.e. all

over the nations of the earth): **“for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea”** (Isaiah 11:6-9). This is a Millennial promise. Thus saith the Lord! God is awesome! It is the age of regeneration, as God slowly restores the earth back to its original perfect state.

However, the question we now need to ask is this: What language will it be? Is it the English language? It is a capital and emphatic, No! It will definitely not be the English language! Zephaniah declares that God will **“TURN to the people A PURE LANGUAGE”** That simply means, God will restore to the people the original language, for the original language, is the pure language. It is restorative, pointing back to an original, because the Millennium is still restorative for the planet, being redemptive. But remember, that prophecy does not state that God will turn to the people, **“THE pure language”**, as in something totally lost, and needs to be restored, but that God will turn to the people, **“A Pure**

**language**”, as a language that forms one of the many existing languages man still speaks, but which will then become the universal language once again. Precisely! That is so, for two main reasons. Firstly, in Zephaniah, we are looking at the restoration of a particular language on a global scale, as at the beginning, when the whole earth spoke the same one language, as revealed in Genesis chapter 11, verses 1 & 6. It is to give this language back, or to restore it on a global scale, that is promised. Secondly, according to the record of Genesis chapter 11, we must realize, that **God did not take away the one language the whole earth spoke in that day, God only multiplied the languages of men,** in order to create a babel or confusion! Therefore, within the many languages men speak today, there is a language still being spoken, that constitutes the original language! Exactly! In that day, there had to be a family which still spoke the original language, which is the pure language, within the multiplicity of languages God brought

about at the tower of Babel. Precisely! And that original language, was the language of Noah, Enoch, and Adam! I say that because of the declaration of God in Genesis chapter 11, verses 1 & 6: **“And the whole earth was of ONE language... and they all have ONE language”!** That language had to be the language that started with Adam and Eve, which God gave to them, a language which was passed on to their offspring, Cain and Abel, and subsequently to Seth! That was the language all humanity spoke, right through to the building of the city and tower of Babel! Precisely! Therefore, one family, out of all the families making up the three lineages, of the sons of Noah, had to speak that language, and through them, that language was preserved. But in which lineage was this family: Shem's, Ham's, or Japheth's? Brothers and sisters, you have to realize that that family had to be, and was one of the families, strictly within the lineage of Shem, the lineage on whom devolved the inheritance, for Shem was

the heir, and a lineage through whom the Messiah came. And Shem is the seed that bore the covenant. And that original language, is the Hebrew Aramaic language, the Jewish language, the language of the land of Canaan, in the earthly days of Jesus Christ our Lord. Remember, in the coming hour of the Jewish miraculous just ahead, when God turns Israel loose in the field of battle, in order to completely dispossess the Palestinian Arabs from Jerusalem, as well as from the occupied territories in the land of Israel, and to establish the Jews in the old Jerusalem city, and in the other parts of the restored territories of Israel, prophet Isaiah declared in chapter 19, verses 18 - 25: **“In that day shall five cities in the land of Egypt speak the Language of Canaan”** (i.e. the language of the Jews), **“and swear to the Lord of Hosts; one shall be called, The city of destruction. In that day shall there be an altar to the Lord in the midst of the land of Egypt, and a pillar at the border thereof to the Lord. And it**

**shall be for a sign and for a witness unto the Lord of hosts in the land of Egypt....**" We know this is a prophecy hanging over this very age, and will be fulfilled in this our day, for it is not a Millennial promise, but a promise for this end time. Yet, it is written therein, in verse 18, that five cities in the land of Egypt, will speak the language of Canaan, which is the language of Israel! The question therefore is this: Will the restored original language in the Millennium be different to the language of Canaan? If so, what language will it be? The Bible has the answer. It is written in Isaiah chapter 2, verses 2-3: **"And it shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established in the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it."** That is, in the Millennium, the nation of Israel shall be lifted above all nations, as the pride of all nations. We know the Lord's house is the temple in Jerusalem. The prophecy continues: **"And many people shall go and**

**say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the house of the God of Jacob; and He will teach us of His ways, and we will walk in His paths: FOR OUT OF ZION SHALL GO FORTH THE LAW, AND THE WORD OF THE LORD FROM JERUSALEM"**. Micah chapter 4 verse 2 confirms this same prophecy. What does this show us? It shows that Jerusalem will be the capital city of the whole earth, and the nation of Israel, being the pride of all nations, will also be the capital nation of the whole earth! I repeat, Jerusalem will be the Capital City, and the Nation of Israel, will as such, be the National Capital of the World! Absolutely! And out of it shall go forth God's Word, to rule the earth in the Millennium, for the Lord shall be King over all the earth in that day, and His name one, and His knowledge shall cover the earth, as the waters cover the sea. I therefore ask you: Which language shall we then speak? It is the original Hebrew, the Aramaic language, the language of Canaan. It is the language preserved in

the seed lineage, by the seed people, a people who will be the pride of the nations of the whole earth. Therefore, the pure language, the original language, cannot be anything foreign to Israel. Exactly! It has to be, and it truly is, the original language of the Hebrews. And let me inform you, There is a nucleus of people still speaking that language today in the earth, and they are Shemites! It is the language God will restore to the whole of mankind in the Millennium. That is settled. We will now go back to Genesis chapter 11, in order to continue our original thought on the travails of Ham. But first, we have to refresh our minds on the identity of Ham: Who is Ham? Or better still, Where is the lineage of Ham?

Ham, meaning burnt black, or sun burnt, is the progenitor of the black race, for Ham is predominantly black. And wherever you have the black, or negroid, or coloured people, around the world, just know, you are looking at the children

of Ham. Nevertheless, when we are considering the tabernacle of Ham, we are looking at Africa. This is his main domain. This is his main Continent. This is his designated spot. It is Africa. And we see the Scriptures recognizing that fact, and projecting that, for it is a settled fact, even though the lineage of Ham are in other parts of the world, like Iraq, India, the West Indies, Australia etc. Can I hear Amen? Exactly! But Africa is the Continent designated by God, strictly for Ham, as his domain, because that is where Ham settled predominantly, and till this day, it is regarded by God as his Continent. That Continent is our focus in this message, the huge Continent of Africa. And one thing is certain: From South Africa, all the way to Mauritania, Morocco, Tunisia, Egypt, and Ethiopia, all belong to the lineage of Ham. And it is this Continent that is recognized by the Scriptures, as the Continent of Ham. Why? It is simply because this is where Ham settled predominantly, and is ordained as his Continent, even as it is written in the

book of Acts chapter 17, verse 26: **“And hath”** (i.e. God hath) **“made of ONE blood”** (the blood of Noah) **“all nations of men”** (white, black, and yellow) **“for to dwell on ALL THE FACE OF THE EARTH, and hath determined the times before appointed”** (i.e. pre-determined their birth, and how they would be constituted), **“and THE BOUNDS OF THEIR HABITATION...”** (hath God also pre-determined i.e. their precise area of settlement). And in God's pre-determinate counsel, Africa was appointed as the Continent of Ham. Hence, the Scriptures declare in Psalm 78 verse 51, speaking of God's judgment which took place in Egypt in the days of Moses: **“And smote”** (i.e. God smote) **“all the firstborn in Egypt; the chief of their strength in the TABERNACLES OF HAM.”** What does that show you? Egypt is an integral and indivisible part of Ham! Egypt is not part of the Arabs! Therefore Egypt does not belong to Shem! They may call themselves Arabians, but they are not Arabians! They are Africans! They belong to

the black race, for they are Hamites! Arabians are Shemites! The Egyptians on the other hand are part of the black race, the African race. I say it like that because the African race is predominantly black in colour, although the Egyptians have a lighter colour, being part of the Mediterranean, along with Morocco, Tunisia, Algeria and Libya. But they are all Hamites nonetheless! So we must understand, the Egyptians are not Arabians. It is the Islamic religion that ties them with the Arabians. They are Africans, whether they like it or not. Thus saith the Word of God! Do not even forget that Egypt is Ham's second son, on the authority of the Word of God, in Genesis chapter 10, verse 6: **“And the sons of Ham; Cush”** (i.e. Ethiopia), **“Mizraim”** (that is Egypt), **“and Phut”** (i.e. Libya), **“and Canaan.”** So what are the Egyptians trying to deny? We have to be proud of our ancestry, for we cannot deny who we are, according to the ordination of Elohim, the God of all creation, a God of incredible variety, beauty and majesty, for we all have

our place in God's plan, according to the light of God's Word. Moreover, there is no virtue in colour, white, black, or yellow. Our identity in God, is what makes the difference. Furthermore, Psalm 105 verse 23 also declares: ***“Israel also came into Egypt; and Jacob sojourned in THE LAND OF HAM.”*** Who will argue with that, and still claim to believe the Word of God? However, we will take one more Scripture on the issue of Ham's abode. Psalm 106 verses 21 & 22 state: ***“They”*** (the Israelites) ***“forgot God their Saviour, which had done great things in Egypt; Wondrous works IN THE LAND OF HAM.”*** What does that show you, saints of God? All the nations in Africa, are all Hamites, from Egypt in the North, to South Africa in the extreme South of the Continent. They all belong to Ham! Period!

Church of the living God, today, when we break up the geographical regions of the world, and the various peoples that are in the world, there is one area of the earth that belongs

strictly to Ham. That is Africa. From coast to coast, irrespective of colour tone, Africa is Ham. However, you must realize I am not referring to the white settlers who are there, the Japhetic people, who settled in South Africa. That does not make South Africa become the land of the whites! South Africa is strictly Ham, and the owners of the place are not white; they are black! They were only colonized by the whites, for they love the climate, because it also has winter period, being very cool, and a lot of good things (a lot of minerals) are there, and hence, they settled there. But church, the Zulu people are still there! The Nelson Mandelas are still there! Saints of God, I say all that to say this: South Africa is not the land of the whites. It is the land of Ham, regardless of the one time white occupation of the land. Exactly! It is like the land of Israel. Today, the Palestinian Arabs may be occupying the West Bank and Gaza Strip, but the land belongs strictly to Israel, nonetheless! Exactly! It is her God-given land, and she will be settled

in it by God, before the Lord comes for the bride, for there is no one, and no force on this earth, that can separate that land from Israel. It is apportioned by God inalienably to Israel. Period! Look at Europe: Some children of Ham (some blacks), may also be settled there today, and made it their home, on account of the great economic development, and of the social and technological advancement the place has attained, under the white race, but Europe does not belong to the blacks! It belongs strictly to the whites, for it is apportioned by God strictly for the lineage of Japheth! Europe belongs to the whites, regardless of who settles there as well. Full-stop! Anyway, that is not the purpose of my message. I say all that just to let you see that this is our Continent. And when I say our Continent, I am talking to the black or negroid race. That stands as an infallible fact. And just as we Hamites cannot contest Europe with Japheth, and just as Japheth cannot also contest the Middle East with the Shemites, so can

no other race contest Africa with Ham. That fact is settled, Scripturally.

