

# The Scribe

"Every Scribe which is instructed into 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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## THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY

The following message was preached by Brother Amos, on Sunday 1st June, 2014, at Bible Faith Tabernacle, Lagos, Nigeria. It is a most timely message, a reminder that God is indeed, quietly, but most definitely, working on the original Fivefold ministry, to give the Bride her long awaited original pure seed ministry to take her home.

I greet everyone in Jesus' Name. It is good to see you all. Tomorrow by the grace of God, I will be going away for three weeks, to continue with my work producing the Scribe. So I pray that God will help me to cover the ground we need to cover. I want to appreciate the kindness of the saints, your continued prayers and love gifts, the many

times we opened the offering box, to find an envelope there with my name on it, and I want to thank you all for being so kind. May God richly bless you, and may He supply your every need. I also want to use this opportunity to appreciate and thank our precious brothers and sisters in this country, and around the globe, who are supporting this work, carrying its financial burden, for without your support, the work would have been impossible. May the God of our salvation richly bless and prosper all your endeavours, and be gracious to you, and may He carry all your burdens, and lift you up, to the glory of His Name, is our honest and sincere prayer. I want to apologise to our brethren who are standing up for lack of space



to sit. I want to assure you that next Sunday, the Lord helping us, there will be nobody standing, as we are going to have new sitting arrangements, to help the situation. We have to do something about it, and God helping us, this week, we will certainly do something about it. May God bless the Church. Shall we bow our heads in prayer. (Brother Amos prayed).

Last Thursday, I took a message which I did not finish, as I left certain things out. This morning, because I want to do justice to it, I will retake it, and bring it to its conclusion. It was an email I received from Brother Allen in Goa, that the Lord used to inspire me to take this message, for he wrote to encourage my heart. May the Lord bless our brother. He had planted a flowering seed in front of his house, and expected it to sprout within one or two days; but looking outside the window a day or two later, without seeing anything, he was disappointed. However, a few days thereafter, there it was, for the seed had sprung forth, and this brought joy to his heart. From that testimony, a message thought suddenly

struck my heart. Please turn with me to the Gospel of Saint Mark Chapter 4, and we will take it from verse 26, which states: **“And he”** (Jesus) **“said, So is the kingdom of God”** (or the Church of God), **“as if a man should cast seed into the ground; And should sleep, and rise night and day”**, showing that a seed that is cast into the ground, or a seed that is sown, does not grow overnight, for it takes time; it takes many days. That is why he said a man **“should sleep, and rise night and day”**, giving us a period of time, as it takes some time before a seed sown germinates, and comes forth to life. You certainly do not see the seed you sow germinate overnight: It takes days and nights, for it takes some time. We will retake verse 26: **“And he”** (Jesus) **“said, So is the kingdom of God, as if a man should cast seed into the ground; And should sleep, and rise night and day, and the seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear. But when the fruit is brought**

**forth, immediately”**, (without any delay; without allowing the devil to take a swipe at the produce), **“he”** (Jesus) **“putteth in the sickle, because the harvest is come”**. May the Lord bless the reading of His Word. Amen.

Brothers and sisters, on the basis of this passage of Scripture, I want to take a message I title, **THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY**. It is just a little word of exhortation, to give understanding, as well as comfort and encouragement, to the eagles of God around the globe, regarding the original ministry we are all expecting the Lord to establish in the earth today, for the spiritual edification of the elect Bride of Jesus Christ, in full preparation for the rapture. Brothers and sisters, in the Holy Scriptures we just read, our Lord laid out one very fundamental, very rich, and very deep spiritual principle, concerning the reproduction of the Bride Church. To begin with, we must all understand that the singular seed sown in this passage of Scripture is the Church, for **“the Kingdom of God”**, which is the Church, is likened

right here to a seed that is cast into the ground, for the Church is that seed, and it gives us the original pure seed Church. Similarly, in the third parable of Matthew Chapter 13, a parable which brings us to the Third Church Age, Jesus Christ also likened the Church that was born on the Day of Pentecost, to a seed, ***“a grain of mustard seed”***, in verses 31-32, as it is written: ***“Another parable put he”*** (Jesus) ***“forth unto them, saying, The kingdom of heaven”***, (which in this case is the Church that was born on the Day of Pentecost), ***“IS LIKE TO A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED, which a man”*** (who is Jesus Christ) ***“took, and sowed in his field: Which indeed is the least of all seeds: but when it is grown, it is the greatest AMONG HERBS”***, (not among trees, but among herbs, even though it is also a tree, a herb tree), ***“and becometh A TREE, so that the birds of the air come and lodge in the branches thereof”***. This definitely shows the bigness of this tree, and the rich spread of its branches and leaves, which makes it an attraction for the birds of the air! Yet, this incredible tree starts with just one tiny

bitty seed, a mustard seed, one which we have on our chart. And in order to produce many more seeds, all God needs is just a seed, one lone seed, an original seed. Do you know that as small as that mustard seed is, it has so much power, one that God has invested in it, to produce such a big herb tree, one described by the Lord as ***“the greatest among herbs”***? And because the mustard is a herb tree, not only are its fruits edible, but its leaves are also edible, and its leaves are eaten around the globe. The point, however, is that the power invested in that little bitty seed is simply incredible, for as small as it is, it has the power to produce the biggest of herb trees in the world. Think about it! Yet, it takes a microscope to do a n y m e a n i n g f u l examination of that seed, on account of its smallness. And you would think that a tree that is so big would be produced or birthed by a big seed. Carnally or humanly speaking, we would expect that the bigger the tree, the bigger its seed would be, and that if we want a very big tree, we would need the biggest of seeds we could get, in order to produce it. But no,

for that is not how God works, and the law of reproduction does not follow that pattern either! It means in reality, that it is not the size of the seed that matters, but what is in the seed, as it is not the size of the seed that determines its growth, but what is buried in a seed; what a particular seed is made of. This is absolutely so, because a seed can be very big, but if what is in it is not much, it will only produce a small tree. That is a fact, for you can have a very big seed producing only a very small tree, because it is not the size of a seed that counts; but it is the power which God has invested in the seed that makes all the difference. Therefore, the power of a seed, and its reproductive ability, is not determined by its size, but by what it packs inside of it. Hence the reason a mustard seed, as small as it is, packs the power of reproduction like no other herb seed, until when it begins to grow, it produces the biggest of herb trees in this world, which creates so much attraction, that the ***“birds of the air”*** come and lodge in its branches. It is simply astounding! (I need to point out though, that the birds here, really r e p r e s e n t s p a g a n

politicians in that Third Age of Christendom, people like Emperor Constantine, who came into the Church without true or genuine conversion, but for political gain. They benefit from the tree, because of its bigness and the expanse of its cover, but add nothing to it, for they are birds of the air). The herb tree is the greatest among herbs, yet it is produced by the smallest of seeds! It means, in essence, that every root it would ever bear, the big and tall trunk that it would have, the many branches, and all the innumerable number of leaves it would bear, year in year out, and all the fruits it would ever bear, with the incredible number of seeds that would ever be produced in all the fruits it would bear, are all embedded, compressed and condensed, into that tiny little grain of mustard seed! Think about it! Everything it would ever bear, the incredible number of seeds it would bear in its fruits, the innumerable thousands upon thousands of leaves it would bear, and all its branches, its trunk and roots, are all compressed and condensed into that tiny bitty seed. And once it is sown, and it comes forth

first as a shoot, which opens up into a blade, it will start bearing all these attributes invested in it, with the passage of time, and with the right soil and climatic conditions. But the fact remains that only God knows how much fruits it will bear all its life, for it is simply innumerable, and only God knows the potentials invested in any original seed, the potentials which an original seed packs! All it takes is for the mustard seed to be sown, and with the operation of time, and also with the right soil and weather conditions, it begins to come forth, producing the biggest of herb trees in the world. Such is also the case with the elect Bride of Jesus Christ, which is why Jesus referred to her in that parable as a grain of mustard seed, declaring: **“The kingdom of heaven is like to A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED, which a man took, and sowed in his field: Which indeed is the least of all seeds: but when it is grown, it is the greatest among herbs...”** Why did the Lord liken the Church to a grain of mustard seed? It is because she started out in the upper room, on the Day of Pentecost, as a very small, insignificant number

of saints, ***“about an hundred and twenty”***, unknown, unloved, unwanted people, considered the scum of the earth; but my, in spite of the extreme smallness of her number, she was filled with the power of heaven and earth! Yes! The power she packed, the power of divine revelation of truth that was invested in her soul, the seed of life that she bore in that day, was a different kettle of fish! No wonder Jesus said in Luke Chapter 12, verse 32: ***“Fear not, LITTLE FLOCK; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the Kingdom”***. It is a little flock, a despised remnant, a mustard seed, but brothers and sisters, what a Bride she is! She started out being about 120 in number, a number referred to figuratively as ***“a grain of mustard seed”***, and now she fills the world! Saints, it is not her numerical size that counts; it is the power of God invested in her that makes the difference! It is the divine glory she is invested with that counts, and not her size! And may I say, therefore, **THERE IS COMING A “SHOWDOWN AT SUNDOWN”!** For as I stated, it is not the size of the Bride that matters, but it

is the power and the glory of the Almighty God that is embedded in the Bride, that will make the difference at this end time; which is why we say that a serious showdown is coming in this religious world, and it is just right ahead. Brothers and sisters, size is absolutely immaterial, when speaking of spiritual things. In fact, I will say it in this way: The power and the glory of God, the awesome majesty of the Almighty God, is conveyed much more powerfully, when the seed is too minuscule for it to matter to man, as it becomes a seed that is most looked down upon. Exactly! I repeat: The glory of the Lord and His power, is revealed much more when the seed is so small and insignificant looking, in the eyes of mortal men, as its result then becomes astounding! Yes! It is there God shows His majesty! Like our brother often sings, **“little is much, if God be in it”**. Saints, it is not the size of a seed that counts, but it is what is in a seed that counts. Similarly, it is not the size of the Bride that counts, but it is the power of the Almighty God, and the depth, height, and expanse, of the revelation of life that she is carrying deep down in her soul, that

counts! That is what makes a difference, and that is precisely what will make the difference at this end time, because that is what determines her end, as it determines the height of the majesty of her glory and power! Exactly! And this morning, brothers and sisters, you have to agree with me, that the Bride of Jesus Christ is carrying an unprecedented and matchless measure of scriptural light. Absolutely! You can only imagine the marvellous and most spectacular fruits that she will bear, at this end time of harvest. Church, you have to agree with me tonight, that the end time elect Bride of Jesus Christ, as minuscule as she is, as small as she is, is carrying an unparalleled measure of divine revelation of the Holy Scriptures. That is why we sing this song... (Brother Amos sings):

*There's never been a day  
like this day to me*

*There's never been a day  
like this day I see*

*There's never been a time  
that shines so bright*

*As this day, this glorious  
day.*

Never has there been a time that shines so bright, as there has never been a

light that shines as bright! Never has there been an era since Moses was here, where people have accessibility to the depth of truth that we now have today, an era where the mysteries of the Bible are opened up, and the veil that covered so many prophetic passages of the Word of God have been removed, and the entire plan of salvation laid out bare, that we can plainly and clearly see what the sages of old could not see in their day, because it was not given to them to see these things. It certainly now makes the Bible an open Book. So you have to agree with me, that this end time Bride, as little and as insignificant as she is, is loaded with something, a mega power of rock solid divine revelation! Absolutely! And when God causes this truth to combust; when God makes her truth catch fire, by anointing her, you will see the marvellous fruits she will bear, for it will simply astound you. It will definitely astound and mesmerize the world! The world will certainly be amazed, dumbfounded and confounded, for they will be stupefied, when God turns her loose, and sets her on the world's stage to be seen. That is, when God

puts her on open display before the whole world, for she is not leaving this world in obscurity, but in a most glorious light, as she will be in the limelight, dazzling with the glory of the resurrected Christ. That is why it is not the size of the Bride that counts, just as it is not the size of the seed that counts: But it is what is in the Bride that counts, just as it is what is in the seed that makes the difference! That is why, sometimes you see a little dog fighting a big dog, and the little dog just whips the big dog black and blue; because it is not the size of the dog, but it is the power of the fight in the dog! You do not judge spiritual people by their numerical size: It is by the power of the divine revelation of God they are carrying, that you judge them by, for that is what makes all the difference, being the dominant and determinant factor! Hence it is written in Romans Chapter 1, verses 16-17: **“For I am not ashamed of THE GOSPEL OF CHRIST: FOR IT IS THE POWER OF GOD UNTO SALVATION to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. For therein”** (in the Gospel), **“is the righteousness of God**

**revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, THE JUST SHALL LIVE BY FAITH”**. God's eternal power is revealed and conveyed through His Word. He spoke in Genesis, declaring, **“Let there be light: AND THERE WAS LIGHT”**. There was light, because His Word carries the power of life, for His Word is “Amoya” (Spirit), bearing a divine creative force, showing us evidently, that there is power in the Word of God, super mega divine power! Amen!

So, brothers and sisters, we see that there is something about seeds, original seeds, for they carry the power of life in them, whether we are looking at a natural plant seed, or whether we are looking at a spiritual seed, or even a human seed: All original seeds carry the power of life in them, for they bear the germ of a new life in them. And in Mark Chapter 4, Jesus was speaking prophetically concerning the Bride Church in verse 26: **“And he said, So is the kingdom of God, as if a man should cast seed into the ground; And should sleep, and rise night and day,”** (because

it takes time), **“and the seed should spring and grow up, HE KNOWETH NOT HOW”**. The farmer does not know how it grows, and neither is he responsible for its growth. But the question is: What are the stages of its growth, when it begins to grow? How does it come forth? Does it bring forth its fruits immediately? No! Verse 28 lays it out for us, declaring: **“For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself”**, (as it does not need any human help); **“FIRST THE BLADE...”** Hold it right there! Brothers and sisters, the natural farmer himself does not know how the seed he plants in the ground grows, for it is a total mystery to him, and as such, he has no control or power over the seed that has been sown in the earth, once it is in the earth. However, every original seed carries the germ of life in itself, and the power of reproduction that is invested in it by God. Therefore, the farmer can only **PLANT THE SEED, WATER IT, WATCH OVER IT**, keeping all pests and weeds away, **AND TRUST GOD**; for it takes God and God alone for it to germinate, and bring forth fruit. Brothers and sisters,

that is precisely how it is with the birthing of the true ministry, as we can only sow the pure seed of the Word of God, which will produce the original ministry! Hence, we are speaking today about *THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY*. And when we talk of the mysterious birthing of the ministry, brothers and sisters, you must understand that we are speaking strictly of only one brand of ministry, and that is the Original Ephesian FIVEFOLD MINISTRY, a ministry Jesus Christ produced, being his continuing ministry, as recorded in the Book of Ephesians Chapter 4, verses 11-13, which provides: **“And he”** (Jesus Christ) **“gave some, APOSTLES; and some, PROPHETS; and some, EVANGELISTS; and some, PASTORS and TEACHERS”** (plural; for what purpose?) **“For THE PERFECTING of the saints, for the work of the ministry”**, (the singular ministry of Jesus Christ, being a continuing ministry), **“for THE EDIFYING”** (or the building up) **“of the body of Christ”** (universal): **“TILL WE ALL COME IN THE**

**UNITY OF THE FAITH, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ”**. It means in effect, that this ministry is divinely ordained to prepare the universal Bride of Jesus Christ, in full and perfect readiness for the return of our Bridegroom, by bringing her into the **Unity of The Faith, AND Perfection**, which is spiritual maturity. I want to remind you, for we must all understand, that in the First Church Age, which is the Early Church, there was Unity of the Faith, for revelatory Unity was firmly established in the earth in that day, amongst the entire body of saints, as they all received the same Revealed Faith, which the original apostles established for them, and as recorded in the pages of the New Testament. Yet, Apostle Paul still said: **“TILL WE ALL COME in the Unity of the Faith...”** This clearly shows, and hence proves, that this verse is prophetic, for he was speaking prophetically of the end time. It is definitely prophetic, because there was Unity of the Faith amongst the body

of saints, in the day that this Epistle was written, which is precisely why we are also urged by Apostle Jude, in verse 3 of his Epistle, to **“earnestly contend for THE FAITH which was ONCE DELIVERED unto the saints”** in that day, in that First Age of Christendom, which gives us the Ephesian Church Age! It is a faith which was once delivered to all the saints, and as such, in Ephesians Chapter 4, verse 13, Apostle Paul was undoubtedly making a prophetic statement, a statement of something that is to be accomplished and obtained at this evening time, knowing that they gave us the only True Faith, which is the revealed faith of our Lord Jesus Christ. Consequently, brothers and sisters, we have to see that Apostle Paul was looking strictly at this end time, when all elect seeds of God ordained as Bride, will be brought into this same **“unity of The Faith”**, and hence the reason he declared: **“TILL WE ALL COME...”** **“Till we ALL COME”**, is a statement which shows that it will take time to accomplish this unity! And truly, it takes time for God to bring the global Bride into

this Unity of the Faith, as there is only one true faith, and the body of Christ being a universal body of people! Exactly! So, the question is: What is that faith? Brothers and sisters, it is the entire body of revealed truths of Jesus Christ of the Bible, an original faith which lays out the entire plan of salvation, beginning from the Book of Genesis, right up to the Book of Revelation. **“Unity of The Faith”**, therefore, means that wherever we may be located on the earth, whether we are in China, Japan, Australia, Philippines, India, Sri Lanka, Norway, France, Germany, Britain, Togo, Ghana, Nigeria, Ivory Coast, South Africa, Brazil, Mexico, USA, or Canada, as true believers, we will all believe the same thing, and stand for the same thing, and present the same thing, revelation-wise. This is absolutely so, for it is written in the Book of Isaiah Chapter 52, verse 8, that the true watchmen, the true ministry, will **“See EYE to EYE”**, on ALL issues of Scripture, thereby guaranteeing that God's elect Bride saints, will in turn, also **“see eye to eye”**, around the globe, on all issues of truth! This is

inarguably so, because the revelation of the Word of God can only have one true inspired meaning, as the revelation of God is one, and hence, it can only produce One Faith, **“The Faith”**, one which ensures a united stand around the globe! Church, the job or the responsibility of accomplishing this great feat, rests squarely upon the shoulders of the Original Ephesian Fivefold Ministry, a ministry which the Lord is bringing forth in this hour of time. Thus saith the Word of God! This is the very ministry we are speaking about today in this message, and their responsibility is also what I have just laid out before you, as the Scriptures give us the specific work that they are to do. However, and as I stated earlier, the birthing of this ministry is a mysterious one, because its birth is shrouded in deep mystery, one known only to God. I say this on the full authority of Mark Chapter 4, verse 27, which plainly states that **THE SOWER “KNOWETH NOT HOW”** the seed sown springs forth! Yes, I know that verses 26- 27, gives us the birthing of the entire Bride Church at this end time of harvest; but the fact

remains, that since it is about the birthing of the Bride Church, it definitely also applies to the birthing of her ministry, for the ministry is an integral part and parcel of the Bride. To start with, the Ephesian ministry is called from among the Bride saints, as they make up an important and most crucial part of the Bride! Moreover, and as a matter of fact, the Scriptures which give us the reproduction mystery we are considering today, applies first to her ministry, before it applies to the Bride herself, because it takes the original Ephesian Fivefold ministry, to produce the original Bride, as the Ephesian Fivefold ministry is the head of the universal Bride of Jesus Christ! That was why in the Early Church, with the sowing of Jesus Christ, the Pure Word of God, the original super seed of God, God's super **“corn of wheat”**, it was the ministry the original pure seed ministry of Ephesians, that was first produced, starting with the ministry of apostles, who make up the head of the Ephesian Fivefold ministry. And with the production of the ministry, the Bride Church was in turn also produced,



on the Day of Pentecost. That was why the Lord Jesus first got to himself a precise number of apostles, with whom the Church was born, men who made up the original twelve apostles, a ministry recorded in Acts Chapter 1. They were the midwives of the Church, the guardians of the Word of life, and the carriers of the original germ of life, which is the pure original seed of the Word of God, which our Lord Jesus Christ gave. That was precisely why we had only one fold of ministry on the ground in the upper room, before the Day of Pentecost, when the Church was born, men who were laying out **“the present truth”**, and who also fulfilled that which was written for that day, as relating to the takeover of the apostolic office of Judas, and as recorded in Acts Chapter 1. And when the Day of Pentecost finally came, it was still this same original fold of ministry that was on the ground, at the birth of the Church, as the ministry comes first. Furthermore, I have to remind you, that we did not lose the truth, and hence derail, until we first lost the original apostolic ministry, for as it is written in the

Parable of the Tares recorded in Matthew Chapter 13, verse 25, Jesus Christ revealed that the enemy was able to sow tares, only after **“men slept”**, the last of which was Apostle John! Consequently, we need the original apostolic ministry to reproduce the original pure seed Bride Church, just as at the beginning, and the re-establishment of the original apostolic ministry, therefore paves the way for the reproduction of the other four folds of ministry, who together, will be used to bring the elect universal Bride of Christ, into the **“Unity of the Faith”**, AND **“Perfection”**, in perfect readiness for the rapture. Consequently, it is unquestionable to say that the mysterious birthing which Mark Chapter 4, verses 26-27, states of the Church, applies first to her ministry, for her ministry will be birthed first, and with the re-birth of the ministry, her re-birth will also be activated, for it takes the ministry to produce the Bride, all under Jesus Christ. Period! Verse 27, is therefore saying, that when the seed is planted, the farmer does not know how it grows, for it is a mystery.

