

The Scribe

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

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WHY CONTINUITY? - PART 2

This message was preached by Brother Amos on the evening of Saturday 27th September, 2008, and forms part of a series of messages taken at Assembly of Faith, Calhoun, Georgia, U.S.A. But to enable us to give an indepth teaching on "*Why Continuity?*", it was needful for us to transcribe the message of Why Continuity?, taken both in Port Harcourt, Nigeria, and in Calhoun, Georgia, and marry them together. It is our prayer, that in so doing, our readers will have the full scope of this message, the unfolding of God's most wonderful plan of salvation, mapped out by God from the book of Genesis right through to the book of Revelation, and beautifully opened up by his servant Brother Amos.

I greet every one in Jesus' name. May the Lord bless each and every one of you. We thank God for His grace and mercy, and for His elective love and goodness towards us, for without Him, we can do nothing. It is just the love of God and His mercy that has made the difference in all our lives. We owe Him our lives; we owe Him everything. He has given us life; brought us out of darkness into His marvellous light. He saved our souls, and planted our feet upon the solid rock. And we have a glorious time ahead of us, because there is a glorious end for the bride of Jesus Christ. So, it is a privilege to be called into the bride, as a child of God, and I thank Him for His grace. It is always a joy to be here among God's people. May God bless our meeting.



Yesterday, we started a message I titled, Why Continuity? And tonight, I am trusting God to help me continue the message. But just to back up a little, let me say this: As God told Israel, and as depicted by the fresh manna the Lord gave them every blessed day, we must realise our life depends on God's Word, and we must therefore follow Him strictly in the light of Jesus Christ of the Bible, day by day, for this is a way we have never walked before. We have to depend solely on God to show us the way, for without His light; without His leadership, we will be completely lost! The way of salvation, no man mapped out. God alone drew up this plan of salvation. God alone designed this revealed way. And according to John chapter 1 verse 1, He designed it when there was yet no star; when there was yet no Angel; and when there was no Jesus as yet. In eternity, Elohim, the Self Existing One, the Almighty God, mapped out the entire plan of salvation for fallen man, because He foreknew Angels and Man would fall, once placed on this planet, a planet He created purposely for habitation, when He was creating the universe. Hence it is

written: ***"IN THE BEGINNING was THE WORD, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God. ALL THINGS were made by Him; and without Him was not any thing made that was made."*** (John 1:1-3). This Word is the Logos, the Thought of God of Redemption; the Thought of Salvation through Jesus the Christ; God's Thought of a Messiah. It is God's unspoken thought of Jesus Christ, which is why Jesus is called, ***"The Word of God"***, according to the book of Revelation chapter 19, verse 13: ***"And he" (Christ) "was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called THE WORD OF GOD."*** That Word of God originated first as a thought, and was a thought, and existed only as a thought, until God began to speak it forth, thereby making the thought or logos of God to become the Word: God's expressed Word; God's spoken Word. Then the logos or thought of God became the Word of God. The question we asked yesterday, a question we must now answer is this: When did that thought of God become expressed? When

and where was it first expressed or spoken? There has to be a beginning point for the expressing of this thought which laid only in God's mind, thereby making it the Word! The material question therefore is: When was it first expressed?! Where and when did this thought go forth from God as a Word, a spoken thought? When was this thought or attribute separated from God by being expressed? That is precisely what we now want to consider, for everything lays in the inspired Scriptures. And as I stated, there must be a beginning point! Absolutely! Let us therefore go into the Scriptures, for every Bible question has a Bible answer.

In the seed chapter, which is the book of Genesis, the book of all beginnings, Moses, the prophet of God, when he was recording the account which took place in the Garden of Eden right after the fall of Adam and Eve, revealed God's spoken judgment in chapter 3, verse 15: ***"And I will put enmity between THEE" (the Serpent) "and THE WOMAN" (Eve), "and between THY SEED"***

(the Serpent Seed) **“and HER SEED”** (the Seed of the Woman); **“IT SHALL BRUISE THY HEAD”** (i.e. the Seed of the Woman shall bruise the head of the Serpent), **“AND THOU SHALT BRUISE HIS HEEL”** (i.e. the Serpent shall bruise the heel of the Seed of the Woman). This spoken Word of judgment, is what gives us the first time in the entire Bible, and the first time in reality, when the Word of God, or when the unexpressed thought of God, the thought of a Messiah, was first spoken. Precisely! And this is the very setting or place, where the thought of God, the thought of Redemption in Christ, that God held in His Omniscient mind from eternity, was first expressed. It gives us our first glimpse into the great secret God concealed in His mind before the creation of the universe. And right here in the garden setting that day, the thought of God became a Word, the Word of God, which is God's promised Word of a Messiah; God's Word of Redemption. Here for the very first time, God spoke it, and it now became The Word of God, God thereby separating the

thought from Himself, by speaking it forth.

Let us take a close look at Genesis chapter 3, verse 15: **“And I will put enmity between THEE and the WOMAN, and between THY SEED and HER SEED; IT SHALL BRUISE THY HEAD, and thou shalt bruise his heel.”**

This enmity pronouncement was spoken by God at the judgment bar in the Garden of Eden, right after the fall of Adam and Eve. At this material time, Eve had already had that initial relationship with the Serpent creature, and a seed had been sown in her, the seed of the Serpent. She had also introduced that intimate relationship to Adam, not according to the law of life (i.e. not for the purpose of procreation), but according to the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, which was the intimate relationship strictly for pleasure; And she had likewise conceived by him, for a seed had also been sown in her, which was the natural seed of the woman by her husband, Adam. This in effect gave us the two seeds God spoke about here in verse 15: The seed of the Serpent,

and the seed of the Woman. When they were questioned by God, Adam and Eve passed the buck in verses 11-13. But God did not even allow the Serpent to talk! God simply gave the Serpent judgment instantly in verse 14! But verse 15 is our focus: **“And I will put enmity between THEE.”** I ask: Who was God referring to? The Serpent creature! Now, you must realise God could not have been referring to something that did not exist! And He could not also have been speaking vocally to something that could not talk or comprehend vocal speech! Exactly! Remember, three creatures were standing before Him right there at the judgment bar: Adam, Eve, and the Serpent. Precisely! And God spoke vocally to all three of them! Exactly! And the Serpent had not yet been turned into a snake, for his sentencing had not yet ended at this very point! You have to see that! He was still an upright creature; the creature who earlier, had conversed vocally with Eve in verses 1-6, in order to deceive her, and had succeeded in beguiling her! Open your eyes! I say that because I

do not know why people are fighting the Serpent Seed teaching, for it is right there in the Word of God! God said it! **“And I will put enmity”** (where there was formerly a love relationship) **“between THEE”** (the Serpent) **“and THE WOMAN”** (Eve. Please note that this enmity was not to exist only between the Serpent and Eve, it was also to exist between their two seeds or offspring, for God also declared) **“AND”** (conjunction) **“between THY SEED”** (the Serpent seed: That is the seed of the Serpent! Now, saints, let us wake up, for God could not be speaking of a seed that was non-existent, for the Serpent was thereafter going to be **d e f o r m e d** and transformed into a literal snake, never to be able to bear the kind of seed that can fulfil this enmity God spoke about, if he had not already had a seed! Precisely! Wake up! You should be able to see that! God was talking firmly here about the seed of the Serpent, or the Serpent seed! As such, you should see that Brother Branham is not the first person to talk about the Serpent seed. God is the first being to speak of the seed of the Serpent! God spoke of him

in the Bible! So, the Serpent seed was real, and is still real, for he is also still in prophecy! What are you therefore going to do with that truth of the Scriptures? However, God used Brother Branham to give us the revelation of the Serpent seed. And by his message, we received the understanding of God concerning this seed. But God was pronouncing judgment right here. The first **enmity judgment** God pronounced was between the Serpent and Eve. The second was between the Serpent's offspring and the offspring of Eve (i.e. the seed of the woman). Who can deny that and still be a believer? None! So, the Serpent had a seed, for God said so! Period! If the Serpent did not have a seed that day, God was pronouncing judgment in vain! But we know God does not make vain pronouncements, for the Almighty God does not speak in vain! So, the Serpent had to have a seed, and the Serpent had a seed! But that is not the focus of our message today. We have to move on. (You can get that message by Brother Amos in the Scribe titled, *Genesis: The Eden Of Man*, for an exposition of the Original sin, and the

Two Seeds produced as a result). **“And I will put ENMITY between thee and the woman, AND between thy seed”** (the Serpent seed) **“AND HER SEED.”** Now, I ask: Who was referred to as **“Her”**? It is the woman! It is Eve! But remember, this statement goes beyond Eve, for it states: **“And HER SEED!”** The statement devolves strictly on her seed. I now ask: Who is her seed? Now we have a serious prophecy to consider. The seed of the woman is Jesus Christ, the woman's prophetic seed. But do not also forget, in that day, the woman had to first have a natural seed, a seed through which Christ the prophetic seed would much later come. And indeed Eve had a natural seed that day, called Abel, a seed who was later killed by Cain, the natural seed of the Serpent, a seed the Serpent begat through Eve. But Abel was killed by virtue of the enmity which existed between the two of them (i.e. he was killed by virtue of the enmity God said would exist between the two seeds), and God later had to appoint the woman another natural seed, called Seth, who stood in the place of Abel, according to Genesis chapter 4, verse 25. And

through the lineage of Seth, Christ subsequently came, even as it is written in the genealogy of Christ in the Gospel of Saint Luke, chapter 3, verses 23-38: ***“And Jesus himself began to be about thirty years of age, being (as was supposed) the son of Joseph, which was the son of Heli, Which was the son of Matthat, which was the son of Levi... Which was the son of Mathusala, which was the son of Enoch, which was the son of Jared, which was the son of Maleleel, which was the son of Cainan, Which was the son of Enos, WHICH WAS THE SON OF SETH, which was the son of ADAM, WHICH WAS THE SON OF GOD.”***

However, we must not also forget that as Abel was the natural seed of the woman, who was subsequently replaced by Seth as her appointed natural seed, so was Cain the natural seed of the Serpent. You have to keep both seeds in view, as they are the natural seeds through whom the two prophetic seeds would come! This is so because the prophetic pronouncement of God in Genesis chapter 3, verse 15, goes beyond the two

natural seeds! It does! It is speaking of the two spiritual or prophetic seeds: Jesus Christ and the Pope of Rome, the Pontiff of the Roman Catholic Church to come, who will be, ***“the Man of Sin”*** (i.e. ***“the Antichrist”***); ***“the Son of Perdition”***; ***“the Beast”***; ***“the false prophet”***. Let us consider in prophetic detail, what Moses the Prophet of God recorded in Genesis chapter 3, verse 15, concerning the two prophetic or spiritual seeds: ***“And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, AND between thy seed and her seed; IT SHALL”*** (i.e. the prophetic seed of the woman, which is Jesus Christ, shall) ***“BRUISE THY HEAD”*** (the head of the Serpent, a headship invested in his super prince, his heir apparent, which is the Antichrist to come, the Pope of Rome to come, according to the book of Revelation chapter 13, verse 2), ***“AND THOU”*** (the Serpent, working through Judas) ***“SHALT BRUISE HIS HEEL”*** (the heel of Christ). And that was precisely what happened on the cross of Calvary! That was where the Serpent bruised the heel of Jesus, for the death of Christ on the cross only

amounts to a mere bruising of Christ's heel, because he rose to life on the third day! ***And he is alive forevermore!*** He triumphed over sin, the devil, death, and the grave, making an open show of it! Halleluyah! But the bruising or the crushing of the Serpent's head is just ahead, and will come, when Christ comes to establish the Millennium, on the Day of the Lord, even as it is written in the book of Revelation chapter 19, verses 11-21: ***“And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. His eyes were as a flame of fire, and on his head were many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself. And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God. And the armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean. And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the***

fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. And he hath on his vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS... And the BEAST WAS TAKEN" (i.e. the spirit of the ten horned beast; the spirit of the devil behind the European Union; the spirit of that Roman Beast Empire), **"and with him THE FALSE PROPHET"** (i.e. the Pope, the Antichrist of the end time, the prophetic seed of the Serpent) **"that wrought miracles"** (hi-tech scientific military miracles) **"before him, with which he deceived them that had received the Mark of the Beast, and them that worshipped his image"** (i.e. the World Church Council), **"THESE BOTH WERE CAST ALIVE INTO A LAKE OF FIRE BURNING WITH BRIMSTONE..."** Right here the prophetic judgment God pronounced way back in the garden of Eden, finds fulfilment, for here the head of the Serpent is finally crushed or bruised! And right here both prophetic seeds come to the fore! Here we see them in plain view!

Now listen very carefully, saints of God. Remember, we are dealing with a

message titled, *Why Continuity?* And we are showing how Jesus Christ is the Word of God. And by so doing, we are showing precisely when and where the Word of God for Redemption was first spoken. And in Genesis chapter 3, verse 15, we are seeing something. For the very first time, the "Logos", or the Thought, that was buried in the mind of God concerning Salvation, the Thought of a Messiah, which God held in His mind from eternity, was now expressed for the first time, right after the fall, at the judgment bar, in the Garden of Eden. Here, the "Logos" or thought of God became a Word, the Word of God, which is God's promised Word of a Redeemer. Because man had just fallen right here, therefore, God could now begin to reveal His mind concerning His great plan of Salvation, a Salvation plan invested exclusively in Christ Jesus, the Second Adam. And right here, the thought of God (i.e. the Logos), became the Word, the expressed thought of God in Genesis chapter 3, verse 15, who is **the Serpent Bruiser**, Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour: **"And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between**

thy seed and HER SEED" (which is Christ) **"; IT SHALL BRUISE THY HEAD, and thou shalt bruise his heel."** And by the bruising of the heel of Christ, we have life eternal, for he stood our judgment! By it the price of our redemption was paid, fully! And now, as a result, victory is ours in Christ Jesus! That is why the Bible says in Romans chapter 8, verse 37, **"We are more than conquerors through him that loved us!"** Amen! Halleluyah! What a wonderful and most beautiful exchange took place on the cross of Calvary! God be praised in the highest! Saints of God, here we see the Word of God first expressed in Genesis chapter 3, verse 15. Who gave this record? Prophet Moses! Moses gave it to us! That revelation came by Moses! Moses was not there physically in the garden, but he received it by divine revelation of God. I have to ask: What do you think Moses was doing for forty days and forty nights in divine presence on the mountain in the wilderness, without eating and drinking? God was dealing with him in wonderful revelations, even taking him back into the garden setting to pick the prophetic

judgment God pronounced way back there! Exactly! Hence God said, "... **Here now my Words: If there be a prophet among you, I the Lord will make myself known unto him in a vision, and will speak unto him in a dream. My servant Moses is not so, who is faithful in all mine house. With him will I speak mouth to mouth, even apparently, and not in dark speeches; and the similitude of the Lord shall he behold: wherefore then were you not afraid to speak against my servant Moses?**" (Numbers 12:6-8). How was he able to convey the Word of God of the Serpent Bruiser? Because he sat in divine presence, and God was revealing to him the mystery of Genesis! Exactly! That was why he was able to write what he wrote!

Brothers and sisters, in Genesis chapter 3 verse 15, for the very first time, we see the hidden and unexpressed thought of God expressed, for God spoke it forth. What thought? Jesus Christ, The Word of God, the sole means of our redemption! However, what we have here, only gives us the first glimpse into the thought

hidden in God, and is therefore not all the Word of God! It is not all! In this seed chapter, Moses only gives us a little part of the Word of God, which is God's plan of Salvation in Christ: He did not give us all the Word of God. Therefore, we have to follow God in His continuous divine revelation, to have more of the Word of God expressed! We cannot stop with the book of Genesis, because the record of the Word of God (i.e. of Christ), at this stage, is too small, for it only gives us our first insight, and a very small insight, into a great plan of salvation hidden in God's mind! We need to have more detail! But when we move forward a little to the book of Deuteronomy chapter 18, we also see something. Look at what Moses said from verse 15: "**The Lord thy God will raise up unto thee A PROPHET from the midst of thee, of thy brethren, like unto me; unto him ye shall hearken.**" That Prophet is Jesus Christ. It is Christ in prophecy. Verse 18 reaffirms it: "**I will raise them up A PROPHET from among their brethren, like unto thee, and will put my Words in his mouth; and he shall speak unto them all that I shall command him. And**

it shall come to pass, that Whosoever will not hearken unto my Words which he shall speak in my name, I WILL REQUIRE IT OF HIM." Amen. That simply means, whoever rejects ANY REVELATION of Jesus will be cut off. That is what it means! Acts chapter 3, verses 22-23 confirms it! However, in this passage of the book of Deuteronomy, God added more light to His salvation plan, as He spoke forth His Word to Moses, on the ministry of the Messiah. He had already told us the Redeemer would be a **Serpent bruiser**; but we did not know anything else about him, or about the plan of salvation. But now we have more information directly from the mind of the Father. Now we realise the Messiah would be a **Prophet**. In fact, he would be the Prophet of all prophets, bearing the message of hope, which is the message of salvation, to a dying world! And whosoever does not listen to Jesus Christ will be cut off, because he is the exclusive means of our salvation, under God, for God through him, is reconciling the world to Himself, not imputing their trespasses unto them. That is the message! There is no

other message, and there can be no other message, for it is all about Jesus Christ, our only Lord and Saviour. Amen.