However, saints of God, when we look at the Tabernacle of Ham, from North Africa, to South Africa, I am very sorry to say, the African condition today is very sad and gloomy. It is very sad, and very gloomy, because Africa is in a very sad state, a serious state of misery, economically, socially, and politically. The African condition is simply pathetic. And church, it is a general picture of the race of Ham. Number one, we have visionless leaderships. Leaders that lack vision, most sectional, very selfish, and most inept (i.e. incapable of ruling). They only speak words, empty words in every election, words they never actualize. Brothers and sisters, we have a leadership class in Africa, that is incredibly and incurably corrupt, and that cuts across the whole Continent. Corruption has irredeemably ridden the race of Ham, causing extreme poverty to ravage this Continent so bad. Poverty and acute suffering, is all we see

round-about. Yet, it is a Continent also ravaged by famine, not to talk of diseases. Shall we talk of AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome)? Shall we talk of cholera? Shall we talk of polio? Shall we talk of malaria? Shall we talk of meningitis? Church, this Continent is laden with diseases! That is why the World Health Organization are only struggling, trying to alleviate the health situation in Africa, to the extent that they humanly can. There is famine all over Africa, some caused by drought, and some by human activity. This has caused the world to take notice, for there is hunger in Africa. And that is not all. And as if that is not enough, we have very horrible genocidal inter-tribal wars, as well as conflicts on every side. You know that is the truth! Look at what is going on in Darfur today. Just look at Sudan! And the governments of the nations in Africa do not want the West to do anything. They implicitly stand in support of the government of Sudan. They are saying nothing! It is the same way they are doing when it comes to the issue of Robert Mugabe of

Zimbabwe. All of them are keeping silent! Look at the genocide going on today in Darfur, Sudan. Look at the genocide in Somalia! Terrible things are happening in Mugadishu! Look at the genocide that took place in Rwanda. Church, it is incredible! And upon all that, Africa is controlled by leaders that want to perpetuate themselves forever in power. *“Sit tight leadership!”* It is only in Africa you find that in the main. Look at Mugabe. No matter what happens to his people, he will not leave government by will. But a good leader, a loving and concerned leader, a responsible leader, will step down if it will be for the good of his people! Yet, we should know that the man leading the opposition to Mugabe, when he gets there, will not be any better.

I remember Mobutu Seseseko, of the Kingdom of Zaire. Oh my! Those are life Presidents! Wicked humanity! I remember Eyadema of Togo. For almost forty years, he ruled his people with a fist of iron. He is dead now. Thank God. We will not forget Idi-

Amin Dada of Uganda. Africa is rich with these demon possessed leaders! Leaders that are warped, wicked, without vision, corrupt, and very animalistic in nature! They are nothing but brute beasts! It does not matter how impoverished the people are, they stay in power! They loot the treasury, and leave the people destitute, for they care only for their families, and their cronies, together with their unborn children! Lord have mercy! Africa is so under-developed, in an age when the western world are going daily to the moon, as if they are going to the super-market! It is like we are still living in the stone age, in this highly technologically advanced age! And although the western world have exploited the resources of Africa, and still use unfair-trade regulations to stifle the economy and progress of Africa as I speak, the pure lack of vision, and care for the people, coupled with the most corrupt and extremely selfish attitude of our leaders, make the situation a no-win situation. I say that because we can look to

Asia! For instance, we can look to China for trade, in order to get a fair deal for our precious resources! Exactly! After all, the West are going there too, on a big scale! They are not establishing industries in Africa! They are doing so in Asia! China is their base for establishing manufacturing industries! Precisely! The Western world have been our main business partners. But they will not remove unfair trade laws and practices! It is criminal, for instance, for the Western world not to change an economic system, their economic system, that gives a Kenyan coffee grower 0.2% of the money made from coffee, whilst they, the Western coffee traders, take the rest! It is grossly inequitable (i.e. unfair), and most unjust! Another instance is the Europeans and Americans buying our cocoa for pittance, and the end products of it like chocolate, is sold for a huge profit, enabling the companies in the West to make so much gain, whilst our cocoa farmers are earning peanuts for their hard earned products! This is economic slavery! It is!

With all these factors, a Continent so blessed and so rich in mineral and material resources, is lying today in abject poverty! But the bitter truth is that as long as our leaders have a cut in the deal, they care less for the fate of the people! That is Africa! A Continent where our leaders mortgage the progress of the people! Africa my Africa! A Continent with no constant electricity, and no constant pipe-borne water, in this day and age! No food, no health care, no good roads, and no jobs, no accommodation, in this 21st century! Africa, a disease ridden, and poverty stricken Continent!

We have to ask ourselves this morning, because we are talking of the travails of Ham: Why is Ham's condition like this? Why is Ham's condition today, like this? The situation is grim. It is very grim. And there is apparently no light at the end of the tunnel! It is only the coming of the Lord that will change the situation. He is our only hope, if you know the truth! When we even consider Egypt, Egypt is not rich! With all the

name it has, and all her past glory, in Egypt today, there are no jobs! They have more tombs than they have houses for living human beings! I say that only to make a point! Go to Cairo, see all those little, little, tombs, little, little, tombs, covering the whole place. There are no jobs; there is nothing! There is poverty, and disease, and suffering, all over Africa. Moreover, the lack of stable governments, and stable societies, societies free from incessant wars, coupled with the lack of respect for Contracts and Agreements by our governments, scare away foreign investors from the Continent of Africa. The bottom line is that the tabernacle of Ham today is ravaged with diseases, plagued with poverty, riddled with famine, devastated by wars, senseless wars, and ruled by senseless leaders. Saints of God, I have to ask myself this question: When I look at the travails of Ham, what is responsible for this? What is responsible for the condition of the black race? Why is Africa in this bad shape? That is precisely why we are taking

this message, *The Travails Of Ham*. What is responsible for our condition? There has got to be an answer for it, a Bible answer, knowing that Africa is also in the plan of God. Exactly! And that is precisely why we started this message, with Genesis chapter 9. There we saw what Ham did to his father. Yet, God did not curse Ham directly. God cursed his posterity; a particular posterity. God cursed Canaan. The Canaanites were the ones that occupied Palestine. They were the original Palestinians. Those are the ones that the Israelites were asked to wipe out: The Girgashites, the Hivites, the Jebusites, the Philistines, and so on. They were the ones who built and occupied Jericho city. All those "ites", God said to the children of Israel, "*Wipe them out!*" The Amalekites and the rest of them. All these ites were children of Ham. They were cursed! That is why God used Israel to wipe them out!

Brothers and sisters, I believe the travails of Ham is on account of two main things. Firstly, it is because

of what Ham did that day to his father in Genesis chapter 9. In the beginning of this world, this second world, the first world having been destroyed by the flood, Ham made fun of his naked dad. And at the end of this same world, today, the children of Ham are naked all over Africa. All they have in many places, is a little strip of cloth around their waist, with a cowrie chain around their neck, and a hunting stick in their hand, like the Massai people of Kenya, or the Aborigines of Australia. Whilst the rest of the world are clothed (barring the indecent and filthy dressing of the so-called civilized western world), the children of Ham across the Continent of Africa are still walking half-clad in this day and hour, and in some areas, they are completely naked! And that is a fact! It is God's law of retribution, for God paid Ham in his own coin, so-to-say. You have to see that! But there is also another issue, a serious issue we will see this morning, by the grace of God, directly responsible for the state of Africa. I say that because the travails of Ham is not just on the sole account of the

disrespect he (Ham) showed to his dad that day. It is more than that! It definitely is! But remember, Ham was not the one that was cursed. Ham was not cursed directly. Why? Like I projected in my book titled, *The Input Of Ham*, Ham was not cursed, for the very same reason God cursed the earth for Adam's sake. The same reason David sinned by numbering the people, and God snuffed out the lives of the Israelites because of it, and spared David himself. Why? He loves Ham! You did not hear me! I said God loves Ham! Those three seeds of Noah were loved of God. God loves Shem, Ham, and Japheth! And the covenant of God was with the three sons of Noah, and as such, God's covenant was with Ham! Did you hear what I said? The covenant of God was also with Ham! The commission God gave Adam and Eve in Genesis chapter 1, verses 28 & 29, is the very same commission God also gave Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth, in Genesis chapter 9 verses 1-3! And it was only Shem, Ham, and Japheth, that carried out that commission to multiply and replenish the

earth, because Noah did not have any other seed! And in verses 8 & 9 of Genesis chapter 9, God also established His covenant with Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth! Search the Scriptures! And as such, these three sons of Noah, are in the covenant of God, and as such, are in the direct programme of God. You have to see that they serve a major plan of God, being major players! Through them, the objective of God in Genesis chapter 1 verse 28 was realized! Precisely! And as such, we must realize, God has not a lesser love for those of us who are the children of Ham. He does not have a lesser love for us! God loves us! He loves Ham! And if in Romans chapter 9, apostle Paul could speak to comfort his people according to the flesh, that is the Jews, I am also at liberty to comfort my people according to the flesh, the lineage of Ham, for God loves us! That is why instead of God cursing Ham, God cursed his fourth child! He cursed Canaan! But you have to understand, the issue is, Would Ham not bear responsibility? Of course he had to! I will remind you,

when Adam sinned, Adam also bore responsibility! Yes, in the garden of Eden, it was the earth that was cursed. God did not curse Adam. But I ask: Who is bearing the brunt of a cursed earth? Adam! He bore responsibility for his actions! And every one of us will bear responsibility for our actions. God may forgive you if you repent, but there is a bill you will pay. When David sinned against the Lord by killing Uriah, and also took Bathsheba his wife, in 2 Samuel chapter 12, God told him, *"You will cause my enemy to speak ill of me."* Because that gave Lucifer also a chance in heaven to laugh and say before the Lord: *"Ha, ha, the man after your heart... Did you see what he did today?"* That is something the devil would have said, on a day when the Sons of God present themselves. Exactly! That is why God told David, *"You have given occasion for my enemies to blaspheme. I forgive you because you repented, but you will bear the responsibility. The child born unto thee by Bathsheba shall die. And from today, the sword will not depart from your house. You did*

*this in secret, but it will be done to you in the open.*" That is why king David's own son, took David's concubines, took them up to the roof, and laid with them openly there, under anointing. It is not the anointing of God, it is the anointing of the devil, but God allowed it. And since that day, peace departed from David. It was one child after the other that sought after his throne, and sought to kill him. Adonijah and Absalom did! Let us therefore be very careful. Do not sin willfully against the Lord. As a child of God, God will forgive you, but you will pay a price. You will pay a price! So, you must understand, God loved Ham; and even though he was the guilty one, God did not inspire Noah to pronounce a curse directly on him. The curse was placed on his posterity, a particular posterity called Canaan, because God loved Ham, just as he loved Shem and Japheth. Nevertheless, Ham still had to bear responsibility for his actions. But I want to tell you this morning, the responsibility Ham was going to bear, was not brought upon him

immediately. It was not! It was suspended or delayed. And before you argue against that, just remember, when Solomon sinned against God, Rehoboam paid the bill. Can I hear Amen? Yes! I said Solomon sinned against God by his foreign wives, who led his heart away into idolatry, but it was Rehoboam his son that paid the bill. God did not destroy or break the kingdom in the days of Solomon, even though he was the guilty one. Why? The love of God! It was because of His covenant with David concerning Solomon! And I say to you today, As God loved Solomon, so He loved Ham. As God loved David, so He loved Ham. As He loved Shem and Japheth, He loved Ham. He loves us! And to prove to you this morning, that when Ham sinned against his father, and the pronouncement of judgment came upon Canaan, God did not institute judgment on the lineage of Ham immediately. Why do I say that? Come with me.

