

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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RAPTURING FAITH

The following message was preached by Brother Amos, over two mid-week services, Tuesday 6th, and Thursday 8th March, 2007, at Bible Faith Tabernacle, Lagos, Nigeria. There is a song that says, *"There is plenty of food in the storehouse."* We are entreating our readers to *"Come and Dine"* on the marvellous, rich, glorious, and well-seasoned truths being brought out in the Scribes. Oh, to be ready for the rapture!!!

Good evening church. May the Lord bless each and every one of you. We are a people with the promise of God upon our heads, and we have a wonderful future to look forward to, as the elect bride of Christ. All you need to do is

look in the mirror of God's Word, and you will see the marvellous plan the Lord has in store for the bride of Jesus Christ. What a future! What a wonderful future! What a glorious future! It shall be well with the bride. You know, that is precisely what God said in the Scriptures. He said in the Book of Prophet Isaiah, Chapter 3, verse 10: ***"Say ye to the righteous, that it shall be well with him: for they shall eat the fruit of their doings."*** Who are the righteous? We are the righteous, the redeemed of the Lord, a people clothed with the righteousness of God that is in Christ Jesus; a people who do not have a righteousness of their own, because we are nothing in ourselves. We are



sinners saved by grace; but what a wonderful grace it is that brought salvation! We rejoice in God's goodness and mercy towards us, and we bless His Majesty for loving such poor wretched sinners as us. Halleluiah! Thank God for Calvary!

Tonight, we just want to share a little Word. We will take our text from Matthew Chapter 17, starting from verse 14, and it reads: ***“And when they were come to the multitude, there came to him a certain man, kneeling down to him, and saying, Lord, have mercy on my son: for he is lunatick, and sore vexed: for oftentimes he falleth into the fire, and oft into the water. And I brought him to thy disciples, and they could not cure him. Then Jesus answered and said, O faithless and perverse generation, how long shall I be with you? how long shall I suffer you? bring him hither to me. And Jesus rebuked the devil; and he departed out of him: and the child was cured from that very hour. Then came the disciples to Jesus apart, and said, Why could not we cast him out? And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, IF YE HAVE***

FAITH AS A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you.”

Look how small a grain of mustard seed is. It is the smallest of seeds, and yet, when sown, it produces the biggest of trees. So, it is not the size of a seed that counts, it is what is in a seed. That is what counts! It is not the size or the volume of something that is material, but the quality or the substance of that thing that matters. And that is why as the bride of Christ, and as ministry to the bride, what we place great premium upon, what we lay particular emphasis upon, and what is most important to us, is not the size of the seed we sow, but the kind of seed we sow. What kind of seed are we sowing into people's hearts? That is what matters! Jesus declared: ***“If ye have faith AS A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED, ye shall say unto this mountain...”*** Saints of God, it clearly shows that it is not the size of the seed that counts; it is the purity of the seed that counts. The purity or the quality of the seed is what makes all the

difference. Consequently, the question we must determine is this: Is the seed pure? Is it wholesome? Is it undiluted? As long as it is absolutely pure, being original; as long as it is a pure revelation of God, it does not matter how small the revelation is, it will perform its work! Therefore, if the ministry will keep truth clean and absolutely pure, faithfully and painstakingly guarding the truth that is sown into the socket of the hearts of God's people, brothers and sisters, it is certain that it will produce its fruits, because there is unlimited divine power in truth. Absolutely! Out of the five little pebbles David took to face Goliath, just one little pebble was all that was needed to do the job, and Goliath, as big and as huge as he was, he came crashing down! Just look at what Martin Luther used one little pebble of the Word to do! Look at what he used a little pebble of revealed truth to do to the Church of Rome! Just one elementary, foundational, but fundamental truth of salvation, the Doctrine of Justification by faith, was all it took, and the Roman Catholic Church, with all her pomp and pageantry came tumbling down! She

came down with a colossal crash! ***“If ye have faith AS A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED...”*** That is all it takes! It means in real essence that we do not need big faith, but true divine faith, however small it may be, even if it is as small as a mere grain of mustard seed: For there is mega power in revealed faith! There is super prevailing power in revealed faith! Why is it so? It is simply because faith is a revelation; a divine revelation from on-high, backed by the power of the Spirit of God, for it comes with an anointing! And that is all it takes, and that is all you need. The Book of Hebrews Chapter 11, verses 1-2 declares: ***“Now faith is THE SUBSTANCE of things hoped for, THE EVIDENCE of things not seen. For by it the elders obtained a good report.*”** Faith gives you the substance or the reality of the very thing you are hoping for, BY GIVING YOU ITS EVIDENCE, the evidence of something that is not yet a reality; faith gives it to you. Look at verse 7, for it declares: ***“BY FAITH Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he***

condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.” That lets us see that faith is really a revelation! And by revelation, you have what is not yet a reality, for the Spirit of God gives you the substance of it, a divine evidence of what the natural eye cannot see as yet! It is like a little token, an evidence of something. Noah saw the rain by revelation; he saw the people drowning and crying; he saw the waters covering the earth, burying every living thing on land and air! And when he came out of the experience, he knew rain was coming, for God had given him the substance of it! He had the evidence, for he saw it by the eye of faith! It is a divine revelation, giving you a divine substance of something yet to be! Hence, it is a spiritual substance or evidence, which faith gives to its possessor! Consequently, it means that you do not have it, unless and until God gives it to you! It has to be revealed to you by God from above! It is not something you can pluck at the back of your house any time you like, or something you can just pull out of your pocket at will! If you do not

have it from God, you cannot express it! You have to have it to express it, for it must first be revealed to you, or you cannot exercise it. Simple! It is therefore not a cheap commodity! It is not! Jesus declared: ***“If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, REMOVE HENCE TO YONDER PLACE; AND IT SHALL REMOVE; and nothing shall be impossible unto you.”*** Brothers and sisters, if you have this kind of faith, Jesus said you can speak to a mountain, any mountain, whether a literal mountain, or a figurative mountain, and ask it to move to your desired location, and it shall be done, exactly as you have spoken it. It will move literally, because this faith has no limitations, for it is backed or inspired by the force of the God of all Creation! No, it is not a faith you teach a person! No, it is certainly not! Church, the faith we are talking about here, is not the body of revealed truths. Can I hear Amen? The faith we are talking about here, of speaking to a mountain, is not the faith that makes up the body of revealed truths of the Bible. That has its crucial place, and it is

fundamental to the spiritual growth of a true believer; but that is not what Jesus Christ is talking about in this very passage of Scripture! It is not! And we will do well to realise that! Now watch. Brothers and sisters, the faith laid out in this Scripture, is a supernatural faith, the faith by which you can appropriate or accomplish something that defies logic. By it you can accomplish a feat, any feat, something that is absolutely impossible for any mortal to do; things that are beyond the power and the ability of men. It is a faith that enables you to operate in the realm of the Spirit of God. That is precisely why I said it is a divine revelation, and it takes the anointing of God upon a man to operate this kind of faith, because it is God's faith in operation in a man! I said it is God's faith in operation in a man; God's kind of faith! If you have this faith as small as a grain of mustard seed, you will look at a mountain, a literal mountain, and you will tell it, *"Move from Lagos, and be repositioned in Ibadan."* And it will move, literally, and instantly! This is not figuratively! This is literally! I am laying a background for something. Just bear with me, and pay attention. This is a literal accomplishment

of a desire, propelled or motivated by God's kind of faith, being expressed in and through a man. It is therefore supernatural faith, and because it is supernatural, it is perfect faith, faith that does not fail, and cannot fail, for nothing is impossible with it, because it is backed by the power of God. Therefore, with it, you can look at a sinking house and say, *"Stand upright, and remain standing"*, and it will obey! However, saints of God, because this faith is God's kind of faith, and one that can be used to accomplish just anything, it is not a faith you can exercise at will! Come on! It is not the kind of faith you can use to satisfy your every whim, for you cannot use it as you like, and when you like, in order to satisfy your fleshly desires! No sir! James Chapter 4, verses 2-3 states: ***"Ye lust, and have not: ye kill, and desire to have, and cannot obtain: ye fight and war, yet ye have not, because ye ask not. YE ASK, AND RECEIVE NOT, BECAUSE YE ASK AMISS, that ye may consume it upon your lusts."*** This lets us see that this kind of faith, is not something we exercise for ourselves, but for others, in

the light of the will of God. It is certainly not a faith the possessor can exercise for personal advantage or gain, for there is certainly a divine will that controls the operation of this faith, otherwise, it will be misused and abused! Consequently, this kind of faith is used strictly to accomplish a divine purpose. It can only be used in line with the perfect will of the Almighty God, because God does not give it to lift up the ego of man, and make him a big shot, so everybody will say, *"Oh, what a mighty man!"* No, no, no! This is the faith God uses to get glory unto Himself, for with it, the impossible is made possible. It is supernatural faith. Yet, as I earlier stated, this faith is not talking about the body of revealed truths; it is talking of God-faith, faith by which you can do the impossible, accomplishing things that natural men or mortals, cannot do, because with God, all things are possible. With God, nothing is impossible. God starts where our ability ends. I said God starts where the ability of men comes to an end! Then God starts! That is divine faith! That is supernatural faith, for our God is an awesome God.

When you go to the medical doctors, and they diagnose you, having done all the scientific medical tests possible on you, and they give you the verdict that you have only twenty four hours to live, if you have faith, it does not matter the hopelessness of your medical condition, as long as this faith is in operation in your heart, even death itself must give way to life! I therefore repeat: This faith is not your faith, for it is God's faith operating in a man by an anointing, and hence it is a revelation. And whatever measure of God's anointing is upon you, in operation or in exercise of this faith, is enough to do anything and everything that is required; it is enough to do the job perfectly. Because in God, there are no weak and strong sides: **God is ALL STRONG!** As such, the measure of faith that it will take God to create a brand new planet, is the same measure it will take to heal a headache. You did not hear me! I said: The measure of faith it takes God to create a new planet, is the same amount of faith that is in operation in healing stomach trouble, for faith is faith! This is perfect faith, faith that does not fail, and as such, any measure of it is more than enough for

any and every purpose! Consequently, you do not need a lot of it; you only need a speck of it! Halleluia! ***"If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain..."*** We are talking of God-faith, God's own faith, God's kind of faith! That is not the title of my message. I am only laying a material background for my message. Brothers and sisters, when you have this kind of faith, when this faith is in operation, there is no devil that can stand before you, and there is no mountain big enough to make a difference! Let a man be dead for ten whole days, corrupted and stinking badly; when this faith is in operation in a man, there is no situation bad enough to make a difference! Life must come forth! Under the operation of faith, you will only laugh in the face of death! Remember, this is not a Pentecostal organisational doctrine, for we are in deep waters. Pentecostals today teach nothing but positive thinking, positive confession, and affirmative expressions, which is nothing but vain philosophy, vain janglings! It is a load of rubbish! Let

me warn you now: Thinking positive and speaking positive is very good; but it is not faith! That is the problem! And that is a serious problem! We speak the words of faith, which is a divine revelation from on-high! Let me explain. Positive confession though good, is not faith, and is therefore absolutely useless; because your positive confession, if it is not backed by the power of divine revelation, amounts to speaking mere words, lifeless words! I have news for you: Satan will not bow to positive confessions, however big and impressive they may be, for he recognises only the authority of God, and he bows only to the power of God! Exactly! There you go! It is therefore a fact, that you can quote mere letters of the Word of God to the devil; it will not work, for he knows when what a man says is motivated by, and backed by the power of God! He knows, for that is what overpowers him. But the force that can make the letter of the Word live, the power that can make the letter of the Word of God in your mouth come alive, is the faith we are talking about tonight. It is faith that works strictly by divine inspiration, an anointing of

God, which unctons a pronouncement, making it a divine pronouncement! That is what works, and cannot fail! That is why it is called perfect faith! Nothing stands in its way, absolutely nothing, for it does not take No for an answer! My! When that faith strikes your soul, you do not see any mountain, and there is no sea before you either; because all you see is the end result! And as sure as you are standing here it comes. Impossibility is one word you cannot hear when faith is in operation, for there is nothing called impossible when faith is in operation. It therefore makes its possessor as calm as an enclosed lake, and as cool as a cucumber; for it is a faith that is at rest, at complete rest, being perfect faith. Nothing ruffles his feathers, when faith anchors! **IF YOU SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN...!** No, no, no; it is not just quoting words! You are quoting mere letters! But as I stated earlier, this faith has a fundamental spiritual law guiding it. What is that law? It is the mind of God! It is strictly ruled by the will of God! Therefore, it cannot be abused! I said it is a faith that is not subject to abuse, for it cannot be abused; because it cannot be

exercised except and only except by inspiration of the Spirit of God! Church, I am laying a material background for something. Just follow me, and let the principles of faith sink deep, for we are facing something. The bride of Christ is coming into something down the road. But as I have shown you, the faith we are looking at tonight, is the faith of Jesus in operation in a man. I said: It is the faith of Jesus Christ, which is the faith of God, in operation in a man, by his Spirit. Consequently, you do not have it, until God endows or anoints you with it, for it is inspirational, being a divine revelation. Period!