Going back to the seed chapter in Genesis, God called Abram, a man from the lineage of Shem. He (the Lord) later changed his name to Abraham, meaning the father of many nations. The Lord was going to use him to brew up a race of people, the Israelites, a nation of people God would reveal Himself to, that they may carry His law (the torah), foreshadowing or prefiguring the salvation of God which Adam's fallen race would have in Christ Jesus, under the New Testament. Chapter 12, verses 1-4 of Genesis reads: ***“Now the Lord had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee: AND I WILL MAKE OF THEE A GREAT NATION”*** (the nation of Israel), ***“and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing: And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: AND IN THEE SHALL ALL FAMILIES OF THE EARTH BE***

BLESSED. So Abram departed, as the Lord had spoken unto him.” In this promise, not only was God going to make Abraham a great nation, but also in him, all the nations of the earth would be blessed! Please note that, for that blessing is redemptive. I repeat: That blessing is redemptive! Please follow me. Abraham was later given a son, even as the Lord promised, whose name was Isaac. But the Lord tested Abraham for faithfulness in chapter 22, requesting he offered Isaac for a sacrifice. And when Abraham obeyed, God stopped him before he could kill the boy. Verses 9-18 reads: ***“And they came to the place which God had told him of; and Abraham built an altar there, and laid the wood in order, and bound Isaac his son, and laid him on the altar upon the wood. And Abraham stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son. And the Angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven, and said, Abraham, Abraham: and he said, Here am I. And he said, Lay not thine hand upon the lad, neither do thou any thing unto him: for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy***

son, thine only son from me. And Abraham lifted up his eyes, and looked, and behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns: and Abraham went and took the ram, and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son. And Abraham called the name of that place JEHOVAH-JIREH: as it is said to this day, In the mount of the Lord it shall be seen. And the Angel of the Lord called unto Abraham out of heaven the second time, And said, By Myself have I sworn, saith the Lord, for because thou hast done this thing, and hast not withheld thy son, thine only son: That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore; and THY SEED shall possess the gate of his enemies; and in THY SEED shall all the nations of the earth be blessed; because thou hast obeyed my voice.” Right here we see a promise, a promise made to Abraham by God, which takes in all the nations of the earth, a promise by which all nations shall be blessed with Abraham's blessing, which is the blessing of the Most High

God, a redemptive blessing. Remember, earlier in chapter 12, verse 3, when the Lord called him out, God declared: **“...And in thee shall ALL FAMILIES OF THE EARTH be blessed.”** That promise, which takes in the Gentile nations, all the nations of the earth, is to be fulfilled, and has fulfilment today, strictly through the **Royal Seed of Abraham**, Jesus Christ our Saviour. Hence, for the fulfilment of that divine promise, the Lord declared in Genesis chapter 22, verse 18: **“And in THY SEED”** (singular; not plural seeds, but singular seed: Abraham's royal seed, which is Christ) **“SHALL ALL THE NATIONS OF THE EARTH BE BLESSED.”** That particular and singular seed is Jesus the Christ. This gives us Christ in prophecy, in relation to the salvation of the world! God here is revealing the particular race from which the promised Messiah of the world would come, the seed through whom the whole earth would be blessed, for he would be a seed of Abraham, not his natural seed, but his royal seed! And that is precisely why Apostle Paul, picking up the revelation of this universal blessing God promised Abraham in the

seed chapter, declared in Galatians chapter 3, verses 13-14: **“CHRIST HATH REDEEMED US FROM THE CURSE OF THE LAW, BEING MADE A CURSE FOR US: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree: THAT THE BLESSING OF ABRAHAM MIGHT COME ON THE GENTILES”** (i.e. on the nations or families of the earth,) **“THROUGH JESUS CHRIST; THAT WE”** (the families of the earth; the Gentiles) **“MIGHT RECEIVE THE PROMISE OF THE SPIRIT”** (which is eternal life) **“THROUGH FAITH”** (in Jesus the Christ, the sole means of our redemption). So we see, the entire plan of redemption has been channelled by God through our Saviour Jesus Christ, the royal seed of Abraham. Saint Paul confirmed it in verses 16-29 of the same chapter: **“Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. HE SAITH NOT, AND TO SEEDS, AS OF MANY; BUT AS OF ONE, AND TO THY SEED, WHICH IS CHRIST. And this I say, that the Covenant, that was confirmed before of God in Christ”** (to Abraham), **“the law, which was four hundred and**

thirty years after, cannot disannul, that it should make the promise of none effect. For if the inheritance be of the law, it is no more of promise: BUT GOD GAVE IT TO ABRAHAM BY PROMISE. Wherefore then serveth the law? It was added” (or given) **“because of transgressions, till the seed should come to whom the promise was made; and it was ordained by Angels in the hand of a Mediator. Now a Mediator is not a Mediator of one, but GOD IS ONE. Is the law then against the promises of God? God forbid: for if there had been a law given which could have given life”** (eternal), **“verily righteousness should have been by the law. But the Scripture hath concluded all under sin, that the promise by faith of Jesus Christ might be given to them that believe. But before faith came, we were kept under the law, shut up unto the faith which should afterwards be revealed. Wherefore the law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster.**

FOR YE ARE ALL THE CHILDREN OF GOD BY FAITH IN CHRIST JESUS. FOR AS MANY OF YOU AS HAVE BEEN BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST HAVE PUT ON CHRIST. THERE IS NEITHER JEW NOR GREEK, THERE IS NEITHER BOND NOR FREE, THERE IS NEITHER MALE NOR FEMALE (Giving us the universality of salvation): **“FOR YE ARE ALL ONE IN CHRIST JESUS. AND IF YE BE CHRIST’S, THEN ARE YE ABRAHAM’S SEED, AND HEIRS ACCORDING TO THE PROMISE.”** This is why Saint Peter made a glorious proclamation in his first epistle, chapter 2, verses 9-10, concerning the universal bride of Christ: **“But ye are a chosen generation”** (a generation of saints), **“a royal priesthood”** (the priesthood of all believers), **“an holy nation”** (the nation of the bride universal), **“a peculiar people; that ye should shew forth the praises of Him”** (God) **“who hath called you”** (Gentiles) **“out of darkness into His marvellous light”** (in Christ): **“Which in time past were not a people”** (i.e. not a people of God, being pagan Gentiles), **“but are now the people**

of God: which had not obtained mercy, but now have obtained mercy.”

Praise be to God! Amen! And all this was accomplished because of the Word of God, the expressed thought of God to Abraham, as recorded by Moses: **“And in THY SEED shall all the nations of the earth be blessed.”** That seed, that Royal Seed of Abraham, is Jesus Christ. Amen! The picture of the salvation plan God held in His mind from eternity is getting brighter, as He slowly unfolds His Word of redemption in Christ, which makes Christ to be Scripturally called, **“The Word of God.”**

Now we know, The Word of God (i.e. the promised Redeemer of the earth), will be the Seed of the Woman; a Serpent Bruiser; a Prophet like Moses (i.e. One who will also institute a Covenant, and bring deliverance to the whole of Adam's fallen race, from the bondage of sin; being the one prefigured by Moses); and one whom the whole of the law foreshadowed; a man who will be the royal Seed of Abraham; one through whom salvation will have a universal application, for the redemption of all the nations of the earth. This

much we know; but no more. And here, in the main, the revelation of God's plan of salvation, as expressed to Moses the Prophet of God, stops, other than the things of Christ buried in the types and shadows of the law. Yet, this is not the entire Word of God. This is not the entire plan of God's salvation. But we see it thus far, only to a measure, for there is a great more to come, and we therefore have to follow God in the continuity of His divine revelation, if we are to move forward, in our understanding of this most glorious plan. Obviously, as great as Moses was, and as mightily used of God, and although he was a major prophet, a man greatly anointed, and even though he bore the torah (i.e. the law), yet, he did not have it all. He did not! He only bore a portion of the Word of God, which is the revelation of Christ, God appointed for him to bear! Precisely! Other men were to follow, each bearing a portion of the Word, as God appointed in His Omniscient mind, and in His elective love. Then God took Moses off the scene. His work was done, and he slept in his lot. And for his faithfulness, Angels buried him, after Michael fought

over his carcass with Lucifer. Till this day, no man knows where he was buried. But he rose with Christ, in the first order of the first resurrection, when the Lord Jesus led captivity captive, and took all the Old Testament saints up to paradise. Praise God!

Brothers and sisters, we have to see, for it is certain, with Moses, with all he bore, God's plan of salvation is incomplete. The mind of God concerning this great plan had not been fully unveiled or expressed, for it is an elaborate, complex, very deep, but most spectacular and marvellous plan. Therefore, the revelation of God concerning the plan of salvation had to continue, and you and I are under obligation to follow God in the continuity of His revelation, as He unveils this plan. Remember, it is not the plan of a man. It is not the plan of any man. It is strictly God's plan of salvation, and we have to follow God in this plan, as laid out in His Blueprint, which is the Holy Bible. Saints of God, this brings us to another junction of time, and to another ministry, a man God anointed and ordained to

carry another portion of the Word, as the Lord continues to express His hitherto unexpressed thought, that it may become the Word of God, but a fresh portion of the Word, to brighten the understanding of God's predestinated seeds, concerning this plan of salvation we have in Christ. Here comes Prophet Isaiah, another major prophet of God. We will consider chapter 53 of his inspired record, just for a few minutes, from verse 1. He proclaimed: ***“Who hath believed our report? And to whom is the arm”*** (or the salvation) ***“of the Lord revealed? For he”*** (Christ) ***“shall grow up before Him”*** (God) ***“as a tender plant, and as a root out of a dry ground: he”*** (Christ) ***“hath no form nor comeliness; and when we shall see him, there is no beauty that we should desire him.”*** He had no physical beauty for anyone to want to follow him. You could only really appreciate him by the eye of faith which God alone gives. That is, you could only truly appreciate and follow him by revelation, because he had no physical attraction whatsoever about his person. And as such,

Prophet Isaiah continued: ***“He is despised and rejected of men; a man of sorrows, and acquainted with grief: and we hid as it were our faces from him; he was despised, and we esteemed him not. SURELY HE HATH BORNE OUR GRIEFS, AND CARRIED OUR SORROWS: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. BUT HE WAS WOUNDED FOR OUR TRANSGRESSIONS, HE WAS BRUISED FOR OUR INIQUITIES: THE CHASTISEMENT OF OUR PEACE WAS UPON HIM; AND WITH HIS STRIPES WE ARE HEALED. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; AND THE LORD HATH LAID ON HIM THE INIQUITY OF US ALL. He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth: he is brought as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before her shearers is dumb, so he openeth not his mouth...”*** You can read the rest. That is all speaking about the promised Messiah, giving us more detail about Jesus Christ the Word of God! It

lets us know the suffering or the passion he would endure for our sakes, which passion the revelation of Moses did not touch! Moses did not bear anything about his passion! So, what was God doing through Isaiah the Prophet? The Lord was shedding more light on that promised Seed, giving us continuity to the unveiling of Christ in his redemption work, what purpose he would serve, the roles he would play, and what he would go through to accomplish it. Hence in chapter 9, verses 6-7, he proclaimed: **“For unto us A CHILD IS BORN, unto us A SON IS GIVEN: and the government”** (the Millennial government) **“shall be upon his shoulder: and HIS NAME shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God”** (i.e. he shall be called by the name of his Father; and as he himself much later testified, he came in his Father's name), **“The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. Of the increase of his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David, and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to establish it with**

judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.” So, light was being shed upon light. Yet, that was not the all of Christ the Word of God. Even Prophet Isaiah told us precisely the kind of lady, of the natural seeds of Abraham, who would give birth to him, thereby adding more detail concerning the coming Messiah. He proclaimed in chapter 7, verse 14: **“... Behold, A VIRGIN shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.”** Immanuel means, God with us, in the flesh of His Son, by virtue of the incarnation at River Jordan. But right here, Isaiah added another picture, another piece of the puzzle, and by it, we now realise, it is going to be a virgin that will give birth to the Messiah. But Moses only told us he would be a Prophet, a man whose Word is an Absolute; and also that he would be a Seed of Abraham. Moses also let us know he would be the Serpent bruiser, amongst other facts of Christ foreshadowed by the law. But you have to go beyond Moses, to ascertain how he would come; the

sufferings he would bear, and for what purpose. Many other vital and most material and fundamental facts or truths of Christ were not given to Moses, nor were they given by Moses. But Isaiah filled some of that in! And therefore, brothers and sisters, it was not enough that you believed Moses; it was not enough that you followed Moses: You also had to follow Isaiah in the revelation of Jesus Christ he bore, because he had some truths of Christ Moses did not have, for Moses did not have it all, and Moses did not give it all. That is the issue! Wake up, for that is the reality we also face today! You therefore could not reject what Prophet Isaiah brought and still make it with God. You could not! That would be impossible! And as I already stated, Moses only bore a portion of the revelation of the plan of salvation God set for him to bear, even though he bore a big portion, mainly in types and shadows of the law! But, saints of God, the plan of salvation is more than Moses! I said the plan of salvation we have of God is more than Moses! It is beyond Moses! It is beyond Moses because it is exclusively the plan of

the Almighty God Himself! It therefore goes beyond Moses, for it spans every age and hour, and spans every generation of human time, for it is God's redemptive plan for the whole earth! You therefore could not limit the truth of God to Moses! I say you could not limit, and you cannot limit, the truth of Christ to Moses! If you did in that day, way back there, you had to die, spiritually! It showed you were plagued with the deadly sin of unbelief! Church, Moses bore the measure of the portion of the Word allotted to him to shed for God's people. Period! And if you would have other details, you had to follow God day by day, as He gradually unfolded the revelation of salvation, through whatever vessel He set on the earth, to carry on the unfolding of the truth of Christ! Exactly! Therefore, you could not use the ministry of Moses, or his truth, to reject or deny the ministry input of Isaiah, or of any other anointed vessel of God for that matter! You would die if you did! And as much as you needed Moses in that day, you also needed Isaiah in his hour, for both of them had something of Christ for God's elects.

They both had nuggets of truth! And every predestinated child of God was divinely obligated to receive them! That is absolutely correct! Halleluyah! Therefore, you could not say in the hour of Isaiah, "Let me tell you, God met with Moses! Moses had a fantastic ministry! Look at all the miracles the Lord used him to accomplish in Egypt! Look at how God opened up the Red Sea under his ministry, when he stretched forth his rod over the Sea! Look at how the hosts of Pharaoh perished, when he stretched forth his rod again over the Sea, and it overflowed as it was before! Oh, the wonders God wrought through him! Look at the Ten Commandments, and the entire Torah, and the glorious way it came! He was the one the Lord used to bring deliverance to the Israelites, when they were in bondage in Egypt! God spoke to him face to face! Who else can do all these things?! It is Moses I am going to follow! I do not need Isaiah or anyone else! Isaiah should be preaching the message of Moses the servant of God! Stay with Moses! Stay with the message! Stay with Moses! Stay with the

Prophet! Moses gave us all we need for our redemption! Moses is the vindicated man of God! Stay with the message of the hour! There is only one messenger for this day!" Does that not sound very familiar today? Pathetically, it does! But the issue is: In that day, you could not do that! You could not use the message of Moses to reject the revelation Isaiah was also used of God to bear! If you did, it showed you really did not understand what Moses was talking about! You did not understand the message of Moses! Because if you knew what Moses was talking about, you would look forward! You would follow continuity! You would definitely look for further light, because God gives fresh manna every blessed day, as He unfolds His Word of salvation, a step at a time, light upon light, for the revelation of God comes in folds, and is as such, from revelation to revelation. Moreover, as I earlier stated, this plan of God's salvation is more than any man, regardless of the measure of anointing he received from God, and regardless of the bigness or smallness of his ministry (i.e. regardless of the fact that

his ministry is major or minor), and regardless of how much truth the Lord used him to convey! Exactly! And do not also forget, God's plan of salvation and its revelation spans every age, and every junction of human time! It does! You cannot therefore limit the revelation of God to any particular ministry or junction of time! You would be a first class idiot to do that! I say that only to shake somebody, because everything is about Jesus the Christ! It is not about Moses, Isaiah, or William Branham! It is not! And as such, you cannot personalize the plan of salvation! You cannot! That would be sheer carnality, for everything is about Jesus Christ of the Bible, the Immortal Son of the only living God! Exactly! You could not tie down, and you cannot tie down, this plan of salvation to Moses, for it is beyond Moses! Likewise today, you cannot also tie down this plan of salvation to William Branham, because the plan of salvation is not about William Branham, even though like Moses, he also had his own role to play in this plan! Precisely! But everything is about Christ Jesus our Lord, and

not about William Branham! Remember, we are taking a message, Why Continuity? In other words, Why must we follow continuity? The reason is what I am giving you in this message, so you can understand why you must follow continuity. That is why I am labouring, under Christ, so you can see it! And if you do not follow continuity, I guarantee you: You will not be in the bride! And you definitely will not make it in the rapture either! And as a person following the restoring message of the end time Elijah of Malachi, chapter 4, verse 6B, Brother Branham, if you do not follow the continuity revelation of Jesus Christ for this very hour, you will certainly face the Antichrist in the 70th Week of Daniel, and gladly take the Mark of the Beast, for this is not a game! That is for sure, for this is not a game! This is about life eternal! And Christ in his divine Scriptural revelation is everything! For he is life eternal to us! Yes, he is!