When we came out of the flood, there were only three

males born unto Noah, and they each had a wife. Each one had one wife. And those three sons and their wives were the ones God used to repopulate this entire earth. But church, let me tell you now, in the beginning of this world, coming out of the flood, Ham led the way in human advancement. He led the way in civilization, for it is Scripturally certain that Ham today, is not what he was in that day. I said Ham in this day, is not what he was in that day! Ham led the way in that day. He led Shem and Japheth in civilization. This is what I want to show you. But in spite of that, you have to realize, the lineage of Ham had to do something, for which God eventually had to bring judgment on Ham, which completely reversed his ability or capacity, and his accomplishments, speaking naturally. Period! God reversed his prosperity and growth. And once it was done, it never was reversed, and never can it be reversed, until the coming of the Lord. But first we must see his prosperity.

Come with me to Genesis chapter 10. We will take it

from verse 6 again: **“And the Sons of Ham; Cush”** (Ethiopia), **“and Mizraim”** (Egypt), **“and Phut”** (Libya), **“and Canaan.”** That takes us straight to Palestine. Verse 8: **“And Cush”** (the firstborn of Ham), **“begat Nimrod.”** Ham's grandson. Who is Nimrod? We will see it. The Word of God declares: **“He began to be a mighty one in the earth.”** That is a great earthly leader! You are looking at a political giant! So he was a man that had enormous skill, political and administrative. And he had a vision, although it was a most carnal vision. Verse 8 gives us the first world leader! Look at it: **“He began to be a mighty one IN THE EARTH.”** That is, he was a great political leader of his time, a very great man, in the way of the world, a world leader! Verse 9: **“He was a mighty hunter before the Lord: wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod THE MIGHTY HUNTER BEFORE THE LORD.”** Hold it there! I want you to realize that this verse means much more than mere gaming, or animal hunting. You are looking at a military genius!

Precisely! I was reading a book sometime ago, and the writer said the reason why they built walls in those days was to keep animals away. That is all he could see in the building of walls! Yet, it is common knowledge that walls were built for refuge from invasion from neighbouring armies! It was not because of animals! It was to keep them from enemy invasion! Some of these white people know how to play down some things, when it is not about them. It reminds me of the British Museum. Virtually all the lovely artifacts, impressive statues and sculptures the British took from Africa, had their noses deliberately broken off, or chipped off, in order to hide the fact that the persons depicted were Africans! They wanted people to think they were white people, and the broad nose of the Africans would reveal the true identity of the statues! Therefore, they broke off virtually all their noses! Go to the British Museum in London! You will find that out. Going back to Nimrod, saints of God, he was a military general, a military genius. That is why it is

written that he was a mighty hunter before the Lord. Already verse 8 tells us he began to be a mighty one in the earth! That made him a world leader in that day! And the fact that he was a mighty hunter before the Lord, shows us he possessed military skill and prowess. If he comes against you, God have mercy on you. He knew how to hunt down his enemies. However, he was also a very good marksman implicitly, even when we consider gaming, or animal hunting. I do not doubt that. But essentially, you are looking at a military general. Let us continue. Verse 10: **“And the beginning of his kingdom”** (or empire) **“was Babel”** (That is Babylon. He founded the Babylonian empire. Therefore, you have to see that Nimrod was the first world leader, ever to step foot on this planet. You have to see that. It is written that the beginning of his kingdom, but not the end of it, but the beginning of his kingdom or empire, was Babel), **“and Erech, and Accad, and Calneh, in the land of Shinar. Out of that land”** (i.e. out of Babylon;

out of Shinar) ***“went forth Asshur, and builded Nineveh, and the city Rehoboth, and Calah.”*** Hold it there! When we come to chapter 11, the Bible tells us from verse 1: ***“And the whole earth was of one language, and of one speech. And it came to pass, as they journeyed from the east, that they found a plain in the land of Shinar”*** (That is Nimrod's land; that is Babylon); ***“and they dwelt there. And they said one to another, Go to, let us make brick, and burn them thoroughly. And they had brick for stone, and slime had they for mortar. And they said, Go to, let us build us a city AND a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven.”*** Hold it there. Shem, Ham, Japheth were all united together in building the city and tower of Babel. Is that right? Yes! They said, ***“Go to, let us....”*** And even God realized, nothing can stop these ones from their plan, and their unity was water tight; it was serious. Listen now, saints. We have to realize, all of them did not wake up one morning and decide to do that! It was the masterplan of one person!

And that was Nimrod! Somebody had to bring that idea! Somebody had to have that plan! The plan of building Babel did not start with everybody! It had to be the brainchild of somebody, and that person had to wield tremendous influence over the people! He had to be a leader, someone with oratory power, and one who had a great influence, and commanded respect, and a strong hold over the people, much enough that when he sold his plan to the people, all of them bought it without questioning! They were all sold out to it, for all went along with it, and it became their own vision as well. That is why it is written: ***“And THEY SAID to one another, Go to, let us make brick...”*** Church, that man was Nimrod! Remember, the Bible declares he was ***“a mighty one in the earth.”*** And remember, all this was taking place in the land of Shinar, and chapter 10 verse 10 already lets us know that Babel was the beginning of his kingdom! He was the founding father of the Babylonian empire! It came to its height in the days of Nebuchadnezzar,

but Nimrod planted that empire! And it was in that day, brothers and sisters, that Nimrod stood head and shoulders above his brothers, the Shemites and the Japhethic people, and led his brothers in that era of time. They listened when Nimrod talked, and they all followed him without exception. He was a leader, a mighty man in the earth, a mighty leader. He was a world leader in that day, as the world then was, the first proto-type of the anti-Christ. And as the world was then, he led Shem, Ham and Japheth, and all of them followed him in the building of that city and tower, a gigantic monument. And it was from that city Asshur went forth to build Nineveh, the capital of the old Assyrian empire. But church, hold it there. Not only do we see that the beginning leadership of man after the flood, was by Ham (the leadership of the earth in that day), but so was civilization also by Ham! Civilization started with Ham! Therefore, the Hamites were the pioneers of things the Japhetic race have taken to incredible heights today. But brothers and sisters, the undeniable

Scriptural fact remains that the pioneering engineers were Ham. The great astronomers of the world, renown mathematicians and geometrists of those days, were Hamites. They were! Come with me to the Scriptures. Come back to chapter 10 verse 10: **“*And the beginning of his kingdom*”** (Nimrod's kingdom) **“*was Babel, and Erech, and Accad, and Calneh, in the land of Shinar. Out of that land went forth Asshur, and builded Nineveh, and the city*”** (A city, not a village, but a city) **“*Rehoboth, and Calah*”** (that is a city called Calah), **“*and Resen*”** (that is another city, because it says:) **“*between Nineveh and Calah: the same is a great city.*”** Oh my! On and on it goes! Praise the Lord! Hold it there! Verse 20 finally tells us: **“*These are the Sons of Ham, after their families, after their tongues, IN THEIR COUNTRIES, and in THEIR NATIONS.*”** Church, listen to me now. When we look at the infallible and unquestionable record of God's Word, we realize that Ham started human civilization. Civilization

after the flood started with the race of Ham! And I ask you: What kind of mind do you think can set up constructing cities? Are you with me? What kind of mind has the capacity to put up or erect cities? That lets us see they had city planners and structural engineers! Remember, they did not use mud to build; they used mortar and bricks. They were using bricks for stone. We did not start the use of bricks; they did! We got the knowledge of bricks from them! They used bricks to build a tower that reached to the heavens! That takes some structural engineering feat! The first sky-scraper! It even took God to stop them! So you are looking at great architects, city planners, and structural engineers. And saints of God, that was not Japheth! That was Ham! I am laying out these things because I want to bring out something from the Scriptures, to seal this issue, and make it water-tight. But the Hamites were the city builders in those days, and the Bible says, they built great cities! Think of it! And in building these cities, they had to consider city maintenance, as well

as security, in order to preserve such cities from enemy invasion. Precisely! So, they fortified their cities with walls! We still remember the great walls of Babylon. We also remember the walls of Jericho, attested to by the Scriptures. Great walls they were! Strong and wide walls, that chariots could run over it! That takes some engineering feat, way back then! That confirms they possessed a great knowledge of mathematics, geometry, and construction. Moreover, they were great astronomers. That was why, when we come to the Egyptian civilization, the Hamites could build the pyramids, such incredible structures, which do not cast shadows, as gigantic as they are, no matter where the sun sits! And it remains one of the wonders of the world till this very day! And today, they are trying to create seven new wonders of the world. Around the world, they are voting, millions are voting to select seven new world wonders. But brothers and sisters, I want you to also know that the Egyptian pyramids were left out of it,

because they are in a class of their own. Precisely! Church, I am not glorying in what they did, for it was absolutely carnal, and with no ounce of spiritual virtue in it, for God was completely left out of the picture! But I am showing you a fact of the Bible, nonetheless, and you have to see it! *“Well, that is just your words,”* someone might say. It is not my words! As a backward, dumb and stupid illiterates, as has always been the popular belief, it would not be possible for them to build a city without the knowledge of something! Exactly! They would not know how! They would not! So you are looking at a race with a capacity for something, a people with an understanding, a high intellect, a race that led the way in human advancement, for the first civilization after the flood, was established by the Hamites. Precisely! And the first kingdom established, was Babylon. But God later overthrew it. Are you with me? In Babylon, they had wonderful palaces which archeologists today have unearthed, allowing us to

see spectacular buildings the lineage of Ham put up way back then. Even the marvelous hanging gardens of Babylon, archeologists have brought to light today, digging way down into the earth, to bring out the handiwork of the Hamites, revealing the capacity we had back then! The evidence of Ham's engineering and construction feat, is there for all to see. But today, it is the lineage of Japheth that are building towers, fantastic and incredible sky scrappers. The White race are the ones building the cities of the world, and are leading the rest of the world in science and technology. That is an indisputable fact! That is the reality of things today! The other races of people have had to follow the lineage of Japheth (the White race), to learn what they now know, and to be able to do what they are now able to do, to enable them develop their nations. Japheth today, are the masterbuilders of the world, and there is no construction they cannot put in place, whether on land, however marshy, under water, or on water. They have the ability to

transform the wilderness into a breath-taking model city! That is true! They are the ones the Arabians used to transform their nations, with their oil money! There is nothing they cannot do! It is the capacity God has given to them at this end of time, for the betterment of man; to give material comfort to man. But in that day, Japheth and Shemites followed the Hamites, for the lineage of Ham were the ones with that capacity, a capacity God took away, for Hamites today, are at the very bottom of the human race, on a natural level. It is very sad but true. But when you consider the feat God is using the Japhetic race to accomplish today around the world, we must not forget, the lineage of Ham started it before him. And if we can appreciate, and talk in a positive light of the material development the Japhetic race have brought to man, through technology and science, then, we cannot rubbish what God used the Hamitic race to also give to man, back then. We have to also appreciate it. Moreover, do not forget, the Hamites were the greatest

navigators, and the greatest migrants of the three sons of Noah. Look at the American-Indians. They are of the lineage of Ham! They got to that Continent before the White man ever knew it existed! I ask, How did they get there, crossing the oceans?! The answer is simple: They were the greatest navigators in their day. Period! And there is no Continent on this earth, the lineage of Ham did not precede Shem and Japheth, including Europe! And that is a fact! And that is why today, in Europe, discoveries are being made of old bones and skull structures, of human beings that are not Caucasian, but are of Hamitic origin, bones which predate Japheth's settlement in Europe. Exactly! It is live evidence of something! It is an incontestable fact! And I want to make this truth water-tight, for you have to see the true beginning of the Hamitic race, for the Word of God gives it to us. It does! I am not preaching hand-me-down tradition, but the infallible and unquestionable truth of the Word of God! As an elect

seed of God called as bride, you may disagree with me on opinions and impressions I hold, for we are all entitled to our opinions and personal impressions, but you cannot disagree with me, for what is presented to you strictly from a Scriptural standpoint! That is a different kettle of fish, for you are obligated to stand for truth, and to adorn your soul with the truth. In this way of revealed faith, racial sentiments and prejudices have to go. It does! For we must take on the light of Christ, having our minds renewed by the truth of our Saviour Jesus Christ. Precisely! But the truth remains that in that day, coming out of the flood, the race of Ham led the way, in human advancement, laying the foundation for the future advancement of man, an advancement we now have through the race of Japheth. The Hamitic race were great Oceanographers and Mariners, great Chemists and Physicists in those days. Just consider this: When we look at the art of embalming the Hamites had back then, with all the modern day technology

and knowledge of science we have today, we cannot match their ability! We cannot embalm as they could! We do not have the knowledge of the Chemistry they had! That is why the western world is mystified and fascinated by the art of embalming which produced the Egyptian mummies! Exactly! That is the fact! They gave the world the first printing paper, called the papyrus, and the art of writing, came by the Hamitic race, in the hieroglyphics they employed, which writing code has now been cracked, after many decades of hard work by the Japhetic race!