Jesus, however, dropped two crucial mitigating statements to the operation of this faith, one of which is in the next verse. We need to consider it, for it is most instructive and challenging. What did he say? In Matthew Chapter 17, verse 21, Jesus added: ***“Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting.”*** That shows the very vital place of consecrating oneself to the Lord through fasting and prayer, for by it, we are drawn closer to God, and that in turn makes God

draw closer to us. Just coasting along in this way, living an easy-believe-easy Christian life, is most contrary to true spirituality, for it is worthless. There are days a child of God needs to set himself or herself apart, to seek the face of God, with fasting and prayer. But today, in the Branham Movement, they have stopped fasting and praying. They no longer want it, for they think they do not need it. My! What a carnal understanding of Christianity that is! Yet the prophet they follow lived a life of fasting and prayer! I know an evangelist who has a warped attitude to fasting. He said he fasted so much, and he broke down, and God warned him, *“Do not abuse your body again by fasting. If you do, I will not bail you out again.”* And he used that to take away fasting from the children of God. My! Abuse of the body through too much fasting is one thing; living for the flesh, living a life without prayer and fasting is quite another thing altogether. Let me tell you now, if you do not take time to fast, gluttony will take over your life, and your spirituality will not amount to much; for there is a great virtue we derive from God, when we deny ourselves to

seek His face, through fasting and prayer! There is! You can talk too much, but you cannot pray too much! And why will you allow your tummy to rule your life? Why will you be a slave to your belly? I say that because there are many in this way, who are ruled by their tummy! They cannot deny themselves anything, being slaves to their flesh! You cannot afford to be a slave to your stomach! Come on! You cannot eat all the days of your life, without days of consecration in prayer and fasting unto the Lord! You have to learn how to fast! No one was born fasting! The more you try, the easier it gets! Practice makes perfect! Every child of God will learn how to fast, for we need a closer walk with God, seeing we are in the light! And please do not listen to the nonsensical preaching going on in the Movement, where they say, *"We do not need to fast. Brother Branham fasted for us."* That is absolute delusion! Brother Branham could not have fasted for you, for he never knew you! Moreover, even if he knew you and fasted, his fasting cannot consecrate you unto God, for you have to do that for yourself, for no man can do it for you! You will learn how to consecrate

yourselves to God. You will learn how to fast and pray. And you will do it, although it will be at God's pace, the pace God sets for you; not at a pace somebody else sets for you. But do not tell me you cannot do it; yet, you can eat food, big time! That one you can do. My! Why do you not simply ask God for grace, for as it is written: *"He gives grace to the humble."* As the bride of Christ, you need to have days of denial, days when you consecrate yourself to the Lord in prayer and fasting, that you may have a closer walk with God, particularly in evil times like these. You are so given to your appetite, and you eat so much, until you cannot even move. Then you want to challenge the devil. My! Brother Branham said he could not do the great things the Lord used him to do, without the fasting and prayer. Jesus categorically declared: ***"Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting"***! You have to seek the face of the Lord, because no man can do these things by himself, or in his own strength! And if we know that, we will fast and pray, particularly as men in the ministry. We must all learn how to subject ourselves in humility before our God,

seeking His face for His anointing and grace. In the Book of Hebrews Chapter 5, verse 7, it is written of Jesus Christ, saying: ***"Who in the days of his flesh, when he had offered up prayers and supplications with strong crying and tears unto Him that was able to save him from death, AND WAS HEARD IN THAT HE FEARED."*** He was heard on account of his humble resolve to seek God's face with strong sincere prayers and supplications to God, looking to God to help him. And God helped him! Because he humbled himself to seek the face of God for divine enablement! He sought for grace sincerely, with fasting and prayer. God came down, and grace took over! ***"Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting."*** *"But, Brother Amos, I cannot fast because I have peptic ulcer, stomach ulcer. That is why I do not fast. I need to eat regularly and drink milk to lubricate the lining of my stomach."* What is wrong with your stomach? Fast and it will go away! I too had peptic ulcers, an acute one at that, when I was at University! Fasting took it away! I said it was fasting that took it away! But you

must also believe. It may be hard in the beginning, but if you do not give up, and you look to God for grace, God will help you. You may not be able to do a full day at the beginning, but it is a start nonetheless. You can only increase the tenure or the duration of your fasting as you go along, till you will not even notice that the ulcer is no longer bothering you, for it is gone! The point is, brothers and sisters, Jesus Christ our Lord fasted; Paul and Barnabas fasted; the saints in the early church fasted often; Brother Branham fasted often; Brother Jackson fasted. We are no different, and as such, we should learn to fast. We cannot be different in our walk from the early church saints, who set the standard. After all: Is it not the same body? Is it not the same faith? Is it not the same Spirit we have? Is it not the same walk? Is it not the same kingdom? Is it not the same responsibility placed upon us? And is it not the same God that we are serving? You will learn to fast! You will learn to call on God! You will learn to pray! And if you are not doing that, you are simply playing. Simple! We need revival. May God give us a revival! The spirit of Laodicea has taken away

fasting and prayer from people. They are so comfortable in this age; they are too comfortable, that they cannot deny themselves anything. It is the spirit of the age. We are not going to heaven on a flowery bed of ease. That is a fact, for we cannot just coast along in this revealed way. Hence, it is a battle with the flesh, a constant battle, to keep it under, or in subjection. There will be days of praying nights. There will be days of sleepless nights; nights when you are shut in with the Lord; nights when you will banish sleep, because you want to meet with your Maker. There will be praying nights, because everything is not about sleep. *"Oh, my body is tired."* It will always be tired! Make time! This is not the emphasis and focus of my message, but it is part of my message, nonetheless, for we must shake ourselves from the spirit of Laodicea. Now that we have the true Word, we should let it burn on the altar of our hearts by prayer and fasting! And if you are not fasting, the devil is cheating you! He is cheating you, because there are some blessings that will come from God, with fasting and prayer!

"Howbeit this kind goeth not out but by prayer and fasting." No, fasting and prayer is not what makes you righteous, for Jesus Christ is what makes you righteous, for he is our righteousness. But still, there is a place for fasting and prayer in the life of a believer, and you cannot deny that, and neither can you take that away. If you do, I will tell you one thing: It is a sure sign that the spirit of this age has taken you over. Like it was spoken to Samson, I will tell you now: Saints of God, ***THE PHILISTINES ARE UPON YOU!*** The Bible tells us that Elijah was a man of like passion, but he prayed earnestly that it should not rain, and it did not rain. And much later, he also prayed earnestly again for rain to come, and the rain fell. That was quite some agonising prayer! But God rewarded it mightily! May God ignite a revival in our souls, a thirst for a closer walk with Him. May the Spirit of grace and of supplication rest mightily upon all God's people, all over the world, leading us into a life of prayer and fasting, having days of consecration, days set apart to seek God's face, with a heart of faith. God said in Isaiah Chapter 45, verse 19: ***"I have not***

spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth: I said NOT unto the seed of Jacob, SEEK YE ME IN VAIN..." It is not in vain to seek the face of God. It is never in vain. However, the issue of fasting and prayer is not the focus of my message tonight. But it is an issue that also affects the operation of faith, and as such, it is very material to this message. Come with me to the Word, as we get back on course.

In Matthew Chapter 17, verses 14-20, which we read earlier as our main text, it is written: *"And when they were come to the multitude, there came to him a certain man, kneeling down to him, and saying, Lord, have mercy on my son: for he is lunatick, and sore vexed: for oftentimes he falleth into the fire, and oft into the water. And I brought him to thy disciples, and they could not cure him. Then Jesus answered and said, O faithless and perverse generation, how long shall I be with you? how long shall I suffer you? bring him hither to me. And Jesus rebuked the devil; and he departed out of him: and the child was cured from that very hour. Then came the disciples*

to Jesus apart, and said, Why could not we cast him out? And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief: for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, YE SHALL SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you." Church, Jesus was talking here about the power of inspired faith; perfect faith; God's kind of faith. Saint Matthew also recorded a similar incident in Chapter 21. We take it from verse 18: *"Now in the morning as he" (Jesus) "returned into the city" (of Jerusalem), "he hungered. And when he saw a fig tree in the way, he came to it, and found nothing thereon, but leaves only, and said unto it, Let no fruit grow on thee henceforward for ever. AND PRESENTLY THE FIG TREE WITHERED AWAY. And when the disciples saw it, they marvelled, saying, How soon is the fig tree withered away! Jesus answered and said unto them, Verily I say unto you, If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this which is*

done to the fig tree, but also IF YE SHALL SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; it shall be done. And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive." According to the account of Saint Mark, after Jesus had cursed the fig tree, he went to Jerusalem and cleansed the temple, and the following morning, was when they observed that the tree had withered, as Chapter 11, verses 20-23, now records: *"And in the morning, as they passed by, they saw the fig tree dried up from the roots. And Peter calling to remembrance saith unto him, Master, behold, the fig tree which thou cursedst is withered away. And Jesus answering saith unto them, HAVE FAITH IN GOD. For verily I say unto you, That WHOSOEVER SHALL SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith."* Now, here we have another scenario, a similar

scenario, where this kind of faith was in operation. Jesus was hungry, and he looked at a fig tree, expecting to find fruits on it; but there was none. He simply spoke the word, and that was it! Oh, my! He just spoke the word, and left. He was not watching the tree, battling with thoughts as to whether the fig tree would wither or not. He knew it was done! He went his way knowing it was over for the tree! The disciples, seeing the fig tree in its withered state were most astonished, but Christ was not! It was a matter of fact for him, for it was settled in his heart! Faith is always at perfect rest. But remember, this is God's kind of faith. I said this is God's faith, expressed in His Son Jesus the Christ. Brother Branham struck this Bible passage one day, and the thought of this Scripture never left his mind, for it burned in his heart continuously, causing him to reflect deeply on what the Lord might mean by saying: **"IF YE ... SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!"** The words Jesus spoke here simply gnawed his heart for many days and weeks. He could not get it out of his mind: ***if ye shall say unto this mountain.*** The Lord was stirring his heart

concerning this text, because he realized, here is a truth, an absolute truth of God, which this verse conveys; but why are we not casting mountains out into the sea, literally, doing just as Jesus did to the fig tree? Surely it will make men's work very easy, moving mountains in our way, simply by the operation of faith. When a mountain stands here, and it is blocking our view, we just move it aside by the operation of faith. My! But as I have been pointing out, such faith has divine laws guarding and guiding it, and as such, it can only be operated by divine inspiration, because such faith has a creative force in it. Such faith has God's creative power in it! For you to tell a natural mountain positioned in a particular location, to move to another location you decree, takes nothing short of God's creative power or anointing in operation! It does! It has a creative force in it, because with it, you can alter the natural course of things; you can stop the rain from falling, and you can also make it rain; you can stop the sun and the moon, just as Joshua did during a battle; you can open up the red sea, and also call down fire from

heaven; you can calm the tempest, however violent, and also cause darkness to break out in broad daylight. It is perfect faith! It is a divine revelation, and it is either you have it, or you do not, for it is not something you struggle with. If you struggle with it, you certainly do not have faith. However, it is in this passage of the Bible which Apostle Mark recorded, we have the second mitigating factor to the operation of faith, which our Lord also pronounced. Chapter 11, verses 24-26 now adds a serious dimension to faith, saying: ***"Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. And when ye stand praying, FORGIVE, if ye have ought against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.*"** Forgiveness is most crucial, brothers and sisters. We must be a people easily given to forgiving the wrong and foolish things people do to us. Saints, forgiveness goes to the very root of our

spirituality, for it shows precisely the state of our hearts, whether it is pure or defiled. For without forgiveness, all we have is a heart that is uncircumcised, and therefore carnal. You cannot carry unforgiveness in your heart, for time is too short! It shows your heart is not pure or perfect, for it is defiled! Exercising true faith can only spring up from a heart that is perfect, a heart that is pure. Consequently, your spiritual barometer will not rise, if you have an unforgiving heart, for it is a serious mitigating factor to operating true faith, being a killer! You cannot operate faith with a defiled heart: It will not work! You will only be wasting your time! Come on! Think seriously about that, and take instruction, for unforgiveness only darkens the heart. Give heed, brothers and sisters, for it takes a pure heart, which is a perfect heart, to exercise perfect faith. ***“If ye ... shall say unto this mountain...”*** As I was saying earlier, Brother Branham began to ponder on this Word, seriously wondering what it really means, and why we are not operating it. Then he went hunting one day in the woods, and caught nothing. God made sure no game came his way that day.

Finally, he packed his bag and was going home, having found nothing, and having shot nothing. But as he packed his bag and turned to go, something said to him: *“What do you want? You have been game hunting all day, and you have nothing. What do you want?”* My! You will find this testimony in a sermon he preached on 27th November, 1965, at Shreveport, Louisiana, USA, titled, *I Have Heard But Now I See*. Continuing with the testimony, realising that the presence of the Lord was now there, Brother Branham took off his hat, went on his knees, and bowed his head. God told him to speak whatsoever he wanted, and he would have it. Then suddenly, he felt that sweet holy anointing come upon him, and he stood up. He looked around, and choosing the most impossible tree for a squirrel to climb, a sycamore tree, for it is a tree they do not like or touch, he said, pointing: *“I want a squirrel on the limb of that sycamore tree.”* And behold, there stood a squirrel with big bright eyes, looking at him from that very tree branch! Thinking all was happening only in a vision, he took his

gun and aimed, and shot the squirrel. When he went to get it, it was bloody all over, and he then realised that this was for real. He was not in a vision! He had actually spoken a squirrel into existence! Glory be to God in the highest! Let us hear it from the prophet himself. However, I want you to know that I have edited his language in a measure, just to allow for the smooth reading and comprehension, without adding to, or taking away from his thought. On page 22, paragraphs 129-132, he stated: ***“Excuse the expression; but that day, setting there in that woods, (and God is my judge, and I could fall dead on this pulpit); when that Scripture had stumped me all my life; setting there that morning in the woods, and I was thinking on that, and that Voice spoke to me, He said, “THAT SCRIPTURE IS LIKE ALL SCRIPTURES, IT'S TRUE.” And I thought, “Well, how could it be?” And He said, “You're looking for squirrels. He said, “Speak, and it will be that way. Don't doubt It.”*** (Continuing on from paragraph 135, of page 22, right up to page 23, he recounted): ***“And I heard It***

again, say, "You are hunting, and you need game. How many do you need?" And I thought, "Now, I don't want to overdo this; I'm just going to ask for three squirrels. So, I said, "I want three young red squirrels." He said, "Then speak it." And I said, "I am going to get three young red squirrels." He said, "Which way will they come?" "Well," I thought, "I've went this far; there's something talking to me here", just the same as you hear me talking. And God in Heaven, with this Bible over my heart, knows that that's true. And He said, "Which way will they come?" I picked out a ridiculous place, an old dry limb hanging out of there, (about fifty yards, where my rifle was shot in). I said, "The first one will be right there," and there he was. I rubbed my eyes and looked back, (I turned my head), and I thought, "I don't want to shoot a vision." So I looked around again, and there set the squirrel. I threw a shell up in my gun, aimed up, and I could see his black eye, young red squirrel. I thought, "Maybe I'm sleeping. I will wake up in a few minutes, and see that I'm dreaming