So, here came Prophet Isaiah. Through him the Lord let us know the royal Seed of Abraham, the promised Messiah, would be brought forth by a

virgin. He would be God's perfect sacrificial lamb, who would go through untold suffering for our sake. He would also be a King, the King of the whole earth; for the Millennial government shall be upon his shoulder. As a matter of fact, Prophet Isaiah was the vessel God used to bear a very beautiful and extensive revelation picture of the blissful Millennial period, an hour Christ himself called the age of regeneration, for he (Isaiah) received the Word of God concerning that glorious day. Oh my! And what an insight he had to the Millennium! Yes! Chapter 11, verses 1-9, as well as chapter 65, verses 17-25, lay it out. You can read it. Furthermore, he was used by God to give an extensive projection of the Day of the Lord, for many passages and chapters of Isaiah relate to that Day (i.e. the Day of God's Wrath), which Christ himself shall institute, an event which ushers in the Millennium (i.e. the age of regeneration of the planet earth), as he comes with the bride on white horses, at the close of the Last Week of Daniel. Yet, Isaiah only bore a portion of the Word! But through him, we certainly have more light added to the revelation of

Christ, which Moses bore mainly in types and shadows of the law. But let us ask ourselves again, in order to refresh our minds: **What is the Word of God? It is Jesus Christ in his divine Scriptural revelation! It is God's Word of Salvation!** And that being truly so, I say to you, If you lived in the days of Isaiah, and you desired to have a true and balanced understanding of God's plan of salvation, so you could have an intimate relationship with the Lord, and walk acceptably before Him, you would have to receive what Isaiah brought, and add it to what Moses brought. It would bring your revelation up-to-date. Absolutely! If you did not, your revelation of Christ would be very limited. That is a fact! In that day, even as it holds true for this very day, you had to follow the Lord in His continuous revelation. But note: In spite of your doing so, you still would not have it all. That is, Regardless of the measure of light you had under Isaiah, you would not have it all! You would not! You would still have had to follow God in the continuity of the unveiling of His Word of salvation, for the revelation of God continued, and still

continues, even as we speak.

Church, we now move to another man, in another junction of time, Jeremiah the prophet of God. Here came Prophet Jeremiah. They call him the weeping prophet, because he wrote the book of Lamentation. But he was not weeping for himself! He was weeping for the most pathetic condition of Israel! Saints of God, that man was a true prophet. And he suffered on account of the truth of God he bore for Israel. And he said Israel had derailed; Israel had been led astray like a sheep to the slaughter; and she had tilted herself away from their axis, which is God. They had lost their Compass. I say that because God is our Compass! He is our Waymaker! The Lord is our Pathfinder! And when we lose our Compass, we lose ourselves. Precisely! Brothers and sisters, God is our Stabilizer. Israel was in a pathetic spiritual shape, and her cup was full, ready for judgment! Jeremiah, seeing the condition of Israel, began to weep for his people. And they obviously must have said, *"We do not like this guy. He is just a weeping prophet. We do not want a*

person like that. He is an embarrassment to the ministry, and to the people of Israel. We do not know what his problem is, for things are certainly not that bad! Moreover we are the people of God, and no harm can come to us, for our God is a good God! How can he say to us we will spend seventy years in Babylonian captivity? We hate his ministry! We do not want his message! He is too hard! We do not like the way he preaches! Away with Jeremiah!" But as I earlier said, Jeremiah was not weeping for himself; he was weeping for Israel. Moreover, he was giving Israel something most vital; something hinging on the salvation of Israel, and the Israelites were not listening. Look at Jeremiah chapter 31. We will take it from verse 31: ***"Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that I will make a New Covenant with the house of Israel, and with the house of Judah: Not according to the Covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt"*** (That was through Moses;) ***"which my Covenant they brake, although I was an husband unto them..."*** The Lord said that

simply because God has been married to Israel. Israel is Jehovah's wife. But the bride is not yet married. That is why in the book of Revelation, she is referred to as the "**bride**" of Christ. And because she is bride, is why she is also referred to as the "**elect lady**". Halleluyah! The bride of Christ is the elect lady, engaged to Christ, but not yet married. Our engagement is going on right now in earnest, by the pure divine revelation of Christ we have been given accessibility to and have received, a revelation which sets the bride apart; but the marriage will take place up there in heaven, when we go in the rapture. But Israel is Jehovah's wife. She is married to Elohim. The book of Isaiah chapter 54, verses 5-8, and chapter 50, verse 1, confirms that. That is why God referred to Israel the way He did here in the book of Jeremiah: "**Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that I will make a New Covenant with the house of Israel, and with the house of Judah: Not according to the Covenant that I made with their fathers in the day that I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt; which my Covenant they brake, although I was an**

husband unto them, saith the Lord: But this shall be the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel; After those days, saith the Lord, I WILL PUT MY LAW IN THEIR INWARD PARTS, AND WRITE IT IN THEIR HEARTS; and will be their God, and they shall be my people. And they shall teach no more every man his neighbour, and every man his brother, saying, know the Lord: for they shall all" (the elected seeds) "**know me, from the least of them unto the greatest of them, saith the Lord: for I will forgive their iniquity, and I will remember their sin no more.**" Brothers and sisters, that prophecy speaks of the New Covenant in Christ, a better covenant, a covenant which guarantees the circumcision of the hearts of God's people, that they may offer unto God true worship (i.e. worship in spirit and in truth). That is the covenant the Serpent bruiser ushered in, because Christ is the Testator of the New Covenant.

But when time came to the hour of Prophet Ezekiel, a prophet who ministered in captivity in Babylon, he spoke of the coming revival

of Israel, a revival which will take place in the first half of the Last Week of Daniel, which is precisely why she has been gathered today from the various countries of the earth to which she had been scattered since 70 A.D., back to the Promised land. She has been brought back to Palestine, to await the promised Messiah (Jesus Christ) she rejected about two thousand years ago; for in that day, she will accept the same Jesus. Christ will be revealed to her at this end of time, through the ministry of the two prophets the Lord will send to her, Moses and Elijah, two modern day Jews. Chapter 36, verses 24-29 declare: "**For I will take you from among the heathen, and gather you OUT OF ALL COUNTRIES, and will bring you into your own land. THEN I WILL SPRINKLE CLEAN WATER UPON YOU, and ye shall be clean: from all your filthiness, and from all your idols, will I cleanse you. A NEW HEART ALSO WILL I GIVE YOU, AND A NEW SPIRIT WILL I PUT WITHIN YOU: and I will take away the stony heart out of your flesh, and I will give you an heart of flesh. AND I WILL PUT MY**

SPIRIT WITHIN YOU, and cause you to walk in my statutes, and ye shall keep my judgments, and do them. And ye shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; and ye shall be my people, and I will be your God. I will also save you from all your uncleanness: and I will call for the corn, and will increase it, and lay no famine upon you.” This synchronises with the revelation of Jeremiah. However, saints of the living God, of all men the Lord used to write the Scriptures of truth, only Ezekiel the Prophet was given the specification (the actual design and dimensions) of the third temple to be built in Jerusalem, including the worship of the Prince (Jesus Christ), in chapters 40-48. Chapter 40, verses 1-7 records: ***“In the five and twentieth year of our captivity, in the beginning of the year, in the tenth day of the month, in the fourteenth year after that the city was smitten, in the self-same day the hand of the Lord was upon me, and brought me thither. In the visions of God brought he me into the land of Israel, and set me upon a very high mountain, by which was as the frame of***

a city on the south. And he brought me thither, and, behold, there was a man, whose appearance was like the appearance of brass, with a line of flax in his hand, and a measuring reed; and he stood in the gate” (the gate of the temple). ***“And the man said unto me, Son of man, behold with thine eyes, and hear with thine ears, and set thine heart upon all that I shall shew thee; FOR TO THE INTENT THAT I MIGHT SHEW THEM UNTO THEE ART THOU BROUGHT HITHER: DECLARE ALL THAT THOU SEEST TO THE HOUSE OF ISRAEL. And behold a wall on the outside of the house round about, and in the man's hand a measuring reed of six cubits long by the cubit and an hand breadth: so he measured the breadth of the building, one reed; and the height, one reed. Then came he unto the gate which looketh toward the east, and went up the stairs thereof, and measured the threshold of the gate, which was one reed broad; and the other threshold of the gate, which was one reed broad. And every little chamber was one reed long, and one reed broad; and between the little***

chambers were five cubits; and the threshold of the gate by the porch of the gate within was one reed.” You can read the rest of that chapter. This is a temple Israel will build in this very day and hour, for it is going to be Christ's Millennial temple: Jesus Christ will literally sit and reign in it over all the earth in the Millennium, as King of kings, and Lord of lords, with Jerusalem as the capital of planet earth! It will be the best temple ever built, for even Prophet Haggai revealed in chapter 2, verse 9: ***“The glory of this latter house shall be greater than of the former, saith the Lord of hosts: and in this place will I give peace, saith the Lord of hosts.”*** And for this cause, God will upgrade the materials to be used in building this third and final temple, for it shall be a masterpiece, even as it is written in Isaiah chapter 60, verses 7 & 17: ***“...And I will glorify the house of my glory.” “... For brass I will bring gold, and for iron I will bring silver, and for wood brass, and for stones iron: I will also make thy officers peace, and thine exactors righteousness.”*** Outside Ezekiel's record, there is nowhere you can get the specifications of this

temple in the entire Bible. That is a Bible fact.

Brothers and sisters, what did the Lord do through all these men? The Lord shed light upon light, light upon light, brightening our pathway, increasing our understanding of God's plan of salvation, which God accomplishes through His promised Redeemer, Jesus Christ the Son of God. My brethren, you could not truly believe Isaiah the prophet, and then turn down Jeremiah's ministry and message. Neither could you turn down the further light Prophet Ezekiel bore of Christ. Take away Ezekiel's revelation, and you take away a vital portion of the revelation of Christ. It would show, you do not have a revelation of anything, because you do not understand as yet what God's objective is: You do not understand God's plan of salvation! As a matter of spiritual fact, you do not even know why God sent the very man you say you believe! You do not, regardless of what you think! I say that because we are going to follow that plan to our very age! That is why I can tell you tonight, for it is a notorious fact: The Branham movement, in the main, certainly do not

understand the ministry of William Branham, and obviously do not even understand the message they have been taking around the earth for the past four decades! They do not understand it! They are just making noise! They are just quoting words! They have no understanding of anything! And you are not going to get them to understand anything either! Why? Because they are very warp in their minds! They are mere carriers of this message; and they are effective carriers; but carriers nonetheless! But God is not looking for carriers! He is looking only for elect seeds, even though He will use carriers to get to seeds; and as such, carriers are serving a purpose, a very vital purpose. They are the instruments that can get this message to places you and I may not be able to reach, in order to touch seeds, for they are very effective carriers. That is a fact. The truth is, when you have a true revelation of God's plan of salvation, you cannot help but follow God in the continuity of His divine revelation. You cannot! Because until God's plan of salvation is fully established and accomplished, you have got to keep following God in

that divine plan! You have to! Therefore, God's continuity ministry move, and the continuous unveiling of His Word of redemption, will not stop! Brothers and sisters, until it is all over, it is not over, and you have got to keep following the Lord in His continuity light! Otherwise I will ask you: What exactly do you think this revealed way is? A game? Of course not! This is life eternal! It is life! Saints of God, I therefore urge you: Keep following the light. You must follow the light if you are to come into life everlasting. Stay with God in His continuous revelation! Stay with the living Word of God! It is ever fresh, for it is like an artesian well. God will always have His anointed vessel at any and every junction of time, to turn on the light under Christ, for the furtherance of His plan of salvation, for truth does not come in vacuum. I am showing you Why Continuity (i.e. why you must follow continuity). After all, it is an established and irrefutable fact, that every vessel ordained and anointed of God to carry the Word, came at God's appointed junction of time, bearing only a portion of the Word earmarked for that period of time. That is very

correct! Exactly! And as such, none of them had it all! None did! Oh my! But by adding the present truths to the truths already received, the picture becomes clearer, and the light gets brighter, and the bride grows deeper in truth, and gets richer in the things of the Spirit of God, and closer in their walk with the Lord. Praise God! Amen! We just have to realise, the Word of the plan of salvation each man brought, is beyond him. The plan is greater than the man himself, because it is a universal plan which spans any and every age or dispensation, and it spans any and every junction of time. I add that simply because in every dispensation, there are various junctions of time. And from one junction of time to the next, God's plan of salvation moves on, being universal, for it is for the redemption of Adam's fallen race, a thought first expressed in the Garden of Eden. We have to understand that! God therefore moves on in His plan of redemption of the earth, with each passing day, for it spans all time, right from the garden. And that is precisely why this great plan was foreshadowed under the Old Testament dispensation, with the

saints of that hour looking forward to Christ, although the reality of it was brought to us in the New Testament days, with the sacrifice of Christ Jesus on the Cross. Now we look back to the Cross. But it is the same, one salvation of God, in Christ Jesus! And that is precisely why the New Jerusalem we see in the book of Revelation chapters 21 and 22, which is the bride of Christ, "**the Lamb's wife**", also incorporates saints of all ages, way back to Abel, all through the Old Testament saints, right through to the very end: The New Jerusalem incorporates the entire body of saints, regardless of their dispensation, and regardless of their class of sainthood, even though the bride is in pre-eminence, and therefore the focal people in that city. And hence why the New Jerusalem prophetically represents the bride of Christ, according to verses 9-14 of chapter 21, for she bears the highest calling. She does!

Leaving Ezekiel, we come to Daniel the Prophet of God. Through him we have our very first insight into what Christ later referred to as "**... the times of the Gentiles...**"

in Saint Luke chapter 21, verse 24, which gives us the dispensation of the four beast empires, from the Babylonian empire to the Roman empire, in Daniel chapter 7. In that same chapter, he saw by prophetic revelation the investiture of Christ for the Millennial reign, in verses 13-14, and the white throne judgment, in verses 9-10. He gave us an insight to the ministry of the Anti-Christ to come, and also revealed the man who set his prototype, Antiochus Epiphanes, a Syrian prince, in chapter 11. Moreover he was the only vessel God used to give the Jews a set time frame of Seventy Weeks of prophetic time, in verses 24-27 of chapter 9, starting from 445 B.C., right to the second physical return of Christ, and its revelation is phenomenal! It is awesome! Verse 24 declares: "**Seventy weeks are determined upon thy people**" (the Jews) "**and upon thy holy city**" (Jerusalem), "**to finish the transgression, and to make an end of sins, and to make reconciliation for iniquity**" (i.e. to reconcile Israel back to God through Jesus Christ, whom they will receive in the 70th week), "**and to bring in**

e v e r l a s t i n g righteousness" (which is the Millennium), **"and to seal up the vision and prophecy"** (i.e. to fulfil the vision and prophecy), **"and to anoint the most Holy"** (i.e. to anoint the most Holy place, which is the Millennial temple having the Holy of holies, by the physical anointing presence of Jesus Christ at the end of the 70th week). God be praised for such a deep prophetic insight, an insight which also lets us know precisely when the Messiah would be crucified: At the very end of the sixty ninth week, according to verse 26! Only God can project such a perfect and infallible long range time frame! His prophetic insight goes hand in hand with the revelation of Jesus Christ contained in the book of Revelation. Therefore, we can see the uniqueness of the Word of God he bore. And what a difference the book of Daniel makes to our understanding of the prophetic picture of the end time! I ask: What are you going to do with the portion of the Word he bore? Are you going to use Moses to turn down what he bore under God? You cannot do that! For he had some truths of God Moses

did not have! Exactly! It is God adding more light, giving more detail to this wonderful plan of salvation, supplying more pieces to the giant puzzle. Absolutely!