The farmer just plants it, but he does not have the power to make it come forth to life. Hence the reason Apostle Paul declared in 1 Corinthians Chapter 3, verses 6-7: **“I have PLANTED, Apollos WATERED; but God gave the INCREASE”** (of life reproduction). **“So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase”** (of life reproduction), because neither the sower nor the waterer can make a seed germinate, although each man will receive his reward for the labour expended! Consequently, how life comes forth from a seed sown, is a great mystery. Look at this pure wheat seed, a grain of corn, which represents Jesus Christ. (Brother Amos points to the chart). God sowed him, and he produced the Original Pure Seed Church, one having an original pure seed ministry, and one which God also later sowed. Now watch, saints. When a grain of corn is sown, you do not see it anymore, because it is sown into the belly of the earth. What happens to the seed that has been sown in the belly of the earth, God only knows. And you

cannot take a peak; you cannot say: Let me open it up and see what has happened to it; otherwise, you will kill that seed, and it means that you have just sowed in vain! A farmer does not need to strain and stress himself, thinking, "Oh, I sowed a seed in this place. I sowed a seed last night. When is it going to come forth? Maybe I should take a peek at the seed to see if it is alright; if it will grow." You just have to leave the seed there, and continue to water and to watch over it, and also let the "Sunlight" shine on it, for the S-O-N Light of God has the power of endless spiritual life, the power of eternal life. Are you with me? When the S-U-N of the earth, the Sunlight of the earth, shines from heaven on all natural seeds, as it has the power to call forth the life in all plant life seeds, aided by water, which is the moisture of the Spirit, they come forth in their allotted time! So also the S-O-N of God, the Son-light of God, has the power over all spiritual seeds, in order to bring all the sons and daughters of God to eternal glory, back to God. Just let him shine his light continuously on the seeds sown, aided with the

abundant water of the Word, and when the power of God comes upon it, you will see the original ministry come forth. You certainly cannot mess with the divine process of reproduction, or with the process of the germitization of seeds, for its germitization is mysterious, as it is controlled exclusively by the invisible God. However, all of a sudden, one day, you see a shoot sprout up, and you say, "Wow, my corn has sprung forth!" It then opens up into a blade, and the farmer is very happy for the blade he sees. But the seed he sowed first had to die before it could bring forth many more, and it can only do so in its God ordained stages of development, or in its ordered stages of reproduction. Do not forget that we are speaking about **THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY**. And what is the first stage of reproduction? This brings us back to Mark Chapter 4, verse 28, which provides: "**For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; FIRST THE BLADE...**" The blade here is a collective noun, standing for all the blades that the corn plant will ever bear, although the blades

start with the first blade that comes forth. This Scripture therefore shows, that the original seed is not what is first reproduced, but blades, for as it is written, it is "**FIRST the blade**", speaking of blades, which are carriers of the life of the original seed, and hence, the reason they are different from the original seed ministry. Brothers and sisters, this verse of Scripture in its application to the reproduction of the Bride ministry, clearly shows us that the ministry that comes forth, after the death of the original seed, is not the original seed ministry itself, but a temporary one, a ministry produced in its evolutionary stages of development back to seed, and one which is a carrier of the life of the original seed. Consequently, in time application, and specifically on the Bride Tree, the blades give us **The Blade Ministry**, which gives us nothing but the Reformation Ministries, and which gives us in the main, pastors and evangelists, a ministry we have laid out on our chart. You must understand that since we lost the original ministry, and the original church, about a thousand

nine hundred years ago, as we speak this morning, we are yet to see that original ministry. Yet, God has been moving through time, producing various other brands of ministry, in its gestational transformation journey back to original seed, other brands of ministry made up of pastors and evangelists in the main, who are preachers in the main; but the fact remains that we are yet to see that original pure seed ministry of Ephesians reproduced. Consequently, when we came to the hour of the Reformation, the first blade gives us the Move of God through Martin Luther, the leader or the father of the Reformation, which gives us men who were referred to as reformers, men who were preachers. This blade was followed by the next blade, which gives us the ministry move of John Calvin, a reformer, a preacher; then that of John Knox, who was also a reformer, a preacher; followed by the blade ministry of John Wesley, a man who was also a reformer, a preacher, and one who started a class of ministry popularly called **“circuit riders”** or **“saddlebag preachers”**, all constituting blades on

the Bride Corn Tree. I have to say, therefore, that none of these men were in the shoe of the original pure seed ministry which the Lord produced in the Early Church, and as expressed in the Book of Acts. And considering the men, who today, are still following those blade ministries, their brand of ministry, in this day and hour, gives us the **D e n o m i n a t i o n a l - O r g a n i s a t i o n a l - P r e a c h e r s**. However, the truth is that in that day during the Reformation, no blade meant no seed, and consequently, the farmer had to accept the place and the efforts of the ministries of the blades, all of them being carriers of life of the original seed, until the hour of the reproduction of pure original seed ministries, at this time of harvest. Mark Chapter 4, verse 28, also adds, that after the collective blade is first produced: **“THEN THE EAR”**, (which now brings us to the Pentecostal Hour, at the turn of the last Century, when in 1906, in Azusa Street, Los Angeles, California, the Gifts of the Spirit were restored, right there at the very beginning of this seventh and last Church Age, which is the age of harvest. This move

of God therefore gives us **The Ear Ministry**, or the shuck ministry, which in the Scriptures, Jesus referred prophetically to as the **“The EAR”**, which is the ministry of William Seymour, along with that of all the other men that were raised up in his day, all which still gives us pastors and evangelists in the main, men who today now make up the Pentecostal-Evangelical Preachers! May I also say that in that Pentecostal ministry move, no shuck meant no original seed; or to use the term Jesus employed, no **“ear”** no original seed, because the shuck is the carrier of the life of the original seed, and right in the shuck, the original seed will begin to form. Hence, just as in the other stages of the development of the Bride Tree, the farmer had to accept the shuck ministry as well. But it is also obvious that the ministry of **“the ear”**, is also different from that of the Early Church original pure seed ministry, even though it is getting a little bit closer, in terms of the manifestation of the Gifts of the Spirit of God.

Finally, and in its third phase, following the

formation of the shuck or the ear ministry, verse 28 now adds: ***“after that THE FULL CORN in the ear”***. This undoubtedly lets us know that after the Pentecostal ministry move, the ministry of the original pure seed Bride will then come forth, but strictly according to *THE PLOT of the Holy Scriptures*, because Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, is now staring us right in the face! What does it say? ***“And he”***, (the end time Elijah to the elect Gentile Bride seeds), ***“shall turn... the heart of the children”***, (the end time elect children, who are the Bride elects), ***“TO THEIR FATHERS”***, (which not only gives us the faith of the original apostles, the founding fathers of our faith, which is the true faith of Jesus Christ, but it also gives us end time apostolic fathers, the end time midwives of the Church, and the carriers and guardians of the true faith), ***“lest I come and smite the earth with a curse”***. Full stop! Saints, this scripturally proves that the end time Elijah-Prophet, was ordained by God to do a specific work, for the reproduction of the original seed ministry, by relaying the true foundation of faith, which

alone can reproduce the original Ephesian ministry, starting with the apostolic fold of ministry, the foundation layers, custodians, and guardians of the original faith, and the midwives of the original pure seed Church. That is why, it is written that by Elijah's message of restoration, we will be turned over into the hands of the original handlers of the Bride, who are apostles, beginning with the starting office of the apostolic ministry, which gives us the office of the chief apostle, the office of Saint Paul, an office which Raymond Jackson occupied at this end time. Remember that ministry-wise, it is FIRST the blade ministry, THEN the ear ministry, BEFORE the full corn original ministry is formed in the ear. That was why the Lord led William Branham to the Pentecostals, who were the prophetic ***“ear”***, and He (the Lord) asked him to go to them, for as it is written, ***“THE SCRIPTURE CANNOT BE BROKEN”!*** The ministry of the end time Elijah, therefore constitutes **The Tassel Ministry** on the Bride Tree, which is the highest point on the Bride Tree, and hence the highest ministry

at this end time, AND it is the carrier of the pollen, which is the germ of the original life. Brothers and sisters, we need the pollination message to pollinate the elect seeds of God scattered in ***“the ear”***, before we can expect to have the original pure seed ministry, at this time of harvest, just as it was in the beginning, and as recorded in the Book of Acts! Consequently, as Elijah's message carries the germ of life of the original seed, which alone is able to pollinate or impregnate and reproduce the original seed ministry, he had the ministry to feel out and call out the elect Bride seeds of God, from the Pentecostal and the Denominational religious world, pollinating them with the germ of the original life! Therefore, with his Word based ministry, and as a man carrying the original message of the Bible, which is the message of the Original Church, the original ministry was now bound to come, but in due scriptural order, because the birth of anything gives us first the head, which is the apostolic ministry head of the Ephesian Fivefold Ministry. Hence the reason P r o p h e t M a l a c h i

prophesied, that the end time Elijah will turn the hearts of the end time Bride elects, to the apostolic fathers of the end time, by restoring our hearts back to the revelation of the Holy Scriptures of Truth, which the Early Church original apostles laid down in the Holy Bible, and which also gives us a live original seed ministry at the end time, beginning with the order of apostles. It is a pollination message, one designed by God to impregnate or pollinate and reproduce, the original pure seed ministry, starting with the head of the ministry, which gives us apostles, following which the other four folds of ministry will come, completing the reproduction of the Original Fivefold Ministry. That is the reason we must tie the reproduction process revealed in Mark Chapter 4, verses 26-28, to Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, and also to Matthew Chapter 13, verse 52, which provides: ***“Then said he”*** (Jesus) ***“unto them, Therefore EVERY Scribe”***, (which gives us more than one scribe), ***“which is instructed unto the kingdom of heaven is like unto A MAN”***, (who is the end time Elijah to the

elect Bride), ***“that is an householder, which bringeth forth out of his treasure things new and old”***, (as each scribe is a successive carrier of the original message of the Holy Scriptures, in a measure which no other ministry can match, in their respective periods of time, all in this last age). This Scribe Scripture, therefore, must be tied to Mark Chapter 4, verses 26-28, and also to Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, because it is a parable which gives us the three major end time Scribes, beginning with Elijah, the pollination ministry, followed by the Paul of the end time, who is the chief apostle, the first original apostolic ministry produce of the pollination ministry move of God, and then followed by the end time John, of Revelation Chapter 10, verse 11, the man whose original apostolic ministry brings the plan of redemption, and hence, the ministry plot of God, to its fullness and completion. Therefore, in the days of John's ministry, all the folds of the original pure seed Ephesian Fivefold ministry, will be re-established, and they will be exactly as the Early Church Original

Ministry, only greater, in the depth and the expanse of the revelation of truth they will bear, in the divine irreproachable lives they will live, and in the unparalleled power of the resurrected Christ they will openly demonstrate. Brothers and sisters, without the scriptural understanding of the revealed ministry plot of the Lord, it is absolutely impossible to understand the original pure seed ministry, let alone understand how it will be formed! That is precisely why the religious world do not have a clue, as to the original Ephesian ministry of the Bride, even though they make a lot of noise about it, simply because a blade can only be a blade ministry, and a shuck or ear can only be an ear ministry. Which is why these men make a lot of noise, write a lot of books, and preach a lot of things concerning the ministry, and yet, they do not have a clue to anything, and you cannot tell them that either! They see a little here, and a little there; but when you do not have all of the picture; when you do not have all of the pieces of the puzzle, in order to put the whole picture together perfectly, your understanding can

only be limited, and hence, inadequate. That is why it is written, that they are ever learning, and yet, they are never able to come to the knowledge of the truth! That makes them nothing but half-baked ministers of the Gospel, men who in turn, can only produce half-baked believers, and not the Original Bride, who alone have the Original Life. Are we surprised then, that they look into the Fivefold Ministry of Ephesians, and without understanding its originality, that it is an original pure seed ministry; without understanding its functioning in absolute unity, seeing eye to eye on issues of truth; without understanding its pure, undiluted, and unadulterated message of truth; without understanding its objective for the Unity of the faith and perfection of the universal body of Christ; without understanding even its manner of birth, and its order of establishment, they simply grab any ministry title that takes their fancy, and they make it their own? No, we are not surprised, for as it is written, only **“the wise shall understand”!** It is also written, that unto the

elect seeds of God, it is strictly given, **“to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them”** (who are none elects), **“it is not given”!** Consequently, saints of God, the understanding, and hence the focus of the Bride, is not the same as the religious world out there. Brothers and sisters, God promised to restore the original ministry, just as He will also restore the original Bride. However, we are saying that in order to fully appreciate what is to be restored; in order to really appreciate the ministry to be restored, you must first understand the original seed ministry, otherwise, you will not know exactly what it is that we are looking for at this end time of harvest, the precise ministry to be rebirthed, particularly as it is being birthed in a mysterious way! Exactly! That is precisely why we are opening up the mystery of the birthing of the Original Pure Seed Ministry, for the Lord has promised to restore! In the Book of Joel Chapter 2, verse 25, taken together with Acts Chapter 3, verse 21, God promised infallibly: **“I WILL RESTORE”**. And in Genesis Chapter 1, verse 11, God decreed that every

seed should bring forth **“AFTER HIS KIND”**, which is an infallible and unchanging law. Whatever seed you plant, as long as it is original, one which is invested with the power of self-reproduction, is precisely the seed that comes forth at harvest time, for it cannot change. If you plant an original seed of sweet orange, you can be guaranteed of the harvest of sweet oranges. And if you plant the seed of lime, as long as it is the original seed, you can be guaranteed of limes at the end. For whatever seed is sown, that is precisely what is harvested, because the seed sown at the planting season, is exactly the seeds you receive back at the harvest reproduction season, but in multiplied proportions; it is certainly the original fruit that is reproduced at harvest time. This is an unchangeable law, and no man can change it, whether we are considering seeds in the natural, or in the spiritual; whether we take it to human seeds, plant seeds, animal seeds, or even to spiritual seeds, for the law of reproduction is one, as God is one, and His Word is one. It is most certainly also a law that applies infallibly, to the

reproduction or the birthing of the original ministry.

Church, as I stated earlier, we are laying out these things, in order to give a true understanding to God's people, and also to encourage all our hearts, knowing that the Bride saints are in dire need of the true and original ministry. Therefore, I want each and every one to know, that everything is perfectly on course, and nothing is out of joint, however quiet and silent everything may appear to be right now, and whatever shortfalls we see in the present day ministry, as the Lord is currently working seriously and steadily, but in a very humble and unobtrusive way, being strictly in a revelatory way, laying a true, sure, and solid foundation of truth, for the projection of the men, the original pure seed ministry. I am saying in essence, that the Lord God is reproducing or rebirthing the original ministry, in a very secret and silent way, and as such, we have to let the promise of God be our encouragement, knowing that God does not fail, for as it is written in Psalm 119, verse 89: ***“For ever, O Lord, thy Word is settled in heaven”***. Hence, I am

showing forth Mark Chapter 4, verse 27, where Jesus says that the kingdom of God is like a seed that is sown, and a man rises night and day, but he does not know how it comes forth, simply because it is mysterious! Brothers and sisters, it has taken God about a thousand nine hundred years to get this original pure seed ministry back. It has been a long journey indeed, for it has been about a thousand nine hundred years ago, since we lost the original Early Church ministry which Jesus Christ established back then. This lets you see just how long it has taken God to get these men, and what calibre of men they will also be. Church, it has taken so long a time to get the original seed ministry, since we lost them, and through the original ministry which will be reproduced today, the Lord will get the Original Pure Seed Bride; because the means of getting the Bride is the Ministry, and hence, the reproduction of the original ministry comes first, and it is most crucial; it is most important. That is why Mark Chapter 4, verses 26-28, records: ***“And he”*** (Jesus) ***“said, So is the kingdom of God,***

***as if a man should cast seed into the ground; And should sleep, and rise night and day, and the seed should spring and grow up, HE KNOWETH NOT HOW. For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear”***. Let us now ask ourselves this question, in order to refresh our memory: Just how exactly will the full original corn seed ministry be formed in the ear? That is precisely what we have been laying out, and in a nutshell, that is why we say that you must tie this passage of Scripture to Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, and also join it with Matthew Chapter 13, verse 52, for each of these Scriptures hold a part of the mystery, and together, they hold the keys to the reproduction of the Original Pure Seed Ministry, which is the ministry of the Original Pure Seed Bride! Hold that firmly in your hearts, for Mark Chapter 4, verses 26-28; Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, and Matthew Chapter 13, verse 52, lay out the divine logistics for the reproduction of the original Ephesian ministry. The mystery begins with Mark

Chapter 4, verses 26-28, and by the time it is done, verse 29 declares: ***“But WHEN THE FRUIT IS BROUGHT FORTH, immediately he”*** (Jesus) ***“putteth in the sickle, because the harvest is come”***. Right now, brothers and sisters, we are still waiting for the original ministry fruits to be brought forth, for they are still in the making as we speak. However, once the Lord had set the entire process in motion, when the grain of mustard seed of about 120 saints were sown, it was just a matter of time before the original ministry was reproduced. That is why, brothers and sisters, that tiny original mustard seed, just like any original seed, has the power of life inside of it, the power of self-reproduction. You can sow it and bury it under concrete, and the concrete does not kill the germ of life invested in the seed. I repeat: You can sow a seed, and pour concrete over it; but you are only wasting your time, because you are not going to keep that seed down! There is the power of life in an original seed, which causes it to grow in the absolute secrecy of the earth, and it will grow gradually under the

concrete, and break forth as a shoot by the side of the concrete, giving praise to the Lord God of all Creation, spreading out its leaf! You will just see a shoot beside the concrete. What is it? It is the corn you sowed at this point back there; but it had to travel that far, in order to break through, by the power of the new life that drives it. And sometimes the ground is very hard, but it still breaks through, nonetheless. How does it do it? How does this very tiny, slim, frail, and flimsy shoot break the ground, even when it is hard ground? It is the power of life God invested in original seeds! Hence, as flimsy as it is, it can crack the ground, and smile to the world, giving glory to God, for it carries the power of new life, giving us first the ***“blade”*** or ***Leaf Ministry***, followed by the ***“ear”*** or ***Shuck Ministry***, and then the ***tassel*** or ***Pollination Ministry***, the ministry which has the germ of new original life, and which exclusive ministry can rebirth the ***Original Fivefold Ministry***, starting with the fold of the original apostles, the head of the Ephesian Ministry. Brethren, we are certainly at the hour of the

reproduction of the Original Ephesian Fivefold Ministry, starting with the reproduction of the original apostles, the ministry fold which, in God's divine scriptural order, makes up the beginning fold of the Original Ephesian Fivefold ministry. It means in effect, that with the tassel ministry having served God's divine purpose, in the reproduction of the original ministry, that we are now precisely at the junction of time when God is reproducing the Original Ministry of the Bride.