about this." Well, I levelled down my gun, shot the squirrel, and it dropped off the limb. I thought, "Well, I don't know." I thought, "Well, should I go over and look for it?" And I walked over there, and there it laid. I picked it up, and blood run out of it. A VISION DON'T BLEED, YOU KNOW. So I picked it up, and it was a squirrel. I got real numb, all over. And I looked around, I said, "God, that was You!" I said, "Thank You, for this. Now I'll go home." He said, "But you said you want three squirrels! Do you doubt what you said? Now where will the next one come from?" I thought, "Well, if I'm dreaming, I'm going to continue on." So I picked out an old post over there, of a tree that was all wrapped up with poison ivy. You never get a squirrel in that. So I said, "The next one will come right out of that poison ivy." And there set that young red squirrel looking right at me. I set my gun down, and rubbed my eyes. Turned around again, I thought I was dreaming. There he set, turned his head sideways. I shot the squirrel, and then I

started to go home. But He said, "You said 'three'! Do you doubt what you said?" I said, "No, Lord, I don't doubt what I said, for You're confirming your Word." This is one Scripture that stumped me: "Not if I say, but IF YOU SAY." Not if Jesus said it, but IF YOU SAY IT YOURSELF." The Spirit of God asked him where he wanted the third one. Brother Branham pointed to another place, which was a patch of grass some distance away in front of him, and said: "I want the squirrel over there." And before you know it, something was moving from under the grass, and it suddenly popped out on the patch of grass he had pointed to. He aimed at it and shot it. Brothers and sisters, he spoke about three or four squirrels into being that day. "**If ye ... shall say unto this mountain!**" What Brother Branham experienced that day, is exactly what Jesus said we will do, for he plainly declared: "**Verily I say unto you, If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this which is done to the fig tree, but also IF YE SHALL SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN, Be thou removed, and be**

thou cast into the sea; it shall be done. And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive.” With this faith, brothers and sisters, nothing shall be impossible; but you shall have whatsoever YOU SAY. For it works under inspiration, as it is a divine or supernatural revelation. It is the operation of God's kind of faith in a believer. The life of a prophet is something else. The experiences are so awesome, and the ministry is a challenging one. These experiences let us see that there is only a thin line between the natural realm, and the spirit realm. I say that because, sometimes, you do not even know when you are in the natural realm or in the spiritual realm. Sometimes, you are just on the border of both realms; because prophets sometimes operate in both realms at the same time, and hence, they sometimes cannot make a distinction. That is the ministry of a true prophet, particularly one that is major. Remember, William Branham was a major prophet, an Old Testament type prophet. You will not have two of him in the grace age. Saints of God, Brother Branham spoke, and squirrels

manifested. He literally spoke squirrels into existence! ***“If ye ... shall say unto this mountain...”*** Now, that was not the voice of a man! It was more than the voice of a man, for it was the same voice that said in Genesis, ***“Let the earth bring forth...”*** It was the voice of God, but it was the voice of the Spirit of God, ministered through the lips of a mortal. Yes! For the provision of the Word stipulates: IF YOU SHALL SAY! However, you have to remember that Brother Branham could not do that except under anointing, because it is God's creative power in projection. He did it by the operation of God's faith in him, for it takes divine inspiration for a man to speak, and for it to have creative power!

In the same sermon the prophet took in Shreveport, titled, *I Have Heard But Now I See*, again he recounted another experience he had. A fish had earlier been caught with a hook. But being a little fish, it had swallowed the bait, hook and line, and in pulling it out, it simply ripped its insides out, gills and all, and it died! On page 4, paragraphs 20-21, Brother Branham said:

“So, just about that time, I heard Something coming off the top of the mountain up there, a whirlwind, whirling around and around. Here It come down like that, and the Spirit of God come over the boat, said, “Stand up on your feet.” Said, “Speak to that dead fish. Say, “I give you back your life.” And that little fish had been laying there for half an hour, with his entrails in its mouth, and its gills. I said, “LITTLE FISH, JESUS CHRIST GIVES YOU BACK YOUR LIFE. LIVE, IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST.” It flipped over on its back, and down through the water it went as hard as it could go.” IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN! In the Book of Acts Chapter 3, where a miracle was recorded, Apostle Peter made an open admission, which firmly confirms what we have been talking about. It is written: ***“Now Peter and John went up together into the temple at the hour of prayer, being the ninth hour. And a certain man lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms of***

them that entered into the temple; Who seeing Peter and John about to go into the temple asked an alms. And Peter, fastening his eyes upon him with John, said, Look on us. And he gave heed unto them, expecting to receive something of them. Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk. And he took him by the right hand, and lifted him up: and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. And he leaping up stood, and walked, and entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God. And all the people saw him walking and praising God: And they knew that it was he which sat for alms at the Beautiful gate of the temple: and they were filled with wonder and amazement at that which had happened unto him. And as the lame man which was healed held Peter and John, all the people ran together unto them in the porch that is called Solomon's, greatly wondering." Now consider what Peter said produced the miracle. Verses 12-16

states: **"And when Peter saw it, he answered unto the people, Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk? The God of Abraham, and of Isaac, and of Jacob, the God of our fathers, hath glorified His Son Jesus; whom ye delivered up, and denied him in the presence of Pilate, when he was determined to let him go..."** (Now pay attention to what he now states): **"And his name through faith in his name hath made this man strong, whom ye see and know: YEA, THE FAITH WHICH IS BY HIM hath given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all."** Did you catch that? **"THE FAITH WHICH IS BY HIM"**, who is Jesus Christ! It is the faith OF Christ being expressed through Saint Peter, which made the man whole! God's kind of faith! This reminds me of another experience the prophet to this age had. He was just thinking of glory, how it will be on that day in heaven. And as he was walking in the forest that day, the presence of the

Lord suddenly came, and the Lord said: **"Walk with me my servant."** He knew he was in divine presence. And as he walked, all of a sudden, he saw himself changed into sweet sixteen! All his baldness and wrinkles had vanished, and he was looking so youthful, and as handsome as ever! As he wondered about that, someone slipped her arm into his, and it was his wife, Sister Meda! **"What is going on?"**, he thought. Sister Meda had also been changed into sweet sixteen, beautiful as when she was in the prime of her youth, looking majestic! Wow! What an experience! What a supernatural and unusual experience! Brothers and sisters, he had this experience in God's divine presence. Saints, what was that? He was having a foretaste. It was a mere foretaste of what is coming. God gave him a foretaste of the reality to come, the reality we will have at the time of rapture, when our bodies will be changed literally. **"If ye ... shall say unto this mountain..."**

Saints of God, I want to take an important message tonight, which I title, *Rapturing Faith*. We want to

see the faith that will take us in the rapture: **RAPTURING FAITH**. What is it? Do we already have it? If not, when will we have it, and how will we have it? These are issues we want to discuss. May God help us. Amen. Rapturing faith simply put, is the faith needed to produce the rapture of the bride, or the faith needed for the rapture to take place. Rapture in itself as a terminology, is the catching away of the bride into heaven. I must warn, however, that rapture as a word does not exist anywhere in the written Word. It is derived from Latin word “*lapere*”, or “*raptum*”, which means to carry off by force. Rapture therefore means the same thing as being “*caught up*”, or being “*translated*” into heaven, two terms which the Bible expressly states, two terms which mean the same thing as rapture. We will begin with the Book of 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4, starting from verse 13, which gives us the first terminology. Apostle Paul declares, saying: “***But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we***

believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him. For this we say unto you by the Word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord” (for his bride), “***shall not prevent***” (or hinder) “***them which are asleep***” (in Christ). “***For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with A SHOUT, with THE VOICE OF THE ARCHANGEL, and with THE TRUMP OF GOD: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain***” (unto the coming of the Lord), “***shall be CAUGHT UP together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air...***” (This is rapture; it is to be caught up. Apostle Paul adds): “***and so shall we ever be with the Lord. Wherefore comfort one another with these words.***” Brothers and sisters, the secret catching away of the bride of Christ is the rapture. We the living saints will be caught up in the clouds, together with the resurrected saints, to meet our Bridegroom in the air. This shows that he meets us half-way in the clouds, somewhere between heaven and earth;

for we do not meet him up in heaven. He leaves the throne, and descends to meet us midway. Halleluia! Here we see the term “**CAUGHT UP**”. On the other hand, in the Book of Hebrews Chapter 11, verse 5, Saint Paul declares: “***By faith Enoch was TRANSLATED that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his TRANSLATION he had this testimony, that he pleased God.***” Here now, we see the second term called “**TRANSLATION**”, which means the same thing as being “**caught up**”. The two terminologies Saint Paul used in the two Epistles, mean the same thing as rapture. However, before we are caught up or raptured, there is something that first needs to take place. Come with me to the Book of 1 Corinthians Chapter 15. We take it from verse 51: “**BEHOLD, I SHEW YOU A MYSTERY**”; (and what a great mystery it is indeed. What is that mystery? The next clause gives it to us, declaring): “**We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the**

trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, AND WE SHALL BE CHANGED.

Hold it here! Adding this to the picture drawn out in 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4, Saint Paul is saying, once the dead saints are raised up with incorruptible bodies, or with glorified bodies, we the living saints must first be changed, before the rapture of both groups then takes place. In other words: We are changed before the rapture takes effect, once the dead saints are resurrected. It means in essence, that there is first a **Resurrection**, then a **Changing**, and finally, the **Rapture**. But why must the living saints be changed first before the rapture? It is simply because we are not going to be caught up with this weak and unredeemed fleshly body! And since the dead saints would have been resurrected with glorified bodies, then the living saints also need to be changed first, that they may also put on glorified bodies or immortality, before the rapture of both groups takes place! Hence, Apostle Paul added, saying: ***“For this CORRUPTIBLE”*** (or dead saints), ***“must put on incorruption”*** (or incorruptibility), ***“and this MORTAL”*** (or living saints),

“ must put on immortality”, (never more to die). ***“So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory. O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.”*** Brothers and sisters, once the dead saints have put on incorruption, and the living saints have put on immortality, by their supernatural change, then the rapture will take place automatically. And hence, we are considering **RAPTURING FAITH**. But before we consider this very important issue, of what rapturing faith constitutes, we first want to consider a number of other material issues, one of which is the consideration of its time application. I mean the time when rapture can and will take place. For this, we have to go to the Book of 2 Thessalonians Chapter 2, and we take it from verse 1: ***“Now we beseech you,***

brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and by OUR GATHERING TOGETHER UNTO HIM” (IN THE RAPTURE), ***“That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand. Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, EXCEPT”*** (and only EXCEPT) ***“there come a falling away first, AND that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.”*** This prophetic passage of the Word, lets us know without any shadow of doubt, that the rapture cannot take place, except and only except these two conditions precedent are fulfilled; the rapture being firmly and irrevocably contingent upon the happening of the two specified conditions: **the falling away**, AND **the introduction of the Anti-Christ**, the man of sin, as the head of the European Union. That day of rapture will not come unless there

is first a falling away. And as we speak today, it is fulfilled prophecy, for the falling away is right before you. It is open rebellion. You know I was thinking a few days ago, that the devil has the world exactly the way he wants it, for he is the author of chaos, and he thrives in chaos. He also has the class of humanity he has been seeking to get all these years, a humanity that has absolutely nothing of God in them or about them. That is precisely why you will see a man, who is supposed to be dignified, wear a scarf on his head, with braided hair, and with earrings, and big chains dangling around his neck. He really thinks he is cool. Added to that, he will put on trousers that are so big, it is basically like a sewn up potato sack, which somebody steps into for clothing. And to finish the dressing, he will also put on foot wear, something like sports trainers, with laces, shoes so big and so bulky looking, that by the time he is done, by the time he has put on all that stuff, coupled with the tattoos all over his arms and his neck, like a humongous reptile, what a sight for sore eyes! What a sorry disgusting sight! They look like trash! Then again you have these skin heads

and punks, clothed in black leather pants (or trousers), with black leather jackets, laced with silver studs and rings all over. They pierce their noses, ears, eye brows, even their lips, and adorn these with rings, which dangle all over their faces, and with tattoos of various designs, even of fallen angels all over their necks and arms, like a snake. And on top of that, they shave off the two sides of their heads, and leave only the centre piece running from their forehead to the back of their neck, which they dye red, yellow, pink, and purple, and using hair jell (or mousse), make it stand up and out. They are like legions of demons straight from hell! I have to ask, what do they want to look like? They look like hell, and dress like hell, and talk like hell, and walk like hell, and act like hell, and they live like hell too: Satan's designer babies! Satan's children, straight from the pit of hell! My! That is what the devil wants: A people that will be totally foreign to God, in every respect, AND an anathema to anything and everything righteous! I said they are an anathema to anything and everything righteous! Yes, they are! They are Satan's people, and how they hate

the thought of God! But they can "rap". Some of them even dare to talk about God, looking like demons, fallen angels! What utter sacrilege! What an abomination! Saints, let me warn you now: Rap music is a stupid genre of music! It is trash music, and it is very dumb! It is music for degenerates! You cannot be listening to Christian rap, for there is nothing called Christian rap. My foot! There is no Christian rock either, for rock music is highly demonic, being inspired straight from the pit of hell! It will strip your home of any holy presence, faster than smoking cigarettes! And you all know that smoking drives away the presence of the Angels of God! There is also no Christian reggae, and there is no Christian funk either! We are bride saints, an elect people, a people with the revelation of our God motivating our lives, and with the Spirit of holiness ruling our lives, keeping us from all appearances of evil, and from all satanic influences, his snares, and his merchandise. Brothers and sisters, please, let us have straight thinking, for perilous times are here indeed. The devil sure has his people roaming the

streets today, and they influence the whole of the human society, until even African boys now dress exactly like that, putting on trousers with loose belts, that is forever falling off them, sweeping the floor, and showing their underwear, and looking disgusting! A great percentage of these characters, are given over to this lifestyle of **gangsters**, violence, **rape**, crime, **drug abuse**, and **homosexuality**. Women also, who should not be putting on trousers in the first place, now wear particular trousers called “hipsters”, the latest design from hell, which strips the dignity and respect of womanhood! It is downright filth, for it shows their utter nakedness; showing the crack of their bum-bum! What a disgusting sight! What a filthy bunch of humanity! God forbid that anybody that is seeking to follow this way will dress like that! **HERE IS YOUR FALLING AWAY!** That is what I am showing you! The falling away is nothing but **OPEN REBELLION**, and it gives us a degenerate and godless society of people the world over! The translation or the rapture cannot come, until first, there is a falling away.