A soldier from Napoleon's Army found the Rosetta stone in 1799, which bore the hieroglyphics writing, whilst building a fortification in Rosetta. And after Napoleon was defeated, in a peace treaty of 1802, all artifacts found by the French were handed over to the British, and the Rosetta stone was transferred to the British Museum. It was Jean-Francois Champollion (1790-1832), who broke the Rosetta hieroglyphics

writing code. Listen to what Brother Jackson had to say in the Contender titled, *The Great Mystery*, Part 4, laid out in Part 116 of *From The Beginning To The End Series*, of October 2004. He was quoting Historians on the Egyptian pyramids, and I quote him from page 7, columns 4 & 5: “Another historian, *“Diodorus Siculus, the Greek historian who lived soon after the time of Christ, described the Great Pyramid's twenty two acres of polished casing stones as being complete and without the least decay. (And it was an old item then.) The Roman naturalist Pliny gives a report of natives running up and down the polished sides to the delight of Roman tourists. A man who may have had a lot to say about the pyramids in the forty seven books of his history, was Strabo, the Pontine geographer, who took a trip up the Nile in 24 B.C. His history is lost, and in the geographical appendix which survived, he does little more than describe an entrance on the north face of the Great*

*Pyramid, made of a hinged stone which could be raised, but which was indistinguishable from the surrounding masonry when it lay flush. (Meaning when it was closed. They knew the entrance stone in all the B.C. period. The pyramid was complete, and every stone was in perfect shape. Every angle of these triangular walls was precise.)”* Let us skip a few lines to continue Brother Jackson's thought: “*Just think, Egypt's libraries were filled with all kinds of ancient information, written by their historians, as well as geologists and such. However the era of Christendom, when they began to flourish, they came on with this idea that these ancient places were evil, and all were to stay out of them. Now I will read to you what happened.)* Christianized Egyptians were forbidden access to the ancient temples, which were either seized or razed by the Catholics. Thousands of statues and inscriptions were

*disfigured, the hieroglyphs, whose meanings were already lost to most, became dead letters to the world, to remain so for the next fifteen hundred years. THE GREAT LIBRARY OF ALEXANDRIA, (This city lays at the mouth of the Nile, and was built in memory of Alexander the Great. IT BECAME THE EDUCATION CENTER IN THE DAYS OF THE GREEKS. WEALTHY PEOPLE WOULD SEND THEIR SONS AND DAUGHTERS TO THIS CITY, TO GO TO PRIVATE INSTRUCTORS AND GET A GOOD EDUCATION, before the time when worldly learning came to be despised and ridiculed) accidentally damaged by Julius Caesar and restored by Mark Anthony, was intentionally destroyed by a Christian mob on orders of the Christian emperor Theodosius in A.D. 389. All that was ancient was pagan (of the devil) therefore sinful. Those interested in mathematics and astronomy were persecuted and put to death for their*

*inquisitiveness. Even women were not spared, as with the lovely Hypatia, who was seized by an angry mob incited by the monks under the control of St. Cyril, then bishop of Alexandria, dragged into a church, stripped naked, and scraped to death with oyster shells. Her crime was to have been the daughter of the celebrated Alexandrian mathematician, Theon, to have edited her fathers works, taught mathematics, and became a leading philosopher in her own right, renowned for her beauty, modesty, and learning.”* The church of Rome literally stifled man's advancement in science and technology, keeping the world back by centuries, throughout the dark ages! But the lineage of Ham had brought science and technology to a level envied by all other races! That cannot be denied! Then on page 8, column 1, the chief apostle continued quoting from history: ***“The first dawn of a renaissance came with the Arabs. When the followers of Mohammed***

***swept into power in the Near East in the seventh century, and captured Alexandria in A.D. 640, (Notice) they found no libraries, (They had already been destroyed.) BUT A CITY OF FOUR THOUSAND PALACES, FOUR THOUSAND BATHS, AND FOUR HUNDRED THEATERS. IMPRESSED BY THE OPULENCE OF THE CITY AND THE SIZE OF THE CHRISTIAN FLEET, THEY DECIDED TO EMULATE BOTH.”*** That goes to show that the Hamitic race were more advanced in that day, over all other races, and the Word of God attests to it! They were great astronomers, studying the Planetary bodies, Geometrists, Military elites of their day, Construction and architectural wizards, engineers, name it! Just look at the Egyptian pyramids, and the splendor of Babylon. Consider the history of the Ethiopian monarchs, and the Moroccans (the Moors), who invaded Spain centuries ago, before they were later repelled, and they settled in Toledo, in Spain. Do not forget, Egypt once fed the world, when

the world faced a seven year famine! Think of it! Yes, you will tell me it was God inspiring that, but it has always been the God of providence sustaining the world at all times! Exactly! So you cannot deny or take away what a people have been used under God, to accomplish for man, for it speaks of a natural capacity invested by God in a people. You have to see that! But that natural capacity was all they had, just as we see it exemplified in the Cainite lineage in Genesis chapter 4! Exactly! That was all they had! And you cannot deny the testimony of God's Word! You cannot! But you cannot take away the natural capacity invested in the Hamitic race in that day, for the Word of God bears it out!

Look again at verses 6-19 of Genesis chapter 10. It talks of the cities of Ham. It gives us Nineveh, Babylon, Erech, Rehoboth, Calah, Resen, a great city, on and on. But watch. Before we look at their military might, for they were military giants, we will first conclude our consideration of their civilization. Verse 20:

***“These are the Sons of Ham, after their families”*** (Watch:) ***“after their tongues, in their countries.”*** Countries! They were the city builders in that day! Compare that with the humble description of the lineage of Shem, in verses 21, 30 & 31: ***“Unto Shem also, the father of all the children of Eber, the brother of Japheth the elder, even to him were children born.”*** Verses 30-31: ***“AND THEIR DWELLING”*** (Not countries, not cities, but their dwellings; their humble abodes), ***“was from Mesha, as thou goest unto Sephar a mount of the east. These are the Sons of Shem, after their families, after their tongues, IN THEIR LANDS.”*** Moses did not use the word countries for them, simply because they were humble dwellers, living very simple lives, for their lives centered on God! But look at the description Moses was inspired to give concerning the lineage of Ham: ***“Cities”, “great Cities”, “in their Countries”; “Mighty one”; “Mighty hunter”; “Mighty hunter before the Lord”.*** When we also consider the beginning

of the lineage of Japheth, in God's written record, verse 2 reveals: ***“The sons of Japheth; Gomer, and Magog...”*** On and on. Verse 5: ***“By these were the isles of the Gentiles divided”*** (watch:) ***“IN THEIR LANDS; every one after his tongue, after their families, in their nations.”*** Moses used the word “lands” for the lineage of Japheth! You are not looking at cities; you are not looking at countries; you are looking at lands, just as it was stated of the Shemites: ***“In their lands”,*** and in ***“their dwelling”.*** Humble! And when we consider God's inspiration to Moses, giving us details concerning the handiwork of Ham, we see a lot more detail concerning the lineage of Ham, than of Shem and Japheth. Why? It is to show us something! It is to let us see that in that beginning era, Ham led the way, for Ham led the world as it then was, in civilization. They were the builders of cities! They led the Shemitic and the Japhetic race in engineering, construction, astronomy, science, geometry (mathematics), architecture, and even in

agriculture. For them to build cities, they had to be able to feed the people! And they did! You have to see agriculture! You cannot have a city without food! Remember, Egypt started irrigation farming, using the Nile River. Now irrigation is used around the world! But the Hamitic race started it! They took water from the Nile, and used it to water their arid or dry land, in order to boost their agriculture. So brothers and sisters, there is no doubt, looking at the detailed record of Moses, on the social development of the lineage of Ham, his progress, and comparing it with that of the Shemites and the Japhetic people, Ham stood out, because he led the world, after the flood, in civilization. That is Scripturally incontestable. And that is why I asked, Why did he lead the world in civilization? Because he was endowed with a high level of worldly knowledge and natural abilities, as opposed to spiritual knowledge and spiritual abilities! Those were the abilities he had! They were carnal! And that in itself tells us something! We know the Serpent gene was fused

with the gene of the Sethites in Noah, for Noah bore both genes in his genetic make-up. Therefore, although all the three sons of Noah had the Serpent gene bred in them, Ham however had it more than the other two, for in that day, he ate more from the tree of knowledge, than the other two! Hence his population explosion over and above the others, for his seeds were the ones to first overspread the Middle East, Africa, Asia, and Europe! Precisely! And as such, we see in the Hamitic race, in that day, an expression of worldly knowledge and natural abilities, just as we see it in the Cainites in Genesis chapter 4! Exactly! In Genesis chapter 4, the Cainites were the city builders, engineers, metalogists, worldly musicians, and entertainers etc! After the flood, it was the Hamites! But today, at this end time, the Japhetic race are the ones exhibiting more of the serpentine gene, and the Europeans have become more-or-less a God hating people, whilst the Africans are the religious people, and are most zealous for

things of God, being the missionaries to the modern world. And in the Seventieth Week of Daniel, the Europeans, being atheists, being completely anti-God, will fight the physical return of Christ, under the leadership of the Pope of Rome, the Man of Sin, the Anti-christ, in that day, according to the Word of God! They will literally declare war on Christ, for the god of Japheth today is materialism, worldly pleasures, and mammon (i.e. money)! That is the factual reality! They are eating voraciously from the tree of knowledge, and are the ones who, today, have been invested more with worldly knowledge, and natural abilities. Precisely! Nevertheless, one thing is certain this morning, from the record of Moses himself, coming out of the flood, Ham led the world in civilization, in every aspect of human endeavour. When you look at it militarily, Ham was a force to be reckoned with.