Now that we are all looking forward to the original Ephesian ministry, and also knowing that this is their hour of reproduction, let me ask you a material question: Where are the men? Where are they? Where are the men who are to make up the Original Fivefold Ministry? Saints, I do not know! I do not know where the men are, and I certainly do not know who the men are, because the ministry calling is strictly of God. More particularly, as the Ephesian Fivefold Ministry is the highest ministry calling of God, only the Lord knows who and who will make it up, and only God knows what the position of each man will



also be. However, I see a solid foundation of truth that has been re-laid, and I also see that the Lord is also filling the gaps in this same foundation, a foundation that is most necessary, and very fundamental, for the establishment of the men that we are waiting for, meaning that we are still at the foundation level, in the establishment of the original ministry of Ephesians. And I make this very crucial point, as bitter as it may be for many people in the ministry to swallow, because we are indeed at the foundation level! And regardless of how fast people want things to go in the establishment of the ministry, we are still at that foundation level of the establishment of the original ministry, a bitter truth which men are fighting, for when I warned James Allen and Bud Thompson in January, 2005, to wait until God sets the apostolic head in place, before handling a matter that was too wonderful for them to grasp, James Allen replied me impudently, asking: **“HOW LONG WE’RE GONNA WAIT, FIVE YEARS”?** Now it will be double the time he asked me, for it will be

exactly ten years in December, since we have been waiting, and we still do not have the original apostles! Think about it! It will be ten years on the 4th of December, 2014! So, what are you going to do? What can anyone do? What can you do if God does not move? Can you hasten it? Can anyone hasten God? Now we have doubled that time, and we are still waiting! We are still waiting for the birthing of the original fivefold ministry, the End Time Church Ministry! Yet, the incontestable fact is that the men are all there in the body, scattered around the globe. However, and despite this fact, it is also the truth, that their identity is hidden from us at the moment, for we do not yet know them, and hence, we have not yet seen them! But in the meantime, something serious is going on, and as such, I want to say a few things concerning the men who are following the current move of God, before we continue our consideration of *THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY*. Saints, in the present dispensation, there is a potential God has given to all the men following the Continuity Light of Jesus

Christ, a grace which the Lord has invested in all the men standing for **“The Present Truth”**. Nevertheless, I must continue to warn one and all, that the grace or the ability invested in men, is not the determinant of this thing in the final analysis, as it is not the determinant of their making it into the original substantive (indivestable) ministry of the Bride; but it is what the men do with the grace they have been given that counts. For as it stands today, God is testing each and every one for faithfulness. In other words, as we speak, God has invested a measure of grace in men around the globe, a divine ability. However, ability itself is not enough, as vital as ability is. **Ability** has to be added to **character**, which is good conduct, one which makes them a shining example to the body of saints, in order to help the body of Christ become mature saints; plus **faithfulness** in all situations, rock-solid faithfulness: That is, Faithfulness at any and every given time, to God, to truth, and to the children of God they have been called to serve. Do not forget that their faithfulness speaks of total dependability;

otherwise, if unfaithful men were to end up in the original ministry, they will make a bad mess of things, and hence, they will destabilise, and certainly scatter the Bride, derailing the plan of God for the Bride of this end time, simply because they are not the right calibre of men; they are not original pure seed ministry material! They will peddle their own little little so-called revelations, sowing wild oats in the wheat field, all on account of their ambition and carnal ego, which are all acts of unfaithfulness. Consequently, it should be clear to one and all, that ability is not enough, even though ability is definitely required, for it is fundamental; it is a must; but ability is not enough, because ability alone will not do the job of obtaining unity of divine revelation, and perfection, to the entire body. And sadly speaking, a lot of these men do not have a clue as to how a man of God should behave and conduct himself; they simply lack virtuous comportment! Saints, the truth is, if the men are to bring **“Perfection”** to the Bride of Christ, which is spiritual maturity, then, knowing how to behave is most imperative, and

hence is highly expected. Yes, it is! The men will know just how to conduct themselves, as is worthy of a **“Man of God”**, in order to positively impact the Body of saints. For if a man does not know how to behave, just how can he teach the people of God to know how to behave? Come on! No man can give what he does not have! That is why I keep warning, that the Lord is not going to use men who are *“two-by-four”* (substandard), mediocre (inferior or moderate) men, having waited for almost one thousand nine hundred years to get His men! You have to understand this fact, and stay with this truth, for they will certainly be exceptional men, men with outstanding spiritual qualities about them. Otherwise, speaking about perfection or spiritual maturity, without a true revelational understanding of the vital input of the Ephesian ministry in this regard, is like a man who wants to go to the moon, but he thinks that he needs to dig into the depths of the earth in order to get there. And may I say that spiritual maturity does not come overnight; maturity comes with time, and hence with age; for it comes through the tests and trials a man

goes through, ones which give him the schooling and the tutelage that he needs for the work, and by which he acquires the necessary experience for the work. Otherwise, all he will have is only a head full of knowledge, for he will lack spiritual maturity. Exactly! Consequently, we must know that the ministry of the Bride involves much more, than men just being able to preach, however fantastic this ability of theirs may be, otherwise, with all that preaching, there is not one soul they will build up, spiritually speaking, for they themselves have no clue! Therefore, being a part of the true ministry entails knowing how to behave; that is, they will know how to conduct themselves, (certainly not in hypocrisy or in deception, as our God who does the selection sees everything said and done in secret); coupled with the dedication they will show towards the course of Christ; and their love for the Body of saints, genuine and sincere love; not love for just an elect few who are deemed favourites or “sacred cows”, but true love for everybody; added to a humble and exemplary life, plus total submission and faithfulness to the truth,

whatever the weather, that is, without compromise on any account. It will take all these attributes to do the work of building up the universal Bride to “**a glorious Church**” status. But let me add for the sake of striking a balance, and just as it is written, that the ministry must also have the wisdom to confer more honour upon those parts of the body that are weak and needy, being feeble, parts that are less desirable; for they should be able to see the plight of helpless saints, saints who have no one to stand for them in their corner, and make exception for such poor souls. Come on! Who will help the fatherless, the motherless, and the widows, if the ministry is just wrapped up in their own little world? Brothers and sisters, all these attributes go into the character of a man, and without character, we are going to destabilise, divide, and destroy the Bride we are expected to build up, for it is a call to divine service, and one which requires our all, tempered by divine wisdom! Therefore, and as I keep emphasising, being a man in the ministry demands knowing how to conduct yourself; knowing what is right from what is

wrong, and being an example to the flock, particularly because our actions speak much louder than anything we say, as men know how to talk. Honestly speaking, if a man does not know how to behave, how can he teach the people how to behave? Think of this: Just how can a small minded, narrow minded man, one that is stubborn and set in his ways, a selfish, uncaring, vindictive, and divisive man, build the saints to be open minded, mature, caring, forgiving, and united? How can a man who creates hatred and distrust among brethren, bring true love and unity among the brotherhood? Just how can such a man build up a healthy body? How can a pastor who is a tyrant, or a lord, a pharaoh, and one who hates scriptural correction, for he is too big; how can such a man prevent himself from scattering the flock? How can he build a healthy body? How can a man who rules the people with fear, and binds the people to himself, rather than to Jesus Christ (in his scriptural divine revelation), one who makes their personal lives and businesses devolve around him, for the purpose

of control, build up the true body of Christ? Come on! And also, how can a crooked and deceptive pastor, or a cheat, a “money doubler”, or a drunk, or a gambler, or one that is a fornicator, teach the people to walk in holiness? If a man who is a polygamist, or a divorcee, one who is with a second wife, (a man who is not even fit to be in the ministry to begin with), stays behind the pulpit to preach, for he holds tightly to the ministry, exactly what do you think his ministry will do to those who are foolish enough to follow him, but to make fornicators, polygamists, and divorcees of them also. I am only posing serious questions, for these are the negative and horrible traits we see out there, in the men following the message of Brother Branham, although some of these lesser evil traits, are likewise being expressed by some of the men following the Continuity message, a pathetic fact, which only vindicates the truth that we do not yet have the men! We do not! And just how can a man who has a negative attitude to things, teach the saints to have a good attitude? Brothers and sisters, his followers will have no clue,

for a church will have a clue, no more than the minister who himself is clueless! The people follow the leader, for that is the great power, or the great influence pastors wield over the people, which was why Brother Branham preached a message about ministers, titled, *INFLUENCE!* Hence, it is scripturally certain, that a true man of God cannot be vindictive, or divisive, sowing discord among the brethren, and neither can he be mean, as God does not lay lords and tyrants over His heritage, but servants, humble, loving, and faithful servants! And many times, God's children will throw a lot of mud at you, as a man in the ministry, even though sometimes, it is not intentional; but the fact remains that God can allow them to throw mud at you, to see exactly how you will react. What are you going to do? Are you going to kill them all because they did you wrong? You cannot do that! And neither can you use a sledge hammer to kill a fly, for it amounts to highhandedness! That is precisely the reason God has to take the men through the mill for training, in order to temper their lives, and they will learn

through the knocks and bangs they face, so that they can take whatever God allows His children to throw at them, and still love the brotherhood, and also be humble and faithful, nonetheless. Which means that they are not men who will go to the pulpit to settle scores, for the pulpit is too important, it is too sacred, for any man to use as a place to settle scores. When you do that, take it from me, you do not have a pulpit of God, but a play box, for all these attributes make up part of the package of divine assessment! The thorough training which the Lord took Apostle Peter through, was precisely why he was able to take the open rebuke Saint Paul gave him, without any ill feelings, grudge, or resentment! Church, there was absolutely no malice shown, either overtly (openly), or covertly (secretly), for Saint Peter was a thoroughbred original ministry! Yes, and that is a scriptural fact! Hence, in the face of an open rebuke given to a man of his ministerial stature, by a man who came much later in time, he demonstrated nothing but divine humility, as well as respect and appreciation

for the ministry of Apostle Paul, which was why he did not slight him or stab him in the back, by playing hypocrisy, but rather, he commended the grace upon his life, and the depth of the divine revelation of truth that he bore! That is character! And may I say this to one and all: There will be no man in any part of this globe, who will end up being part of this Original Ephesian Fivefold Ministry, who has not passed God's test for character! For the Lord is not raising up "goats", and neither is He raising up "politicians", for his people; nor is He raising up "**blind guides**", men that cannot see, but humble, faithful, and very revealed servants, men who are the eyes of the flock! Exactly! Nevertheless, the fact also remains, that the Lord is not going to use men whom He has not given ability, because without ability, which is divine enablement, what exactly are you going to do? What can you do? You do not have the ability, so how are you going to do what you cannot possibly do? You will only kill the people who are foolish enough to follow you, because you do not have the grace! When I say grace, I am talking of ability,

for ability is required, ability is necessary, even though it is not enough, as it must be supported by other material requirements. Consequently, I have to say that there are a lot of men that can preach very well, who will end up not being in this original ministry at the end of the day, because they are eliminated on other material counts. That is true! Remember that I am not the one eliminating anybody, for I am not the one who does the calling and placing. I am just speaking generally now; but if the cap fits, then you wear it! The fact remains that I can only lay before you general principles of faith relating to the original ministry, as these are the men that are being moulded through the tests and trials they are currently undergoing out there, men that we know absolutely nothing about. The Lord is taking them through serious training as we speak, out there in the wilderness, in order to fashion them after His will, that they may attain the required spiritual shape, for a true, effective, and marvellous work, making the difference in the lives of the elect Bride seeds of God, who have suffered a great deal all these

decades, since the death of William Branham in 1965, having passed through a lot of horrible hands in the Branham Movement. That is why their training has taken this long, for they are the cream of the crop, and it takes time to make specialists! You have to see that! Brothers and sisters, we are looking forward to something, men who are specialists in their fold of ministry, and I am taking this message in order to give you encouragement, based upon what Jesus said in Mark Chapter 4, and specifically verse 27, that you may see its application in spiritual reality, with regards to the original ministry, for it gives us *THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY*. Hence it is written, that the kingdom of God is like a seed that is cast into the ground, and it lays there for many days and nights; but all of a sudden, the seed springs forth, but you do not know how it happens, as everything is mysteriously birthed. However, we must know of a scriptural certainty, that the seed that will produce the original ministry, as well as the original body of Christ, is the pure and unadulterated seed of the Word of God, for both the ministry and the

body, are all birthed by the truth, and in truth, which is *"the incorruptible seed of the Word of God, which liveth and abideth forever."* However, there is a divine training for them, and also a divine plot, for their reproduction. That is precisely why, when we look at **THE PLOT** of the reproduction of the original ministry in this seventh and last age, and as I stated before, we are still on the original foundation level. Yes, God used the pollination ministry of Brother Branham to re-lay the true foundation, bringing us back to that same foundation of faith which Apostles Paul, Peter, James, and John established in the First Church Age, for the Bride of Jesus Christ, a foundation from which the Early Church fell. But the truth also remains, that You cannot have an Original Ephesian Ministry, without God also first restoring the original foundation layers of the Original Church. This is an absolute truth which the Movement is not considering at all, and one they are fighting tooth and nail, and this is the very reason why the ministry of the end time Elijah, first gives us the apostolic fathers of the end time.

Brothers and sisters, since the birth of the Original Ephesian Ministry, gives us first the original foundation layers of the Bride Church, men who are apostles, it simply means that the reproduction of the apostolic ministry itself, also first gives us two major apostles successively, men occupying the offices of Saint Paul, the Chief Apostle, and Saint John, the Lead Apostle, respectively; the former with whom the written plan of Gentile salvation was ignited and established, and the latter with whom the written plan of Gentile salvation was completed in 96 AD., two principal foundation layers of the Early Church.

You must understand, (and I am saying it in another way, that you may see this absolute truth), that since the ministry of John the Baptist, the Elijah of the days of Jesus Christ, established the foundation that eventually produced the apostles, for the original twelve apostles to the Jews all followed his ministry, on the infallible authority of the requirement that was recorded in Acts Chapter 1, verses 15-22, (because the man that would step into the apostolic shoes of

Judas, had to have also followed the ministry of John the Baptist), therefore, at this evening time, God had to reach way back then to that Elijah anointing, that Old Testament type prophetic ministry, and reproduce it for us, in order to relay the original foundation of faith, The solid and immovable ROCK OF REVEALED TRUTH, which alone can and will reproduce the original pure seed ministry, starting with the apostolic fathers of the end time. That is precisely why Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, provides that the end time Elijah will turn our hearts to that of our apostolic founding fathers of faith, which in essence means, that he will hand us over to the original handlers of the Bride, which the written faith of the apostles gives to us in the Book of Ephesians Chapter 4, and which first gives us apostles, the beginning fold of the Ephesian ministry, starting with the office of the end time Paul, the chief apostle, the man who Brother Branham called **“THE END-TIME LEADER that will come to the Church even as Paul came as the Original Leader”**. (For this quote, please see his message

titled, *The Seven Church Ages*, page 172, paragraph 5). Consequently, this rock here, (Brother Amos points to the chart), which is the rock of revealed truth, gives us the exclusive foundation of faith, the only true foundation of faith, one which the Lord has restored, for the reproduction of the Original Pure Seed Fivefold Ministry of Ephesians, at this evening time. It is exclusively upon this rock of revealed truth, and upon this foundation of truth alone, that the original ministry of Jesus Christ is coming forth, for the Bride of Christ ordained for the rapture. We must understand, therefore, that the First Two MINISTRY FRUITS of Elijah's Ministry, gives us not only the re-established ministry of Saint Paul, the chief apostle, the man who, in the First Church Age, was used of the Lord to establish the exclusive foundation of faith which carried the entire Gentile Bride Church, on the full authority of 1 Corinthians Chapter 3, verse 10; but that it also gives us the last of the original apostles, who is Saint John, the **“Candlestick”** of the Ephesian Church in 96 AD, on the full authority of

Revelation Chapter 2, verse 5, added to Revelation Chapter 1, verse 1. This is absolutely so, because Apostle John was a man who was also one of the foundation layers of the Church, on the full authority of Ephesians Chapter 2, verse 20, and a man who was used to finish the picture of the written record of God's plan of Gentile salvation, in the First Church Age, giving us the last Book of the Bible, which is the Book of Revelation. I am saying in effect, that Apostles Paul and John both had their inputs, in the establishment of the original foundation of the True Church, for both men were foundation layers for the Early Church, and that input is repeated at this end time, in order to complete the original structure of the foundation that the end time Elijah started, one that will carry the Entire Original Church, beginning with the Original Ministry! So we had to have the input of original apostles in the foundation that was re-laid today by Elijah, because the original apostles were the foundation layers for the New Testament Church! Wake up! Consequently, since they were the foundation layers for the

Entire Original Church in that day, then, they also had to have something to do with the foundation structure, as it is being constructed today, in order to solidify and complete this foundation, for as it is written, ***Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today and forever!*** God is perfect in all His ways, and as such, His ways are immutable, for they do not change, being absolutely perfect! So, yes, Elijah of this end time rebuilt the true foundation, one which birthed the ministries of Paul and John, however, that foundation was not complete, in order to give the apostolic ministry, men who are the founding fathers of the faith, an input into this foundation, which is why there were scriptural loose-ends in the message of Elijah. Period! That was precisely the reason Raymond Jackson, the chief apostle, was the first apostolic ministry fruit of Elijah's ministry, and also the reason why he also built material truths into the same foundation of faith which Elijah re-established, in order to fill the gaps, as he tied up loose ends of truths, which William Branham bore for us, from the pages of the Holy Bible. And with his

passing away in December 2004, there were further gaps and loose ends still remaining in that foundation of faith. Hence, the Lord placed Apostle John on the scene, in January 2005, the man divinely and scripturally ordained to ***"eat"*** the entire scroll of redemption, showing that the completeness of the revelation of Jesus Christ, and of the plan of Gentile salvation, is in John, a prophetic promise which also shows infallibly, that The completion of the foundation of truth for the Original Ministry, and of the Original Church, is in John. I will remind you that in the testimony Brother Jackson gave concerning his apostolic ministry, speaking concerning the apostolic ministry ordained for completion, he declared firmly and categorically: ***"Yet I know somewhere, God is going to have SOMEONE who will have enough of God in HIS life, enough boldness, enough determination to STAND FOR THE TRUE ENTIRE WORD OF GOD. No, HE will not stand in defense of men's flesh, but HE will stand in defense of the resurrected Christ and the true revealed Word of***