however, brothers and sisters, we must realise that the “**falling away**” is first a falling away from the true revealed faith of Jesus Christ of the Bible, which was restored back to us at this evening time, through William Branham, the Elijah of the end time, of Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B. The world, having had access to the pure message of the Word of God, and having rejected it outrightly, gives us the falling away, for it is first a falling away from The Faith of Jesus Christ! But the falling away from the restored faith at this end time, is only the precursor or the beginning of the general societal falling away, which is open rebellion; for it is the falling away from the faith, which led to the open rebellion we now see, for God first gave men opportunity, which they rejected, allowing the devil to take over completely! Consequently, when we consider the falling away, we are not only considering the falling away from the Word, for that is first, we are also considering the direct result of the falling away from the Word, which is open rebellion! Because it takes the falling away from the true faith, to produce an

open societal rebellion against God! That is the direct result of the falling away from the faith! The falling away from the Word allows the devil to take over, and lead the world in open rebellion against all that is good and righteous! Please note that, for I repeat: The consequence of the falling away from the faith, is open rebellion! And it is what we are seeing today around the world: Open rebellion against God! That is why gays and lesbians, homosexuals, are now ruling the world, and are seriously destroying the family structure, for Satan reigns supreme in the societal chaos! Hence, violence, crime, immorality, corruption, and wickedness of men, have simply gone ballistic! I show you the great end time falling away, for that part of the prophecy of God is fulfilled already, and is staring us in the face! May Jesus keep us near the Cross. Amen. However, there is a second condition precedent the rapture event is also hanging upon. And that is, that the “**MAN of sin**” also has to be revealed. We know his office, for that is already revealed, for it is the Papacy. What is not yet revealed, and what we do not yet know, is the

particular Pope that will fulfil this Bible prophecy. But it will be the Pope that is introduced as the head of the European Union at this end time; the Pope who makes an economic and peace pact, not only with the **“ten horns”** of Europe, the ten major nations of Europe, but also with the nation of Israel, thus igniting or starting the Last Week of Daniel. Thus saith the Lord in the Book of Daniel Chapter 9, verse 27, taken together with Daniel Chapter 8, verse 25, amongst many other prophetic Scriptures! That Week of seven years being set in motion, by the introduction of the Pope at the head of the European Union, fulfils the last condition necessary for the rapture. And that being fulfilled, the rapture can and will then take place, nothing else hindering it! For it is written: **“... for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, AND that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.”** We are not going to be here to witness

his taking over the temple of God in Jerusalem in the middle of that Week. But we will know once the Last Week starts, that he is the one who will do so, and he will then make himself God, and demand worship, instituting the 666 Mark of the beast! Consequently, and on the full and infallible authority of the Word of God, the rapture will take place at the very beginning of the Last Week of Daniel. No, we will not be here to witness the Week; but we will witness its opening, for a very short period of time, say a few weeks or a few months into that Week, as the man of sin is revealed, off the bride of Christ goes in the rapture. Remember, that is the position the Bishop of Rome once occupied in the Dark Ages, when the Popes ruled the Roman world. An empire once ruled by Caesars and Emperors, when it was pagan Roman, was later ruled by Popes (or Bishops of Rome), thus becoming known as the Holy Roman Empire. That is the position he picks up once again at the end time, for the last time. And when he does, the season of the rapture is upon the bride. But as the Scripture declares in the Gospel of Saint Mark, Chapter 13, verse 32: **“But**

of that day AND that hour” (of the rapture), **“KNOWETH NO MAN, no, not the Angels which are in heaven, neither the Son, but the Father.”** But we will certainly know we are in the season of the rapture, and that it can now take place any day, any time, from thereon. Amen.

Let us come back to consider other details of the provision of 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4, verses 14-17. It records: **“For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus WILL GOD BRING WITH HIM. For this we say unto you by the Word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent”** (or hinder) **“them which are asleep. For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with A SHOUT”,** (firstly), **“with THE VOICE OF THE ARCHANGEL”,** (secondly), **“and with THE TRUMP OF GOD”,** (thirdly and finally): **“and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be**

with the Lord.” Saints of God, let me re-emphasise a truth about the three steps into the rapture. Firstly, I must point out that the rapture is strictly that of the elect bride of Christ, which is his body, according to 1 Corinthians Chapter 15, verse 23, starting from verse 21. The Old Testament saints, who make up **“the first fruits”** of the resurrection, have already resurrected with Christ, after he rose from the dead on the third day, on the full authority of Matthew Chapter 27, verses 52-53. Therefore, the rapture is strictly in relation to the bride of Christ, which is his mystical body. Secondly, I must correct the erroneous projection which some elements are making in the Branham Movement, saying that the rapture has started. That is absolute rubbish! What the passage of Scripture in 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4 gives to us, is not a slow and long process of rapture, but of three main steps into the rapture. In other words, I am simply saying that RAPTURE HAS NOT YET STARTED, for nobody has been caught up since the grace age started, and neither is anyone being caught up today as we speak, for the bride of Christ

is still here on earth! But there is a process God has ordained in His Word, to get us to the point of rapture. This is what I call the three steps into the rapture. And it gives us first **“a shout”**; then, **“the voice of the Archangel”**; and finally, it gives us **“the trump of God”**, under which the rapture of the bride saints will ignite. Thus saith the Word of God! I will endeavour to break it down in a little measure, as we have messages dealing sufficiently with it in the Scribe, which is free on request. They are also on our website, for free downloading. The **“shout”** gives us the awakening and preparatory message of the end time Elijah, fulfilling what Jesus called the Midnight Cry, in Matthew Chapter 25, verse 6, for it relates to the same message. The shout message, having served God's purpose in the bride, producing an original fivefold ministry of Ephesians, and an original pure seed bride, opens up the door, for the establishment of the next step into the rapture, which is the voice of the Archangel. **“The voice of the Archangel”**, is nothing other than the unwritten prophetic voice of the

Seven Thunders Jesus spoke about, in his prophetic revelation to John on the Isle of Patmos, as recorded in Revelation Chapter 10, verses 1-4. They prepare the bride specifically and prophetically for the rapture event. This then opens the door for the third and final step, a step which leads directly into the rapture, for it is the step which ignites the rapture. It is under this step that the rapture takes place. It is called **“the trump of God”**, or **“the last trump”**, according to Saint Paul's Epistle to the Corinthians. And truly, it is the last trump; for even when the tribulation saints are raised to life, at the Judgment of Nations, prior to the beginning of the Millennium, the Bible does not give us any more trump! They simply rise, as recorded in the Book of Revelation Chapter 20, verse 4, for Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life. He will simply call for them to come forth! Period! But the point is this: We do not see any more trump after **“the last trump”**, which brings forth the bride saints. This is where I must re-affirm the truth, for whoever has an ear to hear. And it is this: Whilst the living saints hear the shout

AND the voice of the Archangel, they will not hear the trump, for only the dead saints will hear the trump. For something has to prepare them for that event, having been in paradise for many centuries of time, since the first church age! However, the rapture takes place under the trump, for the trump ignites the entire process. Please pay close attention, for I will read only the material portions of verses 14-17, of 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4, so as to show the truth concerning the effects of the trump. It is written: “... **them also which sleep in Jesus WILL GOD BRING WITH HIM. For ... we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep... with the trump of God: ... the dead in Christ shall rise first: THEN**” (and only THEN), “**we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds.**” Firstly, it is absolutely clear from this prophetic passage, that when Jesus Christ is coming, he is coming with the spirits of the sleeping saints, for as it is written, “... **them also which sleep in Jesus WILL GOD BRING WITH HIM.**” Secondly, the

sleeping saints rise FIRST, which is why Christ brings their spirits with him, for their spirits are currently up there in paradise, which is in heaven! Thirdly and most importantly, after the dead saints have all risen first, THEN we which are alive shall be changed and caught up TOGETHER with the dead saints, who had already resurrected, prior to our changing! It is written: “... **the dead in Christ shall rise first: THEN we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them...**” These three points are settled. The material issue now is this: How can the living saints hear a trump which sounds in the corridors of heaven, a trump which prepares and causes the spirits of the sleeping saints in heaven to come down to be united with their bodies in the graves, as Christ descends midway in the clouds, and which also causes them to resurrect FIRST, whilst as yet, the living saints are untouched and are unaware that resurrection has started? That is the issue! Since the dead saints rise first under the trumpet, and their spirits in heaven must be united with their bodies in the graves, before they can

rise first, which then makes the living saints now realise that resurrection has taken place, thus opening the way for their change, common sense will tell you, that the living saints will not hear the trump, no more than the tribulation saints will hear the trump, and you know that they will not hear any trumpet! You will not change the absolute fact that the dead in Christ rise first, ever before we are changed, for as it is written: NO MAN KNOWS THAT DAY AND THAT HOUR!!! Consequently, no living saint will know that the dead saints are coming down to unite with their bodies, until they put on “**incorruption**”, and until they resurrect, and appear to the saints, thus igniting the changing of the living saints, as we are then caught up with the dead saints to meet our Isaac, who is waiting in the fields of the clouds of heaven! What is so difficult to see in that? Therefore, I re-affirm: Only the dead will hear the trump, although we will also be changed under the trump, for it is the blowing of the trump in heaven, that ignites the entire process: F I R S T L Y A RESURRECTION of dead saints, which first takes in their descent to the graves

from heaven, to be united with their bodies, following which they then resurrect; **SECONDLY A CHANGE** of living saints; **THIRDLY THE RAPTURE** of both elements to heaven. All three supernatural moves are ignited, for all three moves are set in motion by the trump, and hence, all happen under the trump. However, the living saints will not hear the trump. They will only hear the shout, and the voice of the Archangel, but not the trump; just as the dead saints will not hear the shout, and neither will they hear the voice of the Archangel also; with the exception of the bride saints who died from the hour the Midnight Cry went forth in this last age, who heard the shout! Other than the isolated class of saints who heard the shout before passing away in this last age, no dead will hear the shout, and certainly, none of them will hear the voice of the Archangel, except the trump, for it is written: ***“... them also which sleep in Jesus WILL GOD BRING WITH HIM... with the trump of God: ... the dead in Christ shall rise first: THEN we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds.”***

Church, at the time when the dead in Christ rise, they will appear to the living bride saints, for we will see them. We already have a Bible precedent for this experience. It is written in Matthew Chapter 27, verses 52-53: ***“And the graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints which slept arose, And came out of the graves after his resurrection, and went into the holy city, and appeared unto many.”*** They did not appear to the Scribes and Pharisees, who killed our Lord! They did not appear to the unbelieving Jews! They appeared to the saints, the followers of Jesus! And it was not an appearance that lasted for hours and days, but only for a few short seconds, and it was done, thereby giving the early saints an infallible and tangible evidence of resurrection! It was proof that the Gospel is not only in force, but it is also effective, for it will bring saints out of the grave! The material issue is that, when the dead saints rose in that day, they manifested to the living saints. As such, when the dead saints also rise at this end time, they will likewise appear to the saints, the bride saints.

Hence they rise first! *“Jesus Christ the same yesterday, the same today, and the same forever.”* That is something to look forward to! *“Oh, but Brother Amos, I do not know anybody who died in this way of faith. I do not know any bride saints.”* You will know them when it happens. When that time comes, you will know them, for you will know who they are, for you will recognise them by the unction of the Spirit of God! You will know precisely who it is that is manifesting before you, for God determines everything that takes place. You will recognise Brother Branham and Brother Jackson at the least, only that Brother Jackson will no longer have a gash on his forehead. So, do not worry, for God is perfect in all His ways. He leaves no stone unturned, and there will be no incidental situations not fully sorted ahead of time! You will know who is who. You will not need to be told. And church, may I tell you this: There will be nobody getting on the phone to anybody, to inform them that rapture has started. There will be no time for any phone calls! God knows precisely where every bride saint is, and He is going to reach out to every last one of them. Brother, you may

be at your work, and all of a sudden, a sleeping saint will suddenly appear, glowing in his glorified body, with the aura and the glory of God, dressed in spotless white! He will simply give you a smile, and before you know it, he is gone! You will know that that is the hour, the hour which nobody will ever know of ahead of time! And church, as soon as you see that happen, you look at yourself, and there comes your change! You will look, and you will be thrilled beyond anything human words can express: *"Wow! This is me!"* And before you know it, off you also go! Where to? To the sky, for you are caught up to the meeting in the air! I want to remind you, brothers and sisters, when this hour of time comes, we will not be saying bye-bye to any loved one who has refused the Word! You would have already said your bye-bye when the Seven Thunders stepped on the scene, for we will be posted prophetically concerning the rapture event, particularly in the season of the rapture. You would have already prepared your home, ahead of the rapture day. That is the essence of the Seven Thunders! We are going to prepare for home, and let all our loved

ones know, *"We will be going in rapture any day from now. Please, do not bother yourselves looking for us, for the Lord is taking us home any time now. So, do not bother looking for us, for we are not lost. We are going home to meet Jesus. When we are gone, you can have my car, and also give my wife's car to xyz. I have some money in my mattress, take it and give it to ABC."* How many people go missing every day? You see it in the papers! It is only the families concerned that know they have lost somebody. Moreover, what is the number of the bride saints for the world to miss us? The world will miss nothing! We will just be another missing number, another missing person! Halleluia! Whatever I do, God helping me, I just want to be in that number! But do not tell me that you will be driving on the road, or driving a passenger train, and suddenly God will take you away in rapture, leaving the car or the train to crash, killing people, and causing destruction. That is a carnal picture of rapture! Rapture is not going to happen like that, for our God is perfect in all His ways. If rapture happens that way, creating

utter chaos and disaster upon disaster, with the drivers disappearing, that is enough to create a story in the Newspapers! The News media will carry such horrible news around the globe: Moving Cars and Trains without drivers! You know you will not have such a sensational situation like that in relation to the rapture. God knows exactly when to take you, and how to get you to the very place or location, which He has ordained for your take off! You may be in the toilet. You may have just left your boss, telling him: *"Sir, I just want to use the toilet."* And as you are washing your hands, there God comes for you. Yes, they will wonder in the office what happened to you; but they will think you dashed somewhere from the toilet! But you went from the toilet to glory. Are you with me? Brothers and sisters, the rapture event is certainly something that will be withheld from the eyes of the world. Only the bride will see and experience it. But our loved ones who are not following this way, will have a feeling we have gone in the rapture, only because we would have prepared home and settled accounts before we go. Halleluia! But do not tell

me that Enoch's wife and children went searching for his body! They did not, for he would have prepared them for it! It had to be his extended families and friends that would have gone searching for him, out of a genuine concern, thinking he was missing, for they were ignorant of the works of God in that regard! Hebrews Chapter 11, verse 5 declares: ***“By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; AND WAS NOT FOUND, because God had translated him...”*** That lets us see that some people went searching for him as a missing person! But you cannot apply that to his immediate family, who he would have dealt with! Come on! It dovetails with Elijah's rapture experience, and hence, it confirms the different reactions to his being caught up! Yes, it does! In the Book of 2 Kings Chapter 2, verses 9-18, it is written: ***“And it came to pass, when they were gone over”*** (Jordan), ***“that Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy Spirit be upon me. And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing: nevertheless,***