Now we come to Prophet Hosea, a minor prophet; but a man who nonetheless also bore a portion of God's expressed Word of redemption, a Word which was first expressed in the Garden of Eden. In the book of Genesis, as we saw earlier, the Lord promised Abraham that through him, all the nations of the earth shall be blessed. Now the Lord called Hosea in chapter 1, and told him to marry a harlot, that the union may be used to characterise the gross unfaithfulness of Israel to God, her husband. He obeyed and married Gomer. In verses 8-10, Hosea states: **"Now when she had weaned Lo-ruhamah"** (her second child), **"she conceived, and bare a son. Then said God, Call his name Lo-ammi: FOR YE"** (the nation of Israel) **"ARE NOT MY PEOPLE, and I will not be your God. Yet the number of the children of Israel shall be as the sand of the sea, which cannot be**

measured nor numbered; and it shall come to pass, that IN THE PLACE" (i.e. in the period of time) **"where it was said unto them"** (the Jews), **"Ye are not my people, THERE"** (in that same period of time) **"it shall be said unto them"** (the Gentiles), **"Ye are the sons of the living God."** This prophecy confirms God's promise to Abraham, of the blessing of salvation that is to come also upon the whole earth, for it speaks of the rejection of Israel, and the admission of the Gentiles into God's family! Precisely! Again the Lord confirmed it in chapter 2 verse 23: **"And I will sow her unto me in the earth; and I will have mercy upon her"** (the Gentiles) **"that had not obtained mercy; and I will say to them"** (the Gentiles) **"which were not my people, Thou art my people; and they shall say, Thou art my God."** With all these expressed "Word of God", which brought in the Gentiles into the kingdom of God through Christ, yet, the only ministry the Israelites saw and accepted was Moses. That is why the Jews do not understand why we Gentiles believe in the man called Jesus

Christ of Nazareth, a Jew, whom they do not believe. And it is simply because they have no revelation of the torah and the prophets they read every Sabbath day! And that is why all they chorus till this very day is: "Moses! Moses! Moses!" Even when Jesus Christ was on the ground, their cry was still of Moses, because that is all they see! They used Moses to turn down the promised Messiah whom the same Moses spoke about! It is just like the Branham movement: All they see and will accept is William Branham! You are not going to get them to believe anything else! And that is all they chorus like a crank record: "*Brother Branham! Brother Branham! Brother Branham! God sent a prophet to this age, the seventh star messenger!*" Yes, I know that already! I know that! But is that where it all ends? Of course not! Of course not!

So, here came Joel the Prophet, in chapter 2, verses 28-29, with the Word of God concerning the universal outpouring of the Spirit of life in the last days: "***And it shall come to pass afterwards, that I will pour out my Spirit UPON ALL FLESH***" (to

give reality to the promise of God to Abraham of a universal salvation blessing); "***and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions: And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my Spirit.***" This promise is for us, and it had its beginning application on the day of Pentecost, after Christ had paid the price of sin, and had risen on the third day, giving way for Adam's fallen race to have access to the Spirit of life, fifty days after Christ's resurrection. When God poured out His Spirit that day upon the Jewish believers waiting in the upper room, in Acts chapter 2, whilst some Jews from Diaspora were amazed, seeing the manifestation of the Spirit, others mocked saying the saints were filled with new wine. This led Apostle Peter, the man with the keys to the kingdom, **The Apostle** to the Jews, to preach his inaugural sermon from verse 14, to open up the door of life eternal to the Jews that day: "***But Peter, standing up with the eleven, lifted up his voice, and said***

unto them, Ye men of Judaea, and all ye that dwell at Jerusalem, be this known unto you, and hearken to my words: For these are not drunken, as ye suppose, seeing it is but the third hour of the day. BUT THIS IS THAT WHICH WAS SPOKEN BY THE PROPHET JOEL; And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh... And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved" (verses 14-21). Peter went straight to Joel's prophecy! God was giving the Jews the chance to receive the message of life, which God had spoken through the mouth of many prophets, as recorded in the Old Testament writings they carried. But they were going to reject it, and they rejected it, thereby enabling God to turn to the Gentiles, as He had also spoken. The new wine of the Spirit was then taken from the Jews, and given to the Gentiles. And for almost two thousand years now, it has been a Gentile dispensation of grace. The Lord since then, and throughout the seven church ages, has been preparing a

Gentile bride for Jesus Christ, and the Jews were shut out, even as Joel also prophesied in chapter 1, verse 5: **“Awake, ye drunkards, and weep; and howl, all ye drinkers of wine, because of the new wine; FOR IT IS CUT OFF FROM YOUR MOUTH.”** That prophecy of Scripture is a reality today as we speak, for what the Jews rejected was turned over to us Gentiles through the cross of Calvary (i.e. through Christ). Apostle Paul confirmed it in Galatians chapter 3, verses 13-14 text we laid out earlier.

Saints of God, we can see from what we have shared so far, that although Joel was a minor prophet, and although he bore a very small portion of the promised Word of salvation, what he bore that day was the truth of Christ nonetheless, and the revelation of Christ he bore is indispensable. It is indispensable! For truth is truth, big or small. There is no truth of Christ you can do away with, however small or seemingly insignificant, for the Word of God is sovereign, and can never fail. We must **“ f u l f i l l a l l righteousness!”** That is, we must fulfill all that is

written! And if you do away with any ounce or measure of truth, you will not come into life eternal. It is that serious. And that is a Scriptural fact. You have a choice, for you are a free moral agent. And as earlier stated, You cannot use a big ministry to take away the revelation a minor ministry bears under Christ. You cannot do so! The way you accept the revelation of a major prophet or ministry of truth, is the same way you must also accept that of a minor prophet or ministry of truth! In the same vein, the way you accept the revelation of a star messenger to an age, is the same way God expects you to accept the truth of a minor messenger to that same age! Why? Because **truth is truth!** Truth is what makes the difference! Therefore, there is no small truth and big truth, for truth is truth! As such, you cannot accept or reject truth on the basis of its measure. You cannot do so, for it will simply show you are devoid of true revelation! It will show you lack the understanding of the infallibility of God's Word! As long as a man is bearing the true Word of God, you are under a very strict divine obligation to

accept his message, for it is the message of God, regardless of the measure or size of truth he bears! Furthermore, to reject a ministry simply because it is not a major ministry is to reject Christ himself! You would be craving for death! It would show you are certainly not interested in God's plan of salvation! For God alone rules this programme! And He alone determines the logistics: What goes, and what does not go; and who bears what and when, for the Almighty God is sovereign! Listen to me saints of God, for I must warn you sternly: **There is no ministry of truth you can reject! You have no such liberty! Thus saith the Lord in His Word!** Jesus Christ our Lord confirmed that in Saint Matthew chapter 10, verses 40-42. Because it is not about the men, however big a ministry they may have, and however greatly anointed they may be! It is strictly about Jesus Christ, the promised Word of God, our only Lord and Saviour! Precisely!

Nevertheless, brothers and sisters, with all the promised Word we have seen the Lord express so far in this message, a

Word which started first as a thought in His Omniscient mind in the beginning, we still do not have the entire pieces of the puzzle of God's plan of salvation, and as such, we have to move on with God in His light, as He sends forth His Word, with each passing day, using vessel after vessel, according to His sovereign elective will. This brings us to another minor prophet, Micah, who was used of God to give a prophetic marker or sign post concerning the promised Messiah, a Word no other prophet bore. In chapter 5 verse 2, Micah wrote: ***"But thou, BETHLEHEM Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, YET OUT OF THEE SHALL HE COME FORTH UNTO ME THAT IS TO BE RULER IN ISRAEL"*** (Now listen to this:) ***"WHOSE GOINGS FORTH HAVE BEEN FROM OF OLD, FROM EVERLASTING."*** Did you hear that? This last statement takes us right back to the very beginning, in the mind of God, when He counselled with Himself, knowing Adam's race would fall, and He prepared a most elaborate and most glorious plan of redemption for the whole earth, through Jesus

Christ, the promised Word of God. It was Prophet Micah, a minor prophet, the Lord used to let us know the Messiah would be born in Bethlehem, adding more detail, a most vital detail, for the Messiah's identification. And that was fulfilled to the letter, because it is the Word of God, even though it looks seemingly like a little Word! It fulfilled because God's Word is God's Word: It cannot fail in any measure! Moreover it gives us a vital clue to identifying where precisely the promised Messiah would come from. Saint Matthew records in chapter 2, verses 1-6: ***"Now when Jesus was born IN BETHLEHEM of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him. When Herod the king had heard these things, he was troubled, and all Jerusalem with him. And when he had gathered all the chief priests and scribes of the people together, he demanded of them where Christ should be born."*** Please

note, in that day, the chief priests and scribes did not go to the books of the Major Prophets to get this truth, for it is nowhere there: It was not given to them to bear! They had to go to the book of Micah, and only to the book of Micah, a minor prophet, to get this particular truth of Christ! Think of it! Apostle Matthew continued: ***"And they said unto him, In Bethlehem of Judaea: for thus it is written by the prophet, And thou Bethlehem, in the land of Juda, art not the least among the princes of Juda: for out of thee shall come a Governor, that shall rule my people Israel."*** Brothers and sisters, you can search the message of Moses as much as you want for that truth: You will not find it there! You will only be wasting your time looking for it in his record or message. **To Micah alone was this truth given.** And as small as it may seem, it is a crucial truth, and it was fulfilled precisely, being the Word of God. Exactly! Moses bore a great light, but he did not have this, because he did not have everything. No one man had everything! You have to realise that, and follow God today in His continuity light, or you will pay a very

dear price. ***“He that hath an ear, let him hear.”***

Let us take a look at the inspired written record of a young Prophet, Zechariah, who ministered alongside Prophet Haggai, another young prophet. He was one of the Minor Prophets. But he bore a very lovely prophecy we are going to see, a beautiful marker for the identification of the promised Word of God, the promised Messiah. I love how God laid out the entire plan of salvation. It is marvellous! The entire Bible is one beautiful harmonious piece! But God reveals His plan in folds, a truth at a time, giving us continuous revelation; not a stagnant one, but a dynamic one, for it is ever unfolding with time. God has His Word for every passing hour! Remember Micah: It was Micah that let us know Christ would be born in Bethlehem. But look at what Zechariah laid out in chapter 9, verse 9: ***“Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion”*** (talking about Israel); ***“shout, O daughter of Jerusalem”*** (Now listen to this): ***“BEHOLD, THY KING”*** (Jesus Christ) ***“COMETH UNTO THEE: HE IS JUST, AND***

HAVING SALVATION; LOWLY” (That means he is humble), ***“AND RIDING UPON AN ASS, AND UPON A COLT THE FOAL OF AN ASS.”*** Brothers and sisters, Jesus Christ entered Jerusalem, precisely and exactly as Zechariah had prophesied! He came into Jerusalem riding upon a colt, and not on a horse or a chariot! Oh my! It caused a revival that day in Jerusalem! Saint Luke's Gospel records in chapter 19, verses 35-38: ***“And they”*** (the disciples) ***“brought him”*** (i.e. the colt) ***“to Jesus: and they cast their garments upon THE COLT, and they set Jesus thereon. And as he went, they spread their clothes in the way. And when he was come nigh, even now at the descent of the mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen; Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.”*** And this bunch of jealous old Priests and Pharisees wanted to stop the revival; the great rejoicing the entrance of

the Messiah brought. What a triumphant entry! And they told Jesus, ***“Give God the praise! Give God the praise!”*** As if they were really after the interest of God! Jealous people! Ambitious people! That was prophecy in fulfilment right before them! They told Christ: ***“Give God the praise! Let these men stop shouting! Tell them to stop shouting, and give God the praise!”*** Jesus looked at this bunch of hypocrites, probably wondering, ***“So what the disciples are doing is not giving God glory?!”*** And it was only because their eyes were too blind to see the prophecy of Zechariah! Their ambition and jealousy had blinded them totally! Jesus had to give them a sharp rebuke in verse 40: ***“And he answered and said unto them, I tell you that, if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out!”*** Why? Because the Word of God through Zechariah had to be fulfilled to the letter; for every aspect of the coming Messiah, as God had mapped out in His plan of salvation, had to fulfil precisely and exactly! And if the people had stopped rejoicing that day, stones would have immediately risen up to

give God praise, for His marvellous works and faithfulness! Moreover, it is a Scriptural fact that as Gentile bride saints, a people whom God raised up to accept the Messiah the Jews rejected, we are lively stones! Precisely! God has indeed raised up stones; for Apostle Peter called us "**lively stones**", raised up to reveal the glory and the majesty and the grace of God that brought salvation into our lives through Jesus Christ our Saviour! Brothers and sisters, Jesus came riding that lowly ass, and Israel did not see anything! Why? It was simply because all they saw and would accept in the ministry was "*Moses! Moses! Moses!*" It is just like the Branham movement. All they cry is "*Brother Branham! Brother Branham! Brother Branham!*" I hope you get that! Look at it, my brothers and sisters: None of these men had it all. None did! Each man only bore a portion of the Word. You have to see that! No one had it all, and as such, you could not refuse further light. You would die for unbelief, which is the real sin, if you did. Now, listen to this: You could not tell me, that because you believe Moses, you are

going to reject the revelation of Micah or of Zechariah. You could not do that, because all of them bore a portion of the revelation of Christ; all of them spoke of Christ. All of them were used by God to shed a measure of light, to give an insight to the ministry, the life, the trials, the roles of Christ, and the objectives God would accomplish through him, including God's judgment. They were all used to lay out in one measure or the other, the elaborate plan of God's salvation, because, do not forget, as earlier stated, the Millennium is still the age of regeneration. The Millennium is still redemptive, for it is the hour for the redemption of the planet, to bring it out of its judged and chaotic state. Therefore, you cannot consider the portion of the Word of God a particular ministry bears, as weightier than the portion of the Word of God another vessel conveys, as to reject his revelation. You are not hearing me! You cannot lift up one ministry above the other, to the extent that you reject the light the other man is bringing forth: You will have to pay a price! Why? Because every Word of God is important!

Every Word of God is life! And as it is written, "*Man shall live by every Word that proceedeth (present continuous) from the mouth of God!*" Why? **BECAUSE GOD DID NOT GIVE US THE ENTIRE WRITTEN WORD OF THE PLAN OF SALVATION IN ONE DAY! AND HE IS NOT GIVING US THE TRUE REVELATION OF THE ENTIRE WRITTEN WORD IN ONE DAY EITHER! AND NEITHER IS HE UNVEILING EVERYTHING THROUGH ONE MAN!** He is not! And as such, **You cannot personalise truth! You cannot, for you would be an idolater to do so!** As was earlier laid out, each man came at God's appointed hour and junction of time, and bore a portion of the Word assigned to him by God to bear, and after Him, God moved on, using other vessels to shed more light, thereby giving us continuous light. And now as we speak, revelation has not stopped, and will not stop, until we go in the rapture. Even then, there are still some portions of the written Word of God whose revelation we will receive only up there in heaven. We will not have the revelation to these written truths down here!

They will be unveiled only when we get to heaven, at the judgment seat of Christ, which is a judgment of works, and is, as such, strictly a prize giving day! Therefore, they remain hidden truths of God, even as we speak, and will remain so, till we go in the rapture! Yet, these are also written truths! Think about it! Jesus Christ in his revelation to Apostle John, in the book of Revelation chapter 2, verse 17 confirms such truths! It is written: ***“He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.”*** (Now listen to the promise of Christ which follows): ***“To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the HIDDEN MANNA, and will give him A WHITE STONE, and in the stone a new name written, which no man knoweth saving he that receiveth it.”*** It is a written promise, but it is up there in heaven we will each get a white stone and a new name, and that is when we will know what is contained in that stone! Period! Think of it! Just think of it and wake up! Wake up, and let the light of Christ shine on you, for why will ye perish?! Saints of God, we have to follow Christ in the continuity of his divine revelation, if we

would have life. There is no other way except the revealed Bible way! Amen!

