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FOREWORD

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Excerpt:

Then Seven Thunders uttered their Voices! The Book is opened! Lo, I come (in the volume of the Book...) [Hebrews 10:7 -Ed.] He took the law, and the Psalms, and the prophets; all things! Here was the Word, Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever, coming back. "The fullness of the Word," he said "coming into existence in the last days." The whole Secret of God opened up through the Seven Seals, to show us how to prepare for great translation faith.

What a place where the Church should be in this hour, to know our Day, recognize our Day, recognize our Message, recognize the Son of Man came in the Cloud with power and great glory; recognize this is the hour of restoration, not reformation; restoration. Elijah truly shall come and restore all Things [Matthew 17:11 –Ed.] (See?) to literally turn the hearts of the children back to the faith of the fathers [Malachi 4:6 –Ed.]; showed the vision and showed the Bride coming, marching onward Christian soldiers from all nations of the world. And that first Bride and the last Bride were the same Bride; She comes back around a second time. Like the grain goes down in the ground, then comes the stalk, the tassel, the husk, but the grain appears again, the same grain that went down, in the same image. You see? [Page 20 & 21]

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Amen. Let's bow our hearts for a word of prayer.

Beloved Jesus, we bow our hearts to the dust of the earth, dear God, from whence You've taken us. And our souls look up to You, Thou Lamb of Calvary, praying tonight that Lord, Your Holy Spirit would overshadow us in such a way, that everything, dear God, that You see needful to be removed, weak things to strengthened, dark places to illuminate, Lord, with the impartation of Your Truth, that Lord, we could be drawn closer to You, until, dear God, we can see clearly the time and the season that we are living in, the Scriptures promised for this time and Lord, the conviction, the deepness of that conviction, Lord, to make ourselves so completely available to that Word that we might be bound in the chains of that Word, becoming prisoners to You that You could have the oversight and the leading. Lord, You could have the preeminence, dear God, in every life here tonight, and oh God, that we can walk in a place of greater faith than we have ever walked in, Lord, knowing that we are elected, called, anointed, and being placed in this hour positionally, that the Head and the Body could be in such holy union, that Lord, it will be You walking in our feet, speaking through our lips, thinking with our minds, believing with our hearts, working with our hands, until every move that we make reflect You, dear Jesus. May You grant it, Father.

We thank You tonight for every brother and every sister. We thank You for Your beloved servant, dear God, the pastor of this church. We thank You for the helps, the governments; Lord, all that stand, dear God, rallying around the gift that You've given them. And dear God, how we pray that You would just continue, oh God, to perfect, dear God, Lord, everything, that this could be a church with such a ripened faith in this hour, oh God, a church that laid in the Presence of the Son as we have been instructed by Your Prophet, dear God, until that Word bathed down in the heart, tender up in the spirit, gets sweet, oh God; Father that we could be such a true reflection of You in this hour. May You grant it, tonight.

Lord, blot out everything that is not of You. Everything that could be a hindrance tonight, may You remove it, dear God, that You could draw our souls into such a place, Father, we could become the anointed Spirit-filled Church of the living God, Lord God, reporting for duty and service that, Lord, all that You desire to do by and through the members of Your Bride in this hour, Lord, could be accomplished.

We thank You in advance for what You will do. May You get honor and glory. Lead and direct us in everything that is to be said and done. May it issue forth from You. May it be according to Your Divine approval, dear God. We ask it that You alone would be seen and Your Name would be glorified and be admired in all them that believe and You will fulfill the work of faith with power as You promised to do in this hour. May You grant it, Father, in the Name of Jesus Christ, amen, and amen.

Pleasant good night, tonight. And, we're very happy to be in your company once again. I want to also extend my respects and greetings to the servant of God, the pastor there, of Living Word Tabernacle, Bro. Chris Maritz. I'm glad to see him tonight. I remember when we were here in May, he came down to one of the

meetings and we were able to meet and get a little acquainted by the grace of God. Amen.

You know this has been a... Well, you know now, who is the President of United States, who is your 45th president. So now, if the others had to fulfill the Word that was already written, the portion that they were allotted to fulfill, this one is just going to do his portion. That's right.