**God!"** How profoundly prophetic that is! Yet, this was stated way back in 1977! Saints, the man who will stand **"for the true ENTIRE WORD of God"**, gives us nothing other than the completion ministry, the wrap-up apostolic ministry, which is none other than the Lead Apostle ministry of the John of today! And indeed, as we speak, it is still HIS VOICE, that ONE VOICE, that is still being lifted up around the world, as it slowly makes it round, in order to pull together the universal end time elect Bride saints! What is John also doing today? He is also tying up all the loose ends of truth, whatever loose ends of the message remain, thereby fortifying this foundation, supplying the final things that are still lacking, and that are to go into this foundation, that it may be totally solidified and fully completed, and then the Lord will launch the Original Pure Seed Ministry. It has to be so, because the rock of revealed truth, is the exclusive foundation for the Entire Church, and is, as such, the exclusive foundation for the Entire Ministry. We all know that the birthing of the Ministry comes first, before that of the Church, because the

head of the Universal Church is the Ministry. Saints, it is upon this rock of revealed truth, (Brother Amos points to the chart), and upon this rock of truth alone, that the Original Ministry of Jesus Christ will be formed, and from this very rock of faith, they are all coming forth, none excluded; because the true original ministry is birthed in the true revelation of the Holy Scriptures, which is the true revelation of Jesus Christ! Consequently, brothers and sisters, whichever way we want to look at it, as we sit here this morning, we are still on the foundation level, and that is precisely why you have not seen the true ministry yet, for the Lord is still shuffling the cards. I repeat for sake of emphasis: We have not seen the true substantive (in-divestible) and original ministry yet. We have only seen a foundation of truth re-laid for their re-establishment, and an opportunity given to men to partake of something, which will be the means of their tutelage and testing, particularly as it is on this same foundation of faith that they are coming forth, and it is also this same truth that they are going to use to adorn the Bride, in full and perfect readiness for the

return of our Bridegroom. Consequently, with the passing away of Brother Jackson, the chief apostle, God is using John to fortify this original foundation, and to fill whatever balance of gaps remain in it, in order to establish a rock-solid complete foundation. And by the time it is all done, and God knows that the foundation is complete, and is perfect for the great work, that there are no more gaps, for all the loose ends have been tied perfectly, and that every revelation stone of truth that is ordained to go into the foundation, has been set perfectly in its precise place, then God will turn the ministry loose. So, what is happening right now, is God is giving men an opportunity to see truth for what it is, and to use it to adorn the souls of God's people, as He tries them for faithfulness to Truth, and to the cause of Christ, rather than faithfulness to their personal secret ambitions and desires. Consequently, what they do with the truth which they currently have access to, will determine their placing or elimination, for as it is written in Matthew Chapter 22, verse 14: **"Many are called, BUT FEW ARE CHOSEN"; FEW ARE PLACED.** As I



stated earlier, it is a matter of faithfulness to God, to Truth, and to the Flock of God whom they have been called to serve. We must therefore ask the men seeking to make it into this original class of ministry: Are you faithful to God and to Truth? And are you dedicated in this divine service; this divine duty? Or is it an “*easy-believe-easy*”, I will take my time, and I will do things in my own time, coasting along kind of ministry that you exhibit? I say that because we can have that stinking, slothful, lukewarm, Laodicean attitude! Yes, we can! We can say we love the truth, and that we are standing for the truth, but we can also take our time, and minister when we like, when it is convenient, and not as the situation demands, thus becoming a “*coast along*” ministry. Yes, men in the ministry can have this horrible attitude, even when they know that they have a lot of catching up to do! So why will you coast along, when you have a lot of catching up to do in the Continuity Message? Why will you do that, for it is to your ministry, to yourself, and to the people of God? When will you ever catch up then, in order to make your local assembly catch

up? When you yourself have not caught up, when will your assembly ever catch up, that they may be fully established in the Continuing Message of Jesus Christ of the Bible? So it definitely means, brothers and sisters, that in our consideration of the original ministry we are looking forward to, they are certainly not men who are coasting along, just taking it easy, taking their time, because they know they have a long way to go, and they can also see how late the day is, and how extremely evil the time is, for Satan has taken over the earth, and **PERILOUS TIMES ARE HERE!!!** Church, when you have a lot of catching up to do, and all you want to do is take it in your own strides, you are simply wasting your time, for you will never catch up! Exactly! And if people sit under you, they will never catch up either, unless God does something to shake you, in order to shake your assembly, because an assembly is sometimes shaken by the shaking which the ministry receives; otherwise, the Lord will simply shake your assembly, and the seeds of God will find their level. Period! That is the truth! There has got to be

dedication, a total dedication, a total commitment, to the things of the Spirit of Christ, which each and every man ordained for this original ministry will show. The commitment of the men in the ministry has to be total. It will not be partial, for it is not 90%, and it is not even 99%, but 100%, which is total commitment, that the Lord requires! God demands our all, and that is the end of the story! These are men who are ready to give it the total sacrifice God requires, because God requires our best, and He requires our all, because He owns us. And if a man will not pay the bill, then let him forget about the original ministry, for he will not make it through into this ministry. Period! This fact should let you see that they are men who are synchronized in their vision, because they have one vision which the true faith of Christ gives. Their vision is the same, and their revelation is the same, and hence, their message is one. They may polish it, and pour more water of the Word on it, but the message is still the same, because their revelation is one. Consequently, they stand as ONE MAN, and they speak with ONE

VOICE, and there will be no confusion within the Body of saints, as to what the Scriptures mean on any particular issue, whether it is relating to what God is saying in a prophetic setting of the Bible, or something that is couched in a mystery, for as it is infallibly written: **The watchmen “SHALL SEE EYE TO EYE”**. Brothers and sisters, I have gone into this to show you that there is a divine ministry objective for this original class of ministry. Consequently, we must know that there is no fold of this original ministry, and there is no man among this original order of men, who will carry any message that will bring confusion to the body of saints, insisting that God gave him a revelation that is nonsensical, and neither is there any of them that will dare knock the truth of the Word which they are ordained to uphold, as that will only cause confusion and division, and there is no way a universal body of saints will believe the same thing, unless the men themselves are speaking the same thing. A divided ministry can never produce a united body of saints! If our understanding is conflicting with one another concerning the

message of the Bible we bear, it is utterly impossible for a universal body listening to us to believe the same thing. They will not even know who to believe on what! That is why you must understand the objective of the Original Fivefold Ministry, because it is not one for the Denominations, however much they pick titles for themselves out of it. The truth is that you cannot build in confusion! When God brought confusion to the building of the City and Tower of Babel, that ended the work right there, as the confusion scattered the work; because you just cannot build in confusion! You cannot! When you have revelatory confusion, there can be no building up of the body, as the edifying of the body of Christ cannot be obtained in confusion. You can only build in unity! And if you know anything about the Original Ephesian Ministry, it is that they speak in absolute unity, and they draw the same picture, and as such, the understanding of the Bride will be the same under their ministry, around the world, as nothing but truth can be found in their mouths! Full stop! They know exactly what the mind of the Spirit of the Lord is,

for they have been dealt with by the Spirit of Truth, having been established upon the same foundation of faith, and hence, they are men who **“SEE EYE TO EYE”**; all because they drink from THE SAME FOUNTAIN OF TRUTH! Consequently, they will not knock the Word of God on account of friendship or family, or in order to curry favour, and neither will they compromise the truth for anyone, as nothing but the truth can be found in their mouths. For it is written: **“... and they that are with him”** (who is Jesus Christ), **“are CALLED, and CHOSEN, and FAITHFUL”!** (Rev.17:14). They are definitely men who have passed the tests and the training of God. I am showing you the quality of the men which the Bride will have in the final analysis, which is why their schooling and training takes time! None of these men out there in the religious world, understand any of these things. (Brother Amos points to the chart).

This brings me to these message preachers, who we have also represented on our chart. They see Elijah, but they see nothing

else, for they do not see **"The Plot"**. They see Elijah, but what they see is not enough to help them realise that God has an objective: That He used the Spirit of Elijah here to birth the ministry of the apostles, by re-establishing the rock of truth that will rebirth the Ephesian Fivefold Ministry, starting with the fold of apostles. They do not see that, and that is why they say everyday like parrots, and like battery operated zombies: **"Just say what the tapes say"**. They became quote preachers, and by this, they lift the quotes of a man, over and above the Word of God, and have gone headlong and headstrong into idolatry, spiritual idolatry. So they are message preachers, but they are not different from these ones, these Denominational-Pentecostal preachers. (Brother Amos points to the chart). In fact, they are worse, because these ones, these Organisational preachers, have no clue to anything, for they are ignorant and totally blind; but the message preachers, on the other hand, have no excuse, for they are not ignorant, but wilfully blind, and hence, they are going nowhere! Do not forget that it is written:

*"Unto whom much is given, much will be expected, and hence, much will be demanded."* On the other hand, these Pentecostal-Denominational preachers churn out ministries as they like, however ridiculous, and however unscriptural it may be, for in the main, they are lone ranger ministries, men who are just doing their own things, having no clue to the Ephesian Fivefold Ministry; which is why there is no revelatory unity that will ever come from their ranks, but utter confusion. They simply look in the Book of Ephesians, and give themselves titles, as many as they choose. They also break up the Scriptures into little pellets, and make ministries based on just that lone verse of Scripture, forgetting that a true minister is either a preacher of the Whole Message of the Holy Bible, or he is not a true preacher! The total lack of understanding of the true ministry, is why we have *"Love Ministry"; "Faith Ministry"; "Holiness Ministry"; "Charismatic Ministry"; "Healing & Deliverance Ministry"; "Single, Married, & Childless Ministry"; "Prosperity Ministry"; "I Must Be Married Ministry";*

*"Possess Your Possession Ministry"; Come For Your Child Ministry"*, and all sorts of spiritual junk! What about hope? Who will preach hope? Who will establish a Hope Ministry? These silly men with broken visions that have no Bible base! You are either raised up to preach the whole Bible, or you are not a preacher of God at all! God never sent Peter, James, John, Jude, Philip, Andrew, Bartholomew, to go and preach just faith; or to preach just love, and all the nonsense that they are doing out there today! I repeat: You are either a preacher of the whole Gospel, or you are not a preacher. Full stop! You are sent to carry a wholesome message of the Bible, not to chop up the Word of God, and create a ministry of love, carnal love. That is why out there, they do not understand what the Ephesian ministry is about. They just talk about the Fivefold ministry, but really, they have no clue. It is the Bride following who understands this ministry, its foundation, its birthing, its folds, and the essence or purpose of it, the workings of this ministry, how they function in unity, carrying the same revelation, in order to bring

unity of the faith to the entire body of saints. The Bride saints understand the message that this ministry carry, and what they will accomplish in the Body, because they are all drinking from the same fountain, and are dealt with by the same ministry, in the light of truth. But these men out there in the religious world, are totally out of the way, and hence, they have no clue to the True Original Ephesian Ministry of men, who are all established and birthed in the absolute light of the Word of God, The Solid Rock, which is the highest calling of God! Brothers and sisters, make no mistake about it: The Original Bride Ministry is coming out from here. (Brother Amos points to the chart). They are coming forth from the rock of revealed truth, and that rock is nothing other than the Continuing, Infallible, and Immutable revelation of Jesus Christ of the Holy Bible. That was why in *The Rock of Revealed Truth* dream of Raymond Jackson, which William Branham related in his message titled, *Sirs, Is This The Time?*, the prophet stood by a rock, and he used a crow bar which only he could handle in that day, to open up a portion of the

rock that had never been seen before, a portion that had never been exposed before, and he laid down his crow bar on it, charging the saints who stood by him: **“STAND BY THIS”** (ROCK); and he walked away, heading west. Saints, it took the Original Seed of the Word of God to produce the Original Seed Ministry in the First Church Age, and as such, it will also take nothing else, and nothing less, to reproduce this Original Ministry in this Last Age. Therefore, if you go away from the true revelation of the Word of God, the Holy Scriptures, one which is **A Continuing Revelation**, being one that is strictly and inherently alive, and not dead, you go away from the True ministry. That is the truth! Brothers and sisters, all I can tell you, therefore, is simply to believe the truth, and to hold firmly to the Word of life, and you will see the glory of God, for the Lord does not fail. He cannot fail, and He will not fail, for He is the Lord God Almighty. From this Continuing and Concluding Light of Jesus Christ, the Original Pure Seed Ministry of Ephesians is definitely coming forth, for they will be brought out of obscurity in the wilderness, right into

the Bride Limelight. That lets you see that as in the building of the temple of God in Jerusalem, when there was no noise, no chiselling, no nailing, or banging, and no hammering, but stones made ready in the quarry were simply brought out, and slotted perfectly in place in the temple, so it is with the building of the Bride Ministry; for they are presently being fashioned in God's quarry, and at the right moment, the Lord will bring them on the scene, and slot them in their various offices, perfectly, and we shall all know them. Therefore, we will let God set the pace, for we will not run ahead of God, for as it is written in Isaiah Chapter 28, verse 16: **“... he that believeth shall not make haste”**. Brothers and sisters, everything has its season, and as the true eagles of God, we must know how to follow the Spirit of God in His will, and also know what the day is saying, and what the Spirit of the Lord doth require of us. It is a humble walk, away from the glare of the world. That is also the reason we cannot go on the Internet right now, to have a live Internet Ministry. Because if everybody logs on, they are just

going to sit at home, and they are not going to sit under any ministry, simply because they can log on to the services of Bible Faith Tabernacle. But God is using the present dispensation we are in, to train and prove the men in the ministry, by giving them an opportunity to be a pastor to their people, that their ministry may be censored. So, there is opportunity for the men to serve right now, that we can see their characters, and the fruits of their ministry. And it is all these things that God is watching, to determine their placing, because many are called, and only few will be chosen, and as such, only few will be placed. No man determines it, but only God. And when the time comes, God is going to set the ministry loose, by bringing forth key men that He has foreordained, putting them together, as the beginning nucleus of the apostolic ministry. Because all it took in the Early Church days, was for God to send forth Paul and Barnabas, for He turned them loose; and when the Lord did that, something was set in motion! Brothers and sisters, as that revival broke out, it began to

gather the pieces of the ministry one by one. Are you with me? So, all it takes, is just for a few key men ordained for the apostolic ministry, to be anointed and sent forth. It is not men putting themselves together and turning themselves loose; it is God putting men together, and God turning them loose. For when God does that, there is a grace that will be unleashed upon the men, an unusual anointing, for it will be supernatural, because Paul did not go in his own strength; it was a supernatural move of God, and he went in the strength of the Lord. Peter did not go in his own strength; it was a supernatural move of God, and he went in the strength of the Lord. And neither will any of these men go in their own strength: It will be a supernatural move of the Almighty God, and they will also go in the strength of the Lord. Full stop!

Saints, the bottom-line is that God takes more time in preparing the men that He will use, than in the actual time allotted for their ministry. John the baptist was raised up for thirty whole years, to be used for only six months. Jesus the

Christ was also raised up for thirty whole years, to be used for only three and a half years. He started his ministry at the age of thirty, and he was crucified at the age of thirty three and a half years. And when he started his ministry at thirty years of age, John the Baptist's ministry had already signed off. This proves that the making of the men, the preparation of the men, takes much longer than the actual time given for their ministry, as the Lord takes more time in preparing the men, and in getting them in perfect shape for the ministry, than in the actual time frame of their ministry. And even though it took thirty years to get Jesus ready for his ministry, in three and a half years, he brought a great revival to the Nation of Israel like no other man ever did, for no man ever had a ministry like Jesus, which was why men cried out on many occasions, asking: ***“What manner of man is this?”*** (Matt. 8:27; Mark 4:41; Luke 8:25). For no man who walked in shoe leather was ever like him, and there will never be any man like him either! There is no man like Jesus the Christ, and I will boast of him! Again, going back further in

time, for four whole decades, forty whole years, God dealt with Moses in the wilderness; for it took forty solid years to beat out all the traditions and "isms" of Egypt out of him, and make a true shepherd out of a man whom the Bible says, **"was learned in all the wisdom of the Egyptians"**. And when we come back to the making of the ministry of John the Baptist, what did the Lord God say of him in the Gospel of Saint Luke? Come with me to Luke Chapter 1, to consider the prophetic words of Zechariah, the father of John the Baptist, a man who was anointed, and who declared under the inspiration of the Holy Ghost, from verse 76: **"And thou, child, shalt be called the prophet of the Highest: for thou shalt go before the face of the Lord to prepare his ways; To give knowledge of salvation unto his people by the remission of their sins, Through the tender mercy of our God; whereby the dayspring from on high hath visited us, To give light to them that sit in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace."** (Now

watch verse 80): **"And the child grew, and waxed strong in spirit, AND WAS IN THE DESERTS"** (TILL WHEN?) **"TILL THE DAY OF HIS SHEWING UNTO ISRAEL"**. He was in the desert (wilderness), tucked away completely from the knowledge of Israel; absolutely hidden away from the glare of all men, his ministry being wrought in absolute secrecy, until the day divinely ordained for his showing to the Nation of Israel, the day ordained of God that his ministry should start! Think about it! Brothers and sisters, so it is today, with regards to the Original Pure Seed Ministry, of the Original Pure seed Bride of Jesus Christ, one that is ordained to take the elect Bride right into the rapture! I have to let you know undoubtedly, that you and I have not yet seen the true ministry. We have not yet seen the true ministry, as they should relate and function. We have only seen a foundation of faith established for their establishment and projection. But we have not seen the true ministry yet. However, let me tell you this morning, without any iota or ounce of doubt, those men are going to

come out of the woodworks, as the men are in the body out there as we speak, waiting for the hour of their full anointing. Right now, the Lord is dealing with them on a personal level, giving them a training and an experience, for they are all in the school of the Holy Ghost. And the school of the Holy Ghost is not one seminary somewhere, for we do not believe in that nonsense! The school of the Holy Ghost is not one Bible College somewhere either, because we do not preach theology; we preach a revelation, divine revelation of the Holy Scriptures. Moreover, we believe, that if any man should have established seminaries and Bible schools, Apostle Paul should have; Apostle Peter should have; Apostle John should have, being the original pure seed apostles of our Lord, and being men who wrote the entire New Testament for us, and men upon whose foundation of faith our salvation is based. But they did not build any Bible school or seminary, and neither did they establish any seminary or Bible school, simply because there is a way God deals with His own body of ministry, in the light of truth.