Do not forget the title or focus of our message: Why Continuity? In other words, why do we believe in it? Why are we preaching continuity? Why are we following continuity? And why must you follow continuity? And how does God set continuity in motion? I have to lay out these things because the mass of people following the message of William Branham today do not understand the why and how of continuity; and neither do they follow continuity, because all they see is William Branham; all they see is his message. They do not want to move forward. They do not want to move on, and they are not going to move on. Pathetically, tonight, brothers and sisters, that is why they are in such a big rot! It is certain, there is no other man they are going to listen to or follow, no matter how much truth of the Word of God you present, for they obviously have no use for God's Word. They hate life eternal! They certainly do! That is why they have a very shabby attitude

towards the Word of God. That accounts for their utter disdain for the continuity revelation of Christ. But let every elect bride saint know assuredly, for it is a very basic but fundamental spiritual fact of God's Word and of His dealing: **THE REVELATION OF GOD IS CONTINUOUS, NOT STATIC; AND THERE IS NONE OF GOD'S REVELATION WE CAN REJECT AND STILL BELIEVE, FOR GOD HAS NO UNBELIEVING BELIEVERS!** We are either believers or unbelievers! If we disbelieve any true revelation of God's Word, our faith is in vain, regardless of how small we think the revelation is. The Word of God is the Word of God, small or big: It cannot fail. Hence Jesus declared that it is easier for heaven and earth to pass away, than for a small jot of God's Word to pass away, except it is fulfilled. Why? Because the honour and integrity of God hangs upon His fulfilling His Word! Hence He magnifies His Word above His own very name! God is obligated to keep His Word! There is no Word that comes out of His mouth that shall return to Him void! Thus saith the

Lord in the book of Isaiah! (Chapter 55:10-11). His Word cannot fail, because God cannot fail. His Word is sovereign, because God is sovereign. We have to believe! Only believe! Believe the revelation of the written Word, and stay firmly with it, children of the living God. It is your life, for every Word of God gives life. Do not forget, A small pebble (i.e. a little Word), in the hand of David, brought down Goliath! And a little foundational stone of Justification by faith, in the hand of Martin Luther, was enough to bring down the Papacy, with all its pageantry! Remember that! Please follow the Lord in His continuous light! Stay with continuity, for it guarantees us fresh manna! It guarantees us new nuggets of truth, however small. It may be small comparatively, but it is powerful enough to give spiritual muscles to those who partake of it, for there is divine power in truth. Yes Sir! It has enormous and unlimited stimulating power, for truth gives life to the soul of man. Hence it is written in Matthew chapter 24, verse 28: **“For WHERESOEVER the carcass is, THERE WILL THE EAGLES BE GATHERED**

TOGETHER.” Yes Sir! That is talking of the fresh kill of the Word of God! And only a continuity of revelation can give us the fresh kill of the Word of God; the only food true eagles of God feed on. And there has to be an anointed vessel of Christ to bear that continuity light: **No vessel no continuity!** Absolutely! Because the eagles of God feed solely on fresh carcass or fresh revelation of God's Word! Period! I therefore ask: What are you? An Eagle? Or Chicken? Or Bat? Your stand for or against the present day continuity revelation move of God will determine that, for anybody can say anything of himself. But know that you will not grow a dime, spiritually, if you do not follow the present day continuity light of Jesus Christ. That is a fact.

Moving on in our message, we have to consider another Word of God Zechariah bore, for it is very important. We know the Jews rejected the promised Messiah, and crucified him. God then shut out the Jews from the fountain of life, and turned to us Gentiles, to take out a people for His name's sake. The

fountain was opened up to us, and still is, till this very day, although our time is fast running out. But concerning the Jewish nation who rejected the Messiah in A.D. 33, Prophet Zechariah declared, in chapter 12, verse 10; as he touched in very fine detail the revival of the Jews no other man touched upon in prophecy: ***“And I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the Spirit of grace and of supplications: and they shall look upon me (Christ) “whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for him, as one mourneth for his only son, and shall be in bitterness for him, as one that is in bitterness for his firstborn.”*** Why will they mourn for him? In chapter 13, verse 6, he tells us: ***“And one shall say unto him”*** (i.e. the elect Jews of the end time shall say to Christ), ***“What are these wounds in thine hands? Then he shall answer, Those with which I was wounded in the house of my friends”*** (i.e. in the house of my brethren, the Jews). This revelation which the Jews will have

in the first half of the Last Week of Daniel, through the ministry of the two prophets, the end time Moses and Elijah, is what will let them know that they killed their Messiah way back in 33 A.D. And as a result, they will cry bitterly, finally realising they killed Christ, the long awaited Messiah; the one whom the law and all the prophets spoke of! That is why in chapter 12, verses 11-14, Zechariah declared: ***“In that day shall there be a great mourning in Jerusalem, as the mourning of Hadadrimmon in the valley of Megiddon. And the land”*** (of Israel) ***“shall mourn, every family apart; the family of the house of David apart, and their wives apart; the family of the house of Nathan apart, and their wives apart; The family of the house of Levi apart, and their wives apart; the family of Shimei apart, and their wives apart; All the families that remain, every family apart, and their wives apart.”*** What a realisation they will have in that day! And although Zechariah is not the only prophet to talk of the later conversion of Israel, he is the only one that bore this particular

picture, and it will be fulfilled, even as it is written, for every prophetic Scripture has its prophetic place. That is basic: Every Scripture must and has its application. And when we come to chapter 14, Zechariah was given an insight which no other prophet bore of Christ, for by him we are made to realise there is a prophetic ceremony the Jews carry on in a shadow under the law, which has not yet been fulfilled in reality, and which will only be fulfilled in the Millennium, when Christ is on the throne of David, as King over all the earth. At that time, every one will worship him, from all the nations of the earth, none excluded, for every nation will send representatives or delegation to the King. Verse 9, together with verses 16-19 declare: ***“And the Lord shall be King over all the earth: in that day shall there be One Lord, and his name One... And it shall come to pass, that every one that is left of all the nations which came against Jerusalem shall even go up from year to year.”*** (To do what in Jerusalem?) ***“TO WORSHIP THE KING,***

the Lord of hosts, and TO KEEP THE FEAST OF TABERNACLES” (When the Israelites dwelt in booths under the law, according to the book of Leviticus chapter 23, verses 39-43)! ***“And it shall be, that whoso will not come up of all the families of the earth unto Jerusalem to worship the King, the Lord of hosts, even upon them shall be no rain”*** (in order to bring famine as judgment on that nation). ***“And if the family”*** (or nation) ***“of Egypt go not up, and come not, that have no rain; there shall be the plague, wherewith the Lord will smite the heathen that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles. This shall be the punishment of Egypt, and the punishment of all nations that come not up to keep the feast of tabernacles.”*** Only in the record of Zechariah, a minor prophet, can this punishment of nations in the Millennium be obtained or had! Therefore, you have to add to whatever light of Christ we received from all the other men, the revelation Zechariah bore of Christ, in order to upgrade our revelation.

Precisely! No man can deny or take away the light Zechariah bore under Christ, as minor as his ministry may be, for truth is truth! He had something of Christ for the entire body of saints! Exactly!

Let us even consider King David. He was anointed of God, for he bore a prophetic gift upon his life, although he was not a prophet: he was a king. His kingship was carried on under the spiritual headship of Nathan the Prophet of God. But under inspiration, David spoke forth the Word of God concerning the Messiah, in various places in the book of Psalms, and on various aspects of Christ. For example, he gave a little prophetic Word of Christ: **"I thirst"**. Just two words Christ uttered on the Cross! But what a short statement! It is the shortest statement in the entire Bible; yet it is most prophetic, and crucial, for it shows the agony of Christ on the Cross, and his refusal of the smallest means of relief! It is even shorter than, **"Jesus wept!"** **"Jesus wept"** is in Saint John chapter 11, verse 35! **"Jesus wept"** has more letters than **"I thirst!"** Very small! It

looked insignificant, **"I thirst."** But as small as it is, it had to be fulfilled! And Jesus knew he had to fulfil it, for it spoke of him on the Cross! I say, as small as it is, it could not go without being fulfilled! As small as it is, it is still part of the promised Word of God concerning the Messiah! And it was not even borne by any Prophet, major or minor, but by an anointed King! Come with me to Saint John chapter 19, verse 28. It is written: **"After this, Jesus knowing that ALL THINGS were now accomplished..."** (All things concerning what he was supposed to say and do, according to God's written plan of salvation: Remember, what God spoke forth to men, has become the written Word of God, for God had to first speak it, expressing His hitherto unexpressed thoughts, that the men He spoke it to could write it. Hence, the spoken Word is now the written and infallible Word of God: THE SPOKEN WORD IS THE WRITTEN WORD. Note that! We will take that text again): **"After this, Jesus knowing that all things were now accomplished, THAT THE SCRIPTURE MIGHT BE FULFILLED"** (Note

that: That the Scripture might be fulfilled), **"saith, I THIRST."** He said it, not necessarily because he was thirsty. Let me say it in another way: Although he may have been thirsty, and would no doubt have been thirsty through such an incredible ordeal, nevertheless, he said **"I thirst"**, not because he wanted to drink water, but because the promised Word King David bore of him had to be fulfilled! It had to be fulfilled! That prophecy was hanging on that day, waiting for fulfilment on the Cross! He did not really say it because he wanted to drink, although he was probably thirsty! I say that because at the end of the day, he was not even going to drink it! He was not going to drink it, as he was not going to lighten the burden he had to bear for you and me! No, not in any way! But he cried **"I thirst"** because **the Word of God cannot be broken!** Did you hear me? The Word of God cannot in any measure be broken! It cannot! Therefore, he was under a divine obligation to fulfil every expressed thought of God devolving on him for fulfillment! Precisely! And if the Word of God through David was to fulfil, then he had to cry

out that he was thirsty, that they may offer him a drink, in order to fulfil the promised Word, even as it is written in Psalm 69, verse 21: ***“They gave me also gall for my meat; AND IN MY THIRST THEY GAVE ME VINEGAR TO DRINK.”*** And hence he cried: ***“I thirst!”*** This caused the people to offer him a drink. Saint Matthew picked up this account in chapter 27, verse 34. He records: ***“They gave him vinegar”*** (as David had prophesied) ***“to drink mingled with gall: and when he had tasted thereof, HE WOULD NOT DRINK.”*** Saint John now finished the account in chapter 19, verse 30, when he wrote: ***“When Jesus therefore had received the vinegar, he said, IT IS FINISHED: and he bowed his head, and gave up the ghost.”*** When what was finished? Every Word of God he was to do and say here on earth was finished! And the perfect and sinless presentation and sacrifice of himself for the redemption of Adam's fallen race was finished on the Cross, for he was now going to give up the ghost! And he immediately gave up the ghost, for he died immediately thereafter! Precisely! Praise the Lord!

Halleluyah! Brothers and sisters, on the Cross that day when he cried, ***“I thirst”***, he knew, with all Moses wrote; with all Isaiah wrote; with all Jeremiah and Ezekiel wrote; with all Micah, Zechariah, and all these men wrote, there was still One Word left hanging, waiting for fulfilment on the Cross, as he himself hung there that day! And as seemingly small as that Word is, it is still God's truth! It is still the Word of God! It had to be fulfilled! And he had to be the one to fulfil it, because it was ordained solely for the Messiah to fulfil! And it did not matter who bore that truth! It did not matter which ministry! It did not matter the size of ministry, and the measure of the anointing on the man! Running the Scriptures through his mind, he being the promised Word of God, the promised Messiah, and realising one lone Scripture remained for fulfilment that day on the Cross; One lone little bitty Scripture remained to be brought to pass; that he might fulfil all righteousness; that the Scriptures might be fulfilled; that no Word of God may fail; that no Word be spoken in vain; that every Word God has given

may come to pass, having its place in the fulfilled programme of God; that every light God has shed concerning this plan of salvation may have its slot, Jesus cried: ***“I thirst!”*** This should let every true bride of Christ know, there is a place for every truth to slot in your heart, as a seed of the Most High God, because there is a place it occupies in God's entire revealed plan of salvation! Therefore, there is no truth you can reject! There is no truth you can turn down! And you cannot have enough of revealed truth! I do not care how much revelation you think you have, there is no truth you can turn down, and tell me you are doing it by the Spirit of God! You are not! When you turn down any truth of God's revealed Word, it clearly shows you have no ounce of revelation! You definitely lack the leadership of the Holy Spirit, for Christ infallibly promised, ***“Howbeit, when He, the Spirit of truth (i.e. the Comforter), is come, He will guide you into ALL TRUTH!”*** Church of the living God, I repeat: There is no truth of God we can reject: We must keep following God in His ever continuous revelation, for the revelation of God does

not stop, and has not stopped, and will not stop, until we go in the rapture! Thus saith the Lord in His Word! And he that hath an ear, let him hear what the still small voice is saying to this present day Laodicea. The still small voice is the Holy Spirit unveiling of His Word to this final age, and in this closing hour of the grace age. Oh my! Somebody has to wake up before it is too late! Somebody has to wake up before the door of accessibility to divine revelation is closed! As it is written in the book of Ephesians chapter 5, verse 14: ***“Wherefore He saith, Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead”*** (i.e. get up from among the spiritually dead), ***“and Christ shall give thee light.”*** Will somebody somewhere hear the voice of God today and obey this warning; this mercy call? Somebody has to awake! And I know somebody will awake, for the voice of truth does not sound in vain! That is settled! When the deep calls, there must be a deep to respond, for as it is written: ***“Deep calleth unto deep!”*** (Psalm 42:7).

Brothers and sisters, why am I showing forth these

things, labouring so hard to present this message? It is simply to let the movement know that the revelation of God is continuous, if we love life (eternal), so that we may walk in the light of Christ's continuous revelation for this very hour! Period! It is to give opportunity to people to see something, so they can walk acceptably before God! Full stop! Remember, Daniel was the one who gave Israel the precise week of Christ's death; because the revelation of the time frame he projected in chapter 9, lets us know precisely when the Messiah would be killed or cut off. It would be immediately after the sixty ninth week came to a close! Therefore, as Brother Jackson often stated, the Jews had no business killing their Messiah, if only they had looked at the time frame God gave them through Daniel! But as far as they were concerned, Moses was all they needed, for to them, Moses had it all! Otherwise, they should have known within the proximity of about seven to ten years to the end of the sixty ninth week that the Messiah had to be on ground! And by the time the sixty-ninth week was

coming to a close, they should have known, *“Who else could the Messiah be but this man, called Jesus Christ of Nazareth!”* Unfortunately they did not, because all they saw was Moses! Even when Jesus came on the scene, they said in Saint John's Gospel, chapter 9, verse 29, ***“We know that God spake unto Moses: AS FOR THIS FELLOW”*** (referring to Christ), ***“WE KNOW NOT FROM WHENCE HE IS!”*** Incredible, is it not?! Absolutely incredible! That statement was what marvelled the man whom Jesus healed! Remember the man was born blind! Look at the beautiful sermon he threw at them that day! And they got mad and told him, *“You want to teach us? You are all together born in sin. Get out of this place!”* They cast him out, but Jesus found him. Halleluyah! What am I trying to say? The Jews logged on only to Moses' ministry, and they honestly believed they had the true revelation of the message of Moses, although they did not have a clue! They also believed they loved Moses, and that they were the true followers of Moses, but they were not! They were nothing other

than a bunch of carnal followers of Moses! But you could not tell them otherwise. And Jesus the promised Messiah came, and told them, *"If you believed Moses"* (In other words, if you truly believed Moses), *"there is no way you are not going to believe me and follow me."* These were not the precise words he used, but that was what he meant in John chapter 5, verses 45-47! He said precisely, ***"Do not think that I will accuse you to the Father: there is one that accuseth you, even Moses, in whom ye trust. FOR HAD YE BELIEVED MOSES, YE WOULD HAVE BELIEVED ME: FOR HE WROTE OF ME."*** In other words, *"I am that promised Seed! I am the Royal Seed of Abraham! I am the Serpent Bruiser! I am that Prophet! How can you fail to catch it?! All the law; all the ceremonies that was set by Moses for you, all speak of me!"* But they could quote Moses' message every blessed day, and still used the same Moses to reject Jesus Christ the promised Messiah, the one whom Moses spoke of! Most incredible! And Jesus looked at them, and pitied them, because, brothers and sisters, they were a

pack of unbelievers! They were nothing but a pack of unbelievers! And that is precisely the condition of the movement today: **They are nothing but a pack of unbelievers!** They can carry the sermon books of the prophet, and quote him all over creation, and still believe nothing! They do not even believe the prophet! They do not! They just go round in circles, telling the world about a message they themselves do not understand! Hence Christ concluded: ***"But if ye believe not his writings"*** (i.e. the writings or message of Moses, a type of William Branham) ***"How shall ye believe my Words."*** But they did not know that! And you could not tell them that! And it is the same today. But the bride of Christ is following a revelation, a true revelation, and that is what makes the difference. Because it removes every scale from our eyes, and every veil from our minds, that we may see plainly, as in a mirror, the glory of the Lord (i.e. the image of the Lord), as we follow Christ in a pure divine revelation of the Scriptures, thereby giving us a true and perfect understanding of the Bible, a book which has become an open book

to us, and not a closed book. And by Christ's continuous revelation which we are feeding on, we are being transformed to Christ's very image, as we mount up on the wings of divine revelation. Praise God! Amen!