Go with me to Deuteronomy chapter 9, verses 1 & 2: ***"Hear, O Israel: Thou art to pass over Jordan this day, to***

***go in to possess nations GREATER AND MIGHTIER THAN THYSELF, CITIES GREAT AND FENCED UP TO HEAVEN."*** Hold it. This is the testimony of God to the Israelites, concerning the seeds of Ham. God was going to dispossess the seeds of Ham in the Middle East, and give their land to Israel. And what did God tell Israel, coming out of Egypt? *"The land you are going to occupy... These people are great and mighty."* That is the testimony of God! No, the Hamitic race were not like they are today, in misery, and can hardly put a wire together to make anything of any positive invention! We have to go to Japheth for everything! That is stated to make a serious point, because I am not denying the achievements of the black race, in this modern day! But the truth, and the reality still remains, that Japheth's incredible inventions, particularly in the last one hundred years plus, is what has brought great comfort and a high standard of living to humanity, left, right, and centre. That is a fact, and no one in his right mind can

deny it regardless of his racial sentiments, for it is the truth! And regardless of the achievements of the Hamitic race at this end time, in various endeavours of life, in comparison to the all-encompassing achievements of the Japhetic race, (which touches every area of human endeavour), are more like isolated achievements! We owe virtually everything to the Japhetic race today. They are the ones responsible for the high quality of life the modern world have, the great towns and cities, well ordered and well laid out, with superb road networks, constant electricity, pipe-borne water, housing, the telephone, the television, airplanes, very effective and diverse means of transportation, the washing machine, hi-tech hospitals, satellite, cars, electronics, etc! As the Lord prophesied in the book of Daniel concerning this end time, knowledge truly has increased! And for the increased knowledge, a most worldly one, the race of Japheth is responsible. But God is going to overthrow the civilization of

man, for it is evil, being contrary to God! Precisely! But remember, the pioneers of science, and of human advancement, was Ham, in the beginning of this world. We will continue the testimony of God in Deuteronomy: ***"Hear, O Israel: Thou art to pass over Jordan this day, to go in to possess nations"*** (plural) ***"greater and mightier than thyself, cities great and fenced up to heaven."*** These are invincible cities! Brothers and sisters, if it was not for God, Israel would not have been able to overcome these nations! No way! ***"A people great and tall, the children of the Anakims, whom thou knowest"*** (because they had heard about them; the news had travelled all over the world, of the fearsomeness of the people in battle. It is like saying, *"Those people, do not move near them in battle"*), ***"...whom thou knowest, and of whom thou hast heard say, Who can stand before the children of Anak!"*** What a record of Moses! It is in your Bible, is it not? Yes, it is! As such, it is a fact, that when it came to military warfare, Ham led the way in

that day, not today! I say that because the out dated 18th Century bombers (the planes), the African nations have acquired today for their military, cannot go anywhere; the 18th Century bombers we bought from the lineage of Japheth; second hand military hardware cannot do anything. Look at the testimony of God in the Word of God. 2 Chronicles chapter 16, verses 7 & 8: ***"And at that time Hanani the seer came to Asa king of Judah, and said unto him, Because thou has relied on the king of Syria, and not relied on the Lord thy God, therefore is the host of the king of Syria escaped out of thine hand."*** (Watch, church:) ***"Were not the Ethiopians"*** (that is Cush) ***"and the Lubims"*** (that is Libya) ***"a huge host, with very MANY CHARIOTS AND HORSEMEN? yet, BECAUSE THOU DIDST RELY ON THE LORD, HE DELIVERED THEM INTO THINE HAND."*** Church, because the eyes of the Lord goes to and fro in the earth, to show Himself strong on behalf of those that trust in Him, God gave

Israel victory over these Hamitic people. Saints of the Lord, God alone makes the difference for the nation of Israel. He is what makes the difference! Remember the walls of Jericho. Those people (the people of Jericho), brothers and sisters, confided themselves in that wall! How would Israel have penetrated? It took angels to bring down the walls! I say that to make a point, for that was how fortified Jericho was! It was not a village; it was a great city; a well fortified city. Do not also forget, Jerusalem was formerly called the Jebusite city; the city of the Jebus. They were children of Ham. They were the founders of that city, but God took it from them, and gave it to Shem, and it became Israel's eternal capital. Do you understand? And no one can take it away from Israel. No one can! But that city was originally founded by the lineage of Ham! The lineage of Ham prospered and flourished greatly in the beginning, and spread their branches everywhere! But look at the situation of Ham today. But remember, our focus is strictly on the tabernacle of Ham, which is

Africa, even though the lineage of Ham covers other areas of the world as well. But Africa, the designated Continent, reserved exclusively for Ham, the tabernacle of Ham, is my main focus in this message.

The material question we now have to ask is this: What happened to the lineage of Ham, that they came down? What happened to the Hamitic race that caused the reversal of his prosperity and social advancement? How come a people who led the world, economically, politically, militarily, scientifically, as we came out of the flood, a people who established the first civilization at the beginning of this second world (the first world having been destroyed by water), have become a people at the bottom of the ladder of human development and progress? How come the tale of Africa today is one of sadness, misery, poverty, famine, disease, genocide, corruption, and illiteracy? What happened that the lineage of Ham lost their abilities, and have become a handicapped race, with

no decent housing, no good road networks, no pipe-borne water, no constant flow of electricity etc, but have become a Continent ridden with disease, famine, poverty, corruption, and with a poor quality of life, a Continent begging constantly and insatiably for foreign aid?! What is responsible for Africa's predicament? We earlier read Genesis chapter 9, and we saw what Ham did to his father, and the curse God placed upon Canaan, as a result, a curse God fulfilled, because God used Israel to wipe out the Canaanites. Is that right? Yes! Moreover, God deeded (i.e. God gave) their land to Israel. But yet, this does not tell us what happened to the lineage of Ham, why his condition plummeted, and he is now in a miserable condition in the earth. And as I earlier stated, the sin of Ham against his dad that day, is not the sole reason for Ham's present-day pathetic condition. Something more grievous happened, which brought about the reversal of Ham's accomplishments, reducing him to his present state. We have to look at

him spiritually, for it is the spiritual perspective that holds the answer, much more than the filial dishonor he meted out to his dad. For this we will go to Deuteronomy chapter 9, and take it from verse 3, for we must see something about Ham, that caused God to reverse his progress, for today, the lineage of Ham is reaping the fruits of it. What did he do? Simply put, he took what God gave him; the natural abilities God invested in him, natural abilities God invested in his lineage, and went into the depths of Satan with it. Look at Deuteronomy chapter 9, from verse 3: ***“Understand therefore this day, that the Lord thy God is He which goeth over before thee; as a consuming fire He shall destroy them, and He shall bring them down before thy face: so shalt thou drive them out, and destroy them quickly, as the Lord hath said unto thee. Speak not thou in thine heart, after that the Lord thy God hath cast them out from before thee, saying, For my righteousness the Lord hath brought me in to***

***possess this land”*** Watch: ***“BUT FOR THE WICKEDNESS OF THESE NATIONS THE LORD DOTHTH DRIVE THEM OUT FROM BEFORE THEE.”*** Did you hear that? ***“Not for thy righteousness, or for the uprightness of thine heart, dost thou go to possess their land: BUT FOR THE WICKEDNESS OF THESE NATIONS THE LORD THY GOD DOTHTH DRIVE THEM OUT from before thee, and that He may perform the word which the Lord sware unto thy fathers, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.”*** (Watch:) ***“Understand therefore, that the Lord thy God giveth thee not this good land to possess it for thy righteousness; for thou art a stiffnecked people.”*** And that is the truth! It was for the wickedness of the inhabitants of the land, who were of the lineage of Ham! They possessed a beautiful land, very fertile. And they prospered and flourished; built cities; and agriculture flourished. They were learned in sciences, and were great warriors who could defend what they had. And they had a fame. Their fame was enough for

you not to even think about going after them. Are you with me? So they had a fame, a reputation, that you just heard their story, and you would not even think of going after their land, however attracted you were by it. Their reputation was enough. But for their wickedness which was why God decided to wipe them out. But let us also see Deuteronomy chapter 18, for you have to see the dark side of Ham. Verse 9: ***“When thou art come into the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee, thou shalt not learn to do after THE ABOMINATIONS OF THOSE NATIONS.”*** Did you hear that? Now the Lord begins to spell it out: ***“There shall not be found among you any one that MAKETH HIS SON OR HIS DAUGHTER TO PASS THROUGH THE FIRE, or that USETH DIVINATION, or an OBSERVER OF TIMES, or AN ENCHANTER, or A WITCH, Or A CHARMER, or A CONSULTER WITH FAMILIAR SPIRITS, or A WIZARD, or A NECROMANCER. For all that do these things are an abomination unto the Lord: AND BECAUSE OF***

**THESE ABOMINATIONS THE LORD THY GOD DOTH DRIVE THEM OUT FROM BEFORE THEE. Thou shalt be perfect with the Lord thy God. For these nations, which thou shalt possess, hearkened unto observers of times, and unto diviners: but as for thee, the Lord thy God hath not suffered thee so to do.**" Look at the Word of the Lord in Exodus chapter 34. We will take it from verse 10: **"And He said, Behold, I make a covenant: before all thy people I will do marvels, such as have not been done in all the earth, nor in any nation: and all the people among which thou art shall see the work of the Lord: for it is a terrible thing that I will do with thee. Observe thou that which I command thee this day: behold, I drive out before thee the Amorite, and the Canaanite, and the Hittite, and the Perizzite, and the Hivite, and the Jebusite. Take heed to thyself, lest thou make a covenant with the inhabitants of the land whither thou goest, lest it be for a snare in the midst**

**of thee: BUT YE SHALL DESTROY THEIR ALTARS."** (What does that show you? Big time idolatry!) **"BREAK THEIR IMAGES, AND CUT DOWN THEIR GROVES: FOR THOU SHALT WORSHIP NO OTHER GOD: for the Lord, whose name is Jealous, is a jealous God: Lest thou make a covenant with the inhabitants of the land, and they go a whoring after their gods, and do sacrifice unto their gods, and one call thee, and thou eat of his sacrifice; And thou take of their daughters unto thy sons, and their daughters go a-whoring after their gods, and make thy sons go a-whoring after their gods."** Again, in the book of Leviticus chapter 18, verses 1-3 & 20-30, Moses revealed: **"And the Lord spake unto Moses, saying, Speak unto the children of Israel, and say unto them, I am the Lord your God. After the doings of the land of Egypt, wherein ye dwelt, shall ye not do: and after the doings of the land of Canaan, whither I bring you, shall ye not do: neither shall ye walk in**

**their ordinances... Moreover thou shalt not lie carnally with thy neighbor's wife, to defile thyself with her. And thou shalt not let any of thy seed pass through the fire to Molech, neither shalt thou profane the name of thy God: I am the Lord. Thou shalt not lie with mankind, as with womankind: it is abomination. Neither shalt thou lie with any beast to defile thyself therewith: neither shall any woman stand before a beast to lie down thereto: it is confusion. Defile not ye yourselves in any of these things: for in all these the nations are defiled which I cast out before you: And the land is defiled: therefore I do visit the iniquity thereof upon it, and the land itself vomiteth out her inhabitants. Ye shall therefore keep my statutes and my judgments, and shall not commit any of these abominations; neither any of your own nation, nor any stranger that sojourneth among you: (For all these abominations have the men of the land done,**