Period! Consequently, if you are not looking for truth, sincerely from the depths of your heart, you will never find it, because it is not in any Bible school, and neither is it in any seminary. You just have to look for it sincerely with prayers, from the depths of your heart, and then, the Lord will lead you to truth. Let us therefore ask ourselves, how did they find truth in the earthly days of Jesus Christ? It was by the saints simply following the ministry of John the Baptist, the man with the truth of the hour, for he bore the standard of truth for that day, and when Jesus Christ later stepped on the scene, he also pointed them to Christ, and they followed him. Then the Lord Jesus, in turn, also opened up deep truths of the Word of God to them, leading them further into the truth, giving them a deeper and richer understanding of God's plan of redemption, on a level which no other man, and definitely no organisation, bore, in that hour of time. Halleluia! That is precisely how they got what they got, and how they knew precisely what they knew, for it was by following the ministry which

the Lord had set in the earth in that day, to carry the light for the entire body of saints, and it is the very same way today. Period! We can even take this thought to the days of Apostle Paul, as well as to 96 AD., in the hour of John the beloved apostle. Therefore, if you are really looking for truth, **"the PRESENT TRUTH"**, you also have to look for the ministry which God has set in the earth, to show the way for the body of saints, in the light of the Scriptures. Consequently, you have to look for the Current **"Scribe"**, the vessel ordained to open up the Scriptures, otherwise, there is no truth you will be having, except mere pieces of the puzzle, a piece here and a piece there, which only produces half-baked believers. And may I say this morning, because of our visitors, and also on account of the opposition, that the revelation of truth which the 120 saints in the Upper room had in that day, they had to the exclusion of the whole world! I repeat: The revelation of the truth the disciples of Jesus had in the Upper room, in Acts Chapter 1, the things that they had, they had and knew to the exclusion of the whole religious world!

Nobody else in the whole world knew what they knew, and they had it only because they followed the ministries of two men, first that of John the Baptist, and then that of Jesus the Christ! Period! The revelation which Peter, James, John, Jude, Bartholomew, and all the others had to that point, they had it to the exclusion of the whole world, for nobody else around the globe knew it! How did they have it? They had it because they followed the ministry of John the Baptist, the man who gave them an understanding of something which the Pharisees, the Scribes, and Doctor Gamaliel, did not have; and subsequently, they also followed Jesus Christ, who expounded to them in the closet, deep mysteries buried in the Holy Scriptures of Truth, thereby lifting them upon a spiritual plateau, which no other person or group of persons in the entire religious world ever attained onto! It is written: *"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever."* And if it was so in that day; if that was how they knew what they knew, I tell you now, that it is the same way today, for our

God, the God of all creation, does not change!

Brothers and sisters, the School of God's ministry is not a Bible school or a seminary somewhere, because any particular Bible school or Seminary is going to teach the creeds and dogma of the organisation that set it up. For instance, if you go to the Bible School of the Redeemed Christian Church of God, they will teach you Redeemed organisational dogma. If you go to the Catholic seminary, they will teach you Catholic creeds and dogma. If you attend the seminary of the Church of England, or the Episcopal Church, they will teach you the 32 Articles of the Anglican Communion. Exactly! And if you attend the Bible school of Pentecostal XYZ Miracle Ministry, they will likewise only teach you the traditions and programmes of that ministry. End of story! So, you need to attend the School of the Holy Ghost, for that is the school which Peter, James, John, and Paul all attended, for they did not attend any Bible school or seminary. None of the apostles went to any Bible

school or seminary, and yet, they carried the pure original light of Jesus Christ the Son of God, one which changed the entire course of the Gentiles, as they bore the light of Christ to the whole world in that day. To this day, we are being established in their faith, and that is being accomplished without any Bible school attendance, but by following the truth which the Elijah of this end time bore, for the body of Christ universal. Every last one of the original apostles went to the School of God, which is the School of "Knee-ology"! Halleluia! It is the School of Kneeology, and one of tests and trials of faith, one designed to give them an experience, and an understanding, to make of them vessels fit for the Master, prepared unto every good work. This is most crucial, because if all you have is mere knowledge, mere head knowledge of truth, without experience, you will do a lot of damage to the body of saints, because of your sheer lack of experience. Experience makes a man seasoned, for it gives him understanding, and understanding is applied knowledge. Knowing how to apply the knowledge that

has been acquired, is understanding. It is knowing how to take the knowledge that you have, and knowing precisely how to apply or use it. That is understanding! Experience is the school that makes you a seasoned person, and you cannot be a man in the ministry without experience. Hence the reason God will take you through a serious school of experience; and experience cannot be gathered in one day, for acquiring experience takes time. That is why you must understand this morning, precisely why it has taken God such a long period of time to get His men in shape, for they will be specialists in their various fields or offices; not novices, and neither are they mediocre men, but specialists. Since Brother Branham passed away in the month of December 1965, it will be exactly forty nine years in December this Year 2014, that he passed away, and yet, we are still waiting for the original ministry! It will also be ten years in December, since Brother Jackson passed away, and we are also still waiting for the original ministry! Why is this so? It is simply



because God takes more time, much more time, in the training of His men, than in the actual time span of their ministry. Saints, next year in December, 2015, it will be a Jubilee since Brother Branham passed away, as it will be fifty years since he was called home, and yet, we are still waiting for the original pure seed Ephesian Ministry! My! Who would have imagined or expected that? Think about it! But I know though, that something is fixing to happen. However, you must understand, that God takes more time in training the men, for more time is expended in giving them the right training, than in the actual years of their ministry; because the Lord knows that once they are in shape, they will do a marvellous work! And please do not forget, that the work of the original ministry that we are expecting, will be a very quick and efficient work, a fantastic work, for it is written in the Book of Romans Chapter 9, verses 27-28: ***“Esaias also crieth concerning Israel”***, (just as it applies to spiritual Israel, which is the Bride of Christ, the Royal Seeds of Abraham), ***“Though the***

***number of the children of Israel be as the sand of the sea, a remnant shall be saved: For He*** (God) ***will finish***” (or wrap up) ***“the work”*** (of redemption), ***“AND CUT IT SHORT IN RIGHTEOUSNESS: BECAUSE A SHORT WORK WILL THE LORD MAKE UPON THE EARTH”***. Did you hear that? A short work will the Lord make upon the earth, as He is going to cut it short in righteousness! The point is, since the revival of the Nation of Israel in the 70th Week of Daniel, will last only three and a half years, Church, I do not see the great revival of the Bride lasting more than that same period of time. If we look at it scripturally, and also consider the revivals of the Lord through time, the revivals of God usually do not last beyond this length of time, more particularly as it is stated in prophecy, that it will be ***“A SHORT WORK”***, meaning, A QUICK SHORT WORK! And for this great, most serious, most important, and most urgent work, the Lord needs nothing but Ministry Masterpieces, specialists in their fields of ministry. Be assured therefore, that these

masterpieces will be in place for the Bride universal, as the zeal of the Lord will perform it, His Word being sovereign, and therefore, absolutely infallible. But right now, God is taking them through training, by giving them tests and trials, as they kneel before the Throne of Grace in prayer, seeking the face of the Lord, and also burying themselves in the revelation of truth which God has given the saints today, through the successive standard bearing ministries He has set for us at this evening time, beginning with Elijah, followed by Apostle Paul, and now Apostle John, ***THE THREE SCRIBES***, or ***THE THREE READERS***, of the Bride of Jesus Christ. I repeat: As we speak this morning, the elect men ordained as the original pure seed ministry for the end time Bride, are at present, quietly and actively feeding and enriching their souls, firmly establishing themselves in ***“THE PRESENT TRUTH”*** of Jesus Christ. This is in order to make them solidly and thoroughly grounded in the revelation of the Scriptures they will use, to bring the universal Bride of Christ into the ***“Unity of***

**the Faith**", AND into **"Perfection"**, in full and perfect readiness for the rapture. And considering the great volume of scriptural light that has been shed for us in this last age, in the three moves of God for the Bride, it is obvious that the men have a lot of catching up to do, for a perfect and glorious work. That is why God is taking them through the school of tests and trials, life's trials: Some of which are very harsh; some are very severe; and some are not so harsh, all depending on the nature of the men, and the ministry role God is going to use them to perform for His children. They are being taken through the school of knocks and bangs, in order to make them **"meet"** for the work, and make them what they are divinely required to be, so that they can also feel the pain of the people, and give the children of God the comfort and support that they need, knowing what it is like. This has to be the case, because if you have not been there, you do not know just how it feels. You may think you know, but you do not really know! One brother came to see me one day, for he was

homeless, and he said, **"Brother Amos, I am homeless."** He sat down and began to lay out all his woes, and so, I let him finish. Then I said to him, that he is not the only one in that shoe. Then he said to me: **"Brother Amos, what do you know about homelessness?"** So, I told him: **"Listen. I have been homeless before in the U.K., and I literally had nowhere to go in a strange land."** There are some testimonies that I do not like to share, and this is one of them, because it breaks my heart, and it brings tears to my eyes, because of what my father did, the extent that he went for me, and as such, even tonight, I will not go into it. But the fact remains, that I have been homeless before, having absolutely nowhere to go, with no money in my pocket either. The issue is that by the time I also gave him my own testimony, he was shocked to hear that the son of a former Deputy Governor could have the experiences of things he felt I could not possibly have had. But it is written in Psalm 105, verse 16: **"Moreover He" (God) "called for a famine upon the land: HE BRAKE THE WHOLE STAFF OF**

**BREAD"**. God broke the whole staff of bread, in order to get Israel to go to Egypt, that the Scriptures might be fulfilled! And that is exactly what the Lord did to my family, what He did to my dad. He simply broke the whole staff of bread of my family, and literally placed the family in penury, in order to give me an experience, one which I did not have, and one which I would not have had, had that not happened. And when this was going on, God jammed all our ways, and all our labours and endeavours to earn a living, simply produced nothing, in spite of all my dad's connections! There were times in those horrible days, I would think that God was probably trying to eliminate me from this way, because of the intensity of the trials, and the long duration of our sad financial situation! It moved me to literally cry out to God for mercy, that I not be eliminated from this revealed way, for despite all the hardships and business failures that I experienced, I knew that I had found a goldmine, in the Bible Message of the Hour! However, once in a blue moon, the Lord would step on the scene, and

something deep down in my soul, would tell me in a crystal clear tone, what amounts to this: ***“Your family is going through all this hardship because of you, because of the ministry which God has in store for you. It is to give you an experience”***. The peace of God would flood my soul, and I would receive encouragement to go on. It was hard in those days, but now I understand why it had to be so. Saints, God takes His men through tests and trials, as a means of training them, and by these means, their will is also broken, that they might be totally submissive to God. I am going to say some things this morning, and I have a reason for taking this route, for we might as well draw a full picture, before letting it go. Brothers and sisters, the school of training for the ministry is the life experiences, the trials and the tests God channels for His men. You do not have enough prayer power to avert this course! No, you do not! And there is no man of God in any part of this globe that has enough anointing, to change the course God has mapped out for your training, if you are one of the men! That

cup full of tests and trials, you will drink, and you will drink it to the very dregs! Because it is through this that you will gain your experience, some of which is definitely bitter, and some of which is sweet, for it is a mixture; because life itself is a mixture, as it is one of sweetness and bitterness, ups and downs, mountains and valleys. For if all you have in life is smoothness, as you are born with a golden or silver spoon in your mouth, brothers and sisters, you cannot be in the ministry, and even if you are ordained for the ministry, you are certainly not ready for it, because you do not know anything about life! That is the truth! What do you know about life, when you wash your hands in honey? I hope you get my point. You want to wash your hands, then you say, *“Give me a bowl of honey there, and let me wash my hands”*; because that is all you have, and hence, that is all you know, for you know absolutely nothing of the other side of life! You wash your hands in honey, and then you want to minister to God's children, who, in the main, are poor people! How do you minister to such people,

when you do not have a clue as to what it is to be poor? Come on! Do you not know what Apostle Paul stated in 1 Corinthians Chapter 1? He declared in verses 26-29: ***“For YE SEE YOUR CALLING, BRETHREN, how that not many wise men after the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, ARE CALLED”***. (Who then are called? He tells us in clear terms, declaring): ***“But God hath chosen the FOOLISH THINGS of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the WEAK THINGS of the world to confound the things which are mighty; And BASE THINGS of the world, and THINGS WHICH ARE DESPISED, HATH GOD CHOSEN, yea, and THINGS WHICH ARE NOT, to bring to nought things that are: That no flesh should glory in his presence”***. This gives us nothing but an array of uneducated, poor, lowly, and despised people! Yes, it does, for they are the ones that are considered the ***“foolish things”***; the ***“weak things”***; the ***“base things”***; the ***“things which are despised”***; and they are the ***“things which***

**are not**", for they are truly nothing in this world, being poor and uneducated folks! But how they love the Lord and His Word, for they are the ones that listen to the Word of God gladly! Exactly! So, how do you minister to poor people, when you do not know what it is to be poor? How would you truly feel for them and relate to them in their plight, in order to comfort and encourage them, when you really have no clue? The truth is that without experience, you cannot really impact the people of God meaningfully, and neither will you be a mature Christian yourself; because it is by the tests and trials, the experiences which the Lord takes you through, that you attain spiritual maturity! That is why I am emphasising the truth, that the ministry means much more than just being able to preach, for you can preach beautifully well, and still have no clue about this great calling, and hence, behave immaturely, irresponsibly, and unacceptably! Experience is what makes a man; it is the trials you pass through that the Lord uses to mould and shape your character, one that is required for the high calling of God. That is

why it is written concerning Jesus Christ in Hebrews Chapter 2, verse 10: ***"For it became Him" (who is God), "for whom are all things, and by whom are all things, in bringing many sons unto glory, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings"***. It is also written in Hebrews Chapter 5, verses 8-9: ***"Though he" (Jesus) "were a Son, yet learned he obedience by the things which he suffered; And being made perfect, he became the author of eternal salvation unto all them that obey him"***. That is true! Consequently, it is also through these sufferings that God tries you for faithfulness, to see what you will do. He creates circumstances and puts you in it, and sees what your reaction will be. He will not tell you, *"I am testing you, and I am watching you."* No! He just puts it before you, and watches what you do with it. And many times, brothers and sisters, it is even the things that you do not reckon with, things that seem so little and insignificant, those are the very things that God is using to weigh you on. The little things which you think

do not matter, or that you think are nothing, things that you do not even consider, are really the main things the Lord is considering, as they are weighty, because they are the things that go into the root of spirituality, true spirituality! It is just as it is written in the Book of the Song of Solomon, Chapter 2, verse 15, which declares: ***"... the little foxes, THAT SPOIL THE VINES"***. You think it is the big things that matter, the big things that you do; but as I said, it is really the little things that count, for the little things are the things that go into the root of spirituality, and these are the things the Lord is looking out for, and the basis of our testing for faithfulness. Remember, as it is written in the Book of Isaiah Chapter 55, verse 8, that God's ways are not our ways, and also that His thoughts are not our thoughts. In verse 9, we are plainly told: ***"For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts"***. Period!

Church, let us therefore ask ourselves again this morning: Where are the

men for the Original Ephesian Fivefold Ministry? Where are they? I have to keep asking this question, because we have definitely not yet seen the true ministry, which is the original ministry, God's thoroughbred men who are ordained for the Bride. And that is precisely why we do not yet see the men in the ministry function as they should, and as they most certainly would. Secondly, that is also why a lot of unsavoury attitudes are still being displayed by men in the present day ministry around the globe; quite apart from the little carnal so-called revelations, which men are still peddling around the earth, all which amount to **"leaven"**; coupled with the fact that men are still derailing from the way of truth around the world, even as we speak, all on account of pride and selfish ambition, showing evidently and inarguably (incontestably), that we do not yet have the men! We only have a foundation of truth established for men, and an opportunity given to men around the globe to see something, and to partake of the Continuing Message of Life, one with which they will ultimately be judged for placement or

displacement, at the end of the day. Seeing the true reality of things, we therefore have to ask: Where are the men for the Original Fivefold Ministry? Brothers and sisters, the men are out there in the body; they are certainly in the body, scattered out there around the world, but known only to the Lord. You do not yet know them, and neither do I. They are still going through their training and schooling; they are still going through tests and trials, for it is God giving them the required experience for the job, by all the things that they pass through. Once their training days are over, and their school days are done, and having passed God's tests, the Lord will anoint and bring them on the scene, and place them over the Bride, and then we will know them. But as it stands today, you must all understand, that the men are out there in the Body, even though we do not yet know them, just as John the Baptist was also in the wilderness, until the day of his showing to the Nation of Israel. Come with me to the Book of Romans Chapter 11, and we will consider the words of Saint Paul, for it is most instructive in this

respect. Look at what he said concerning Elijah from verse 1: ***"I say then, Hath God cast away His people? God forbid. For I also am an Israelite, of the seed of Abraham, of the tribe of Benjamin. God hath not cast away His people which He foreknew. Wot ye not what the Scripture saith of Elias? how he maketh intercession to God against Israel, saying, Lord, they have killed thy prophets, and digged down thine altars; AND I AM LEFT ALONE, and they seek my life."*** What was God's answer to him? How did God answer Elijah? Verse 4 records: ***"But what saith the answer of God unto him? I HAVE RESERVED TO MYSELF SEVEN THOUSAND MEN, WHO HAVE NOT BOWED THE KNEE TO THE IMAGE OF BAAL"***. That must have shocked Elijah to his roots! Seven thousand men! It was not seven men; it was not seventy men; and it was not even seven hundred men, but seven thousand men, ALL preserved and nurtured by the Lord, and Elijah did not know one of them, and neither did he know anything about this hidden elect remnant!

Think about it, and wake up! Elijah did not know that any such men existed in all the land of Israel, and yet, there were a whole seven thousand of them, thoroughbred Jews, men who bluntly and totally refused to bow down to Baal, for they defied the order of the day, the order of King Ahab and Jezebel; men who were completely shielded away from the knowledge of Elijah, the servant of the Lord! Think seriously about it! I am speaking to spiritual people this morning, and I say all these things that we might be encouraged, and so have peace, holding firmly to faith, in the face of unfaithful men; for we have a blessed and infallible hope, as the promise of the Lord is **“yea and amen**, whether it concerns the original ministry of the Bride of Jesus Christ, the ministry ordained for glory, or it concerns the Bride herself. Saints, what a shock that must have brought to Elijah that day, and to think that that was God's prophet! The Lord declared plainly and categorically: **“I have reserved to myself seven thousand...”** It had to be so, because God being God, always reserves to

Himself an element of men that will do His will, an element of people that will give Him the worship that He, as God, deserves, men that will uphold His Truth at any cost, and at any given point in time, for He is sovereign! This will always be the case, however perverse and dire the spiritual conditions may be in any age, and at any junction of time; and as such, you must all know that the situation is the same as we speak, for God definitely has an elect remnant of faithful men, scattered out there within the universal body of God's people. Church, the truth will always remain, that God does not leave Himself without a true witness, at any point in time. Period! Therefore, I have to say this morning, that as it stands today, although the world may be full of serpent seed ministries, nevertheless, the fact remains, that there has to be an elect remnant of men, and there is an elect remnant of men of God, kept away from our knowledge, a special category of men divinely ordained to be the Bride's thoroughbred ministers, an original pure seed ministry, men whom God has reserved to Himself, and

whom the Lord will use to execute His perfect will for the Bride of Christ Universal, right here at this end time, for the Word of God cannot fail. And in that day, even though Elijah did not know any of these elect men of God, and even though he also never met any of them, nor did he have any fellowship with any one of them, for he was alone, nevertheless, God knew every last one of them by name. He knew everything about them: Their number, as well as their location; their upstanding, as well as their down sitting; their going out, as well as their coming in, for He is the Lord. Brothers and sisters, let this truth sink down into your soul this morning, because in the same breath, I am also telling you that God has reserved an army of original apostles, original prophets, original evangelists, original pastors, and original teachers, for the Bride of this hour. Only believe, for God's Word cannot fall to the ground, for He is God. Church, I say again, you have not seen these men as yet, and you certainly know nothing about them, for you do not know who they are. You know nothing

about the men, for they are still in the “wilderness” as we speak, tucked away from the knowledge of the Bride saints, until the day they are ordained to be made manifest to the Universal Nation of the Bride. Take it or leave it: The truth remains the truth! It is written that our God does not change, for He is the Lord God Almighty! (Mal. 3:6). But in order to prove beyond any iota of doubt, that the Scriptures which gave Elijah this reserved hidden remnant thoroughbred men in that day, also applies to our day, in Romans Chapter 11, Apostle Paul went further, for he now concludes in verse 5, plainly declaring: **“Even so then at this present time also THERE IS A REMNANT ACCORDING TO THE ELECTION OF GRACE”**, although they are also unknown! Yes! Did you hear that? Saint Paul declared that *“at his present time ALSO, there is a remnant according to the election of grace.”* Let me ask you: Do you think that that statement applied just to the hour of time when Apostle Paul wrote this verse? Of course not, for it was written as a truth of all ages, and of all time!