But the more I converse with these people supposedly following the end time message, the more I see how extremely and incurably carnal, and how most unbelieving a people they are, for they have only a religious spirit. And as the prophet to this age used to say, there is nothing as evil as a man with a mere religious spirit, because the worst demon is a religious demon. And that evil spirit which fiercely opposed Christ in his day, a demon Christ faced whilst he was here on earth, is not dead, but is very much alive. And that is precisely the spirit that is ruling the mass of humanity who say they believe in Jesus Christ, but do not want to accept Jesus in a true revelation of the Scriptures! They refuse to submit to the absolute rulership of the Word of God! And that demon has completely taken over the movement; and that is why they are in the horrible spiritual shape

they are in. They are like strangers in the kingdom of light! Birds of the night! Who will wake them?! Who will make them listen?! Church, yet, they just do not understand, and cannot understand, that the message of the cross is beyond any man, and is beyond every man in the ministry. It is more than any man! Listen to me, for I will not shy away from telling you right now in clear terms, and you can jump down a cliff if you so desire: **The Word of God's salvation we have in Christ Jesus, is more than the prophet to this age! It is more than any man! It is more than William Branham!** It is certainly beyond the prophet to this age! It is about God's plan of salvation of this planet, and of Adam's fallen race, a human race God placed in it, and on whose account the planet was cursed! Exactly! The message of the Cross is more than any man! Do not ever forget that! **IT STARTED IN ETERNITY IN THE MIND OF GOD, AND IT IS BRINGING US TO ETERNITY WITH GOD!** And as such, you cannot use one ministry to shut off the light that is coming forth from a later ministry! You will be doing

so by the spirit of Satan! The only thing is, the present light must not contradict, and will not contradict or nullify, **any truth** any earlier ministry has been used of God to give to the body of Christ! Precisely! For no true ministry coming later in time can be used of God to nullify a truth an earlier ministry bore under Christ, because truth remains truth! It is utterly impossible! It must align with any and every earlier truths, for our **God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, and IN HIM, THERE IS NO DARKNESS AT ALL!** Thus saith the Word of God! But the fact remains, you cannot deny further light. That is the main point! That is exactly what God was trying to teach the Israelites by giving them fresh manna every blessed day of their entire wilderness journey. It was to let them know, for by it God was implicitly saying: *"This manna is bread from heaven, and it speaks of my pure fresh revelation: It is my infallible Word. I send it to give you life. Therefore, as my Son, and as my Daughter, you must know that your life depends upon your following me every step of the way in my revelation:*

*Receive it; feed on it; meditate on it. Let it direct your footsteps, for it was sent to guide you, guard you, inspire you, motivate you, teach you, comfort you, help you, bless you, save you. It is your compass; it is your shield; it is your defence; it is your peace and your prosperity; it is your salvation; it is your life: It is **everything** to you!"* That is why Apostle Paul admonished us: **"Let the Word of God dwell in you richly."** I repeat: We cannot shut off continuity, because God's plan of salvation spans all-time, and is therefore beyond any man. Therefore, a man can only bear his God allotted measure of truth. It may be a great measure, or a small measure, but no measure is dispensable, however small. Every measure of truth is indispensable. It makes the bride look ever forward to fresh light. And as I stated earlier, as long as the bride is here, she is under a divine Scriptural obligation to always look forward for fresh manna. What is that? It is the continuing revelation of Jesus Christ, because the revelation of Christ is continuous. When you understand this great plan of salvation, you cannot

help but follow God in His continuous revelation. There is no way you will understand this great plan; there is no way you will see it truly unveiled, and you are not going to realise your life hangs on your faithful followership of Christ, in the continuity of his revelation. This is so because the written Word of God was not given in one day! And it was not given through one man! And it is also not fulfilled in one day! Neither is the revelation of the written Word going to come in one day either, or through one ministry! Exactly! Even as we speak, God is still speaking from the pages of the Bible, shedding further light on His Word! Think about it, for we have today from the Scriptures, nuggets of truths we did not have three years ago! Precisely! Think about that. Just think.

Saints of God, let us take a look at Malachi, as we move on. He is the last of the Old Testament Prophets. And we are going to consider the truth he bore by the Spirit of Christ which was in him, as recorded in chapters 3 and 4. This is the ministry after which, God shut the heavens: There was no more *“Thus saith the*

Lord”, until John the Baptist came on the scene, after about four hundred years of silence. The four hundred years of silence were the years in which man-made religious systems were formed, all based on the laws of Moses which they chopped up, until John the Baptist came on the scene, calling out all God's elect seeds of that hour, from all forms of organised religion, by his message. The hold which the organised systems of religion, like the Pharisees and the Sadducees, had on God's people was broken. This set a perfect type of the condition the bride of Christ would also face, as she was carried away and scattered in spiritual Babylon; scattered in the world of organised Christian religion, until Elijah the Prophet of the end time, Elijah of Malachi chapter 4, verse 6B, William Branham, a man who is also the star messenger to this seventh and final age, came with a message, also calling out all God's predestinated seeds, elected as bride saints, from all organised religious systems, to follow only the Word of God, which is Jesus

Christ in his true divine Scriptural revelation.

In Malachi chapter 3 verse 1, the Bible records: ***“Behold, I will send my messenger.”*** I ask: Who is this? It is John the Baptist. He was the forerunner of Jesus the Christ in his first advent; the forerunner of the promised Seed of the Woman. Thus far, we have heard so much about the Messiah through the various prophets, as God used them to convey a particular aspect of the Word of God or the other. And here came Malachi. Now, prior to his day, we had received various prophecies and revelations of Christ from the various men, and when we put all their revelation of Christ together, it gives us a beautiful picture, for a beautiful picture is unfolding of God's master plan of salvation. Halleluyah! But with the entire picture given thus far, something was still missing! The promised Messiah still had to be identified to Israel! Somebody had to identify him, so that Israel would have no doubt as to what God was doing in that day, because the plan of salvation is so great, and

they had been in a religious mess in man-made systems for four hundred years! Now that the hour of fulfilment was at hand, and the promised Word was soon to be made flesh... Remember we read John chapter 1, verse 14: **“And the Word”** (Not God, but the Word) **“was made flesh.”** What is the Word? The promised Messiah! He was made flesh! But how would they know him? Which of the babies born in Israel was the Messiah? Every mother would want her child to be the Messiah! Who would not want to give birth to the Messiah? Raise up your hand if you would not want it. Then there had to be a voice! There had to be a ministry to identify him to Israel, which is why the Lord made John the Baptist the forerunner of the Messiah in his first coming! And although Prophet Isaiah had already spoken about this forerunner in chapter 40, verse 3, it was Prophet Malachi who was used of God to identify the specific anointing that would carry the forerunner in his ministry! He spoke of his ministry in two chapters in the book of Malachi: Chapters 3 and 4. The Angel of the Lord used the promise in chapter 4,

verse 6A to speak to John the Baptist's father concerning John's ministry, as recorded in Luke chapter 1, verse 17. Jesus Christ himself used Malachi chapter 3, verse 1A to speak to Israel concerning John the Baptist's ministry, as recorded in Saint Luke chapter 7, verse 27. But John himself used Isaiah chapter 40, verse 3 to show forth his own ministry, because he did not deny who he was! When they came to him, as recorded in Saint John chapter 1, verse 23, **“He said, I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness, Make straight the way of the Lord, as said the Prophet Esaias.”** In order words: **I AM ISAIAH 40:3! THIS WORD IS ME! THIS DAY IS THIS SCRIPTURE FULFILLED IN YOUR EYES!** But he never quoted Malachi at all! The Angel and Jesus both quoted different portions of Malachi. Yet, these three prophetic Scriptures deal with the same man's ministry: The forerunner of Christ the coming King. But we are first looking at Malachi chapter 3, verse 1 tonight: **“Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way BEFORE ME”** (i.e. before

Christ). Who is that messenger? It is the forerunner, John the Baptist. The Word of promise continues: **“And the Lord”** (i.e. the Messiah), **“whom ye seek, shall suddenly come to his temple, even the MESSENGER OF THE COVENANT, whom ye delight in: behold, he shall come, saith the Lord of hosts.”** That is the ministry of Jesus Christ, for he is the Messenger of the New Covenant. Malachi also lets us know he shall suddenly come to his temple, and in verse 2 he warns: **“But who may abide the day of his coming? and who shall stand when he appeareth? for he is like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap.”** And, brothers and sisters, he suddenly came one day into the temple, for he came unannounced, as recorded in Saint John's Gospel, chapter 2, verses 13-16. When he entered the temple, he looked at it, and saw all the buying and selling. They had turned all the services of God into money-making schemes! Some of them were selling doves; this one was selling pigeons; that one was selling oxen and sheep; the priest over there was

selling incenses; the pastor over here was selling soft drinks, all in the temple of God! Oh my! He looked at the whole place: All the priests (the pastors), were making money out of the services of God! And churchgoing folks have this warp attitude in the face of spiritual degradation, a horrible condition which needs surgery, for it needs to be handled with godly or holy indignation; their attitude is to hold carnally to the Words of Saint Paul, "You know, a man of God must be gentle." It is written precisely in 2 Timothy chapter 2, verses 24-26: ***"AND THE SERVANT OF THE LORD MUST NOT STRIVE; BUT BE GENTLE UNTO ALL MEN, apt to teach, patient, In meekness instructing those that oppose themselves; if God peradventure will give them repentance to the acknowledging of the truth; And that they may recover themselves out of the snare of the devil, who are taken captive by him."*** You can put your carnal interpretation on that verse, and take this truth into an extreme, and kill yourself with it! Because God expects us to also have godly indignation

against iniquity! If you cannot handle that, you cannot walk with God! That is the truth! Jesus looked at them... But their warp thinking was that a loving and true Messiah, when he gets to the temple, a temple they had desecrated, he would simply plead, "Oh, my brothers, please, do not do this. This is not good, although I know the people need these things in the service of God. But this is the house of the Lord. Please, stop selling. I love you..." But when he took a sweeping look at them that day, he went outside and made something like a horse-whip; and with small cords, he weaved it very well into a scourge; a cane of some sort. When he came in, he looked like a maniac, but he was not! He was not! Brothers and sisters, he overturned the tables of money changers, throwing people's money all over the place; overturned their bird cages, leaving doves flying out of their opened cages. What a day! And what a purging he gave Israel that day! They forgot the Word of God; a passage of Scripture. Oh my! A Scripture that was hanging, waiting for fulfilment that day; for it is written in the book of

Psalm 69, verse 9: ***"FOR THE ZEAL OF THINE HOUSE HATH EATEN ME UP; and the reproaches of them that reproached thee are fallen upon me."*** And truly, the zeal of the Lord had eaten him up, and hence such an open display of his godly indignation! That holy zeal the Messiah bore had to be put on public display for all to see and take caution, for the Scriptures cannot be broken! That little Word, spoken through King David by the Spirit of God concerning the Messiah had to be fulfilled! When he entered the temple that day, he caused a great uproar! What a stir he created! He overturned the tables, threw out the birds and their money! He did not care for old age or for anything! He only cared for the honour of God and His Word! And when his disciples saw that, verse 17 of John chapter 2 records: ***"And his disciples remembered that it was written, The zeal of thine house hath eaten me up."*** But from that day, he became a marked man, and they never forgave him. They would no doubt have said, "We will get you! You did this to us! But we will get you!" And they got him! But who lost out?! Who lost

out?! And I have to ask: Where are those who got him? Where are they now? Dead; and with no attribute of eternal life in their soul! Dead; and with the blood of the Son of God on their hands! What a portion they gave themselves! What a portion!

Going back to the book of Malachi chapter 3, verse 1, we see a promised Word: **“Behold, I will send my messenger, and he shall prepare the way before me:”** That is the promised Word of God concerning the Messiah's forerunner in his first advent or coming, for the King must always be heralded, always! And if there was a forerunner then, there has to be a forerunner today. And truly, there is a forerunner today, according to the promise of God in Scriptures. That promised forerunner of the end time, is also in the Word of God Malachi bore of Christ. And in the entire Old Testament ministry, only Prophet Malachi bore the promised Word of a forerunner of the Messiah **in his second coming!** Only Malachi, a minor prophet did. Think about that! It is so because the King of Kings must always be heralded! Even an

earthly King or President being mortal, cannot just go anywhere without being heralded: He must first send his ambassador well ahead of his visit to the nation concerned, so they can expect him, and prepare for his coming! Absolutely so! Why then can the Christian religious world not see Christ must have a forerunner in his second coming?! Why can they not see that?! Why is it difficult for them to see that there is a forerunner of Jesus Christ at this end time?! Yet they say they believe in Jesus! No! They do not believe Jesus! Brothers and sisters, the purpose of the forerunner is twofold. Firstly, it is to identify who the Messiah is. Secondly, it is to prepare the way ahead of him, to enable God's elect seeds to know precisely what it takes to get ready for the coming of the Lord, that they may be in shape and in tune, perfectly ready to receive him, following him in a true divine revelation of God! Note that! That is precisely why there had to be a **Midnight Cry** at this end time, according to the record of Saint Matthew, chapter 25, verse 6, recording the prophetic Word of Christ in that parable! It is written: **“And**

at midnight there was A CRY MADE” (A cry is a message. It is just like *“the voice of one crying in the wilderness”*, in Isaiah chapter 40, verse 3. But what did the cry say? We will now take it): **“BEHOLD, THE BRIDEGROOM”** (Jesus Christ) **“COMETH”** (i.e. he is coming in his second advent); **“GO YE OUT TO MEET HIM”** (Meaning: Prepare to meet him)! Why did Jesus Christ carry the promised Word of a Herald or Midnight Crier in the parable of the ten virgins of the end time? It is because he knew what God had already promised through Malachi! Secondly, the Lord knew the condition of the entire body of saints, bride and none bride (i.e. wise and foolish virgins), that they would not be in a ready spiritual state to receive the coming King! In verse 5, Christ foretells her state! It is written: **“While the bridegroom tarried”** (for Christ is not to return and would not return until the very end of the grace age), **“THEY ALL”** (both wise and foolish virgins) **“SLUMBERED AND SLEPT”** (putting them in no ready spiritual state to receive the coming King, our Lord Jesus Christ, in his second coming)!

Exactly! And hence the need for the **midnight crier** (i.e. the herald; the envoy of Christ) in the next verse (i.e. in verse 7)! Right here is the end time message, or the midnight cry, sent to prepare the end time bride for the coming King. And who is this herald? We have to go back to Malachi, to identify the ministry, for the revelation of God is one. There is no conflict in truth, but perfect harmony.