IF THOU SEE ME WHEN I AM TAKEN FROM THEE, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so. And it came to pass, as they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven. And Elisha saw it, and he cried, My father, my father, the chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof. And he saw him no more: and he took hold of his own clothes, and rent them in two pieces. He took up also the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and went back, and stood by the bank of Jordan; And he took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah? and when he also had smitten the waters, they parted hither and thither: and Elisha went over.” (Now watch the reaction of the sons of the prophets): ***“And when the sons of the prophets which were to view at Jericho saw him, they said, The Spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha. And they came to meet him, and bowed themselves to the***

ground before him. And they said unto him, Behold now, there be with thy servants fifty strong men; let them go, we pray thee, and seek thy master: Lest peradventure the Spirit of the Lord hath taken him up, and cast him upon some mountain, or into some valley. AND HE SAID, YE SHALL NOT SEND. And when they urged him till he was ashamed, he said, Send. They sent therefore fifty men; and they sought three days;” (and what was the result of the search? what was their testimony?) ***“BUT FOUND HIM NOT. And when they came again to him, (for he tarried at Jericho,) he said unto them, Did I not say unto you, Go not?”*** Enoch too was translated, but people searched for him, and the Bible records: ***“and was not found”!*** Because they searched for him! Elisha did not search, and neither would Enoch's immediate family have searched! However, brothers and sisters, let us also consider another very vital truth of rapture, which I touched slightly upon earlier. 1 Corinthians Chapter 15, verses 51-52, records: ***“Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall***

not all sleep, but WE SHALL ALL BE CHANGED"; (When?), *"IN A MOMENT, IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed."* Adding that to the picture in 1 Thessalonians Chapter 4, verse 17: *"Then we which are alive and remain shall be CAUGHT UP TOGETHER with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air..."* I now ask: How long does the rapture or the catching away take? All that is in a matter of seconds, and we are in the sky! *"IN A MOMENT, IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE"*, we are changed, *AND IMMEDIATELY CAUGHT UP!* Once we are changed, we are gone! That is precisely why it is a secret catching away. This plain and categorical declaration of the Holy Bible, lets us know undoubtedly, that the rapture event is not a gradual process God does over a long period of time, but is an instantaneous event, which happens in a jiffy! It takes less than a fraction of a second, and the rapture is done! The rapture itself, brothers and sisters, is a mini-second event!

Elijah was translated in a mini-second! If it was not that God opened the third eye of Elisha, the eye of divine revelation, it would have been utterly and absolutely impossible for him to see Elijah go! It was that fast! That is precisely why Elijah said Elisha would receive a double portion of his Spirit, if and only if, Elisha could see him go! Because it would be a mini-second event, and he would be gone! God had to open the eyes of Elisha, spiritually, to be able to see Elijah whisked away by the Spirit of God! How come then, that some so-called message followers are teaching progressive or instalmental rapture? I ask that question because they erroneously teach that rapture has started. They have been teaching this junk for donkey's years, and yet, they are all still here! Let me tell you in plain terms: Rapture has not started! Moreover, it is not even something you can talk about in terms of starting, being a mini-second event. You can only ask if it has taken place! Exactly! And to that question, I firmly reply: No, it has not taken place, and it cannot take place, until the man of sin has been revealed! Thus saith the

Lord: *"Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day"* (of rapture) *"shall not come, EXCEPT there come a falling away first, and THAT MAN OF SIN BE REVEALED, the son of perdition."* In other words: There can be no rapture of any sort, and in any way, except and only except the man of sin is introduced in world affairs! Period! This is settled, for it is the Word of the Lord; for rapture is not in phases or stages. It is a singular and instantaneous event, immediately succeeding our changing! Period! What is going on today in the bride, is that we are being moved by God to take the various sequential steps which lead INTO the rapture. That is what takes time, for there are two main steps for the living saints, the first step of which has spanned decades of time already, all in this last church age. But once the dead rise, we will be instantaneously changed, and immediately caught up or raptured. It is the Spirit whisking or ferrying us away. Period! Now we can talk about **RAPTURING FAITH**, having considered the event called rapture.

Saints of God, seeing that the event of the rapture is

so great, so phenomenal, so spectacular, for it gives us an instant change, and a quick catching away in the clouds of heaven, for mortality is swallowed up by immortality, I now ask, and this is the very crux of my message: What kind of faith do you think it takes? What kind of faith is going to permanently break the law of gravity in the lives of the bride of Christ, and put them in the air, for as long as they will? Do not forget, that the law of gravity is God's law, and it binds and holds everything that is material, being God's natural law, that is, *"whatever goes up must come down."* This shows that, although the bride of Christ will still have a material body, even though glorified, but a material body nonetheless, she will be operating by a higher law, a divine spiritual law, which absolutely supersedes, not only the natural law of gravity, it supersedes any and every natural law there is in the universe! This is the divine law which will be operating eternally in the lives of the recipients of God's gracious dealing in that hour of rapture, because the law of gravity does not bind a spirit being. No, it does not! A spirit is not bound by the law of gravity. No, that is just for

something earthly, something material. Yet, we will still have a body that can be touched, even after change, being material, but church, it is a supernatural body, it is a spiritual body, because it is a glorified body. It is a body that can appear and disappear at will. It is a body that is not limited by any physical circumstances and obstacles. In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, we shall be changed. And when we are changed, what are we changed for? To be immediately translated! The dead saints are raised to life incorruptible, then we are instantaneously changed, and then we are caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord Jesus in the air! When will the change come? In the twinkling of an eye! What about the translation? It is also in the twinkling of an eye thereafter! But right now, saints, we do not have hardly enough faith to receive healing, even for headache! Lord help us! I said presently, we are battling with the faith for healing a mere headache. We even battle with promises concerning our personal lives; we struggle with it, fretting, *"Oh God, it has been many years now*

since you promised me this and that. Have you forgotten me? I am still here, Lord. Do not forget me. Have mercy and do something." He does not forget anything, for He is not a man! Just keep your cool, and have faith, for it is written: *"He that believeth does not make haste."* HAVE FAITH IN GOD! He makes things beautiful in His own time. He sees exactly what you go through, the pains you bear. You think he does not? He sees everything! If only we know how to give everything to Him, and simply rest. Halleluiah! I repeat: We hardly have faith to appropriate healing for our sick bodies. So, just how are we going to have this *Rapturing Faith*? Faith that will pick us up from this earth, literally, and convey us straight into glory, into God's divine presence! Faith that will defy every natural law God has placed in the universe! Think about it! Faith which becomes our eternal possession, once we come into possession of it! And by it, all through eternity, we will be operating by a higher law, the law of faith! The natural law will still be applicable though, but it will not have any hold on us, because we are then immortals.

Remember, mortality is swallowed up by immortality, for before we are caught up or raptured, we are first changed! And when we are changed, we receive an immortal body. It will still be this material body, but now glorified with the power of the Spirit of God, which takes it over completely. Every fibre of your physical being will be filled with the Spirit of God! That is why you can appear and disappear, just like Jesus. They shut the doors, shut all the windows in the upper room, and still, Jesus entered in without opening any door. He simply breezed through the door! Halleluiah! They were sore afraid, thinking he was a spirit. But he said, "No, it is me. Touch me. It is still the same me, for spirits do not have flesh and bones as you see me have." What Jesus had and still has is a glorified body. That is why we only believe in Jesus being the Immortal Son of God, and not the Eternal son, for there is no Eternal Son; because every son, being an offspring, has a beginning, and thus he cannot be an Eternal Son! Consequently, Jesus is the Immortal Son of God, because he died, but then he rose, and is alive, even forever more. So, I ask

again: What kind of faith are we talking about? What kind of faith is Rapturing Faith? That is the issue we want to see! But before we lay it out, let me first give you a very important and most crucial warning. I want everyone to understand, and please let us get it clear, that the faith we are talking about here, *Rapturing Faith*, is not the truths of the Bible we have been restored to at this end time, even though it is also spoken of in the written Word! The *Rapturing Faith* we are talking about is not the body of revealed truths which we are to dress our souls with, truths making up the revealed faith of Christ. It is not! Nevertheless, it is a faith that is also recorded in God's written Word. Brothers and sisters, the *Rapturing Faith* we are talking about is a supernatural faith. It is God's kind of faith, faith that can say to this mountain, "Be removed", and nothing will stand in its way, just as it is written: **"And Jesus said unto them, ... for verily I say unto you, If ye have faith as A GRAIN OF MUSTARD SEED, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place;**

and it shall remove; and nothing shall be impossible unto you." (Matt. 17:20). That is precisely the faith we will have for Rapture. *IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!* It is a supernatural faith; faith that does not fail, being perfect faith. Just a speck or an ounce of this faith is more than enough! My! It is God's kind of faith ignited and expressed in the bride in that hour of time. Before the Rapture, something would already have been ignited in the bride of Christ, when the Seven Thunders are here. Remember they will lead us into the Rapture. Consequently, brothers and sisters, the *Rapturing Faith* that is going to take us out of this world, and make us defy God's natural law of gravity, is not talking about the body of revealed truths we are to stand for. It is talking strictly about supernatural faith which has the creative force of God in expression: *IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!* That is the faith that is going to pack us out of this world, and it is the faith by which we will be changed, and then be translated to heaven. To be translated to heaven is by the power of Almighty God. But brothers and sisters,

there is a faith that you will possess for that to happen. It is a supernatural faith. Right now, we can hardly have faith for the healing of a headache, talk less of that which we need for the rapture! But God will give to every seed. It is the kind of faith that can say to this mountain: "*Be thou removed into the sea,*" and the mountain will be lifted, literally, and with urgency, and go plumb right into the sea. It is the faith God invested in Moses when he faced the Red Sea, and the army of Pharaoh was coming with great fury from behind, and God told him in Exodus Chapter 14, verse 15, saying: "... **Wherefore criest thou unto Me? SPEAK...**"! And the Red Sea parted ways! My! **IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!** One day, Joshua was in hot battle with the Amorites, the enemy of the children of Israel. He was winning the battle, but the sun was going down, and he needed light to finish the war that day. He did not want the enemy to regroup and refresh overnight, for another clash the following day. Hence he looked squarely at the Sun and the Moon, and said: "**STAND STILL**"! My! Joshua Chapter 10, verses 12-14

records: "***Then spake Joshua to the Lord in the day when the Lord delivered up the Amorites before the children of Israel, and HE SAID in the sight of Israel, SUN, STAND THOU STILL upon Gibeon; and THOU, MOON, IN THE VALLEY OF AJALON. And the sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies. Is not this written in the book of Jasher? So the sun stood still in the midst of heaven, and hasted not to go down about a whole day. And there was no day like that before it or after it, that the Lord hearkened unto the voice of a man: for the Lord fought for Israel.***" What was that? **IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!** Brothers and sisters, have faith in God! Dare to believe God! Again in 1 Kings Chapter 17, verses 1-6, another example is recorded: "***And Elijah the Tishbite, who was of the inhabitants of Gilead, said unto Ahab, As the Lord God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but ACCORDING TO MY WORD. And the Word of***

the Lord came unto him, saying, Get thee hence, and turn thee eastward, and hide thyself by the brook Cherith, that is before Jordan. And it shall be, that thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there. So he went and did according unto the Word of the Lord: for he went and dwelt by the brook Cherith, that is before Jordan. And the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and bread and flesh in the evening; and he drank of the brook." **IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!** But who would ever imagine that a raven could be trusted with meat? It can be trusted with meat, if God is in it! The exploits of faith! Brothers and sisters, it is the same kind of faith Brother Branham had, when he said: "*I want a red squirrel to appear on that tree*", and a red squirrel appeared. This is not magic! Magic is false! Magic is of the devil! Magic is an illusion! Magic is "*abracadabra*"! This, on the other hand, is reality, true reality, not illusion! For we are talking about the power of the living God, and the faith of the living God expressed in mere mortals,

having God's creative force in it. This very kind of faith is coming. We are edging closer to its hour. It is supernatural faith, because it is God's kind of faith, expressed in a man, by which we will first receive change as living saints, when mortality will be swallowed up by immortality. And I do not care how old you are, or how wrinkled, you will turn back to sweet sixteen! I do not care what disease has done to your body, (Oh my!) all that will disappear! Brother, sister, you are not going up in the rapture with one leg. Oh, my! You are not going up with one eye either! You are not going up with any ounce of sickness or deformity in your body! Forget it! This is perfect faith! Every trace of disease and deformity in your body will disappear, giving you perfect wholeness! When Rapturing Faith hits your soul, it will change your mortal body at the hour of rapture, literally, through the power of the Holy Spirit! Every sickness and its trace will disappear! And if you are just eight years old or ten years old, but you have received the Spirit of the Lord, and you are clothed with the divine revelation of God's Word, no, you will not go in the rapture as an eight

year old. You will go in the rapture as a young man, in the prime of youth, because we shall all be changed into sweet sixteen, never more to grow old! All those in the bride, who are ordained as living saints, will receive this divine change. What change? Change in our physical or mortal bodies! That is what Paul was saying in the Book of Romans. What did he say? Come with me to Chapter 8, verse 11. He declares: ***“But if the Spirit of Him”*** (God Almighty), ***“that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He”*** (God) ***“that raised up Christ from the dead SHALL ALSO QUICKEN YOUR MORTAL BODIES by His Spirit that dwelleth in you.”*** What is Saint Paul talking about? Remember this, saints, the last thing redemption will strike, is our mortal physical body. That is the hour of time when we will have our change. That is when we will have the redemption of our body. The price has been paid for its redemption though, but it has not yet been redeemed. Only our soul has yet been redeemed, for God works first on the inner man. And that is precisely why today, as a child of