*which were before you, and the land is defiled;) That the land spew not you out also, when ye defile it, as it spewed out the nations that were before you. For whosoever shall commit any of these abominations, even the souls that commit them shall be cut off from among their people. Therefore shall ye keep mine ordinance, that ye commit not any one of these abominable customs, which were committed before you, and that ye defile not yourselves therein: I am the Lord your God.”* Amen. What does that show you? Ham went into idolatry, big time! They forgot the God that blessed them, and gave them the natural abilities they had. They forgot the God that saved them, bringing them over the flood. That is precisely why Brother Jackson made some declarations in *The Great Mystery*, Part 4, page 8, columns 2-5, after quoting from history: *“An Arab historian who saw the pyramid in the early 13th century A.D. (Notice the date,) compared it to a*

*great female breast rising from the bosom of Egypt's desert. He remarked that it was still perfect except for the entrance carved in it by Al Mammun.”* (1300 years after Christ, it was still perfect, except where they had chiseled away to find an entrance.) Subsequently a series of earthquakes demolished large parts of northern Egypt and the descendants of Al Mamun's workers wrecked their revenge on the treasureless pyramid by stripping it of its limestone casing to rebuild their new capital city of El Kaherah. In the course of several generations, they managed to remove the entire twenty two acres of one hundred inch thick covering of the pyramid, and even built two bridges especially to drag the heavier stones across the river on camel trains to Cairo for the construction of a series of mosques and

palaces.” That tells you why the thing is not capped today. How many heard what I read? I WANTED TO READ IT TO LET THIS BUNCH OF CRITICS KNOW, THAT THE PYRAMID AT ONE TIME WAS A FINISHED MASTERPIECE AND STOOD FOR THOUSANDS OF YEARS THAT WAY. It was way into the Christian period when these Arabs, out of disgust, began to dismantle it. Think of it, twenty two acres of polished stones on the outside of these four angles, a hundred inches thick. Those stones were huge:... WHY DID MOSES NOT MENTION THAT PYRAMID, SINCE HE WAS RAISED UP IN PHARAOH'S HOUSE? Then when the apostle Paul wrote the letter to the Hebrews, why did he say that Moses was learned in all the ways of the Egyptians? The writer of Acts included that in his writings, (7:22) “AND MOSES WAS LEARNED IN ALL THE WISDOM OF THE EGYPTIANS, AND WAS MIGHTY IN WORDS AND IN DEEDS.” So my

**question is, If there was something about that pyramid, even in the days of Moses, that was sacred and had a spiritual meaning, why did Moses not mention it? Think of it. He was God's man of the hour, was he not? He wrote the first five books of the Bible, and in all of it he never referred to any of those things of Egypt. It begins to make sense now, Moses did not even consider it worthwhile. Yet he was an educated man. Is it possible that Moses could have been raised in Egypt and did not know what the thing was, or what it represented? I have to say, Anywhere he looked, he saw a pyramid, because there were hundreds of them spread along the length of Egypt, on the west side of the Nile." Very true! As impressive and as majestic as the Egyptian pyramids are, behind them you find Ham's dark history! It gives you a people with a profound knowledge, but a knowledge that is opposed to God! All they had was a worldly wisdom, a knowledge that made them**

standout, but a knowledge that had no ounce of spirituality! And with that knowledge, came the knowledge of the worship of Satan! Exactly!

Saints of God, from the hour of Nimrod, the lineage of Ham went into the depths of Satan, so-to-say. And even till this day, the tabernacle of Ham is stooped in voodoo, and occultic practices, in witchcraft, sorcery, human sacrifices. Name it! That is Africa for you! Even in the University campuses, some of our Professors place sacrifices at road junctions! I do not care whether it is in Nigeria, Benin Republic, South Africa, or Zaire (Are you with me?); I do not care whether it is in Egypt, Kenya, or Congo, voodoo is all the people know! Whether you consider the Aborigines of Australia, or the American Indians, Haiti, or New Zealand, it is all voodoo! Ham went into the depths of Satan, for he gave himself over to the worship of Satan, completely! Look at Babylon: Nimrod was the founding father of that empire. He was a great

ruler, no doubt, and he was able to establish a civilization, the first civilization. That is true. But church, Nimrod was also a man that was not only wicked, a man I will call the root of abomination, for in him, Satan started his third objective. Nimrod was a principal player in Satan's Plot. We have to see that. Satan's first objective was to get a seed. And after he had succeeded in getting a seed for himself through the serpent, a seed called Cain, he started his second objective. And after he had also succeeded in taking a strike at the Sons of God (his second objective), and had been able to use the Cainite daughters to force the Sethite lineage into mixed marriages, thereby defiling their genetic make-up, until everything was fouled up, and God had to wipe the slate clean, starting afresh with Noah, the devil now moved into Plan C. And what was that? Remember, when Cain walked away from the presence of the Lord in Genesis chapter 4, he went to settle in the land of Nod, founding the Noddywood of his day, brewing up a people who had nothing of

God in them, and who lived strictly for the flesh, being completely earthbound, or completely carnal creatures! They served the purpose of the devil, no doubt, but when we look in the Word of God, they did not go into idolatry! They did not! The devil had not yet introduced idolatry! We have to go by the record of the Word of God! And in God's infallible record, we are not told the Cainites went into idolatry, other than their riotous and godless living. Exactly! If they had gone into idolatry, the Bible would have recorded it, for it is a serious issue! That lets us know, idolatry had not yet started! It had not! But after the flood, Satan got himself a seed, a principal vessel, in Ham's grandson, Nimrod, as he initiated his Plan C. Cain had served a grand purpose of his, and now, Nimrod was going to be his next major vessel, to set in motion the next phase of his plot. And what was that phase? The introduction of devil worship or idolatry! And Nimrod was the principal vessel! And through the lineage of Ham, idol worship started, and that

was not on a mild scale! Satan was now going to be at the direct centre of worship, as opposed to a people merely living for him. Precisely! Now he became a god to the carnal human race, an object of worship! And Nimrod was his chief priest! Remember, at the tower of Babel, which was the beginning of the kingdom of Nimrod, the Hamites were the ones with the knowledge, the know-how, and the natural abilities that established the civilization in that day! The Hamites were the leading race in that day! They had in that day, what the Japhetic race have today: Advancement in leadership, as well as in science and technology! All other races, Shemites and Japheths, followed Ham in his leadership role, for the Hamites were admired and revered! You see that clearly exemplified in Genesis chapters 10 & 11! And because they were the leaders, the people with the know-how (the knowledge), and the revered race, on account of their military prowess and ability, the devil was able to use the lineage of Ham to lead the whole world into

idolatry! Precisely! It took the seeds of Ham to get the world into that rot, because of their social status, and because of the great influence over Shem and Japheth. Hence in Genesis chapter 10 verses 8-9, it is written: ***“And Cush begat Nimrod: he began to be a mighty one in the earth. He was a mighty hunter before the Lord: wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod the mighty hunter before the Lord.”*** As I pointed out in my message on The Input Of Ham, that title in itself, not only shows his leadership position, it also reveals the idolatrous level to which he had been elevated, just as the emperors of Rome! Nimrod led Babylon and the rest of the world, in idol worship, and real pagan worship began. And when he died, Semiramis, his wife, made him a god, the sun god, or Baal, and Baal worship started! And the son that was born unto him, Tammuz, was also made a god, and they called him the son of the sun-god, Satan's imitation of Christ! Semiramis herself was also deified and worshipped, as a mother-god! In some places, she is called Diana.

That is why in the world, even as it stands today, you have subsisting religions, which worship a mother-and-child god. The Roman Catholics adapted this, and it is now called Mariolatry, which is the worship of the virgin Mary, alongside their worship of her son, Jesus Christ! But it is pure idolatry! The worship of Mary as god stems from the worship of Diana or Semiramis! It has its roots in the religions of Babylon, way back in the days of Nimrod! For from Babylon, idolatry spread to all the world. Exactly! The Assyrians were more wicked though, for their art of warfare was extremely wicked, but idolatry started in Babylon! No wonder, God wiped them out, and the Shemites took over their land. God sent Israel, *"Go and wipe out all those Canaanites!"* And that is why the Middle East is predominantly Shem. But God left Ham with Africa. And when I talk of the Middle East, brothers and sisters, please understand we are talking of Palestine. Period!

Saints of God, abominable things did the Hamitic race

do, and it is still the same today. No wonder God allowed the Roman Catholic Church to destroy the great library of Alexandria in Egypt, to take out from man, the secrets of the dark knowledge the Hamitic race had. Even now, Africa is stooped in voodoo! Church, look at Egypt in the days of the Pharaohs, with all their various gods: One god had a black goat head, the goat of Memphis. Brothers and sisters, from North Africa to South Africa, it is darkness! Thank God for the gospel light that came! And that is the truth! Thank God for the gospel light that came to Africa, India etc. Thank God for Christ! And even till today, they take the Bible in one hand, and traditional religion in the other. Exactly! They deal in both! That is the truth! They go to church on a Sunday, and they visit the herbalist right after service! *"Baba, my husband has not been eating my food in the house... Please help me, because I think he is seeing another woman. Let him love me alone. Let him do whatever I tell him."* They go to herbalists, who are nothing but witch doctors,

to turn their husbands into morons! That is all they know! Africa; that is all they know! Voodoo is all they know! Human sacrifices! That is Africa for you. Step on a black man's toes, and in the night time, they will go to an herbalist, *"Somebody stepped on my toes today... I want him to run mad right now. From today, I want him to begin walking naked in the streets... Let him remove his cloths and jump up and down."* They cast a spell on him! And because the young man is like them, without Christ in his life, you suddenly see him get in the middle of the road, in broad daylight, a man who is well dressed, in suit and tie, and all of a sudden, brothers and sisters, madness comes upon him! Africa! Africa is truly a dark Continent. We know nothing else. They cannot marry, until they find out about the family of the person, from a native doctor, *"My daughter wants to marry this man... How is their family?"* They will go to a person that can peep into the spirit; people that are peeping spirits. They search out everything! And they brought that same

spirit into the Branham movement. And they are projecting it live on Times Television. Abomination! They are asking people to take a bow on the altar, after giving thanks! Things are happening in this movement! Saints of God, let me warn you, because of these abominable things, a race of people whom God loved and blessed materially; a race of people the Lord did not curse; a race of people with a suspended sentence, went into the depths of Satan, and God decided, *"You led the world in civilization in the beginning, but at the end, I will turn it around. You will follow the world in civilization. You will be at the bottom of the ladder."* And today, church, look at the western world, the Japhetic race, we follow Japheth. They call Africa the developing nations, having been called the *"Third World"* for years, because they do not want to take the true tag, the stigma of under developed world! We are not developing anywhere! That is the truth! I know people do not like messages like this, but I do not believe in racial sentiments! Look in

the Bible! I believe in Bible sentiments! I take on only the sentiments of my God! That is reality! The Hamitic race, a people once feared and revered by the Japhetic and Shemitic races; a people who once led and ruled the world, the Shemites and the people of Japheth inclusive; a people who once had the knowledge and ability for a d v a n c e m e n t a n d prosperity; a people who were once the city builders, and the envy of all the other races, have at the end of this world, become a race of followers; poor, starved, naked, wretched, and socially stunted, and with all their abilities stripped! Whereas before, they were the world's leaders, today, they cannot even rule themselves! Whereas before, they managed the resources of the world, to bring civilization to Shem and Japheth, today, they cannot manage their own resources, being riddled with the terminal illness of chronic corruption and gross ineptitude; a race of people ruled by leaders devoid of any ounce of vision and true compassion for the people. Do not forget, a people get the