The expressed Word of God to Prophet Malachi, as recorded in chapter 4, verses 5 and 6, is most crucial, for it speaks of two men who will be used to forerun the coming King, thereby making their ministries most vital to God's true eagles, because of the proximity or the closeness of the ministry of these two men to the Lord Jesus Christ himself. Malachi declares: **"Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet"** (When?) **"Before the coming of THE GREAT DAY"** (i.e. before the first advent, when the fountain of life was opened up to Adam's fallen race: The great day, when the good news came, of the birth of Christ our Saviour) **"AND"** (conjunction) **"DREADFUL DAY of the Lord."** The

dreadful day is his second physical coming on the day of the Lord, when he shall institute the Wrath of God upon all ungodly mankind, to rid this planet of their evil presence. He is coming to overthrow humanity, and wipe out this present evil world order. This verse therefore gives us **two clear dispensations**, and no one man can forerun both, for we are looking at his first coming, and his second coming; two dispensations: **The great day, and the dreadful day.** And both dispensations of the coming King require forerunners, bearing Elijah's anointing! Precisely! Verse 6 proclaims: **"And he"** (referring to the ministry of Elijah) **"shall turn the heart of the fathers to the children."** This was the precise portion, and the only portion of this verse, John the Baptist fulfilled. Note that! He did not fulfil the entire verse 6! The Angel of the Lord, in revealing John's ministry to his father, Zacharias, in Saint Luke's Gospel, chapter 1, verse 17, completely cut out the second portion of verse 6. The Angel rightly divided this verse of Malachi. He applied only the first part of verse 6 to John's ministry, and added other things to

his ministry, which Malachi did not touch. But he left out the second part (i.e. he left out the latter part) of verse 6, because it has strictly an end time application! It applies strictly to the Elijah of the end time; the only Elijah the Gentiles will ever have in the entire grace age, and for all time, because Christ is coming back for a Gentile bride, seeing the Jews rejected him! Exactly! Saint Luke records the Angel's Word of John's commission: **"And he"** (John the Baptist) **"shall go before him"** (Christ) **"in the Spirit and Power of Elias"** (Which is the Greek word for Elijah. And what shall he do? Listen to the Angel's precise prophetic Words) **"TO TURN THE HEARTS OF THE FATHERS TO THE CHILDREN."** Right here we have the only portion of verse 6 of Malachi chapter 4 he quoted! He stopped quoting Malachi from this terminating point! He left out the second part of that verse! He then added other things ordained for John's ministry, for he continued: **"And the disobedient to the wisdom of THE JUST"** (which is Christ); **"To make ready a people prepared for the Lord."** Malachi did not say that! This latter statement is not

in the record of Prophet Malachi! Search the Scriptures! Therefore, we cannot assume and give to John the Baptist, things the Angel sent from God did not give to him, out of Malachi's promised Word! And what did he leave out? It is in verse 6B, and it reads: **“And”** (In other words, Elijah shall also turn) **“THE HEART OF THE CHILDREN TO THEIR FATHERS, lest I come and smite the earth with a curse.”** This was totally left out, for it has an end time application! And somebody has to fulfil this portion of that verse! It relates to the herald of the coming King at this end time; and the Word of the Lord can never fail, for God's Word cannot be broken! Jesus Christ knew it, and picked it up in his parable, to let us know there will be **a midnight cry** to forerun his second coming! And who is he? Who gives the cry? Elijah of Malachi chapter 4, verse 6B, William Marrion Branham! How do I know that? Because Malachi revealed that he would by his message, turn the heart of the end time children of God, back to the faith of our Apostolic fathers of our faith, which is the original Gospel! The Apostolic faith is the pure and original

revelation faith of Christ which the early church received, and is recorded in the New Testament! This had to be so at this end time, because the church derailed from the true faith, and needed to be restored back to it, to prepare her for the return of the Lord! But please note, that these fathers of our faith, were the religious children in John the Baptist's day! John turned the heart of the Judaistic religious fathers of that hour, to the faith of the religious children of that day, who were the apostles, a people who later grew to become our fathers of faith; the custodians and inspired writers and preachers of the true faith of Christ! They bore the true and unadulterated revelation faith of Jesus Christ to the whole world, and also wrote the entire New Testament Scriptures! But here in verse 5 of Malachi chapter 4, we see the two dispensations; and in verse 6, we see the two forerunners of the two dispensations, both bearing the anointing of Elijah, to herald the promised Messiah, in his First and Second Advent. It is to prepare an elected remnant, a people who have an ear to hear, for the soon coming King! Period! And if you cannot see it, I

cannot help you! Pray to God for revelation! But it is certain: Malachi, as with all other prophets in the Old Testament, did not bear the portion of the Word he bore in vain! Somebody will take heed! Somebody will follow the continuity light of Christ he brought to the plan of God's salvation! Somebody will add his truth to all the truths the Lord has given before this hour, because only Malachi was used of God in the Old Testament, to let us know, Christ will be heralded in his second advent! Praise God! Amen! There is no ministry anyone can use, to take away the revelation Malachi was used of God to give; and to reject him in his revelation is death. **Can you see the picture? Why Continuity?** Continuity is light and life! Halleluyah! I now have to ask: Just how can anyone truly believe, and when the herald comes as is written of him, to reveal or to point out Christ, you still fail to locate Christ? Think seriously on that for a minute. It is written: **“He that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.”** That is certain! And hence our need to follow continuity, as God brightens our pathway, so we do not walk in darkness, or in the ignorance of our

minds. But the choice is ours. We have to move on.

In that day, there was a man to introduce Christ, John the Baptist, the son of Zacharias. And there has to be another man to introduce him today, even as it is written in the record of Malachi, and as confirmed by Jesus Christ in the parable of the ten virgins, speaking of an end time midnight cry. John the Baptist admitted, *"I myself do not even know him."* He continued, *"But so that he may be made known unto Israel have I come... I have come so that you may know him; for I am sent to identify him physically to Israel. And God gave me a sign so that I might identify him. If not for that, I would not have known him myself."* Saint John chapter 1, verses 29-37 confirm that! John screamed: ***"... Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world!"*** Church, please listen to me: God does not leave His people in ignorance as to what He is doing! He sends Christ's forerunner to make it easy for us to get ready for Christ, and be acceptable before God for the rapture! If only you have an ear to hear, and

an eye to see, and a heart to receive. God makes His Word plain for those who would believe; for those who are sincere in heart; those who have a pure heart; and have a true love for God and His Word. So, even if they could not identify him by themselves, and all those Scriptures were too deep for them to break down, there came a man from God, a man of God, a man God had spoken of (i.e. promised), in various prophecies of the Old Testament, John the Baptist. Isaiah bore witness of him; Malachi in two places bore witness of him (i.e. in chapters 3 and 4). Moreover, his birth had a supernatural content to it, creating a testimony in the nation that should stir the hearts of people foreordained to walk in the light, and cause them to realise, *"My! There is something about this man!"* Because of the unusual circumstances of his birth; the experience and testimony of his dad; the visitation of the angel of the Lord; the experience at his naming... brothers and sisters, all these things were given to stir the hearts of God's people to something! Because all that has to do with the promised Word of God!

And what is the Word of God? God's plan of salvation! God's Word of redemption! Every true seed of God had to follow Malachi in his day, in order to truly follow God. And you could not say, *"Well, I believe Daniel; I believe Ezekiel; I believe Moses; I believe Isaiah; I believe Zechariah; I believe Hosea; I believe Micah; I believe this and that prophet; But you know what? I do not believe Malachi! I have all I need!"* No, you do not! Malachi had something to say that you could not take away. He did! Why Continuity? Following continuity is to understand God's plan of salvation.

Let me warn you most sincerely, for we have to consider the flip side: I will start by saying, God does not expect us to follow the flesh of any man He sends, for we are not to follow flesh. He expects us to follow him strictly in the light of Christ he bears for God's people. Period! But look at John the Baptist. Some of his disciples got stuck with his flesh; and people usually fall in love with the flesh of the man of God! In John chapter 1, some disciples loved John so much that when the Messiah started his

ministry, and was baptizing people, these disciples of John who loved John so much, said something like this, *“Brother John, you know that man you spoke about the other day: Everybody is flocking to him! And look at you; you have been so faithful, but nobody is standing with you anymore! They have all gone! They have all deserted you! They have left the message! But we love you, Brother John! We are not going to leave your side. We just want you to know you can count on us. We are staying put with your ministry.”* John looked at them and said what amounts to this: *“Count on you? You are not yet hearing me, brothers! This is not about me! This is bigger than me! This is about the plan of salvation God alone drew up for the people of God! Christ is the bridegroom, for he is the promised Messiah! I am not! My ministry mission is accomplished! I have faithfully introduced him to Israel, to those who have an hearing ear! What are you waiting for? Go! Follow him!”* Oh my! Thank God for John! And you know, this just reminds me of the pathetic state of the Branham movement: For

you can fall in love with a man, and not be in love with the Word of God! You can fall in love with a man, instead of falling in love with Jesus! We are not supposed to hate men! We are not to hate men; but brothers and sisters, your love for Christ should be supreme! It should be precedence over and above your love for your wife; over and above your love for your children; over and above your love for your family; over and above your love for your friends; over and above your love for your job; over and above your love for your church; and over and above your love for your pastor! My brethren, when your love for your wife; or for your husband; or for your children; or for your parents; or for your church or pastor, towers above your love for God's Word, something is seriously wrong with you! You are very sick, spiritually, for it is idolatry to let any person or thing take the place of Christ in your life! Brothers and sisters, God and His service must have pre-eminence in our lives, for the Lord must take the first place in our lives, as the very centre of our lives! Absolutely! Therefore, whatever we allow to take

the first place in our lives, other than the Lord and His service, becomes our god, and is spiritual idolatry! You cannot give priority to your wife or family above the Lord and service to His people! You cannot! You have been called into the ministry so you can serve the people of God! Remember that! Anything else would be outright compromise and gross neglect of divine duty as a minister of the Gospel! Also, it is very important to point out that you cannot love your pastor above the Word of God! If you do, something is seriously wrong with you! God, His Word, and His service, must have pre-eminence in our lives, for He made us! We owe Him our very existence! Look at it: These men were in love with John's ministry. Obviously they did not understand what God was doing! The plan of salvation was more than John; it is greater than John! John bore his own portion of the inspired Word, and had been used of God to accomplish something within that glorious plan. But now, the full Word of God was on the ground, the long awaited Messiah. All the portions of the Word the various men of God bore

all through time, all pertained to him without exception, for they spoke of him, and all were fulfilled in him. He is the fulfilment of everything, because he is that Word of God, the promised Messiah; the one whom every prophet spoke of and looked forward to: Christ the Saviour of the world! So, when Christ's ministry took off, and he stood to unveil the New Covenant message to the people, Church, they were all under an urgent divine obligation to follow Christ! That is the man! He is the man of all men! He is the Prophet of all prophets! He is the Messenger of all messengers! Everybody was and is obligated to follow him! But some of John's disciples got bogged down with a carnal love for flesh. They did not want to follow continuity, just because they loved Brother John! They loved their pastor! But I thank God for the faithfulness of John. He gave them a rebuke that shook them to their roots, for he said words that amount to this in John chapter 3, verses 27-31: *"Did I not tell you before that I am not the Messiah? I am not! I am just a friend of the Messiah! And a true friend is happy to hear the voice*

of the bridegroom, for he is the one who owns the bride; for it is his bride! It shows my job is done! From now, he must increase, and I must decrease, because I have done my own part of the programme of God's salvation, and I know a crown of life is waiting for me. You know what you will do? You will now go after him! Follow him, and stop giving me sentimental talks to make me feel pity for myself! There is no basis for that! I have a goodly portion, and I am bound for the promise land! I have no cause for sadness, but to rejoice in the Lord my Saviour!" You know people can push you into self pity if you are not careful, for the just shall live by faith! They can make you go against God, because they can push you into carnality by their sentimental attitude. Yet all the so-called love they were showering on John that day was very carnal, because they were not looking at things from the perspective of the Word of God! And John knew it, and rebuked them sharply! John shook them, and they realised, *"Oh my God, we nearly missed it! We were going by the flesh! We were not truly listening!"* And let me tell

you this, God will shake you and me, as a child of God ordained for life, if we go fleshly. That is, if we follow this way with a carnal attitude. But also seeing the very carnal and irresponsible way men are also handling their ministry today, and the very uncaring attitude they are bearing towards the people they have been called to serve, I guarantee you there is a serious shaking coming down the road. Yes, it is coming, for God is no respecter of persons, and He cannot, and will not allow things to continue like this among His people. I say that because when our love for our wives and children; when our love for friendship and carnal relationships take precedence over our love for God and the service of God, to the extent that the service of God begins to suffer, and the people of God begin to cry for lack of meaningful spiritual fellowship and pastoral care, then something tells me there is a shaking coming down the road! It has to come, and it will come, because God's plan of salvation takes precedence over any and every other thing in this whole world, family or no family! Exactly! Because

the kingdom of God (the church) is not about our wives and children! Therefore, we should know, family and friendship have no place in this business! Your wife has to step aside, when it comes to God's business, if she will not stand in support! Absolutely! And God have mercy on the man who will serve his wife at the expense of the church of the living God! Saints of God, I have to say it loud and clear: **Family has no place in this business!** Am I saying ministers should not relate well with their families? Of course not! Am I also saying they should not take care of their families? I am not saying that! As a minister, you have to take care of your family, for you are responsible for them! But the issue is: YOU CANNOT SET THE INTEREST OF YOUR FAMILY OVER AND ABOVE THE INTEREST OF THE CHURCH OF THE LIVING GOD YOU HAVE BEEN CALLED TO SERVE! That is the issue! That is the main issue! For when it comes to the revelation of life, and the kingdom of God, family must step aside! You are not hearing me! I said: When it comes to the

revelation of life, and the service of the church of God, family must step aside, because you cannot set family above the Word of God, and above the church of the living God! It will not work! I say it will not work! It cannot work! It will never work! It has never worked! And it will not work tonight! God will judge it! He will either remove the obstacle, or raise up a true shepherd! But the Lord will definitely intervene, for time is short, and the bride must get ready! Be certain of that, for Christ did not die in vain, and neither will he leave His flock to be scattered! He will not! That is certain.

And let me also tell you this: That you were born by your parents in this way does not make you a believer. It does not! That you even come to church does not make you a believer, for no local assembly is a passport to heaven! And as I addressed the church back home, let me also address you, and I say it with all sincerity of heart, for I need to re-emphasise the truth I laid out earlier: When it comes to the service of God, if you are not a believer following this way, you have no service to render to God. You have no

service at all to render! God needs your heart first, and not your carnal service! And until you are put in the fellowship of the saints, by surrendering your heart to Jesus Christ, and being baptised in water by full immersion in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, you have no service whatsoever to render to the church of the living God. Brothers and sisters, are you listening to me?! I said, Until you are brought into the fellowship of the saints, through water baptism, you can come to church; you can sit in church; that is your privilege; but you have no service to render, for you have no business in the service of the congregation of the Lord! Because this is not a game! And this is not a family matter! This is about eternal life, and we must be faithful to God, as unprofitable servants! God demands faithfulness! But you can come to church. You have the privilege to come to church, and sit, and listen; but you have no service whatsoever to render. You do not! I had to let my local assembly know that, for this is not a game! And as I told them, I also tell you now: If you do not like it, the door is open: You can make your exit! But the truth of God is what I will stand for and guard, God

being my helper! If we as ministers of the Gospel, do not uphold the standard of truth, who will uphold it? I have to say that because, everywhere, men are compromising! And they have various carnal and untenable reasons why they are compromising! Sometimes, it is their family making ministers compromise! Sometimes, it is friendship making them compromise! Sometimes, it is a job making people compromise! Sometimes it is the love of money and materialism that make them compromise! Other times, it is marriage making people compromise! Sometimes it is sheer ambition, a desire to be a big shot! But somebody has to uphold the standard, and be faithful! Somebody has to stand against wrong! And as I often tell my brethren, even if I cannot walk this way, at least I should be faithful and humble enough to tell you the Gospel truth, for whosoever can walk it, because somebody will walk in the light! Exactly! I will not say because I cannot walk in it, I will now let down the bar, and water truth down, just because I fall short! I cannot do that! At least, let me preach it! Let me lay it down for someone who will be able

to follow it faithfully! I have to do that because God demands faithfulness! So, therefore, brothers and sisters, when we look at this plan of salvation, it is a most beautiful plan. God allows every man to have access to it. He does! That is why the door of the church is always open to people, for they are free to come to Christ the way they are. But if you are hearing the truth, and from the depth of your heart you really want the truth, it will do something to your heart. It will! And only God can do that. And until that happens, we should appreciate the privilege we have to be allowed to come to church. But we cannot take over the services of God with our unconverted heart! So, we will love our families; we will take good care of them, the Lord being our helper; but we will not set them above the church; and we will not use them to take away the services God's people are supposed and entitled to render to God in the church. Because every man has a place in God's kingdom! And it is not about family, but it is about the people of the kingdom of God! That is the Gospel truth! We cannot set family over the church! That would be out of order! Our

unconverted family members cannot take over the services of God, whilst the saints of God are made to step aside like onlookers! It will not work! It will not work! Because our family do not make up the kingdom! The kingdom of God is made of saints, precious brothers and sisters, who have given their hearts to Christ, who have been baptized in his name, and are following Christ in a Scriptural revelation! They are a people who have been blood washed! And as such, they all have a part to play in this kingdom! Not even a stranger (a mere visitor) in our midst has any special song to render to the praise of our God! He or she needs to first repent, and have his or her soul saved first! God needs their heart, not their carnal sacrifice, borne out of their unconverted hearts! Church, my children's salvation is in God's hands! All I can do is to pray for them, love them, take good care of them, and show them the true way of the Lord! But I must also allow the sovereignty of God to work, because He saves whom He will! And although I pray He saves my entire family, but He is not obligated to do so simply because I am a minister of

the Gospel! The Lord is sovereign! He is God! He may save an entire family if He wants; and it may be just one lone soul He will save in a whole family. Yet, there are untold millions of families in this world that will not have one soul saved in them! Exactly! Our God is sovereign, and salvation is of the Lord! We have to understand that!