And the same way the thing that is written for the Bride, and Luther fulfilled his portion, Wesley fulfilled his portion, the Pentecostals fulfilled their portion, the Prophet fulfilled his portion, and there is a portion left for the Bride in this hour, the living Bride, standing here. So you are born into the earth; you are expressed in the earth and you are led by the Spirit to quicken you and bring those Words to life. Amen.

So we have our prophecies, and the United States has their prophecies. You know that? Russia has their prophecies. Rome has their prophecies. Israel has their prophecies. It will be futile tonight for us to try to fulfill Israel's prophecies. Amen. And if you try to fulfill Jezebel's prophecies, it means to say you don't understand who you are. Amen. See? Because they are predestinated to a portion of Word. They are designed to match that Word. They are given the potentials to operate those things that those things could be fulfilled in them. That's right.

And so, we desire that God would make clear to us, the things that we are called to fulfill – to recognize these things. Because we attend services, this is a great part of what we do because faith comes by hearing and we gather together: where two or three are gathered together in His Name [Matthew 18:20 –Ed.], but we're called way beyond church attendance. Amen. We're called to recognize.

While Bro. Branham was attending the assembly, you know, going to church, standing at his post of duty in Jeffersonville, he knew his name was in the Book; and

the same way you have to know yours. And many of you know yours and you have to start to believe that's you. You start to believe that's you.

They say, "Who are you? Are you the Bride? Are you the foolish virgins? Are you part of the ecumenical move?"

You say, "Oh no, I'm part of the Bride."

Amen. Then the next step you want is to live like it, to walk like it, to confess it so it could operate in and through us. Wouldn't that be something? Amen. You can't beat your type. You can do what you want. Something will make you look at Ruth and say, "That's me." Something is going to make you look at Sarah to be changed in the days after the Son of man is revealed and say, "That is me." You can't help it. Amen. Your mind will want to tell you something different and you'll find your soul moving towards it because this is what you're born for. Unto this end were you born; for this cause, you came into the world: to bear witness of these Truths. Amen. Praise His wonderful Name.

I would like to invite your attention tonight quickly, as we know how this time goes. Tonight is the last night. You know one time Paul was preaching somewhere in the Bible, and he was getting ready to travel. The Bible said he preached all night. It says Eutychus was sitting in the window; he got sleepy and fell through the window and died. Thank God He put us in the basement tonight. Nobody is falling any place. You fall on the floor, you fall on the carpet; you could just go straight to sleep by the grace of God, and get a spiritual dream, too. Amen. So if things go on, you have nothing to worry about, everything is under His Divine control tonight by the grace of God. Amen. So we thank God for that.

I would like to invite your attention to the Book of Revelation, Chapter 13. I would take for a title tonight, "THE REPEATING OF ISRAEL'S HISTORY IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—IN THE USA". "THE

REPEATING OF ISRAEL'S HISTORY IN THE USA". And we want to look at "This Mystery Of The Two Beasts In This Breach Between The Trumpets And The Vials". You know, I'd mentioned that to you in the service, and I'm just trying tonight to pull some places together of places that I couldn't get to in the service, places we fellowshipped around. But just to fill in some places, give a little more Light that it can become clearer to you, that when you go in your own study and you begin to read, and I can refer places in the Message, and you can make reference because I think it's very important now that we understand these Things. Amen.

As I told you, I felt so moved to come at this time. And God truly did bless us in fellowship around the Word: the pastor, myself, and the brothers when they were there – very, very wonderful time. Revelation 13, verse 1:

¹ And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea,

From the time we read: ...a beast rise up out from the sea, if you're a Bible reader, it takes you straight to Daniel 7. It takes you straight to Daniel 7. He saw four beasts rising up out of the sea, and those beasts were powers. It was the kingdoms that God had shown to Daniel back there.

...having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.

² And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as the feet of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion:

Now if you know... If you go and read Daniel, Chapter 7—which we won't have time; I refer it to you. I know you are taught and I just refer to stimulate your remembrance. But the beasts that came to Daniel: one was like a lion, one was like a bear, one was like a leopard, and the other one was really like a monster.