God, you can fall ill; but you can also claim healing by faith, for Christ has also borne our diseases upon his body. But that does not mean you cannot fall ill at another time. Please do not come and tell me that a child of God is not supposed to fall ill. Then I will tell you: You do not know your Bible! Elisha, that great prophet of God died in sickness! Yet, he had the double portion of the Spirit of Elijah! Think about it! However, the price has been paid for our healing, for it is written in 1 Peter Chapter 2, verse 24: ***“Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: BY WHOSE STRIPES YE WERE HEALED.”*** So, we claim that healing by faith! But as stated earlier, this body of flesh, this earthly tabernacle of ours, the house for our spirit man, has not yet been redeemed. The price has been paid for it, but it has not yet been redeemed or adopted. It is our soul that has been redeemed, and that is being redeemed today. That is what Apostle Paul declared that Flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God! But before we consider this fact, come

back with me to the Book of Romans Chapter 8. We take it from verse 18, for a material background. It states: ***“For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us. For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God. For the creature was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by reason of Him who hath subjected the same in hope, Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God. For we know that the whole creation groaneth and travaileth in pain together until now.”*** (Now pay attention to verse 23, for it states): ***“And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, WAITING FOR THE ADOPTION, TO WIT, THE REDEMPTION OF OUR BODY”*** (PHYSICAL)! And when will our physical bodies be redeemed? When we are changed at the rapture! For ***“if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead***

dwelt in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead SHALL ALSO QUICKEN YOUR MORTAL BODIES by His Spirit that dwelleth in you.” This undoubtedly confirms that our flesh is not yet redeemed, although the price has been paid for it. It has only been redeemed potentially. Right now, it is our soul that is being redeemed. That is why today, it is our soul that is being converted; it is our soul that is being transformed, not our physical body. That is precisely why in our fleshly body, we are growing older by each passing day, for it is perishing continuously, whilst our inner man is renewed day by day, just as the Scriptures declare, in 2 Corinthians Chapter 4, verse 16, saying: ***“... but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day.”*** If we are not supposed to be ill at all, like they teach, then why do we grow old at all, in our physical bodies? We are not supposed to grow old, if it is as they preach! Why do we then grow old? Why do we have wrinkles? Why do these preachers use glasses after a while? I wonder why we even die! The truth is, brothers and

sisters, when God redeems that body, even death cannot touch it anymore, let alone sickness. That is the essence of redemption! The essence of redemption is perfect life, eternal life! You did not hear me: The essence of redemption is life eternal! But right now, it is only our soul that possesses eternal life. But when the trump shall sound, and the dead in Christ rise, then our bodies will receive redemption, for it will be changed! Redemption in its application to our physical bodies, is what brings the change! It is the redemption striking or taking over our physical bodies! But until then, saints, it is very easy to catch any bacteria that flies around; we catch any and every little bug; we still battle with every little headache, sinus, arthritis, and all sorts. But we will have total deliverance one of these days. Hence, Apostle Paul declared: ***“And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body. For we are saved by hope: but hope that is seen is not hope: for what a man seeth, why***

doth he yet hope for? But if we hope for that we see not, then do we with patience wait for it.” (Rom. 8:23-25). In essence, brothers and sister, it simply means that our physical bodies do not yet make up part of the kingdom of God, which is the church, Christ's body. Brethren, now you will understand why, in 1 Corinthians Chapter 15, verse 50, Saint Paul stated: ***“Now this I say, brethren, that FLESH AND BLOOD CANNOT INHERIT THE KINGDOM OF GOD; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption.*”** But yet, the church is made up of a spirit filled body of saints that have flesh and blood! Yet, he says flesh and blood cannot inherit that kingdom. Why? Because only our soul is being redeemed today! As yet, only our soul possesses that kingdom; that spiritual kingdom in which God has put us by a spiritual birth, is possessed only by our inner man, for it is our inner man that is invested with the Spirit of God. And that has nothing to do with our physical bodies. So, it is our inner man that possesses the kingdom, because our soul is what has the Spirit of life, if we have had the Holy Ghost infilling. That is why

Paul said that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom right now, because it is not a literal kingdom that you can possess literally or physically. It is a spiritual kingdom that you possess with your soul, by the indwelling of the Holy Ghost. But yet, the people that possess that spiritual kingdom, are a people that have flesh and blood. But that part of us is the last aspect that God is going to touch, because right now, the adoption we have is the adoption of our souls, the redemption of our souls. Yes, the price has also been paid for the redemption of our physical bodies, but that has not yet been applied. We only have it redeemed potentially, but not in actuality. That is why we feel this weakness and sickness in our flesh. That is why we even still die. That is why we grow old, and catch every bug, every disease that goes around. But when redemption strikes our physical bodies, (Oh, my!), death no longer has hold; sickness no longer has hold. Are you listening to me? No more pain; no more sorrow; no more sadness; no more sickness; and no more death. All those things are

passed away! That is why I said, when that day comes, when the dead in Christ rise first, we will receive the adoption of our physical bodies, which will bring our physical change. That is when our physical bodies will be redeemed. That is why I said, there will be no more sickness hiding in any part of our bodies. You will not leave this world in wheel chairs, if you are still in one, for no one goes to heaven in the rapture, in a wheel chair, or as a cripple, blind, diseased, deaf, dumb, name it! One of these days, you will walk out of that wheel chair. I say that because there might be a child of God somewhere in this world, who is in a wheel chair, and is following the Continuing light of Jesus Christ. I say it for the comfort of God's people; for some are battling cancer, fibroids, arthritis, cataracts, you name it! Whatever it is, when that day comes, and that anointing comes, the power of life that raised up Jesus from the dead, when it comes to redeem this physical body of ours, brothers and sisters, an old man in this way of faith, will suddenly be transformed into sweet sixteen, and an old woman with flabby arms, and with wrinkles all

over, will be changed into a spectacle of beauty, sweet sixteen, gleaming in the prime of her youth. Church, from that day, and all through eternity, time without end, you will never age one more inch: You will be forever young! All through eternity, you will remain sweet sixteen. Ageing will no longer have a hold over you, for all through eternity, eons and eons of time, you will be forever young! Oh my! What a promise! What a promise! What can this miserable world offer that can be compared with that?! Let us live for this God. Let us live for Jesus. He is worth our all, literally. Jesus is worth our all. Let us give him our all. Let us live for him, because wonderful things are in store for those that love the Lord. ***“But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by His Spirit that dwelleth in you.”*** Church, what a promise! What a day is coming! What a promise, and what a day! If there is anything I am running after, if there is anything in this world I am chasing, it is that I might attain unto that day; that I might attain unto that

most glorious resurrection morning, when we will be changed, when we will be caught up in the clouds of heaven. I am living for that day.

Brethren, coming back to the main focus of our message, please remember this: What is going to bring about that change, and the rapture, is the power of God, working expressly through perfect faith. God has to give it to you, for it is divine revelation, and it solidly settles you. Faith is at rest. Faith is a revelation. And church, it has got to be a divine touch. It has got to be a supernatural touch; otherwise, you cannot have it. *Rapturing Faith*, the faith for rapture, is supernatural, for as I have been emphasising, it is the operation of the faith of Almighty God in you. Hence with it, you can literally say: MOUNTAIN, Move! That is the kind of faith Jesus was talking about when he said, ***“IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN...”*** But as stated earlier, this faith is guided by divine laws, and can only be operated under divine leadership, and to serve God's divine purpose. And let me just say this, since we are on

this subject: There is no measure of grace or anointing any man can receive, that can nullify God's will. You are only wasting your time trying to go against God's will. You will either do God's will, or God will strip you of that anointing and that grace. It is either of the two, because God does not give His anointing for any man to nullify His will; no man can nullify His plan of salvation. You will only undo yourself! Because His will remains firm, for God is sovereign! And as such, His will stands forever. You cannot nullify it. ***“IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN...”*** Saints of God, this truth of the Scriptures, investing us with the divine authority to speak, is ruled by the mind of God, and can only be expressed under the unction of the Spirit of God, for it is God's kind of faith in action in a man. That is the faith needed for the rapture, and as such, I have to say, that the faith for the rapture is coming. But let me also set forth a fundamental truth, bearing directly on possessing this faith, and it is this: As true as it is, that that faith is coming, you must understand that there is no living person that will go in the rapture, and there is absolutely no living

person that will receive this rapturing faith, EXCEPT and only EXCEPT, he has received the entire body of revealed truths of Jesus Christ contained in the Bible, (the pure revelation of the truths of Jesus), AND he has also adorned his soul with it. I am talking of **“the Present Truth”!** I say that to leave us in no doubt, that when *Rapturing Faith* drops down, there is absolutely nobody that will receive it, except the bride saints who have been made ready for the rapture! I repeat: Rapture Faith, or *Rapturing Faith*, which is a supernatural faith, will only be received by a body of people that have embraced the pure revelation of Jesus for today, to the extent that he has revealed it, AND have had their souls completely robed or adorned with that revelation. No one else will go in the rapture, who is not living this way. There is not one soul in any part of this globe, who will be in the rapture, who is not living this truth; who has not embraced this truth, and decked his soul with its perfect complete light. I wish to remind you that there is a special class of bride that Jesus Christ is coming back for. It is written: **“... Christ also loved the**

church, and gave himself for it; That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the Word, That he might present it to himself A GLORIOUS CHURCH, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.” (Eph.5 25-27). The beautiful bride is precisely what he is coming back for. He is accepting nothing else and nothing less. Thus saith the Lord in His Word. It means in essence, that the only bride Christ will receive unto himself, is the Word bride; the bride that has been fully washed with the washing of water by the Word, and every spot, every wrinkle, every blemish, every creed and dogma, every traditional and carnal conceptions of truth, which are all leaven, has been removed from her life, and she stands majestically, in the beauty and in the glory of the image of Jesus Christ. Period! And you cannot have such a bride, except she is firmly and faithfully following the Continuing and Climaxing revelation faith of Jesus Christ of the Bible! In other words, if you reject the present truth, Christ's Continuing

revelation, which we have from the pages of the Bible, (for his revelation is inherently progressive), you will certainly not smell *Rapturing Faith*, let alone possess it! I have to sound this serious and most crucial warning, because it makes no sense looking for *Rapturing Faith*, when you reject or nullify the only basis on which you can receive it! Precisely! It is utterly senseless looking for *Rapturing Faith*, when the condition on which you can receive it has been destroyed in your life! If you really want to go into the rapture, then look for the revealed faith of the Word! Look for truth, Christ's Progressive and Continuing truth! You have to, if you sincerely desire *Rapturing Faith*! Brothers and sisters, it is absolutely impossible to receive *Rapturing Faith* in that hour of time, simply by falling down and praying for it. It will not come to you, no matter how much you pray and fast, if you are not robed with the pure revelation faith of Jesus Christ contained in the Holy Scriptures! Period! The pure seed Word bride, a bride who is completely robed with the total revelation of the Word of God, one who will attain

and also stand in his full revelation image, is what God has ordained for Jesus Christ His Son! Therefore, No one can fall short of that faith and still possess Rapturing Faith! Otherwise, I will ask you: What do you think God's plan of Gentile salvation is all about? What do you think God has been doing for the past two thousand years? Playing games? Or is He merely wasting His time? You know God is getting a bride ready for His Son, just as He promised in His unfailing Word! Therefore, the material issue is not about fasting and praying for *Rapturing Faith*, that God may send it down, it is about getting your soul robed with the whole body of revealed faith! That is what is material! It is about receiving the present truth into the socket of your soul! That is what you should concern yourself with; because without the reception of the entire body of revealed truth, there is nobody that is going to smell *Rapturing Faith*. Only those that have imbibed the entire revealed Word, and have adorned their souls with the pure revelation of the Word, from the crown of their heads, to the soles of their feet, will receive *Rapturing Faith* when it

drops down! It is pure and simple! That is why it is very pitiful when people refuse or reject Christ's Continuity light. They certainly do not know what they are rejecting. Your emphasis must not be on seeking God's face for *Rapturing Faith*: Your emphasis should be on looking for the total body of revealed faith of Jesus Christ. That is what you seriously need to look for, as that is the passport to *Rapturing Faith*! If you want *Rapturing Faith*, look for the body of revealed faith God is giving the bride of Christ at this end time, and to the measure He is giving it, and stay with it, and robe your soul with it; because **THE REVELATION OF GOD IS NOT STATIC BUT PROGRESSIVE; IT IS CONTINUOUS!** God is ever revealing Himself, because we cannot know God enough. That is why as elect bride saints, we have been brought into the inner chamber of Matthew Chapter 25, verse 10! Jesus is therein revealing himself to his bride, in the secret chamber of the Word, on a level never before experienced. So, for you and for me tonight, our emphasis, pre-occupation, and focus, has to be on embracing and living the

truth of Jesus Christ for today, for only in so doing, will we be a sure candidate for *Rapturing Faith*. Simple! And if you think I am just making noise, then come with me, for this is much more serious than a lot of people realise. Look at Revelation Chapter 19, verse 7. This prophetic verse gives us a heavenly setting, the marriage setting in heaven. It records: ***“Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to Him”*** (who is God): ***“for the marriage of the Lamb is come”***, (meaning it has come), ***“and HIS WIFE HATH”***, (past tense), ***“MADE HERSELF READY.”*** When did she make herself ready? Back here on earth! How did she make herself ready? By receiving and being adorned with the entire body of revealed faith of Jesus Christ; truths God has given her at this evening time, by His Spirit, from the pages of the Bible. She not only received the complete faith, she also allowed it to adorn her soul, and to transform her life, thus enabling her to stand in Christ's full image, in Readiness for the rapture! That is what made her ready! That is her true readiness! And it is all by the grace of God. That is

why the Bible says: ***"SHE HATH MADE HERSELF READY!"*** And because she made herself ready, because she attained the full divine spiritual stature God has set for her, is the reason she is now in that setting in heaven, just about to be wed! But watch verse 8, for that is where I am going, being highly instructive. Remember, it is on earth that she has made herself ready, spiritually speaking. Now look at verse 8, for it declares: ***"And to her was GRANTED..."*** (Who granted it? God! It simply means that to her was given; Not that she had it before or prior to this time, for it is what she subsequently possessed, something she was subsequently given by God, having attained the spiritual image God required of her! God gave her something after she made herself ready! Wake up! We will take verse 8 again, but starting from verse 7): ***"Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to Him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready"*** (on earth, prior to the hour of this marriage! And because she hath made herself ready on earth): ***"... to her was GRANTED"*** (OR GIVEN),