Church, continuing our message, John looked at those brothers. They told him, *"We are going to stay with you, Brother John. We are the ones that love you. All the others formerly following your ministry, see, they have all gone. We are the only ones left; and we are going to stand by your side, Brother John."* John looked at them, for he knew they were behaving like carnal followers; for only carnal followers follow their pastors without any regard for the Word of God, and for the revealed programme of God's salvation! Out of divine love, John had to shake them out of that nonsensical attitude. He rebuked them, obviously implying *"Oh, my God! What have you been listening to?! How have you been reading my message?! You mean all*

these months you have been following my ministry, you still do not really know the purpose of my coming! You still do not understand that I have only borne and fulfilled a measure of the Word; and the full Word is now on ground, and that you ought to follow him?! You still do not understand that Jesus is the key of life eternal! You do not know he is the one that matters! But instead, you are giving me friendship and loyalty talk!" That day, the disciples of John must have been surprised and shocked by his statement! Because they were under obligation to follow continuity, and not give in to the flesh! **They wanted to tie down the entire plan of God's salvation to John's ministry, and they did not want to accept and follow somebody else!** But this is about the entire kingdom of God! It is not about John! This is about the plan of the salvation of the Lord! It is not about your church or your pastor! Let me tell you tonight, brethren, and hear me well: Your loyalty cannot be to your church! Your loyalty cannot be to your pastor! Your loyalty has to be solely to Jesus Christ in his true continuous

Scriptural revelation! Am I speaking to somebody? Yes! I say these things because the message is also going out right now on the internet. People are logging on. I repeat: **Your loyalty cannot be to your church!** Your loyalty cannot be to a man! **Your loyalty cannot be to your pastor!** Your loyalty must solely be to Jesus Christ in his divine Scriptural revelation! And when you see the continuity light of Christ, you are under a divine obligation to follow that light! You must follow that light! Otherwise, you will pay a great price! You will! The pathetic truth is that a lot of people do not want to make a stand, because of their love for their pastor! That is a fact! A lot of people do not want to make a stand today, because of their love for their assembly! Since their pastor condemns this revealed way; since they condemn John's continuity message, as pure and as absolutely Scriptural as it is, they will have nothing to do with it, because their pastor is their god! They are carried along in such utter deception simply because their pastor is their god! They have no love for truth, and they certainly have no revelation of anything! And

if their pastor stands for it, then they will stand! That is not faith! That is following flesh! There is no revelation in that! And if you stand simply because your pastor is standing for it, and not because you see something yourself under God, I guarantee you, the day of your shaking is coming, for nothing can abide except that which is truly anchored in the Word of God by the dealing of the Spirit of God! Exactly! Standing collectively for something, without a personal dealing of God, lets me know a serious shaking will come, because this is not a bandwagon move! It is not! This is a brand new day! This current move is a completely different move of God! We must realise that! It is a brand new game! For we must know what the hour is saying, for time is short! Let me re-emphasise something: Bandwagon moves have never worked, and will never work, for this is a matter of personal revelation, for God deals personally with us Gentiles by His Spirit! **He deals with us as individuals!** Precisely! And for every step of faith we take, we will certainly be tried! You have to

understand that! And without God dealing personally in your life to give you a true revelation that will anchor your soul, you cannot stand the shaking of God! You will fall! You must fall! That is a basic Scriptural fact, for without the personal touch of God upon our lives, we can do absolutely nothing! Exactly! And as such, I have to warn you tonight, if you truly see something: You will not change your organisation! You will have to follow the light of Christ you see! I was once in a religious organisation. And when God opened my eyes to see all their unscriptural beliefs, I thought I could change the church. I thought I could make the difference! And somebody told me, *"Brother Amos, you cannot go down that road for it will not work. You have got to follow the light you see."* I said, *"I know... But what of all the precious people in the church?"* That was my concern! That was my motivation! I only thought of the precious people; the people I loved in that system! But let me tell you now: Precious people are not your own problem! That is God's problem, for salvation is strictly of God! You follow the light! You have to follow the light you

see, if you truly see, for it will cost you something, even though the cost is not monetary! But **truth has a price tag!** It will cost you something! Moreover, man should know where his priority lays! Leave to God what only God can do, and you follow the light, whilst you pray for the precious ones! Exactly! You follow the light, so you can truly be of help to those in the dark: For they will see the light you have followed, if they are ordained to see it as well! Otherwise, you will be sitting in compromise! Exactly! God will take care of those people out there! Get out of the gutter first, then you will be able to pull others out of the gutter of unbelief! Church, I thought, *"Well, I am going to make a difference by god's grace. We are going to turn this church around. We are going to plant the Word of God here."* Well, I tried. I really tried my best! But at the end of the day, nobody told me when the time came; I had to carry my Bible. I finally realised I was wasting my time, and I would not grow beyond the spiritual tempo of that organisation, if there was any real spirituality to it. So I wrote the church leadership, *"I thank you for the privilege you gave me*

to serve. God bless you. You can have your church, and let me follow the light." Because I realised I was fighting a losing battle! I just had to carry my Bible and walk away! I said, *"God bless you. I resign as pastor of the London Branch of the church, and also withdraw completely from the entire organisation. You can take your church. Take everything. Just let me go with my Bible."* One of the officers of the National Church Executive Council said to me, *"But you started that church in London as its founding pastor. It is your baby. How can you leave it just like that?"* I said, *"No, it is not about church right now; it is about following the Lord Jesus in his revelation. You can take the church. Do not worry about me. All I need is just my Bible. Can I take it, please?"* And I picked up my Bible, and walked away. That was way back in September, 1988. I have never looked back since then, for I am following Christ the revealed Word of God. It is strictly by the grace of God I was able to do that, and I give Him all the praise. Saints of the living God, God must take first place in our life. That is the truth. He must! And it is for this

very reason we must follow the Lord in the continuity of the revelation of His Word.

Brethren, make no mistake about it: Without following Jesus Christ in his true divine Scriptural revelation, which is continuous, there is no way anyone will make it in the bride. Nobody will! And neither will anyone make it in the rapture without following the continuity light of Christ for this very day we are living in. I repeat: There is not one soul that will make it in the bride of Christ, that will not follow the present tense continuity light of Christ. Why is it so? Because the objective of salvation is not yet accomplished! Can I hear Amen?! Yes! As we sit here tonight, the objective of salvation has not yet been fully realised. That is why we are still here. The bride is still here. And we must follow God in His continuous dealing in the light. He deserves our all! And as I stated earlier, the Lord deserves first place. God must always have first place in our lives; and our worship of God must take priority over everything else. Anything else is idolatry. Anything that overrides our walk with

God in the light of the Scriptures of truth, is idolatry, be it our love for our church or for our pastor. It will not work! And if we are children of God, like the disciples of John who were following flesh; seeds of God who have not yet awakened to the reality of what God is doing currently in the earth, then God will have to shake you. And God will shake you, so you can follow His Word, for the salvation of your soul! Because this is not a game! This is life eternal! The rebuke of John caused those brothers to follow Christ. They did! Because no elect seed of God will fail to make it. They had to follow Christ, having realised the objective of John's ministry. God knows how to catch His own seeds; and there is no seed that will go astray, that will not be whipped back into the way. It will not be you doing it; it will be God; but God will do it, because no true seed of God will perish. There is no seed that will be lost. God is totally and absolutely in charge of this plan of salvation. No man is in charge of it. I said no man is in charge! God Himself is the only one in charge, and only God can make the difference! So,

we must believe God. We must believe God. As God promised, so shall He do. God will have a bride for His Son Jesus Christ, and that bride will be established in the beauty of the full glory of the Lord. At the end of the day, even as it is written in Ephesians chapter 5, verse 27, *Christ will receive unto himself a glorious church, without any spot, or wrinkle, or blemish, or any such thing; a body standing in the beauty of God's holiness.* Halleluyah!

In closing, saints of God, we must understand something tonight. When we look at all these men, from Moses in Genesis, to Malachi, each and everyone were used to bear only a portion of the Word. Some bore much, some bore little, but there was none we could turn down; because each gave a mind of God; a revelation of salvation; a portion of the Word of God. And each and every input is necessary in our life, for they all help us to appreciate the overall plan of salvation. Just as I stated at the beginning of this message, the Word of God's salvation, is exactly like a jigsaw puzzle. You have some jigsaw puzzles that are made of two

thousand pieces, and some of one thousand pieces, and others much less. Some are very simple, and some are very complex, whilst some are in-between. There are degrees of puzzles. There are jigsaw puzzles that can fill this whole church building. It takes adults, and people who are given to such things (such carnal challenges), to engage in it. It is a hobby for some people. But as believers, we do not bog ourselves down with such stuff, because time is short, and because you will not even have time for praying and studying, or for anything spiritual. But there are people who are crazy for puzzles. Their whole living room is just one big giant puzzle! It could be the map of New York. And they will fix the entire puzzle, regardless of the number of pieces, and the complexity of the puzzle, even though it could take them days and months, sometimes! And if you were to be faced with it, you would wonder, where do you start, and where do you end! But the fact is, every single piece has a story to tell, however small and seemingly insignificant, just as we have shown from the prophecies of David. And every single piece has a

place to slot in, and you cannot take away its place. Whilst you can have big pieces, you can also have small pieces. But you cannot use a big piece to reject a small piece, because the big piece cannot slot into the place of the small piece; and neither can the big piece tell the story of the small piece. There is a place each piece slots into, that adds to the picture, in helping you to appreciate the whole plan of salvation. Each piece just has its own message! Every piece has a message, because every piece is bearing something! And so it is with the ministry. You cannot use ministry 'A' to knock away ministry 'B'. And you cannot say, *"Ministry 'A' preached so much, and he preached so high; that has got to be it!"* No, it is not it! God still has more light for His people! And as long as the bride is here, the Lord will always give her the fresh kill of His Word. And as such, we must follow Christ in his continuous revelation. And by living on it, or by feeding on it, we are spiritually nourished; and by it we grow. Out goes hunger; out goes thirst! What comes in the heart is joy; joy unspeakable. What comes in the heart is peace; peace like a river. What also

comes is the stirring of our soul: It causes us to long for fellowship; because we long for God; we want more of God; we want more of fellowship. In such a blessed spiritual state, we cannot wait for the doors of the church to be opened. Brothers and sisters, the stimulation we receive from the fresh carcass makes us go on our knees, as we fast and pray, because we are in tune with our Maker, in a glorious divine revelation, through Christ Jesus our Lord. His anointing increases upon us, and the hold of the world over our lives begin to break, as God slowly takes over our lives, to fashion us after the image of His first born, Jesus Christ. Brothers and sisters, we become yoked to Him, and we are secure: free from all alarm, and from all harm, because we are shut in with Jesus, and the world is shut out. Brethren, what a union! Exactly! That is what continuity gives to us. Let everyone therefore take note: Continuity is not continuity of a man's message. It is not continuity of any man's idea. It is not continuity of any man's program. And neither is it continuity of any man's ministry. It is strictly continuity of God's plan of salvation. Period! So, that

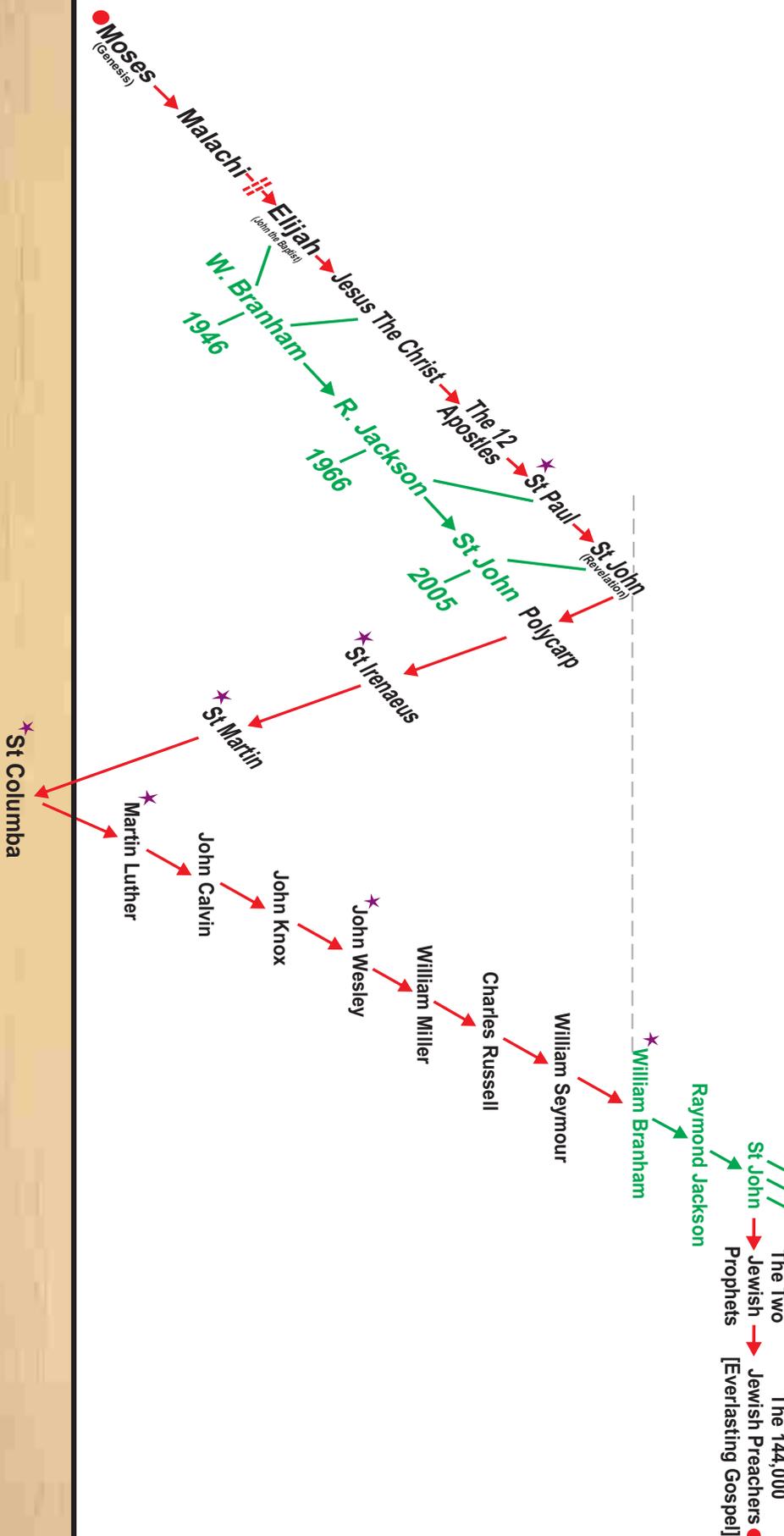
means continuity has a basis, and a divine objective and input, for true Scriptural continuity is not abracadabra. That is why I said, continuity is not about any man's program; and it is not about any man's church; and neither is continuity about any man's ministry: It is strictly the continuity of God's plan of salvation, as God moves to fulfil it, and as He also unfolds His Word, revealing it to His own people, a step at a time, for the adornment of their soul, so that we may know the things of God to come, and the things God is doing presently in our day. At the end of the day, the bride of Christ must be dressed in nothing but a pure divine Scriptural revelation, in order to attain unto Christ's spiritual image, and be ready for the coming King! But Saints of God, just look how far God has brought us! God has taken us some distance since Brother Jackson passed away, in our understanding of the Word of God! Thank God! Yet, it is not yet over! And it is not over until it is all over! You know that! But God has definitely brought us some distance, and we can look back and see so much light we have been given. Blessed be the name of the Lord! Amen! But I repeat: In

spite of all that volume of light, there is still more to come, and there are wonderful things ahead, particularly when we enter into the hour of the Seven Thunders of Revelation chapter 10, because the manna the eagles of God will feed upon, has to be absolutely fresh every day. In that day, we will be feeding strictly on unwritten prophetic truths! Praise God! Amen! Let us therefore walk in the continuous light of Christ.

We will continue this message in our next meeting, for we still have a long way to go, as we have to open up the entire plan of God's revealed salvation. It has really been a long journey. But it has been the Lord making the difference in our lives, and we thank Him for His marvellous grace towards us, as unworthy as we are. Everything has been by His grace, and we give Him all the praise, and all the glory. Amen.

May the Lord bless you.

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