Therefore, it is a truth of God which is applicable even right now as we speak, because **“EVEN SO THEN AT THIS PRESENT TIME ALSO there is a remnant according to the election of grace”!** It is absolutely so, because God always reserves to Himself an elect remnant according to the election of grace, men who will do His perfect will, in the midst of a wicked and perverse generation! Exactly! Halleluia! And as it is written: **“THE JUST SHALL LIVE BY FAITH”!** It is also written in 2 Corinthians Chapter 5, verse 7: **“FOR WE WALK BY FAITH, NOT BY SIGHT”!** Church, you have to see by the eye of faith, that the original pure seed ministry of the Bride is out there, and that they are young men in the main, for they are certainly not babies, and neither are they men on crutches. So, if you want to share the ministry among yourselves, you can go ahead and share it as much as you want. But I will tell you that it is only fools who share the ministry among themselves and by themselves, and do not allow God to share His own thing the way He wants. I

repeat: If you want to divide the ministry among men, keep on dividing it; divide it to whomsoever you like. Furthermore, let men also take whatever ministry it is that they like, and give it to themselves, seeing that they are the ones in charge of the Kingdom of God, and not God; and also seeing that they determine the role they play, and the position they occupy. However, the Spirit of the Lord is speaking to us this morning in plain terms, and is declaring that we do not yet know these men, but that they are out there, for they are currently being dealt with by the Spirit of God, just like John the Baptist. They are feeding voraciously on the Word, in order to catch up with the great volume of revelation we have been given by the Spirit of the Lord at this end time, from the pages of the Holy Bible, and they are also growing in spiritual stature and grace, for God is also giving them the necessary training, loading them with tests and trials, in order to give them an experience, and at the appointed time, God will bring them forth. That is the reason that we are speaking about ***THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING***

*OF THE MINISTRY.* Please allow me to give a personal testimony right here, for it is applicable to the things we are setting forth in this message, and it also serves as a perfect example of what we are illustrating, and it just reminds me of the experience of John the Baptist. Brothers and sisters, when I look at the apostolic ministry the Lord has given to me today, honestly speaking, it is beyond me, and I am simply overwhelmed by the great love and mercy the Lord has shown towards me, the most wretched sinner that His grace has ever saved, one who certainly deserves nothing but death. I thank God for His marvellous grace and elective love in my life, for the Lord has been good to me, and I bless and praise His most Holy Name. Amen!

Back in those days, things were every bad, not just for me, but for my entire family, my parents, the Lord having brought me into this revealed way. I would borrow money and invest in this product and that product, but nothing worked. Nothing I laid my hands on prospered, for it

was as if heaven was against me, blighting anything and everything I touched. I did not know that the Lord was taking me through the wilderness for my training and testing. Sometimes, a thought would drop in my heart of something to do in order to make a living, and even though it was good, when I went into it, something would just come and turn it upside down, for nothing worked! Unfortunately, the situation was the same with my dad, and even much more so! I thought to myself many times, "*What is going on?*" I got all my official licenses for gemstones trading, and I travelled all over the globe dealing in gemstones, semi-precious stones, and still, everything failed! It was on account of this trading venture that I came to the United States in December 1993, and on this account, I was also able to visit Faith Assembly, Jeffersonville, Indiana, for the very first time. I remember one of the times I visited the gemstones market in Manhattan, New York, and I had to sell my garnet stones to an elderly Jewish trader for peanuts! On seeing my product, he brought out the garnet stones he also had, saying

that they were better than what I brought to him, in order to bring down the worth of my stones, when I could plainly see that my stones were much better than his, for they were much clearer, and also richer in colour, and yet, the man wanted to buy my stones for peanuts! And although I knew that he was not being fair, and that he was taking advantage of me, I had no choice but to sell to him, so that I could at least earn something, even though it was a loss! I was just tired of not making something! The gemstones trading took me to Bangkok in Thailand, to Hatton Garden's gemstones market in London, to the gemstones market in Tel Aviv in Israel, to Manhattan in New York, and in all these many trips, nothing worked, for it was all at a colossal loss! I also tried making supplies to various companies, but that did not work either, for nothing I did was successful, for my road was simply jammed! I applied to many places for jobs, but nothing opened up, despite the many promises of employment I received from men. It was so bad that I decided to travel to London to work for a few months, about three



to six months, in order to make some money, and come back to set up a business centre, as that was the in-thing in those days. I remember Brother Victor Cole-Showers was very kind enough in that day, though a civil servant... He gathered together all his salaries, (I do not know how many months' salary he put together), to buy me a computer system, in order to help me with my business centre venture. But I told him, "*Brother Victor, you are a civil servant. Please do not worry yourself. The Lord will make a way.*" I begged him to forgo his promise, but he simply refused, and as such, I had to let him buy the computer system, and honestly speaking, I appreciate the sacrifice my brother made in that day, for that was very kind and thoughtful of him. Brothers and sisters, in those days, things were hard, very hard. Then I decided to travel to the United Kingdom to work for just three to six months, and use the money to buy computer systems with which to set up a business centre, not knowing that the Lord was taking me back there for another purpose

entirely. For it was time for God to give me my wife, just as He had promised, even though I had forgotten all about that; but the Lord is faithful. To cut a long story short, the Lord led me back to the lady who is now my wife, and everything clicked, and eventually, we went to the government registry in the Angel Islington, an area of London, to pick a date for our marriage, and we paid the registry fees. In the United Kingdom, I had gone into a joint venture with someone who was a close friend of mine, someone I took as my brother, and with whom I stayed, and we had sent a full forty feet container load of clean, second hand, double door fridge-freezers, to Lagos. You would think they were new, because they were very clean, and of a good grade. We paid for the goods, and we also paid the shipping company, and the container which was filled with our goods, was bound for Nigeria. I was already dreaming: "*When we sell these things, my poverty will be over.*" For that was what I thought! But the Lord must have said, "*We will see.*" I was now thinking of how I would conduct my

marriage in the interim, in view of my financial constraints, when suddenly, I received a phone call from Nigeria, informing me of a coming revival. The call was from Brother Simeon Akinlua, one of the ministering brothers who was standing in the gap with us in those days, over Bible Faith Tabernacle. Brothers and sisters, I want you to know that I had been waiting for revival all my life, particularly since I came into the Continuity Light which Raymond Jackson, as the chief apostle, bore for the universal body of saints, from the pages of the Bible! When I received that call, the brother said: "*Brother Amos, we are going to have a revival.*" I said, "*Revival? How? What happened?*" He said, "*A brother is coming to bring revival to us, and it is thus saith the Lord.*" Brothers and sisters, on hearing this news, I immediately jettisoned the marriage plans that I had already made, for I dropped everything, and dashed back to Nigeria for the so-called revival. When I arrived in Nigeria, I actually still had a few unexpired days on my visa, and after the failed revival, I could

have re-entered the United Kingdom with it, gone to the registry, married my wife, and simply sent my passport to the British Home Office. However, that was not to be, for the Lord had ordained otherwise. Saints, after the so-called revival came and went, and there was no smoke, let alone fire, for the prophecy of the revival failed woefully, I went back to get a new visa, and then my visa woes started, even though prior to that day, I had visited London about 32 times! Unknown to me in that day, the Lord was in the refusal, for it was His will, as I was not to travel out of my country. That was precisely why He did not move me to simply fly back to London after the failed revival meetings, using the unexpired days on my existing visa, for I was not to leave the country! Hence God moved me to go and apply for a new visa, knowing that the hammer was waiting for me at the embassy. So once they got my passport, God said, "Good"; and they stamped my passport with the words, "Refused"! You know in those days, when they stamped your passport, there was no other embassy that would

give you a visa after that. Once they stamped your passport, that was the end of that passport. You might as well throw it away, and get another one. It was really horrible in those days! And for five whole years, I was consistently refused visas by the British High Commission; and as they were stamping them, I was acquiring new passports. It was very expensive to get those things, not to talk of the enormous visa fees which the British High Commission charged, and still charge, apart from the great struggle it took to get in the queue for a visa, for you had to be in the queue as early as 5am in the morning, if you were to be seen. It was very horrible for me in those days, on account of the emotional turmoil and heartache it gave me, and all of my resources that was drained, resources which I did not have to begin with. With the impossible visa situation, my wife had no choice but to travel to Nigeria, and we got married at the Registry Office here, at Yaba, Lagos. However, in spite of our legal marriage, they still continued to refuse me a

British visa, for a further four whole years! They were refusing me consistently like they were happy to do it. You cannot imagine the damage it was doing to me psychologically and emotionally, the sleepless nights and heartache it was giving me, the pain and frustration, knowing that I had a legitimate wife in the United Kingdom; and further, that my wife later became pregnant, and I could not see her; and when she actually gave birth to my first son, Jason, I could not even see him until he was ten months old, as he was not allowed to travel until he had had all his baby vaccinations; and to know that my wife went through a caesarean operation which was not well done, and it gave her so many problems and pain thereafter, for she suffered much on that account; that she had to climb two or three flights of stairs with all her daily grocery (shopping), as heavy as it was, and without a car, and not being able to afford a taxi, carrying Jason on her at the same time, and with no one to help her, simply killed me slowly

within! It was like a nightmare that just would not go away! So you can imagine the inner turmoil I faced, for many nights I would just be rolling in bed, not being able to sleep, thinking, *“O Lord, what is this? Why does it have to continue to be like this? Have mercy on me.”* It was emotional turmoil, and that kind can kill you more than anything else, which is why you can be eating very well, and yet look like someone who is malnourished, because you are emotionally and psychologically drained! That was when my grey hair began to come. But do you know why I was being refused visa? It was because God wanted me to be on ground! Eventually after five years, the visa wall came down, and I received the visa with the help of a Solicitor, one that I had to engage in the United Kingdom, after I was duped by the first one. When I now look back, I can see exactly why God took me through the financial hardships I experienced, with so many fruitless business ventures, wasted efforts, and wasted resources that was not even there to start with, for they were loans, and everything just went down

the drain. Even the forty feet container of clean double door fridge freezers we sent to Lagos, was taken from me by my so-called friend, for himself, without giving me even a pin, because it was his idea and funding, even though I had also secured a portion of the funds, as a loan from NatWest Bank in London, for the business, apart from my labour of six months over the whole endeavour, going countless times to Tilbury, Essex, all the way from London! I ended up with nothing in London, except a wife, and I thank God for that; I thank God for my wife! God gave me the grace, and I simply walked away from the goods in September 1995, having first spoken a few home truths to this so-called brother and friend of mine. I told him plainly and categorically: ***“You want to take for yourself, what we both sweated over. I will not fight you over it; you can have it. But I want you to know that MY PROSPERITY IS NOT IN THIS CONTAINER: MY PROSPERITY IS IN GOD”***. And I walked away from him, never to see him again, even up till this very moment. Unfortunately for me, before the container

arrived in Lagos, I had already called one of my creditors, informing him of the business deal, and promising him that I would pay him once we sold the goods, and now I was made to look like a deceiver and a crook, for what could I now tell the man, without him thinking that I was only cooking up another story? Saints, many nights, I spent tossing restlessly in bed, thinking to myself, *“How can a person do this to another person? How can he do this to me? How can a man be so heartless?”* The Lord helped me, and I let it go, even though it pained me greatly. I had decided in myself a long time ago, long before I ever went into this venture, having come into the End Time Message, that the Lord being my helper, I would not “fight” anyone for money, or for business, but that I would fight for truth and truth alone, for that is the only thing worth “fighting” for, and that has been my stand to date, and it has been strictly by the grace of God. However, the fact remains that in that day, following this bitter experience, my situation still did not change, for I would approach someone with a business deal, that

he may finance the venture, and everything would just go down the drain, as nothing I did worked! I remember my first visit to Brother Jackson, at the end of December 1993, a day or two after Christmas day, and my departure from Faith Assembly, early in January 1994, for Staten Island, New York, where I was staying on that particular business trip to the United States, with a good university friend of mine, a medical doctor, Bayo Okelana. I was very fearful of how I would return to Nigeria, as I was afraid of having to tell the men who financed the venture that the trip was a failure. I felt that they would think that I was only deceiving them, playing smart. That killed me from the inside! I constantly wondered: *“How on earth am I going to go back and tell these men that the business venture had not worked?”* My friend was urging me to stay in the States, that I could live with him, but I knew I had to return back home, and hence, I refused his very kind offer, although I dreaded going back. When I eventually plucked up the courage to return, and I informed the men that

financed the trip of the grim situation of things, I remember one of them, Mr Okereke, came to my house one day. He informed me that the other man who had contributed money with which we bought my flight ticket and the product, had an emergency situation he needed to attend to in the village, and he needed money urgently. Right in his presence, I packed up a new piano that had been sent to me from London, and a few electronic things that I had, and carried it to Alaba market to sell, so that the man could have something with which to travel, as that was all I had! I had to sell this and that, just to show good faith! As a very kind gesture, Mr Okereke said to me, and it was God motivating him to say it that day, in order to encourage my heart: *“Brother Amos, I believe you that things did not work out. I can see the sincerity of your heart, and I will talk to the other man.”* That was God! May God bless his kind and understanding heart! Brothers and sisters, things were very hard for me in those days! Nothing I did succeeded, and it was like something was standing there, hampering

everything I laid my hands on. I remember the trip I made to Bangkok. Before I made that trip, they had just introduced a new product to me, garnet stones, and it was offered to me very cheaply, for it was newly mined, and as such, it was unknown in the Nigerian market. I looked at the product, and although it was very cheap, I did not buy it, but rather, I went for another stone, only to get to Bangkok, to realise that I had refused to buy something that was selling in Bangkok like hot cakes! Church, seeing the good price that the garnets was selling for, and the great demand for it in that day, I did not know what to do with myself. It was as if something should reverse the whole scenario, but nothing could reverse it, because it was a cup I was ordained to drink, and as such, I could not have done anything else; otherwise, the Lord would have moved me to buy garnets that day, instead of what I had bought! I was meant to have that experience, although it was very bitter. Those were the days when my white hair started coming out. It was all the barrages that I faced here and there: the business

failures, the economic hardships, the family problems, the separation from my family, which the refusal of visas generated, and everything was eating me up on every side! Yet, I would dream once in a while that I had travelled abroad, sometimes in the winter!

Brothers and sisters, the bottom-line is that God wanted me on ground, here in Nigeria. Why do I say that? It was the days when the Lord was going to give me training within the Movement, in an area that is called *CONFLICT OF FAITH*, that I might learn how to stand and fight for truth. The first scenario was with John Ogu, the pastor of the message church called Grace And Truth Tabernacle, in Oworo, Lagos. He was blatantly preaching and teaching, ***“Gifts, signs, and wonders are not important. What is important is love”***. I said to myself, *“That is not divine love. Love that takes away the Gifts of the Spirit in 1 Corinthians Chapter 12, is not divine love.”* I wrote an epistle to the man, scripturally refuting his warped teachings, and I also backed it up with the quotes of the prophet, to

which he sent for me to come to his office, in order to preach the truth out of me. At one point, he told me to move from where I was seating initially by his side, to the chair that was directly in front of him, for he thought he could use psychology on me. I looked at the man and simply smiled, and I obliged him, knowing exactly what he was up to. By the time he opened his mouth though, oh, my, I had to admire the man for his sophistry, for he was anointed! You know the Bible says that Jesus looked at the rich young man, and loved him, meaning that he admired him. Saints, I had to admire the man for his ability, and I could see that he was anointed. However, all those things did not make a difference to me, because I could see through him, and I knew exactly where I stood, in the light of the infallible Scriptures. But in my heart, I said, *“Wow, this guy is anointed!”* However, I stood my ground, and when he saw that he could not sway me with his carnal talk on love, he released me. When I wrote my second epistle to him, giving him a second admonition as a heretic, as the Holy Bible enjoins me to do in Titus Chapter 3, verse

10, I decided to give copies of my write-up to his deacons, thinking that they would have some influence on him, as I expected that they would see such plain truth; but I was proved wrong. It was then I learned that when a pastor is leading his congregation to the lake of fire, there are deacons that will stand firmly with him, and urge him on, and say of him: *“Wonderful pastor, nice man of God; we thank God for your ministry. You are a blessing to our soul. May God bless you, pastor. Ride on, for we are standing with you! Do not worry about the opposition.”* I tell you the truth! It does not matter what men of God so-called do, there are people that will hail them on, and bless God for their ministry. There are people like that! It was there that I first saw this horrible attitude expressed by deacons against the truth, and I learnt a lesson. His deacons said to me: *“What is your problem? What is this write-up about? We do not see those things you are speaking about.”* I simply carried my Bible, and walked out of the Church, for there was just no point. Then we came to another message Church, Bible Believers Fellowship.