But here in Revelation 13, we are seeing these three beasts represented here: the leopard, the lion, the bear; and we are seeing them together like a composite beast. Now, you know in nature there is no such beast, but this is a revelation.

You could see a bear—I think Bro. Joe shot a bear. I saw the picture of the bear. See? So maybe this is something, Joe. Straight through the neck, he shot the bear. [Bro. Vin chuckles -Ed.] Brother, I tell you. You see?

So then look at these three beasts here. And it says: ...and the dragon gave him his power, and his seat, and great authority.

Well if you go back to Chapter 12, it will tell you who the dragon is. It tells you it was a great red dragon there, who had a tail that pulled down the stars from heaven, one-third of the stars. Because this is Revelation 13, following Revelation 12. So, you know when John wrote, he didn't put Chapters 1, 2, 3 and 4. He was writing visions. So the visions in Chapter 12, they just continue on here because they relate; because they bring up the dragon who gave him his authority. And if you are familiar with Chapter 12, it's very easy to understand.

³ And I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death; and his deadly wound was healed: and all the world wondered after the beast.

⁴ And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?

This beast—you know beast in the Bible represents power. Bro. Branham said, "This is political power here," just like the beast Rebekah rode on that Isaac sent for her (the camel) also represents power. He said, "That represents spiritual power, Holy Ghost power." She rode; the bride coming on the power. Because

Eliezer had gotten that beast from Isaac. The bridegroom had sent raiment, jewels, and the beast, which are the gifts of the Spirit, the clothes of the Word, and the power of the Holy Spirit. And then she came and got the giver himself. Think of it. She came and got the giver himself. So watch.

⁵ And there was given unto him a mouth...

Notice, first It says power was *given* unto him; now, It says there was *given* unto him. See? *Given* is *given* by *God*. This is in God's permissive will; God is giving this. It says: And a sword was *given* to take peace from the earth. And power is *given* them to kill one-fourth part of the earth under your fourth seal. [Revelation 6:4&8 –Ed.] See? Power is *given*. "A key was *given* unto him" in another place.

- ⁵ [So] there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and power was given unto him to continue forty and two months.
- ⁶ And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven.
- ⁷ And it was given unto him to make war with the saints, and to overcome them:

It's even *given* him to overcome them. See? This is tribulation saints of course because the Bride goes in the Rapture.

...and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations.

And we see that today because in Chapter 17 it tells you, He drunken the kings of the earth and all the inhabitants of the earth. See?

⁸ And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world.

So this concludes – verses 1 to 8, this beast, this first beast that comes up out of the sea. It tells us how he was like a leopard, how his feet were like a feet of a bear, his mouth like the mouth of a lion, and how the dragon gave him his power and his seat and authority. And it tells you how one of his heads was wounded unto death; the deadly wound was healed and all the world wondered.

And the Prophet showed us how that's pagan Rome when they were defeated and then the nation was dying, so to speak, as a political empire. But then it revived as an ecclesiastical empire and it rules the world today. See? So watch.

Verse 9 now and 10 are two verses put between the first beast and the second beast. These two verses link the two beasts. And watch what the verses say.

⁹ If any man have an ear, let him hear.

¹⁰ He that leadeth into captivity shall go into captivity: he that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. Here is the patience and the faith of the saints.

Why are these two verses put here between these two beasts? Because these two beasts are who led into captivity; they who conquered. The very First Seal, that White Horse went forth conquering and to conquer. The Second Seal, he had a sword to take peace from the earth. It's a Red Horse he rode on. Is that right? So watch how they slaughtered millions; over sixty-eight million in the dark Ages. And this Jezebel system is filled with the blood of the saints and the martyrs. But we find in Revelation 18 that the saints begin to rejoice and say, "Thou hast avenged us of thy blood," when judgment came upon that system. See?

So as we look here, I want you to notice these two powers. We see how much... I was referring to you how America killed over a million people in Iraq, under the pretext of going for democracy and there were no weapons of mass destruction. And these people walked free; killed a million people and walked free. And then went after Libya and killed more, and dragged the leader, sodomized him, stripped him naked and everything and they laughed.