leadership they deserve! That is what the Bible says! Ham at the end, is reaping the seeds he sowed in the beginning. What a sad story! I show you why the lineage of Ham is in the terrible shape he is in today. And let me tell you now, there is nothing any man can do about it, to reverse the trend, on a general scale. The coming of the Lord is the only answer. He is our hope; the only hope. The Hamitic race today, is paying for something, for this lineage is paying the bill for what they did back there. Do not forget, Ethiopia had been blessed before! And so was Morocco! Many Bible references allude to some of these nations: Morocco, the Nubians, Egypt, and her civilizations. What happened? Another spirit took over! And brothers and sisters, the Hamitic race not only led the world in civilization, they also led the world in the worship of Satan! And that was Ham's undoing! No wonder God told Israel, *"Wipe them out, and do not marry them!"* No wonder, God also brought the Japhetic race from Europe, and said to them, *"Go to America and wipe*

out the American Indians.” And they wiped out the American Indians. And the world is crying, “How could they have done that?” Yes, the same way God led Israel to wipe out the Canaanites, was the same way God also moved the Americans to wipe out the American Indians. Why? Because of idolatry! Because of their abominable religious lifestyle and practices! All the American Indians know, and all they have, are the little wrappers they wear, and the broken bones of animals they string round their necks, calling on all sorts of gods and devils they worship! No wonder the land lay barren, and remained a wilderness for centuries unend! It took Japheth, the white race, to develop it, turning it into what it is today. But look at Ham in his beginning, all he knew to do was also to build cities, and develop wherever he settled. You are not hearing me! I said Ham in his beginning, all he knew was to conquer wherever he abode, and develop it, and make cities out of it! I just showed you the Bible picture, when in that day, the Shemites only

knew how to dwell humbly in their lands, and in their dwellings, and same applied to Japheth. But look at it today; look at the travails of Ham. It was not only on account of what Ham did to his father that day in Genesis chapter 9, it was more particularly because of idolatry! Let us even take a quick look at Australia. God used the British people, the whites, Japheth, to push out the aborigines just as He did in America to the American Indians, because all they know is to worship all sorts of devils! They say the forest is their god! Do you not watch CNN documentaries? They worship all sorts of spirits! Look at them, they are always naked, with only a wrapper. They never wear clothes! The children of Ham do not wear clothes! Thank God for the white man who came with clothes! And do not be annoyed with me because of that! Swallow your pride, and acknowledge truth, for I am also proud of who I am! I am proud to be black! I am proud of who God made me, because I belong to God, regardless of my colour! And there is nothing

wrong with my colour! Back there, when we were the envy of the other children of Noah, my colour was much admired and respected! But more importantly, we (the lineage of Ham), are also in the Covenant of God! That makes the difference, for we are also at the centre of God's plan, and I can see it from a Scriptural perspective, for we also play a major part in God's plan of salvation! And that is what matters! Praise God! But the fact is Japheth brought clothes to us, because all we knew was to wear “*ibante*”, a little wrap around our waist; from Egypt, to the Zulus of South Africa; all we knew, brothers and sisters, were little wraps round our waists. Even with their great Egyptian civilization, the Hamitic race were still walking naked, baring their chest out! Their upper torso was always uncovered! Even the Pharaohs were like that! Saints, one thing remains certain, God reversed the Hamitic role and ability. Now, church, Ham's land is under developed. And please do not blame anybody else but yourselves! The resources are there! The white man

did not take it away! They may have carted out, and exploited some of our resources in the colonial days, but the resources are still there till this day! But we are blaming the white man. No, I cannot blame the white man! Blame yourselves! Because we have not even changed our ways! And our leaders do not care, because they are selfish! Corruption and gross mismanagement of funds and resources is our undoing! It is our incurable cancer! Even in the so-called Christian religious world, a lot of ministries in Africa are powered by sorcery! Absolutely! And the people do not care if it is of the devil or not, as long as miracles are happening, because all they want is a quick solution to their problems, a quick fix! And the devil can perform it! We see an example of that in Acts chapter 8, in Samaria! Simon the sorcerer was there! The Hamites have brought voodoo into Christianity! That is Ham for you! That is why Ham is in this state. The travails of Ham! Why are we in this condition? And let me tell you this, We will not get out of it. Only in the Millennium

will things change! In the beginning of this world, we led the way, but at the end of it, we are not just behind, we are way, way behind! We are in the woods! And you want to tell me Ham is guiltless? He is not! You have to look at Genesis chapter 9! And you also have to look at the testimony God gave to Moses of the idolatry of this lineage! The lineage of Ham led the way into idolatry, doing abominable things! And it all started in Babylon, under Nimrod, Ham's grandson! And if Ham was to bear the reproach he placed upon his own dad, then I say, the conditions, whether political, social, economic, have to warrant the nakedness of Ham at the end of this world. In the beginning of this world, Ham made fun of his dad, and church, at the end of this same world, Ham today, is naked, from North Africa, to South India (Are you with me?); to Australia, even to the native Pacific Islanders of New Zealand, the Maoris. You should see why Ham is naked. You have got to see it! You are looking precisely at Genesis chapter 9! That

tells us why Ham is naked today. No, God did not curse Ham directly, but He cursed his loins, and Ham bore responsibility, just like David did, for Ham is missing in the blessing of Genesis chapter 9, verses 26 & 27! That is what is accountable for our nakedness all over the world. And the abominable religious lifestyle and practices of the Hamitic race, is responsible for our present predicament. And no matter how blessed we are in natural and mineral resources, we just cannot get out of the woods! We went into the depths of Satan, and taught the world to worship Satan, and today, we are paying the bill, for God dispossessed the Hamitic race of his knowledge and natural abilities, because he was given to devil worship! They are now bound in poverty and misery! Look, even Iraq, a nation of people who belong to the lineage of Ham, for Iraq is old Babylon. They are not Shemites. They are Hamites. But with all the oil they have, the people are living in poverty, and have been, even under the late Saddam Hussein, their

deposed head of state! The state of the Hamitic race appears the same, all over the world, regardless of location! When you even consider South Africa, it looks like little Europe! But it is the white people who ruled the place under the Apartheid regime that transformed the place into what it is! It is the truth! The development and the standard of the place today, is not on account of the Hamitic people who own the place! It is on account of what the Japhetic race in South Africa did to transform the place into what it is! And if I may ask: What concrete developments have the black regime brought to the country? And although as blacks, we deserve to rule our country, but the truth is, South Africa today is being run down fast! That is a fact! I do not say all these things to belittle our race, I say it simply to present the truth to you. Moreover, I have to ask: How can we glory in a heritage that we should be ashamed of? Just consider this: We encase our little, little, gods in national museums all over Africa, and that is what we want to see! I do not need to see

that! And I do not want to see that! Because even all those things have a spirit, for they were once fed with the blood of human beings! But they are now housed in museums. I cannot glory in that, and say that is my heritage! That is not my heritage! I have a heavenly heritage! My heritage is from above! I am a Jerusalemite! I am from above! I may have been born in Nigeria, but my spirit is not a Nigerian spirit! If it was a Nigerian spirit, I would be a fraudster, because that is the spirit of Nigeria: It is all fraud and corruption on a reckless scale! Saints of God, you have to see the condition of Ham, and ask yourselves, What is the reason for our misery? Look at Japheth in all his domain, he is flourishing. Look at Shem, he is flourishing. Go and look at the Arabian kingdom. Go to Saudi Arabia! It is like it is another world, with what they have used oil money to do. But we also have the same oil! And we are one of the world's major producers of oil! But look at us! We do not have constant electricity; we do not have constant pipe-borne water;

we do not have good roads; we do not have housing for the people; no jobs; and as a Lagosian illiterate woman once said in a Lagos Television jingle, *"Mosquitoes are always bite us."* Remember that jingle? No water; no job; no food; no light; no accommodation; no roads; and no medicine. Africa! We are asking for free medicine from the West, to help us out of the Aids pandemic; an incurable disease killing the people by the millions every year across Africa. The president of South Africa, Tabo Mbeki, will not even admit there is Aids disease in South Africa! Church, the message I have taken today, by God's grace, is just to show you the travails of Ham, and to let you know why our condition is the way it is, in the tabernacle of Ham. And as I said before, I say again, The condition will not change. It is the finger of God; It is God's judgment! Saints of God, now you know why things are the way they are.

However, having laid out the travails of Ham, and also shown you the root cause, I wish to point out,

that neither the Shemitic race, nor the Japhetic race, have behaved any better, for all of them have inbred in them, the serpentine evil genetic traits, for the progenitor of the entire human race, Noah, was not himself a pure Sethite. And that is why every human being on earth is born with evil genes in him or her! And that is precisely why we need the new birth! We must be born again! It goes back to Genesis chapter 6! And as such, Shem, Ham, and Japheth, all had the serpent genes in them. Do not forget what God told Israel in Deuteronomy chapter 9, *"You are possessing this land, not for any goodness on your part."* But God gave it to them, in order to dispossess the people of Ham in Canaan! And they were a great people. But something went wrong, and God judged them for one thing: Their wickedness! Their idolatry! That was why you would see them take a human child, and make human sacrifices. It was Ham that started it. And they were also making their children pass through fire! They sought after familiar spirits,

and sorcerers, witches etc. Human sacrifices were going on. It took the missionaries to stop that in Africa. In the Calabar area of Nigeria, it took Mary Slessor to stop the killing of twins. The people took twins as an abomination; taboo, and killed them once they were born. And even today, ritual killing is still going on underground. Men are disappearing everyday. Men, women, and children, are disappearing everyday, because of men stealers, kidnappers. What for? Rituals! Ritual killing! Whether for money, security, political power, or for something else, ritual killing goes on, even today! But that just lets you see how Ham is stooped in voodoo! And all the films Nollywood is producing depicts nothing but that! That is why I will tell you, There is nothing in Nollywood films or movies for you to buy one copy to watch. There is nothing in it for you but the devil's junk! Yet, they end these movies with *"To God be the glory."* That is blasphemy! God is not interested in that! Brothers and sisters that is all you see on Africa Magic

channel. It is all demonic, for it is all about voodoo! It is demonic! It is glorifying the devil! Yes, at the end of the day, in their movies, sometimes they project light conquering darkness. Yes, they project that. But let me tell you: When you project the devil to such a height, brothers and sisters, whatever projection of light you give is utterly meaningless! Because you have only glorified the devil! Precisely! You have! These films are portraying the true lifestyle of the African people. And let me tell you, today, young men and young women in this country, are going into cults. They are going into the occult, Ogboni cult, and all sorts of cults. Many students are being lured into it. Brothers and sisters, Africa has gone back into darkness! The effect of the gospel is gone, and all sorts of spirits are turning loose. But let me wrap up my message with this thought. Saints, I said, God gave Shem the land that was occupied by the Hamites in Palestine. Why? It was not for Shem's righteousness! When you look at Joshua chapter 24 verse 2, it is

written: ***“And Joshua said unto all the people, Thus saith the Lord God of Israel, Your fathers dwelt on the other side of the flood in old time, even Terah, the father of Abraham, and the father of Nachor: AND THEY SERVED OTHER GODS.”***