That was another kettle of fish, for everything was about earrings and high heeled shoes. And here, I also had to make a stand. I wrote the pastor to inform him that I was not feeding, and rather than fall on his knees in prayer to God, he called a "Sanhedrin Council" Meeting to destroy me, right after that Sunday service, and the Lord turned the tables on him. He had to admit the things that I wrote, after having initially condemned and refuted them, and subsequently, I left the place, and the Lord led me to start what developed into this assembly, Bible Faith Tabernacle. I would like to take a moment, and come back to the issue of my speedy return from the United Kingdom, for a so-called revival. Here came Vincent Ehindero, the so-called prophet from Egbe town, Kogi State; the man who gave the false prophecy, stating that the Lord had sent him to Lagos, to ignite a "**great revival**" that would not only ignite Bible Faith Tabernacle, but that it would also constitute a great shining light in the city of Lagos. Oh my! That man is something else! He is nothing but a magician, a religious charlatan, and a first class sorcerer! When

that man came, God gave me grace, and as such, I saw through the whole shenanigan (deceptive) display, but the "whole" church went mad. On a Sunday morning service, I was crying before this church, crying bitterly and apologising to you all, if you thought that I was trying to destroy another man's ministry, and that I was creating raucous, for I was not. I just could not help but stand against a blatant untruth! I was crying and apologising for trying to help you all to see something that you could not see. I became a bad person who wanted to destroy somebody else's ministry, just because I tried to deliver you from the hands of a wolf in sheep's clothing! Moses Alu, who was our song leader at that time, would come knocking on my door, in the company of Brother Enoch Onyebuoha, along with one Brother James, and he would bash me on the head for my stand against Vincent Ehindero, on account of this revival prophecy. And in defending what was absolutely indefensible, Moses Alu told me that he saw the revival prophecy, as meaning that God would revive our personal

businesses! This forced me to later write to Brother Enoch, stating that in all my life, I had never heard such a carnal interpretation of revival, and that not even a Roman Catholic would give revival such a ridiculous interpretation! I added, that whilst I could understand and hence excuse the ignorance of Moses Alu, who was not a ministering brother, but a self-professed businessman, on the other hand, I could not excuse him (Brother Enoch), as I expected him to know better, being a preacher in the Message! I say this only because it is a fact, and because it forms an integral part of the testimony back then, of my many experiences in this way, one which cannot be altered, although I greatly appreciate Brother Enoch, for his firm and gallant stand for truth today, for he has been such a blessing. I am only going down memory lane, to share the facts of the things that I faced, the things I suffered, and the things which cannot be changed. The point, however, is this: Just as Moses Alu would leave my house in that day, having bashed me on the head, so to speak, then one Brother Samuel from Sango, together with his

group, would come knocking on my door, and bash me on the head as well, all on account of the same false prophecy. Then as they would be leaving, one Brother Joel, also from Sango, would also come knocking, just to bash me on the head, plummeting me to a pulp, all because they love deception. Brothers and sisters, those were horrible days for me, for the barrage was just too much! It got to a point that I was actually going to carry my Bible and leave the Church, for these people were something else! However, something suddenly spoke to me, from way deep down in my soul, although it looked like it was out loud, words that amounted to this: ***“You are not the one that is supposed to leave. They met you here. You must stand, and fight. If you go, what about the poor innocent ones that cannot defend themselves”***? That settled it for me. Something was stirred up within me, for God gave me grace, and I came back to this same pulpit, whilst we were still worshipping in Bariga school, and told the Church in plain terms: ***“When we censor a man, any man, by the Word of God, and***

***he falls short, and he will not repent, then, we will stand firmly against him, and this pulpit will be the last place he will ever step on”***. Brothers and sisters, when I made that firm stand, all hell broke loose, and the church broke into three. The following service, Brother Enoch preached, towing the same hard line with me, although he later went along with the group of people who went with the false prophet, and I was not to see my brother since that time, until he came back to make a firm stand for this Continuity Light in 2007. In that day, Brother Simeon Akinlua also came to my house, defending an obvious lie before myself and Brother Edward Olobayo, telling us: ***“In my case, I cannot deny what the Lord did for me during the revival, for as I am speaking to you now, my body is still on fire, for I am on fire! I saw revival”***! We simply looked at the man, and decided to keep quiet, for there was no point. We could see the fire burning in him indeed. My, oh my! People just love deception! Like I said, the Church broke into three, and Brother Jackson spoke of this incident in the Contender of August 1996,

titled, *TRUTH IN CONFLICT*, Part 3, declaring: ***“If ever there was an hour that truth finds itself in controversy, it is now. Right here, is a letter from Bro. Segun”***. (That is my name, which is now my middle name). ***“You remember him: He was the brother from Lagos Nigeria, that came here about two years ago. Some of these African names are hard to pronounce, but I believe it is spelled right. He tells here how a group over there with a certain minister in it, has taken to prophesying, and no doubt some of the prophecies as he started out were very true, but somehow he did not know where to draw the line and he felt that with this type of ministry he could go forth and really help other assemblies. Bro. Segun tells how they felt led to let him come to their assembly and throughout the meeting, he prophesied that his ministry would be the means of a revival setting in and so forth. Nevertheless, by the time the meeting came to a close, he had preached and prophesied things that split the***

congregation three ways. ***Bro. Segun and about a third of the others came through it feeling like they had victory over the ordeal, but sad to say, not everyone did. All of this just goes to show, that as the Spirit of God will move among a people of the message in different parts of the world, THERE IS ALWAYS INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE LOOKING FOR SOME KIND OF RECOGNITION ABOVE EVERYONE ELSE. They take an attitude toward certain things that those groups have been motivated by, up to a certain point, and it mentions how the Contender has been used. They use the Contender as a shield. This makes me feel bad. We have not been printing this for twenty some years with any intention of causing anybody to want to take it and use it as a shield, thereby hiding some revelation of their own, or some ministry that somehow or other supersedes that of the Scriptures, which we know would cause such a great reproach. However just as sure as we are sitting here this today. As we get closer to the end***

***of time, more and more individuals are going to appear on the scene WITH MOTIVES OF THEIR OWN CHOOSING. It is like the old cream separator: In order for cream to be able to separate from the milk, the whole thing has to go through a spin process. Since cream is lighter than milk, because milk is basically water, and water being the heavier of the liquids, the cream will eventually be forced to the top through this spin process***". Brothers and sisters, when the Church broke, Brother Simeon, together with Moses Alu, with that Brother James, all went by the prophecy of the false prophet, to form another assembly, called *The Church In Lagos*, a prophetic utterance which I still have as I speak, and which in essence amounts to this: ***"Thus saith the Lord, thou shall not call thyself a breakaway people; thou shall be called the Church in Lagos. The Lord shall give you a shepherd after His own heart, who shall feed thee..."*** And that shepherd was Brother Simeon. Yet, shortly after this Church started, Moses Alu and Brother James,

deserted the pastor "after God's heart", to do their own thing, for Moses Alu went to form his own Church, called Bride Assembly. But do not ask me what all the things he is now doing and peddling, have to do with the Bride of Jesus Christ, for his assembly is no more than a money spinning enterprise, totally devoid of truth and righteousness. He is using the Message of William Branham to make a name and build an empire, bringing untold reproach to the Message and the name of Brother Branham! I wish to point out that he has been to our services a few times, since this Continuity move started, once during one of our midweek services, and also once during our Convention in 2007, apart from the time when he came to see me privately in the Church, over one of my books, where I laid out the testimony concerning the false revival issue, and their exit from the Church. He came to state his disagreement as to why he left Bible Faith tabernacle, stating that it was on account of my attitude, as if that justified his standing for a false ministry, and for a blatantly false prophetic projection! My, oh my! But



let us ask him: What exactly was wrong with my attitude? And why exactly did I display that attitude in the first place? Come on! Let him answer that, as a watchdog does not bark for nothing! Exactly! These lovers and makers of deception! Saints, Brother Samuel also went to form his own Church, and today, they have all scattered to the four winds! He ran away to marry another woman, jilting his fiancée of many years, one with whom he attended our assembly. Brother Joel abandoned his wife with whom he had a number of children, and married another woman, thus living in adultery. And the false prophet from Egbe, Vincent Ehindero, was later caught in fornication, for he was fornicating with the sister of one of his Church members, and also with other sisters outside! Brothers and sisters, all of them are in a mess as we speak this morning, every last one of them! They are all living false lives, and yet, they still want to preach! Men that have no remorse or fear of God, and with no prick of conscience! I will never forget the Egbe prophet scenario, although the pain has totally gone! I will never forget this part of

my life, because that grand move of deception made me face up to a deluge from hell, all because I could see what the brethren could not see! Yet, it was not by my ability, but strictly by the grace of God. It is like you are trying to deliver people from a lone deadly wolf, and they want to kill you for daring to call the wolf a wolf! But God made me strong, and God gave me grace, for the Lord was taking me through an experience, quietly moulding me in the field of spiritual battle! And may I also inform you, that Brother Simeon has come back to bow to truth, as truth is what will have the last say, and the last laugh. He came to see me out of the blue, in the Church one afternoon, where I was with Brother Chris in the hall. This was before Brother Jackson passed away, and he admitted that they were all wrong regarding the false prophet's so-called revival, and that I was right. He has also been to one of our Conventions, apart from another occasion when he came to see me in the Church office. That was quite an ordeal I faced with the sorcerer from Egbe, a man who has also attended two of our Conventions. And during his first visit in

the Convention of 2007, he even had the audacity to add insult to the injury he left behind, way back in September 1995, by telling me whilst seated in my office, that I should let God vindicate my ministry, as if the truth is not enough vindication, and as if I invited him to the Convention, or that I asked him to stand for me! Church, his case was one training session! And as if that was not enough, here came Tunji Taiwo. Oh, my! We have seen them come and go in this local assembly, for the devil certainly had his eyes trained on Bible Faith Tabernacle, for he knew what we did not know back then. When I first met Tunji Taiwo, I thought in my heart that he might be the man that would pastor us, because in that day, we were looking to God for a pastor. So in my heart, I thought that he might be the one who we had been waiting for, until he made some statements, and I immediately realised, "*We have to look for another pastor. It is certainly not this man*". However, when he came, he came with his warped so-called revelation of the Godhead, one which amounts to extreme oneness, a false

teaching which I could not take from him, even though I tried all I could to make him see the light, as I slug it out with him in my father's living room, showing him the Word of God. Then later, he came with his revelation on Tithes, which according to him, *"is to increase the stature of the bride."* So his revelation is on Tithes, for it is about money. God gave him a revelation on Tithes, and the Bride must hear it, because it will increase our spiritual stature. Gentiles are a foolish people! We stood against the nonsensical things he tried to lay over the people, for you cannot take a truth into extremes, and all that was by the grace of God, for the Lord gave me grace to stand. Then here came one Brother Frank. Oh my! They always come in quietly and nicely at first. And before we knew it, Brother Frank was holding Sunday school right here, without asking the ministering brothers, men that he met here, men in charge of the Church, if it was okay! I came early to Church one Sunday morning, and I saw a lot of stuff drawn on the blackboard, and things written with chalk, showing that he had been teaching

the brethren, and yet, service had not yet began. I was baffled! So I asked: *"When did this begin? Who started Sunday school?"* The brother, who had not been with us that long, suddenly started Sunday school just like that, without informing any of the ministering brothers in charge of the local assembly! He gave us a cock and bull story about us needing to pray, as if we were born yesterday, and as if we were stupid, and I said, *"You want to pray? There is a vacant room here. If the unction of prayer is on you, look for people who have the same unction for prayer upon their lives, and get down to business, praying in that designated closet!"* Saints, praying sessions in that closet did not last one week! One of our deacons, Brother Gbadebo Ojuri, was one of the brethren who opted to join the prayer group, and he later said to me: *"Do not mind him. The brother is not interested in any prayer meeting."* Before one week ran out, he was tired! Why was he tired? Because in the first instance, it was not about praying; he was just using that as an avenue to start preaching! He was looking for how to take over, and it

was the same thing Tunji Taiwo did, for he also told us that we were not praying enough. So I asked Brother Tunji, *"What are we now supposed to do?"* He wanted us to set up another day in Church for prayer, and I asked him: *"And who will be handling that additional meeting day, seeing that we already have three days in a week when we have Church services?"* Obviously he wanted to take over that prayer service, to use it as a stepping stone to take over the Church, as we did not yet have a pastor, except brothers who were merely standing in the gap, and he and his people had been thrown out of where they were worshipping, and had nowhere to go at that time! The issue is that for three days in a week, we were coming together regularly, and now he wanted to add one more day, so that he could do something, for it was all about him, and not about the body. When I bluntly refused, for I did not agree to it, then he came to me a number of times, informing me that the Lord gave him a message which he would like to share with the saints. I simply replied that I would pray about it, and see how the Lord leads. But having come to

me a few times with his desire, and me not obliging, he decided to take a back door to the pulpit. So, one Sunday morning, right in service, he informed me that he had a testimony to give. And who would deny him the opportunity of giving his testimony? Then he came to the pulpit, and said: ***“The Lord showed me that you do not have the revelation of Jesus Christ in this Church, and that you are not lifting up Jesus Christ”***. My mum who saw my reaction to that statement, for I was visibly flabbergasted (astonished), started making faces at me, imploring me not to mind him; that I should ignore him. I knew that my mom did not know what was going on, as per the motivation of Tunji Taiwo, nor the gravity of the statement which he had just made! The man said that we do not have the revelation of Jesus Christ, and that we are not lifting up Jesus Christ. If we do not have the revelation of Jesus Christ, and we are also not lifting up Jesus Christ, then we are only playing games with the souls of the people! That is a serious statement! And it is a serious indictment, if it is the least

bit true! If we do not have the revelation of Jesus Christ, we are simply leading saints to hell! And if we are also not lifting up Jesus Christ, then we are lifting up flesh; then we are in idolatry, and the end result is the same, unless we repent! That is not what I should keep quiet over! That was not a testimony by any stretch of the imagination, but his own carnal way of getting back at us for not allowing him to preach! He came to rubbish the ministering brothers, just because he was not given a chance at the pulpit! He had told me a number of times before that day, that God had given him a message! But if God had truly gave him a message, then God would also have dealt with me that he has something to share with the people, for God works on both ends of the line! These are men who are just looking for ministry! So when he finished his nonsensical testimony, I asked Brother Edward to take over the podium, and Brother Edward stood and tore down the nonsensical so-called testimony, in a beautiful way. When he had finished, I also took the podium, and let him know in plain terms that he had no clue what he was saying,

and I told him before the whole congregation: ***“Brother Tunji, I will just tell you one thing: Until you can tell us what it is to lift up Jesus, and how you lift up Jesus, you do not know what you are talking about. You are just talking!”*** I repeated it: ***“Until you can tell this Church what it means to lift up Jesus, and how you lift up Jesus, you do not know what you are talking about”!*** Because to lift up the Scriptures is to lift up Jesus Christ; to lift up Jesus Christ is to lift up the Word of God: Because Jesus is not here in his physical body of flesh for anybody to lift him up. Therefore, as you lift up the Scriptures, as the plumb-line and the absolute standard of truth, you lift up Jesus Christ! Period! Consequently, in order for him to truly show that we do not have the revelation of Jesus Christ, he would have to show us the Scriptural Truths we were denying, or that we muddled up! Just because we stood for Brother Jackson in the light of truth, (and not solely for Brother Branham, who is the only ministry they see), as we could also see Brother Jackson's place, and the light of Jesus Christ that he

bore for the universal body of saints, did not mean that we were not lifting up Jesus Christ! You can only lift up Jesus Christ by lifting up the revelation of the Holy Scriptures. End of story! You cannot lift up Jesus Christ physically, but spiritually, and as such, whatever you do to his Word, you do to Christ. Of course he left the Church following this incident. But who invited him in the first place? He came of his own freewill, and he was also at liberty to go of his own freewill! Then he began to write books, lambasting me, and also lambasting Brother Jackson; but all that does not move me, for these men are objects of pity. Now after many years, and with God's current move which gives us the Input of Ham being set in motion, we suddenly saw Tunji Taiwo at one of our Conventions, and he informed me personally, that he tried to lay the truth of the Oneness of the Godhead, that we are standing for, to his people, in a night vigil they were having, and that even his daughter was against him for his change of stand, accusing him of now believing in "**Twonity**" ("Twonitarianism"). That

was his testimony to me, and I say God be praised for it! Saints, the Lord made these men come back to acknowledge something, and it only proves that it pays to stay with truth, for it will have the last say and the last laugh, as all other ground is sinking sand! That is God's doing, and it is wonderful in my eyes!

Brothers and sisters, I went down this route to say this: All these things were designed by God to give me the necessary experience for the ministry, and I must confess that it took me a long time before I suddenly realised, particularly after I considered all these conflicts of faith, that God did not want me to leave Nigeria, so that I could hold the fort, against all the barrages of the spirit of the antichrist! I could never have known or guessed, even in my wildest dreams, that Bible Faith Tabernacle was going to become a lighthouse, for unknown to us, **THE INPUT OF HAM** was coming, and as such, God needed her to stand firmly and faithfully, for the truth of the Holy Scriptures, which, in turn, necessitated my standing as guard, firmly and faithfully over the Word of God we

received from Elijah, and also from the chief apostle. Church, the only way I would have had this training, and acquired these experiences, was for God to jam the door to my visa, and was indeed what the Lord did. Did it pain me? Yes, it caused a lot of pain! Did it bring a lot of misery? Yes, it did! Did I have sleepless nights and heartache? Yes, I did! Because psychological and emotional turmoil is very hard to take! As I said before, you can be eating very well, and still be growing lean, nonetheless. Yes! When you have emotional turmoil, you may be eating a sumptuous three course meal daily, and still look malnourished, because your mind is worried stiff; your mind is in shreds! It is as if a demon is sapping the food out of your system, for it is going nowhere in your body, all because of emotional turmoil! Yes! That was when my whites started coming out. Thank God that I have it though, because when I look at my stature, my grey hair makes up for my small stature, before they think I am a little boy. Yet, I am older than David Cameron, the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom; and I am older

than Obama, the President of America; and I am also older than my Governor in Ekiti State, for he was my junior in Secondary school. But if I stand beside him, you would say I am his boy. So God decided, *"I have to make up for my son's stature by giving him grey hair."* So if you look at my stature, and you think that I am a teenager, when you see my whites, you will know you are not looking at a boy. Honestly, I would hate to have had this small stature without my grey hair, and that is the truth, for I am being honest. Although I hated when the grey hairs started popping out initially, but now, I thank God that I have it. Brothers and sisters, those were my training days. Those were days God put me through the mill, tried and proved me, establishing me in the Continuing Message which the chief apostle bore from the pages of the Bible. And the more I read the Contender, the more I was on fire with the truth, and I could not wait for the next service, in order to share it with the Church. I ate the Contender like nothing you have ever seen! I stood right here, right in this local assembly for years, without a desire to be known or recognised, and without

running the roads as other men, who were setting up meetings all over creation in the name of the Continuity Message, even though I could, particularly as the Lord gave me a perfect understanding of the Continuity Message! You did not hear me. I stood firmly in this very same corner for many years, minding my local assembly, faithfully establishing the local flock in any and every light that the chief apostle bore, from the pages of the Bible! I was teaching it in my own way though, using my own words, and my own examples; but the revelation was the same, and the fire of truth was burning in my heart, and God was looking at all that; God was watching. One day, I travelled from Lagos all the way to Ilorin by public transport, all because I was looking for a particular sermon book, which I was told that a particular pastor had in Ilorin, just so I could photocopy that message! And when I also looked for another particular message of the prophet, which no one around me in Lagos had, and I was told that a ministering brother in Ado-Ekiti had it, brothers and sisters, I again boarded public transport to Ado-Ekiti, and looked all

over the place till evening, for his house and church, all to no avail, and I had to come back to Lagos without success. There was just a thirst in my heart for truth, and I chewed up the message of Brother Branham, and when the Lord brought me into the Continuing light of Brother Jackson, I also chewed up the Contender, for I could not eat it enough, as God gave me grace. Saints, in those days, I could have stood for friendship, but I did not, for God gave me grace to stand for truth and truth alone, against all these unfaithful men, until it was now time. The time of God had come. Remember John the Baptist was in the wilderness until the day of his showing. Also remember that we are speaking about **THE MYSTERIOUS BIRTHING OF THE MINISTRY**. I had gone through a schooling, and had acquired a deep and perfect understanding, of the Continuity Message of Jesus Christ of the Bible, and I had gone through a training, and had also acquired a God-given experience. Church, now the time came that God was going to introduce me to Faith Assembly, Jeffersonville, Indiana, USA. And at the time God

would introduce me to Faith Assembly, there was already a problem on the ground, which was just about to break out, and the problem was on the warped teaching of the Jehu Ministry, which Rolf Strommen of Norway had been peddling. This problem was to be compounded shortly thereafter, with the problem regarding the attitude of Tim McKay, a man who carried a harem of sisters around with him in the ministry. This was about the time God now brought me back to Faith Assembly, and introduced me, opening the door for me to preach at Faith Assembly. God sent me to Russell Davis' Church in Fairhope, Alabama, and they saw a grace in projection, for it is the gift of God that makes a way for a man. I was also invited to Cartersville, Georgia, and the Lord helped me to say one or two things to bless the people. Phone calls went to Brother Jackson, telling him, *"Oh, that brother has something to say."* I know that, not only because the men themselves told me, but also because Brother Jackson also told me: **"Brother Amos, I am getting good reports concerning you from the**