"THAT SHE SHOULD BE ARRAYED IN FINE LINEN, CLEAN AND WHITE: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints." I will re-interpret or re-word it, in a way that brings out the true revelation of what God now grants her, based upon her readiness: ***"AND TO HER WAS GRANTED THAT SHE SHOULD BE CLOTHED WITH THE QUICKENING POWER."*** Yes! That is precisely it! Because she hath made herself ready, the quickening power of Jehovah God was released mightily upon her, and brothers and sisters, that is what brings about her change AND the rapture, for that is what comes upon her, just like the chariot of fire descended upon Elijah, at the time of his rapture! God possesses the bride completely, spirit, soul, and body! That instantly changes her mortal body, glorifying it completely and eternally, and translates her to heaven! ***"But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by His Spirit that dwelleth in you."*** IT IS THE SPIRIT OF ADOPTION OF OUR

FLESHLY BODIES! Glory to God in the highest! Amen! That is why the Holy Bible says: ***"And to her was GRANTED..."*** It is not what she had before; it is what God now gives to her, after she has made herself ready! We are looking strictly at the supernatural mega power God will release on the bride, to change and also take her out of this world. What then does that give us? That gives us nothing but God's quickening power, investing us with God's divine righteousness, for it comes by His Spirit! This is what ignites the rapture. This is when mortality will be swallowed up by immortality; the time when redemption will strike our physical bodies, and we will be like Christ, having glorified bodies! This is when corruption is also swallowed up by incorruption! We will all possess glorified bodies, new temples for our spirit man. It is a spiritual body, though material, possessing the power of life eternal. It is a supernatural body, making us superhuman beings; beings who are now above all natural laws existing in the whole universe, as wide, and as great, and as complex as it is! My! Every

cell, and every fibre, every tissue of our bodies, will be filled with God's anointing, for our physical bodies will be mightily anointed, and saturated with the power of God, the Spirit of God eternally melted or fused into our every being! This is when our bodies become adopted, possessed by the power of the Spirit of life. Nothing strange can affect it; nothing evil can touch it; not even death or time has any hold over that body; for sickness and pain are things of the past! We are now just like Angels, full of mega divine power and eternal glory! What an event! And what a divine investment God has ordained for us! That is why I said nobody will receive *Rapturing Faith*, without embracing the complete revelation of Jesus, AND also living it. So, if you want *Rapturing Faith*, that you may be in the rapture, believe the truths of Christ, to the measure he has given it, and live it. Believe it, stand for it, and live for it. And brethren, as long as you do that, you are certainly going to receive or partake of *Rapturing Faith*, because to you who make yourselves ready, it will be granted. (Brother Amos sings a chorus):

***This old world can never hold me,
Any moment I'll be gone,
For I've made my consecration,
And I have my wedding garment on.***

However, saints of God, the question still remains: When do we come in possession of Rapturing Faith? Is it just at the hour of rapture, or is it before then? When do we possess it? That is the question we still need to address. And for that, I want to show you something to prove the truth of its timing, for we already have a precedent in the written Word, a similar scenario. Come with me to the Word. The Book of 2 Kings Chapter 2, verses 1-9 records: ***“And it came to pass, WHEN THE LORD WOULD TAKE UP ELIJAH INTO HEAVEN BY A WHIRLWIND, that Elijah went with Elisha from Gilgal. And Elijah said unto Elisha, Tarry here, I pray thee; for the Lord hath sent me to Bethel. And Elisha said unto him, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. So they went down to Bethel.”*** (Hold it there, and pay attention. This definitely shows that

Elijah knew that the hour of his translation had come, and he was going to go without even telling Elisha. But God had also revealed it to Elisha, and therefore, Elisha was not going to leave Elijah for one second, knowing he needed the double portion of Elijah's anointing, in order to successfully succeed him. And all that was setting a type of something, for it set a perfect type of the reality of the end time. However, the truth remains that Elijah knew he was in the hour of his rapture, and he was prepared for it. He was even making his way from Gilgal, to the very location ordained of God for the rapture, making two deliberate stops on the way, first at Bethel, and then at Jericho, before finally crossing over Jordan, to the rapture spot, showing evidently that he already possessed rapturing faith! He was absolutely ready for it, and was going to the place where it would happen, thus displaying or evidencing his faith, which is *Rapturing Faith*! Absolutely! Verse 3 records): ***“And the sons of the prophets that were at Bethel came forth to Elisha, and said unto him, Knowest thou that the Lord will take away thy***

master from thy head to day? And he said, Yea, I know it; hold ye your peace. And Elijah said unto him, Elisha, tarry here, I pray thee; for the Lord hath sent me to Jericho. And he said, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. So they came to Jericho. And the sons of the prophets that were at Jericho came to Elisha, and said unto him, Knowest thou that the Lord will take away thy master from thy head to day? And he answered, Yea, I know it; hold ye your peace." (Brothers and sisters, the fact that everywhere they went at this time, the entire body of ministry were already in expectation, for they knew that the Lord was going to take Elijah, shows that God had revealed to them, both the event, and the period in which it would happen, and it caused quite a stir, in that hour of time! Something was going on in the camp of God's people! This sets a perfect type of the hour of the Seven Thunders, when the entire body of Ephesian fivefold ministry will know that we are now in the period or season of time, when the rapture will certainly take place, and all will be in high expectation,

and all will be experiencing a great revival in the bride, immediately preceding the rapture! This definitely shows that by the time we enter the hour of the Seven Thunders, *Rapturing Faith* is here for it drops down. The faith for rapture is here, for God has sent it down. It is an hour, when as Jesus declared: "IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN"! But please, do not try to fit every detail you see in that Old Testament scenario, into the New Testament scenario that is ahead, for it is a mere type. Let us continue with the Bible account. Verse 6 records): "**And Elijah said unto him, Tarry, I pray thee, here; for the Lord hath sent me to Jordan. And he said, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. And they two went on. And fifty men of the sons of the prophets went, and stood to view afar off: and they two stood by Jordan. And Elijah took his mantle, and wrapped it together, and smote the waters, and they were divided hither and thither, so that they two went over on dry ground.**" (Now watch verse 9, for it confirms the *Rapturing Faith* Elijah

already possessed, ever before the chariot of fire came down! It records, saying): "**And it came to pass, when they were gone over**" (Jordan), "**that Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, BEFORE I BE TAKEN AWAY FROM THEE.** And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me." This is *Rapturing Faith* in plain expression: "IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN"! (And what did Elijah say to that Mountainous request? What did he say to that Mountain? I feel religious! Oh my! Watch verse 10, for it records): "**And HE**" (ELIJAH) "**SAID, Thou hast asked a hard thing: nevertheless, IF THOU SEE ME when I am taken from thee, IT SHALL BE SO UNTO THEE; but if not, it shall not be so.**" Glory to God! "IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN"! I feel like jumping out of my skin! My! Now watch verses 11-15, for it shows the immediate result of the word of faith Elijah spoke forth: "**And it came to pass, as they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah**

went up by a whirlwind into heaven. And Elisha saw it, and he cried, My father, my father, the chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof. And he saw him no more: and he took hold of his own clothes, and rent them in two pieces. He took up also the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and went back, and stood by the bank of Jordan; And he took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah? and when he also had smitten the waters, they parted hither and thither: and Elisha went over. And when the sons of the prophets which were to view at Jericho saw him, they said, The Spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha. AND THEY CAME TO MEET HIM, AND BOWED THEMSELVES TO THE GROUND BEFORE HIM.

“IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN”! Brothers and sisters, *Rapturing Faith* was already here on display, when the hour came for Elijah to be raptured! That lets us know assuredly, that when the hour of the Seven Thunders arrives, God will anoint the bride of Christ with His own faith, God's kind of faith, and *Rapturing*

Faith will drop down into the hearts of all true bride elects, and at that time, they will be speaking things into existence, firmly declaring: ***“I SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN...”!!!*** Glory to be God! My! Brothers and sisters, *Rapturing Faith* is coming. But you will not have it outside of the followership of revealed truth. So, uphold the truth, and leave *Rapturing Faith* to God. But by the time the bride has been seriously and effectively dealt with by the re-established original substantive fivefold ministry, of plural apostles, plural prophets, plural evangelists, plural pastors, and plural teachers, raised up from one coast to the other around this world, from the nations making up the end time bride, bringing Perfect Unity AND Spiritual Maturity to the universal body of saints, Jesus will then break the seventh seal in heaven. Church, when he does that, he comes down to earth in the Spirit, expressed in the form of a mighty Angel of Revelation Chapter 10, verses 1-2, and the ministry of the Seven Thunders will be activated. *Rapturing Faith* will drop down! Let me tell you this: When the Seven Thunders

are dealing with us on this side, as Gentiles, they are literally going to usher us into the Last Week of Daniel, with Apostle John in the lead; because the rapture is contingent or subject to the introduction of the Anti-Christ, the Pope of Rome, as the head of the European Union, just as we have seen earlier. But on the other side, you also have the two Jewish prophets, two modern day Jews: Moses and Elijah, dealing with the nation of Israel. As they are dealing with the Jews, and they begin to create a stir in Israel, off we go! But at that time, saints of God, from the ministry of the thunders, we will be hearing things we have never heard before. There are some precious words, wonderful prophetic insights that will be dropping from the mouths of the seven thunders, deep things, things that are buried only in God's mind, things that will lift our faith. As God begins to give it to them, and they in turn give it to us, brothers and sisters, in our souls, we are hitting the roof, because of its incredible revelatory stimulating power! Seeing that the seventh and final seal would have been broken in that day, consequent upon which the

ministry of the seven thunders are then activated, we will therefore know, scripturally speaking, that time has eventually evolved into the season of the rapture, for which we will be prepared by the thunders. And in that hour of time, our faith is going to rise to a level we never knew was possible, a level we never before experienced. It is *Rapturing Faith* in operation in our souls! The thunders are going to give us specific knowledge of certain material events of that hour, prophetically; things that are to take place on the earth in that day, as sign posts. And also, they will give us a time frame, relative to the rapture. No, we will not know the very day of the rapture, and we will not know the specific hour, and we do not need to know! However, we will know within the proximity of a set prophetic time, which the seven thunders will give to us, the period of time the rapture will be, barring the particular day, and also barring the particular hour of rapture. Elijah knew the period had come, and even the time, and so did Enoch. So, why will we not know, to a set time limit, which will not offend the Scriptures? Consequently, we will know, not just the season of

rapture, for the Bible already gives that to us, being the hour of the seven thunders, and also being at the opening of the last week of Daniel, but we will also know the set time frame for the rapture, say in terms of weeks, for instance, by deep prophetic insight! We definitely will! Jesus Christ did not say that nobody knows the season of rapture, for Apostle Paul gave that to us by the Spirit of Christ; and neither did he ever say that nobody knows the set time frame of the rapture. He said over and over again, that nobody knows that very day AND hour! Period!

In Matthew Chapter 24, verses 35-51, our Lord clearly states: ***“Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away. But of THAT DAY AND HOUR KNOWETH NO MAN, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only. But as the days of Noe were, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. For as in the days that were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until THE DAY that Noe entered into the ark, And knew not until***

the flood came, and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. Then shall two be in the field; the one shall be taken, and the other left. Two women shall be grinding at the mill; the one shall be taken, and the other left.” (Now watch verse 42, for Jesus repeats precisely what we will not know, saying): ***“W a t c h therefore: for ye know not WHAT HOUR your Lord doth come. But know this, that if the goodman of the house had known in what watch the thief would come, he would have watched, and would not have suffered his house to be broken up.”***

(Jesus again repeats what we will not know, saying): ***“Therefore be ye also ready: for in such AN HOUR as ye think not the Son of man cometh. Who then is a faithful and wise servant, whom his lord hath made ruler over his household, to give them meat in due season? Blessed is that servant, whom his lord when he cometh shall find so doing. Verily I say unto you, That he shall make him ruler over all his goods. But and if that evil servant shall say in his heart, My lord delayeth***

his coming; And shall begin to smite his fellow servants, and to eat and drink with the drunken;" (Jesus reaffirms this truth in verse 50, declaring): ***"The lord of that servant shall come IN A DAY when he looketh not for him, AND IN AN HOUR that he is not aware of, And shall cut him asunder, and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth."*** What the Scriptures say we will not know, is the VERY DAY and THE HOUR of rapture. Full stop! You cannot stretch that to say that we cannot know within the proximity of a set prophetic frame of time, for that is precisely part of the unwritten secret which the seven thunders hold, and that is also precisely why the mighty Angel swears as to the closure of time for us Gentiles, in verses 5-6, of Revelation Chapter 10! Moreover, we already see a pattern in the Word of God, for Elijah knew the time, when his rapture was to take place! Furthermore, the fact that people are carnally setting dates and times for rapture, all over the globe, without any due recourse to the Word of God, and without any recourse to God's revealed

plot of salvation, and without recourse to the set junction of time scripturally ordained for the rapture, coupled with the fact that these dates have been failing, does not mean that the seven thunders, who are the only ministers God has ordained to carry unwritten divine insights into the rapture, will not know the time frame of rapture, say within a frame of weeks! They will know, for that is precisely why they are thunders, bearing unwritten revelation! The difference their prophetic utterances will make to the bride, compared with all these other carnal time setters, is that their time frame will not fail, for they are specifically ordained of God to carry God's unwritten insights, concerning the rapture event itself! Period! That is the difference! Thus saith the revelation of the Word of God! Revelation Chapter 10, verses 3-6 records: ***"And" (the mighty Angel) "cried with a loud voice, as when a lion roareth: and when he had cried, SEVEN THUNDERS UTTERED THEIR VOICES. And when the seven thunders had uttered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from***

heaven saying unto me, Seal up those things which the seven thunders uttered, and WRITE THEM NOT. And the Angel which I saw stand upon the sea and upon the earth lifted up his hand to heaven, And swore by Him that liveth for ever and ever, who created heaven, and the things that therein are, and the earth, and the things that therein are, and the sea, and the things which are therein, THAT THERE SHOULD BE TIME NO LONGER." Listen to the prophetic insight the Lord Jesus gave his prophet-star messenger in 1963, concerning the seventh seal, under which the ministry of the seven thunders will be ignited. I edited the quote of Brother Branham language wise, only in a small measure, for smoother reading, without affecting his thought. He laid out his prophetic insight concerning the seven thunders in his message titled, *The Seven Seals*, page 576, paragraph 3, declaring: ***"Now, there was some reason that God let this seven voices thundered, BECAUSE IT MUST COME. See? For they" (must come). "We find that Christ, the***