What does that show you? The beginning of Abraham was in idolatry! Do not ever think Abraham was not in idolatry. He did not know anything other than what his father served! He was born into idolatry! What does that show you? All the three Sons of Noah were fouled up! They were all guilty of idolatry! Why? Because Noah, their father, was himself not a pure Sethite! His genetic constitution was already fouled up from birth! Are you with me? If Noah was pure, then all his children should have been pure. Precisely! Verse 14: ***“Now therefore fear the Lord, and serve Him in sincerity and in truth: and put away the gods which your fathers”*** (plural) ***“served on the other side of the flood, AND in Egypt...”*** What does that show you? They followed the Egyptians to serve

various gods! But saints, before the Jews were taken to Egypt, their fathers also served other gods! I said, before Israel came to Egypt, their progenitors already served other gods! So the Shemites are not better than the Hamites. Can I hear Amen? Exactly! The mercy of God is what made the difference. I say that because they also went into idolatry. Just look at Deuteronomy chapter 9, from verse 4: ***“Speak not thou in thine heart, after the Lord thy God hath cast them out from before thee, saying, For my righteousness the Lord hath brought me in to possess this land: but for the wickedness of these nations the Lord doth drive them out from before thee. Not for thy righteousness, or for the uprightness of thine heart, dost thou go to possess their land: but for the wickedness of these nations the Lord thy God doth drive them out from before thee, and that He may perform the word which the Lord swore unto thy fathers, Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. Understand therefore, that the Lord***

***thy God giveth thee not this good land to possess it for thy righteousness; FOR THOU ART A STIFFNECKED PEOPLE. REMEMBER, AND FORGET NOT, HOW THOU PROVOKEDST THE LORD THY GOD TO WRATH IN THE WILDERNESS: FROM THE DAY THAT THOU DIDST DEPART OUT OF THE LAND OF EGYPT, UNTIL YE CAME UNTO THIS PLACE, YE HAVE BEEN REBELLIOUS AGAINST THE LORD. Also in Horeb ye provoked the Lord to wrath, so that the Lord was angry with you to have destroyed you. When I was gone up into the mount to receive the tables of stone...”*** Are you with me? Can you see their spiritual state? Verse 16: ***“And I looked, and, behold, ye had sinned against the Lord your God, and had made you a molten calf: YE HAD TURNED A SIDE QUICKLY out of the way which the Lord had commanded you. And I took the two tables, and cast them out of my two hands, and brake them***

*before your eyes.”* And Moses interceded for the people. Verse 20: **“And the Lord was very angry with Aaron to have destroyed him: and I prayed for Aaron also the same time. And I took your sin, the calf which ye had made, and burnt it with fire, and stamped it, and ground it very small, even until it was as small as dust: and I cast the dust thereof into the brook that descended out of the mount. And at Taberah, and at Massah, and at Kibroth-hattavah, ye provoked the Lord to wrath. Likewise when the Lord sent you from Kadesh-barnea...”** Watch verse 24: **“YE HAVE BEEN REBELLIOUS AGAINST THE LORD FROM THE DAY THAT I KNEW YOU.”** Finally, when you also consider the record of the book of Acts chapter 17, from verse 15, the Word of God gives us a glimpse into the lifestyle and religious practices of the Japhetic race as well. In this passage of Scripture, Paul was in Athens in Greece, in Europe, one of the countries of Japheth. Are you with me? It reads: **“And they that**

**conducted Paul brought him unto Athens: and receiving a commandment unto Silas and Timotheus for to come to him with all speed, they departed. Now while Paul waited for them at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when HE SAW THE CITY WHOLLY GIVEN TO IDOLATRY.”** Brothers and sisters, you can read the rest of the chapter. Greece was given completely to idolatry. That stirred the heart of Paul. He looked; and everywhere he looked was idolatry. Idolatrous temples to every imaginable god! Temples to various gods! But finally, he saw one temple, and it had an inscription, **“To the unknown God.”** He said, *“That is the God I want to introduce to you!”* That is why he said, **“I perceive ye Athenians, ye are all of men most superstitious.”** It is idolatry! I can say a lot about the idolatry of the race of Japheth. Rome excelled all of them in idolatry, and the Bible attests to their raw pagan lifestyle, with their pagan priests called druids; voodoo priests; with their witches, wizards, and

sorcerers. For instance, it is in the United Kingdom that you have white witches and black witches, occultics etc. What am I saying? The lineage of Japheth did not fare any better! As it is written: **“All have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God.”** But the Japhetic race bore the gospel of Christ for six long church ages. And their faithfulness to the cause of Christ, was what made God bless the white race. And look at it today, Japheth is leading the world in civilization, in every aspect of human endeavour. And that is the fact. They have taken geometry (mathematics), science, technology of all sorts, arts, to the limits! It is phenomenal! But remember, Ham laid the foundation, being the pioneers of all these things. Brothers and sisters, the knowledge of geometry Egypt and Babylon had; the knowledge of chemistry and astronomy they possessed back there, is still something the Western world marvel at. If only Ham would have lived for God that gave him that ability. But the bad thing is, the law of darkness he sought and

embraced, and in turn, fed to the world, was Ham's undoing. And that proves that he inherited more of the serpentine genes, than his other brothers did. But all that is done away with in Christ. For all have sinned, regardless of race, whether Shem, Ham, Japheth. Absolutely!

I will close by saying this, and it is a serious thought: Africa still lies in darkness today. It is the light of Christ that is making the difference. But when you also look at the lineage of Japheth today, the white race, you have to see that they are exactly in the state Ham was, when the judgment of God fell, and God began to reverse his role. Sodom and Gomorrah were cities of Ham; two great cities. Are you listening to me? The lineage of Ham founded Sodom and Gomorrah. Lot went to live there, but it was the Hamites that built that city, and lived in that city. God wiped out the two cities, literally! But look at the evil the Japhetic lineage are committing today, with gross impunity and brazenly! You can even be jailed for talking about it,

or for condemning it! Look at the abomination of homosexuality and the scale at which it is going on, and in the open! Yet, God wiped out Sodom and Gomorrah for the very same thing! Moreover, in Sodom and Gomorrah, homosexuality was not legalized by the government! And neither did they engage at all in marrying gay couples! Lord have mercy on this generation! Yet, God had to utterly destroy Sodom and Gomorrah, two great and attractive cities! But look at Japheth today, they are leading the whole wide world in homosexuality. They are the only ones that have legalized gay marriages! And if God judged Sodom and Gomorrah, for such a godless and abominable lifestyle, He has to judge the lineage of Japheth. He has to! And He will judge the world today. Today, lesbians, gays, witchcraft, sorcery, are rife in the land of Japheth. Their voice is loudest, and is the voice that is heard. And church, Satanists, people that worship Satan; the literal worship of Satan; that spirit has returned to Europe, big

time! I am talking of people that worship Satan as their religion. As we call on God and worship God, so they call on Satan and worship Satan. They are called Satanists. Japheth does that above anybody else today. A flat my wife and two boys once occupied in London, was occupied by a former Satanist tenant, and they painted the whole of the inside black! Now, psychic mediums, magic, and witches are glorified on television. They promote them big time! With their adverts on the News, their books and films sell like hot cakes, more than any other book! Look at Harry Potter: It is selling in billions, and church, they queue for the book! They queue to watch it, old and young. Buffy the vampire slayer! Your children should not watch all those things. Your children cannot be watching Harry Potter, and Buffy the vampire slayer. You cannot do that! All these are demonic things. And let me tell you this, There are some things you cannot watch, because you will invite evil spirits into your homes. Turn it off! If you allow it, you are inviting evil spirits literally into your

homes. As long as these movies are playing in your homes, you have opened the door of your homes to Satan. It is an invitation to the spirit of the devil! Satan manifests himself wherever he is glorified! As I was saying, just look at Japheth today. No, they no longer care for truth. Yet, according to Genesis chapter 9 verse 27, God was the one that enlarged Japheth! And salvation truly is also of the Jews! But the Japhetic race do not even want God anymore! They hate the mere mention of God! That is Europe for you! And in America, the government do not even want people to call on God in any public place! No prayer in schools! Are you with me? Nothing about God anymore! But the homosexuals have a say! The gays have rights! Rapists have rights! Muslims have rights! But the Christians have no rights! That is modern day Japheth for you. Japheth's world is a world of pornography, wife-swapping, child molestation, open homosexuality, glorified gay marriages, televised

psychic mediums and witches, violence, and murder. Church, Japheth today has become more predominantly pagan! That is a fact! Japheth today, with all his advancement, is essentially pagan! And that is the truth! They have no time for God! It is the African immigrants in Europe that go to church. I said it is the African immigrants that go to church! The people of Japheth have no time! What a pity! In that day, Ham started a tower. Japheth today is also building his own tower, and it is reaching much higher into the sky. All these skyscrapers, what do you think it is? Buildings with over one hundred floors! That is Japheth's tower! Ham built his own tower, and today, Japheth is building his. What of their space programmes, what do you think it is? It is the tower of Japheth! They want to go farthest. They are fighting one another to see who can go farthest to the sky, to make a name, just as Nimrod did; just as Ham did in his beginning, to make a name. And God

will certainly destroy all these space programmes, with the billions of dollars they are wasting, useless efforts! The western civilization is of the devil! They have corrupted the nations of the world. And they have destroyed the earth. Now they want to look for another planet they can live on. They are trying to see if life can thrive on the Moon or on Mars! It is not Ham doing that! It is Japheth! What does that show you? Japheth today is precisely in the shoes of Ham in that day. Exactly! Think about it! He has advancement, but he also has all of the devil along with it. Precisely! Think about it! And God will judge it, for you cannot look at things from a carnal or material point of view. The Japhetic race is going anti-God, until when we come to Revelation chapters 17 and 19, the lineage of Japheth will lead the whole literal world, against the coming of the Lord, because they do not want him! They do not want him! Japheth will lead the way in that literal military conflict against Christ, and his heavenly armies, on

the day of the Lord! And if God judged Ham for what he did, the abominations he committed, you know God is going to judge Japheth. And not only will He judge Japheth, He will judge the whole world. Precisely! He will overthrow the world! After all, God brought the civilization of Cain to a close, the civilization in Noah's day! And God is also going to bring this modern civilization to a close, for it is evil, and is worse than the days of Noah!

The travails of Ham. Brothers and sisters, the idolatry and filial disrespect Ham showed, is the cause of our pathetic state. But Christ offers all of us hope, if we would only accept him. For in accepting him, we have life everlasting, and we are no longer under any curse. We are free,

regardless of our past life, and regardless of our social and racial background. And God is still working through the three main races of people begotten through Noah, to accomplish His great plan of salvation. He has used the race of Shem to give the world the only two true religions, Judaism and Christianity, and to also give the world, the entire books of the Bible, which is the inspired Word of God. He has used the race of Japheth, to evangelise the world, in six long church ages. He is now using the race of Ham, to bear the final standard, to wrap up this great plan of Gentile salvation. That is the gospel truth, regardless of who accepts it or not. Let us bow our heads in prayer. (Brother Amos prayed).

I took this message this morning to answer one

question, and one question only: Why is Ham's condition the way it is? You will not change it. There are not enough politicians to change it, for the devil is the one behind every government on earth today, being the prince of this evil world; for the current world order, belongs to Satan. But we have Christ, ***the desire of all ages***. He is our hope, for he gives us a blessed hope, a most glorious end, a beautiful, and a wonderful future. That makes all the difference, for God's kingdom is coming soon. And it is the coming of the Lord that will make the difference, for Jesus Christ is the answer, the only solution, to a world ruled by Satan. Amen.

May the Lord bless you.

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