**brethren everywhere"**. When we came for the September Fall Convention at Faith Assembly in 2001, Brother Jackson asked me to share my testimony with the body of saints, and I did. Shortly thereafter, the Jehu matter broke out, and it created a great divide, not only in the body of saints, but also in the ministry of the men following Brother Jackson. But because back home in Nigeria, I had faced various men in the ministry over the years, some on their own turf or pulpit, and I had also even faced men and councils in the Denomination which I came out of, all under God, it was easy for me to face one lone man from Norway, and also face one ridiculous minister carrying women up and down wherever he went to preach. Are you getting my point? That was like a walk over for me, just as David declared the same to King Saul, concerning Goliath. Because the grace of God had built something in me, to stand against error, in the face of satanic opposition! The Lord even gave me a dream where I was going after the devil in all his various manifestations. And as he was changing his form, changing into

different things, the Lord was helping me to identify and unmask him in that dream. I chased him right over a bridge across the waters, and I woke up. And today, brothers and sisters, that is exactly what the Lord is using this ministry to accomplish for the elect seeds of God around the globe; for indeed, Satan has no hiding place, for he is being consistently and continuously exposed and unmasked, to the children of God, at this evening time. Brothers and sisters, when the judgment of the warped Jehu ministry projection caused so many problems for Brother Jackson, and he was going through turmoil, being very saddened and downcast, feeling, *"What is the point of all these years?"*, that was the time God said, *"Now I will introduce my son, and put a smile on my servant's face."* Seeing the seriousness of the situation on the ground in that day, and knowing precisely what the Lord had raised Brother Jackson to be for us, the very first message the Lord inspired me to take at Faith Assembly, was titled, **WHEN GOD LIFTS UP A STANDARD**, and we have uploaded this video, as well as the audio of the

message, on our website. In that message, I warned the brethren, that if they stood against God's standard of Truth, they would die, spiritually speaking. Brothers and sisters, that lovely and faithful man, and I am speaking of the chief apostle, suddenly came alive with joy, for he saw something! And when the issue of Tim McKay also broke out, following that of Jehu, I also stood firmly and categorically, for the ministry of truth, as I was not afraid to make an open stand, when nobody else in the ministry did! I stood boldly at Faith Assembly, against Rolf Strommen and Tim McKay, strictly in the light of truth, for the Lord enabled me! This made Bud Thompson urge the people in a sermon he took during a midweek service, that they should make a stand like Brother Amos, so that we may know precisely where they stand! I want you to realise that these men were right there at the Convention, when I stood openly against them, as I was not in the least perturbed by their faces! Why? Because like David... Remember, there was a time a lion came and took a Lamb, and David said, "Not on my

watch!" Halleluiah! David told King Saul, "This Goliath is nothing. I have dealt with stronger and fiercer adversaries than him." Brothers and sisters, I was at home at Faith Assembly in that day, with all the problems going on, and with the battles that were raging, because God had taken me through battle after battle, and what was on the ground in that day was just like a walk over, having come of age in spiritual warfare! Glory to God! Are you with me? I say all these things because God is bringing on the scene, specialists, to do a quick, short, but most glorious work, on the Bride of Jesus Christ, and they are in the final stages of their training! Original pure seed ministries are on their way, and their ministries will be very unique, and most spectacular! And what a difference they will make to the universal Bride of Christ! What a relief; what absolute peace they will bring; what great joy, and what a stirring they will ignite in the Bride! Church, when the Lord placed me at Faith Assembly, the reaction of the people was like: "Who is this one? Where is he from? When did he come into the ministry? Brother

Jackson is using him twice in the Convention. It is Brother Jackson that is making him something. Yak, yak, yak!" And if you think that I am saying that of myself, that I am only imagining it, you do not have a clue to what goes on in places like that. I will tell you now, that an elderly ministering brother, a man who is supposed to be following Brother Jackson, came to me, and told me point blank, right there in the fellowship hall at Faith Assembly: "***If it was not that Rolf Strommen fell, you would not have risen***". He said that to my face! I did not say a word, and I just went quietly to my room, for as an elder in the Message, he failed to realise, as it is written in 1 Corinthians Chapter 15, verse 41, that "***one star differeth from another star in glory***", and hence, the glory of one star does not hinder another star in glory, and neither can it take away the glory of another star. He later came to apologise though; but nonetheless, you do not forget such encounters. I will not mention his name, however, because I bear no malice against him whatsoever, although it hurt in that day. But that was not the first time he

would make such a horrible comment though. He made a similar statement in his house, when we visited him, and as we all sat round a table of ministers, he dropped a statement to knock me on the head, and I knew instantly that he was referring to me, even though he did not mention any names. He said something out of the blue, and there was no reason or cause for such a statement in that day, and his remark amounted to this: **“Some people take advantage of the fall of others”**. My heart was immediately cut sharply, and I knew without any shadow of doubt, that he was speaking about me; but I said nothing. I just let it go, knowing that God sees everything, and that He judges all things. It was later that he made the statement to my face, that, **“If it was not that Rolf Strommen fell, you would not have risen”**, openly confirming the witness I received in my heart, when he said in his home, that **“Some people take advantage of the fall of others”**. Church, this just lets you see their feelings towards me; their hatred and prejudice. Whilst some of the men were out-rightly envious and jealous, some

just felt that Brother Jackson was the one that made me. But let me tell you this: Every last one of the men who sat on the platform of Brother Jackson had a shot at his pulpit. And if I had preached nonsense; if there was nothing he saw in me, he would not have been using me as he did! That is a fact! For as it is written in Proverbs Chapter 18, verse 16: **“A man's gift maketh room for him, and bringeth him before great men”**. Brother Jackson did not give me my ability, and no man can give ability, for ability is strictly God given, even as it is written in the Book of James Chapter 1, verse 17: **“Every good gift and EVERY PERFECT GIFT IS FROM ABOVE, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning”**. The absolute truth is that if God does not give you ability, you will never have it, for we are dealing strictly with spiritual issues, divine things of the Spirit of God! Brothers and sisters, it is not only downright carnal, but it also amounts to scriptural fallacy to say or to imply that Brother Jackson made me, even though I learned under him, a fact

which I am not ashamed to admit. It is recorded in the Gospel of Saint John Chapter 3, verses 26-27: **“And they came unto John”** (the Baptist), **“and said unto him, Rabbi, he”** (Jesus) **“that was with thee beyond Jordan, to whom thou barest witness, behold, the same baptizeth, and ALL men come to him”**. (They were saying in essence, that his crowd was growing enormously, and that he was becoming much more popular than John the Baptist. But what was John's reply to them in that day? The Bible declares): **“John answered and said, A MAN CAN RECEIVE NOTHING, EXCEPT IT BE GIVEN HIM FROM HEAVEN”**. That is the absolute truth! Now fight that! Hence it is also written: **“IT IS THE GIFT OF A MAN THAT MAKES ROOM FOR HIM, AND BRINGS HIM BEFORE GREAT MEN!”** End of story! Brothers and sisters, envy, jealousy, pride, ambition, and racism, sprung up in their hearts at Faith Assembly. They were like, **“Where did this one come from? Who is he? When did he start his ministry? We did not know that he can preach.”** They said all these things



because they were taken by surprise, for they knew absolutely nothing about me, ministry-wise, for like John the Baptist, I had been in the "wilderness." Oh, my! Brothers and sisters, where are the men for the original Ephesian ministry? They are also out there in the "wilderness", going through a schooling; going through a training; going through a tutelage; going through various knocks and bangs, as God continually tests them, in order to give them an experience. And one of these days, just a few days ahead, a day known only to God, they are coming out of the wilderness; and they will step out of the shadows into the limelight, to be placed and made manifest to the universal Bride of Christ, as the long awaited Original Ephesian Pure Seed Ministry, **A SUPER MINISTRY**, for **A SUPER CHURCH**. Let me close with two dreams.

I want to, however, first read two prophetic projections to you, two prophetic quotes, before I share the two dreams, and we will close. I thank you for your patience. When Brother Branham was taking *The Seven Church*

*Ages*, under the subtitle, *The Pergamean Church Age*, pages 171-176, he said: ***"One night as I was seeking the Lord, the Holy Spirit told me to pick up my pen and write. As I grasped the pen to write, His Spirit gave me a message for the Church. I want to bring it to you... It has to do with the Word and the Bride. Here is what I am trying to say to you. The law of reproduction is that each specie brings forth after its own kind, even according to Genesis 1:11, "And God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, and the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so." Whatever life was in the seed came forth into a plant and thence into fruit. The very same law applies to the Church today. WHATEVER SEED STARTED THE CHURCH WILL COME FORTH AND BE LIKE THE ORIGINAL SEED BECAUSE IT IS THE SAME SEED"***. (Did you hear that? We are going to have the exact same calibre of ministry, and the exact same calibre of Church. He continued): ***"In these***

***last days the true Bride Church (Christ's seed) will come to the Headstone, and she will be THE SUPER CHURCH, A SUPER RACE, as she nears Him. They in the bride will be so much like Him that they will even be in His very image. This is in order to be united with Him. They will be one. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God"***. I say Amen to that! Brothers and sisters, Brother Branham is simply saying that the original seed which was produced in the Early Church, is exactly what is to be reproduced today at this end time of harvest, for the seed is the same, as the seed you sow at the planting season, is precisely the very seed you receive at harvest time, for the seed is one. Again, here is what the Spirit of the Lord also said in a prophecy through Brother Jackson, confirming the same truth, on the 15th of February, 1998, and I quote it in material parts: ***"Some say in this day and hour, that God no longer will restore back, that we should be apostolic. Therefore I speak these words to assure you. Listen thou not to such***

**words. For I am the one that has caused my Word of old to be written. And it strictly declares that I WILL RESTORE ALL THINGS. And I will bring it back to THAT ORIGINAL PLAN AND PURPOSE. For that is the only thing that I will return and come for. Little children, I've g i v e t h e e a n opportunity... Therefore, let not the carnal words deceive thee, nor mislead thee; nor cause thee to fall away in despair, and in unbelief... For I am the living God that speaketh to comfort thee; to assure thee, I AM COMING FOR A PEOPLE THAT SHALL BE ORIGINAL, SAITH THE LORD**". However, please note today, that this original ministry is being birthed in mystery, and hence the reason it cannot be counterfeited. The birthing of the ministry is taken completely away from me, and from every other man in the ministry, because the election, the training, and the placing of the men, is not in the hands of any man, but it is strictly in the hands of God Almighty. They are being dealt with in the wilderness, under the dealing of God, and at God's appointed time, all it will take is God anointing

them to go forth, particularly as we already have John, the plumb-line holder of Revelation Chapter 11, verse 1, on the ground. So, all God needs to do, is to just set off one or two other apostles by His ANOINTING, together with John in the lead, and something starts, for something ignites! Once the fire combusts, as God sets them in motion, here comes other apostles, prophets, evangelists, pastors and teachers, all of the original class of ministry, and the Unity and Perfection of the Universal Bride is here, and is unstoppable, for the devil cannot stop it. And as it is written: It will be for a Quick, Short, SPECTACULAR WORK! That is why it is going to take the power of the Spirit of God like we have never seen before, in expression. Brothers and sisters, all it takes is God anointing another man or two, in the apostolic ministry, and something is set in motion. Consequently, when God says to them: "*Now is the time. Go forth!*" The power of God will energise the men, and the revival of the Bride will likewise ignite. It reminds me of the prophecy that went forth in Antioch, way back then, as

recorded in Acts Chapter 13, where the Holy Spirit declared from verse 2: "... Separate me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them... So they, BEING SENT FORTH BY THE HOLY GHOST, departed unto Seleucia; and from thence they sailed to Cyprus", for God turned them loose! Brothers and sisters, it was at the hour ordained for the breaking of something, that these two men were turned loose, and we are going to experience something similar today. And when that happens, from this rock of revealed truth, (Brother Amos points to the chart), here come those other apostles, original apostles; from this rock of revealed truth, here come those prophets, original prophets; from this rock of revealed truth, here come those evangelists, original evangelists, mobile power houses of God; from this rock of revealed truth, here come those pastors and teachers of the original order. May I also state, that they will remind you of the Original Ministry expressed in the Book of Acts, and it is certain that the apostolic glory will also be restored, as the power of the resurrected Christ will be

demonstrated, releasing an unparalleled measure of anointing upon the True Bride of Christ; so much so, that if you do not live right, you will not even be able to come to Church, because you will be afraid and in awe of the Body of Christ! You will know without any iota of doubt, that they will carry your dead body out of service, if you are not living right. God is going to restore the apostolic glory, with the cleansing power of divine judgment, in order to purify the Church, and keep her absolutely clean, for which reason, God will also send the judgment of physical death into the camp of God's elect people. Let me ask you: Why do you think Ananias and Sapphira died? It was not Apostle Peter that killed them; it was God that killed them, because they lied to the Church of the Living God; they thought that they could deceive the Church and get away with it. Brothers and sisters, that apostolic glory is coming back, for it is not any man that is going to tell you to live right. You will live right by God, otherwise you will stay away, or you will be placed in a coffin! Period! We will certainly not have people with spikes all over their bodies, who then want

to come and sit comfortably in service, and blend in, so they can wound us, for the Lord is not looking for porcupines. There will be a glory and a grace upon these men, such as we have never seen before, for it is the wrapping up glory. Let us conclude our message with two dreams the Lord has given in recent times.

Brother Ansalem Nnaji gave me this dream on January 16, 2011, and it goes thus: ***"I was in a dream on the night of 23rd December, 2010. In that dream, it happens to be like Convention ground, a big place surrounded by flowering plants. I was inside the hall where the meeting was being held, with my video camera as usual. Then on the platform, I saw ministering brethren with the same uniform, from Brother Amos, to the last of them. They stood facing the congregation with bright faces"***. (In other words, their faces were glowing with the glory of the Lord). ***"I saw Brother Amos step out with joy, pointing the ministers to the congregation, and saying, HERE IS THE***

***MINISTRY FOR THE BRIDE OF CHRIST"***, ***showing them forth to the congregation. Then Brother Amos embraced them one after the other, holding them so tightly. The joy in them was as though they had won a Great prize"***. I will leave the rest of the dream, for he saw something else, then he said that he woke up from the dream. Brothers and sisters, that is a dream showing us precisely what is coming. God is going to put the ministry together, and no man can do it, except God. Remember, it was not Elijah that put them together, and it was not Paul that put them together either: It was the Lord that did it, and He remains the same, for the Kingdom is solely God's own. The second and last dream I will share and close, was given by Brother Paul Akintunde, who comes all the way from Ibadan, but is a member of Bible Faith Tabernacle. He sent the dream to me last Sunday by text, and it reads: ***"Precious Brother Amos, on the night of 15th May, 2014"***, (which was the day we started this last Convention), ***"I saw in a dream that two certificates were given to***

**two brothers . EMPOWERING was written on them**". (That speaks of divine authority). **"And some words were written in unknown language, placed along with these certificates. I was thinking, How can I understand these unknown letters? On my own part, I was made to understand that the understanding will be given when these certificates are activated. The two brothers were not among the ministering brothers who are standing in the gap. What is the meaning of this"**? The brother wants to know the meaning. I have not answered his question, but I will now say this: The dream is all pointing to what we are laying out in this message this morning. For as I said, all it takes is for God to anoint one or two men, and put them together with John, in order to turn something loose. That was precisely what He did in the days of Paul and Barnabas, and the Gentile Ministry was set in motion. God has the timing, and the unction is also of God. We are expecting an army of men in the ministry, exactly as it was in the First Church Age. In fact, we are

expecting the men to be of a greater class, bearing a greater glory than that of the Early Church, because it is written: **"The ending of a thing, is better than its beginning."** It is also written: **"The glory of the latter shall be greater than that of the former."** That was why Brother Branham stated: **"The best is yet to come."** Brother Jackson also declared: **"The best is yet to come"**. And I now also inform you: **THE BEST IS NOW AT HAND, FOR IT IS ABOUT TO APPEAR.**

However, let me warn you: Brothers and sisters, do not look for the men. Just look at the rock of truth, and stay with the truth. Stay with the rock of revealed truth, because in the truth you will see the original men, for this is the exclusive foundation of faith, not just for the ministry, but also for the Entire Church. Right now, all these men are being birthed in mystery, and hence the reason we have not yet seen them; but it is from this ground of the solid immovable rock of the revealed truth of Jesus Christ, that they are all coming forth. And just as I was introduced at Faith Assembly in God's appointed time, and it was

a shock to a lot of men, for they could not help but wonder: **"Where did this one come from? When did he start ministering? Yak, yak, yak"**, so will it also be today, for in that day, it was the hour of my showing to the elect Bride of Christ universal, and the chief apostle caught it, and hence, he gave his open witness in April 2004, to as many as are interested in walking with God in the light of truth. That is precisely what the earlier prophecy which the Lord gave me on Sunday, October 6th, 2002, in the East Chicago Church, also stated: **"My son, I have sent you across many waters. I sent you to this place, a place where you will see my people; a place where you will understand what I have given unto thee to share with many peoples. I say unto thee, be not discouraged or dismayed. I have a hand on thee. I am guiding thee. I am directing thee. I know when thou art down in the spirit. I see the heaviness upon thine heart from day to day. But I say unto thee, THE LORD THY GOD SHALL LIFT THEE UP TO A HEIGHT THAT NO MAN SHALL UNDERSTAND. I**

***know thou has felt deserted at times. I know thou felt thou is in the pit from day to day. But I say, as Job said, Though I raise my eye in hell, my God is with me. I say unto thee my son, I love you with a true and great love, and I am with you. I am going to lead you. You shall become great in my sight. People shall know the Lord thy God had directed thee from the beginning to the end. In this life, but for you, my son, there shall be no end. For I am the God of eternity. And I am going to bring you to the place***

***in me, in eternity, and you shall rest forever more, in the bosom of my love, saith the Lord”***. And about three weeks later, precisely on October 26th and 27th, 2002, it was re-confirmed by two other prophecies in Verdal, Norway, for I was in the wilderness, until the day of my showing. Saints, the men we are looking for, are exactly like the seven thousand men, who in the days of Elijah, never bowed the knee to Baal, and yet, Elijah did not know even one of them. That is why it is written: ***“THE JUST SHALL LIVE BY FAITH”***. Church, the Lord Jesus will

bring out His men, and they will do an outstanding work, a quick, short, and most glorious work, which will mesmerise and astound the world, and up we will all go in the rapture. For as Jesus revealed in Mark Chapter 4, verse 29: ***“But when the fruit is brought forth, IMMEDIATELY HE PUTTETH IN THE SICKLE, BECAUSE THE HARVEST IS COME”***. Brothers and sisters, the men are certainly coming. Let us bow our heads in prayer. (Brother Amos prayed).

The Lord bless you.

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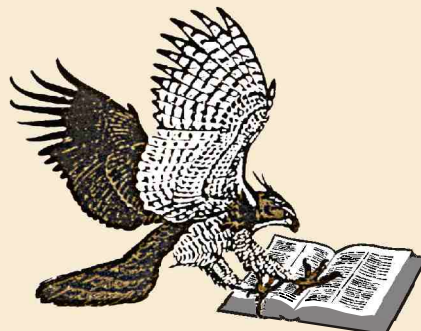
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