Lamb, took the Book in his hand, and he opened that seventh seal. But you see, it's a hidden mystery. No one knows it. But right along with what he said that No one would know his coming, they also would not know about this seven thunder mystery. SO YOU SEE, IT'S CONNECTED TOGETHER." (Back on page 575, paragraph 6, he declared): **"Did you notice when the Jews asked him that?"** (When the Jews asked Jesus when the end events shall be?) **"You know when we compared the Scripture here in Matthew 24 with the Six Seals, the Seventh Seal was left out; because, you see, Christ said only God Himself, knew – not even the Angels. No wonder, it wasn't even written. You see, they hushed – nothing taken place then."** (Now listen to what Brother Branham says next, for he plainly declared, saying categorically): **"Angels don't know it; nobody knows when he's coming. But there'll be a... THERE'LL BE SEVEN VOICES OF THESE THUNDERS THAT WILL REVEAL THE GREAT REVELATION AT THAT TIME."** That is simply to show you that the seven

thunders are carrying a prophetic insight specifically concerning the rapture, which is the return of the Lord Jesus, which is an unwritten revelation God reserved strictly for the seven thunders to bear! Therefore, they will carry a divine revelation as to the specific time frame for the rapture. It will not offend what Jesus said, that no one will know the exact day, and the exact hour! Moreover, it is also written, **"Scripture cannot be broken!"** Period! Brothers and sisters, we will know something relating to that time of rapture, in that day, and not before the hour of the thunders, and certainly not by any other class of ministry! Full stop! We will not be given the day and the hour of rapture, but there are other things buried in God's mind, which we will have in that day. And when it begins to come, it will create a great stimulation in our souls. It will create a serious stirring, bringing unparalleled and unspeakable joy in our hearts. Brothers and sisters, we know in that day that we are coming out of this world. We know our days on earth are now literally numbered. This is the season of **Rapturing**

Faith: "IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!" Listen to this. When Brother Branham was preaching in 1963 on *The Seven Seals*, he spoke gloriously concerning the hour of the seven thunders, whilst preaching on the Fourth Seal. On page 271, paragraph 1, he declared prophetically, saying: **"... WAIT TILL THEM SEVEN THUNDERS UTTER THEIR VOICES to that group",** (which is the bride group), **"who really can take the Word of God and hand it there! It will slice and cut. THEY CAN CLOSE THE HEAVENS; THEY CAN SHUT THIS OR DO WHATEVER THEY WANT TO. Glory!"** This is *Rapturing Faith: "IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN!"* Under that prophetic anointing, God is going to give the bride the last say. A prophetic message coming directly from God above, will also be taken in that day to kings and presidents, for they will be told things that God has in His mind concerning them, and the affairs of their countries, in that hour. Church, but when the day of rapture finally rolls in, wherever you may be, and whatever you may be doing, you will have a gentle tap on your shoulder,

and when you look back: It is Brother Jackson! Who does not know him in the following of the bride? At least you have seen his face on the pages of the Contender! Oh, my! He has a very sweet, very soft, gentle smile on his face, and he is glowing majestically like the full moon in total darkness. No, you do not see a scar on his forehead. Forget it! All that is gone! It will not be there, for he has been raised incorruptible, bearing a divine glorified body! And before you know it, in that instant, you are changed! My! And you are whisked up to glory by the power of God, towards that great light, shining like the sun in its full strength, that light is Jesus, as he waits in the clouds for us. You look up, and you see the others as they are joining the spectacular convoy in the air. Brothers and sisters, our joy will know no bounds. We will have no words to convey the joy that completely saturates and bubbles in our souls. What a day! And what an event! What a promise!

Saints of God, what a privilege we have, that we can understand the ways of our God, and the great plan He has for us. What a great

privilege, that we are able to see the precious truths of Jesus Christ, hidden from the wise and the prudent of this world. What a privilege! What a great privilege! Sages of old sought to know these things. These are things Jesus said Angels, prophets, and many righteous men, sought to pry into, and it was not given to them. Jesus rejoiced in the Spirit one day, and the Bible records: ***“In that hour Jesus rejoiced in Spirit, and said, I thank thee, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, that thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes: even so, Father; for so it seemed good in thy sight. All things are delivered to me of my Father: and no man knoweth who the Son is, but the Father; and who the Father is, but the Son, and he to whom the Son will reveal him. And he turned him unto his disciples, and said privately, Blessed are the eyes which see the things that ye see: For I tell you, that many prophets and kings have desired to see those things which ye see, and have not seen them; and to hear those things***

which ye hear, and have not heard them.” (Luke 10:21-24). God reveals these things only unto babes, *“such as will learn”*, Brother Branham usually added. Because babies are teachable! They do not know a lot, and as such, they are humble, open minded, and receptive, bearing pure hearts. God wants us to be just like that. Saints of God, I repeat: It serves no purpose dreaming about *Rapturing Faith*, if you will not embrace the body of revealed truths God is giving the bride at this evening time, from the pages of the Bible, causing the Word of God to be an open Book. You will have to be a person that is open and receptive to it, and you will have to allow it to work upon your life. This is a way we have never walked before, and as such, we have to look to Jesus for his leadership. We need his leadership, and so, we need his light. So, there is certainly a connection between *Rapturing Faith*, AND the body of revealed truths. What is the connection? The connection is this: You cannot receive *Rapturing Faith* without accepting and living the entire body of revealed truths, for it is by

so doing that you will make yourself ready! And what precisely makes up the body of revealed truths? For our visiting brothers and sisters, I will spell it out in simple terms: It is the totality of the revelations of Jesus Christ we receive at this evening time, from God's Holy Bible, FIRST, from Elijah of Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B; SECONDLY, from the Chief Apostle of the end time, the beginning office of the end time apostolic fathers of Malachi Chapter 4, verse 6B, and Romans Chapter 11, verse 13; and THIRDLY, from Revelation Chapter 10, verse 11 "John", the lead apostle of this hour. They were sent successively, to carry the pure revelation message of the Word, which the bride of Christ will use to adorn her soul for the rapture, a Continuing message which the Ephesian ministry body will use to prepare the bride. Period! Outside the followership of the truth of the Word, nobody is going to make it in as bride. We have got to follow the light. I am simply saying, if you are looking for *Rapturing Faith*, look for the revealed truth of Jesus Christ. Period! There you will get *Rapturing Faith*, when we move into the hour of the thunders, seven thunders who themselves

are none other than seven apostles known unto God, men who are standing firmly and faithfully for the Progressive AND Continuing light of our Saviour Jesus Christ! Period! Therefore, follow the light, and you will get *Rapturing Faith*; because truth will certainly lead you to it. There is no other way to have it, but to follow this glorious progressive light of Christ. And indeed, God has reserved the best for the last. It is not about men; it is about the dealership of God's Spirit; what God has ordained He will do; and the spectacular level He has ordained to do it. Brother Branham came, and he said, "*The best is yet to come.*" Brother Jackson also came, and he also said, "*The best is yet to come.*" They both pushed it into the future. But now I announce to you, "*The best is now about to be manifested.*" And you all know we are ordained by the sheer grace of God to make up that best, for wonderful things are in store for the end time bride of Christ. What a special people the bride is! And truly, we are a special people. You know why? Because in God's eyes, we are special; not by virtue of any goodness on our part,

but on account of God's sovereign elective love. God therefore has reserved His best dealing in the wrapping up of everything, because the finish makes the difference. And brethren, we are going to leave this world with a spiritual "bang"! Oh, my! And it will all be because you have been humble and "foolish" enough to believe the truth of Jesus Christ. I say we are foolish enough, because the world count this way as foolishness. So, I will rather be a fool for Christ, and obtain eternal life, than to be wise, with my chest out, and wind up gnashing my teeth in hell, having been a fool for the devil! Brothers and sisters, this world is a most useless and unbelieving world, completely bankrupt and utterly godless! Just stay with the revealed Word, and let it robe your soul, for we are not punching the air. Remember, there is nobody that will smell *Rapturing Faith*, without putting on the wedding garment. He must have the wedding garment. The wedding garment is the pure revelation of Jesus of the Scriptures, sown into the sockets of our souls, by the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. It is what gets us ready. And we need to be

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Come with me to Hebrews Chapter 11, and we will close. We will take verse 5: **“By faith Enoch was TRANSLATED that he should not see death”**, (and so he “cheated” death, just as some of us will do today); **“and was not found”**, (relatives and friend having searched everywhere for him to no avail), **“BECAUSE GOD HAD TRANSLATED HIM: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God.”**

Brothers and sisters, I want to emphasise the fact that Enoch was raptured, based absolutely upon the fact that he pleased God, for that is precisely what this Scripture gives to us. It is written: **“FOR BEFORE HIS TRANSLATION HE HAD THIS TESTIMONY, THAT HE PLEASSED GOD.”** God took him, because he pleased God. God let him cheat death, because he pleased God. And the next verse tells us firmly and categorically: **“But without faith IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO PLEASE HIM”** (WHO IS GOD). Without divine revelation, which is true faith, it is absolutely impossible to please God, no matter how much you try, and no matter what you do, and no matter

the sacrifices you make! Tell me: Just how will you please God, when you do not even know His ways and His works; you do not know His dealings; you have no clue to His mind, His will, for the day and the hour you live in; you cannot see His plot, and what He is doing in the earth, in the light of His revealed plan of Gentile salvation, on behalf of God's people; you are completely ignorant of the Present Bible Truth; and you have no idea what God has ordained to be done, and how He will do it, and you want to please God? How will you do it? You want to please God by what He gave over forty years ago, and you do not think that He is a present tense God, the great I AM, a God who has present tense light, being the only living God? You are simply wasting your time and fooling yourself, looking and praying for *Rapturing Faith*, for you will not smell it! **“But without faith IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO PLEASE HIM”!** It is written: **“By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: FOR BEFORE HIS TRANSLATION HE HAD THIS TESTIMONY, THAT**

HE PLEASSED GOD.”

What is the Spirit saying to this age, and in this very junction of time? What is the mind of the Spirit? Enoch received *Rapturing Faith*, and he was translated, because he pleased God. In other words: Enoch made himself ready, and so God sent the quickening power to get him! He was translated, because he pleased God! And God added that without divine revelation, it is impossible to please God; meaning that it is absolutely impossible to get yourself ready for the rapture, without your soul being robed with the pure divine revelation of the Word of God! You will only be walking blindly, and serving God blindly! And every blind man in this way of faith has to fall in the ditch! You can only walk with God by faith, which is nothing but divine revelation of His Word! Merely trying to serve God is not good enough, for you will still not make it! If you are not walking strictly according to the light of Jesus Christ His Son, who is our true righteousness, your best is not good enough, for God is not looking for your best, but for your obedience, for salvation is of God, being a gift! I repeat: God is not

looking for your best; He is looking for your obedience. When you have an obedient heart, when there is obedience in your heart, you will give Him your all. You will! And so you will also have a testimony that you pleased God! And make no mistake about it: The bride will have a testimony that she pleased God. Hence it is written: ***“Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to Him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready. AND TO HER WAS GRANTED that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.”*** Because she pleased God, attaining the spiritual stature God set for her; because she hath made herself ready like Enoch, God first sent down Rapturing Faith to her heart, and then He sent the quickening power to rapture her to heaven for the proper wedding! She has the same testimony! She is leaving the same testimony as Enoch! For without faith, no one can be made ready, let alone receive the quickening power of divine approval!!!

Church, the end time bride

will make herself ready, as John stated in his divine prophetic preview, and God will anoint her with the *Rapturing Faith*, at the hour of the seven thunders, and she will firmly and unflinchingly declare: ***“I SAY UNTO THIS MOUNTAIN, MOVE!”*** And the Mountain will move! She will leave behind the same testimony as Enoch and Elijah did. Do not forget that Enoch was the seventh from Adam, just as we are the seventh age bride from the Ephesian bride. There was rapture for that seventh generation elect seed from Adam, and there is rapture for the seventh church age bride seeds today, for Enoch set a perfect type of the end time bride. There will be a bride in this age, and church, I thank God we are part of her. This is the day God is preparing a bride for translation. What we share tonight is not for the wise and the prudent of this world. It is for the simple hearted children of Almighty God; elect children who are foolish enough to believe God's Word; foolish enough to believe the Bible as their absolute, and as the infallible and unchanging Word of God, and who walk in the light of it. Rapturing Faith is solely for them. Let us therefore appreciate the

truth of Jesus Christ, and let us walk in the light of it, for God has not left our soul in darkness. It shall be well with our souls. Brothers and sisters, this is the third and final move of God for the bride, in this last age, and three is the number of perfection. God is perfect in three. This is the hour of perfection by the original Ephesian ministry God will put together. And it is certainly in this move that we are going in the rapture. Think about it, for we can see the Bible plot! It is later than you think. But glorious times are ahead for the true bride. And as such, we will walk in the light, the beautiful light. ***“IF YE SHALL SAY TO THIS MOUNTAIN”! THIS IS RAP TURING FAITH***, the faith needed for the rapture, for it is God's kind of faith, faith having God's creative power backing it up, for it is God's unctioining of faith operating in His seeds. This is the portion of the bride of Christ, the royal seeds of Abraham; for it is written in Isaiah Chapter 8, verse 18: ***“Behold, I and the children whom the Lord hath given me ARE FOR SIGNS AND FOR WONDERS in Israel from the Lord of hosts, which dwelleth in mount Zion.”*** Amen. May God bless you.



*Howbeit we speak wisdom among them that are perfect: yet not the wisdom of this world, nor of the princes of this world, that come to nought: But we speak the wisdom of God in a mystery, even the hidden wisdom, which God ordained before the world unto our glory.
- I Corinthians 2:6-7.*

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