And the same Mrs. Clinton said, "We came, we saw, and we conquered." See? Because she stood up and said, "Gaddafi must go! Mubarak must go!" When people talk like this in the earth and you see that power being backed up, you know it has a power behind them. You know the kings of the earth and their armies; that Roman spirit is let loose through these dictators because you don't see her out there fighting. You see the armies and their commanders going forth fighting, but who is instructing them? We found that on Sunday. She was counseling them in war, in economics, in these things. We found that in the Bible. This is what Jezebel was doing, both in the ten tribes and in Judah: the two kingdoms.

And I showed you how America is a type of Israel. They have the Democrats and the Republicans. And I'm not saying this... making it up. *Third Exodus* [1963-0630A.M.-Ed.], Bro. Branham brought these things out and showed to us, America is a type of Israel. That's why I'm preaching: THE REPEATING OF ISRAEL'S HISTORY IN AMERICA because that's what we were looking at there on Sunday and showed the evil counsellor, she was counseling them; how she married Athaliah and then Athaliah went—they made the husband kill all the royal seed and then she went and killed all the others after. See? So they took the kingdoms under their control. These things are what are playing out today.

May the Lord bless the reading of His Word. You may have your seat. And so, as we continue to read because I must read a little bit tonight to put It there, so if you have to study It and look at It, you can look at It with your Church Age Book and the things I referred to you; you'll be able to look back at it and meditate upon it.

And God give you grace to crystallize your thinking, your understanding concerning these things.

So this verse we see there It says: He that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. [Revelation 13:10 -Ed.] Revelation 19, we see this One come out of Heaven to judge and make war on a White Horse, and His Name is called Faithful and True, and a sharp Sword comes out of His mouth. Is that right? Who was He making war with? The Beast, and the kings of the earth and their armies; from antichrist, false prophet, Beast: that Roman hierarchy.

So we see how these things are laid in the Scripture. And we are in Revelation 13, one of the key chapters in the Book of Revelation. Because 12, 13, 14 and 15, we'll take a brief look at it just now, after I'm finished reading about the second beast. And, take into consideration because you see, Bro. Branham speaks in the Message and tells us about Revelation 13. He said, "In there is found the United States of America; her destiny is in there." And we were talking about the birth of America. We were talking about how it has come up as a young nation. We talked about how it went on to greatness and influenced the world. And then the time came, the Roman power came and wormed its way to the throne. And that was exactly the history of Israel.

And the God of Israel, the God of the Bible, came down to this Prophet who is like Moses, Elijah, and Christ. And the land, the whole country, and the presidents, and the prophets, and the geography; everything type Israel. Because he tells us how Israel had great kings like David and Solomon and them. Is that right? Then he tells us America had great kings like Washington and Lincoln. He is showing us. He is drawing contrast with presidents here and the kings there. And then he says, "And then a Ahab comes to the throne." And when that Ahab comes, that's the time a marriage is going to take place; a false union is going

to take place and it's going to bring the fall of that nation. And the same way it did for Israel. See?

Now, the God Who planned this before the foundation of the world—because remember this Word is given: the Book of Revelation, AD 95 to 97. We're in 2016 reading It. And we can look back in history and identify the four nations in the Book of Daniel. And the Fourth Empire was to be here on the earth when Jesus comes, that Rock cut out without hands comes to smite the image on the toes and the Fifth Kingdom is to be established: the one from Heaven, the Stone Kingdom, the Kingdom of Judah. Christ, the Lion of Judah, the Son of David is to sit on that Throne because the prophecy was in Judah: the sceptre will not depart from Judah until Shiloh comes.

When Jesus was to be born Gabriel said, "You will have a Son. He will be the Son of the Most High and to Him shall be given the Throne of His father, David; and of His Kingdom there shall be no end," proving that it was not Solomon because it comes over in the New Testament, over eight hundred years after the death of Solomon, and is now being applied to Jesus.

And then we see, Revelation 3:21, Jesus is speaking and says (at the end of the Seventh Age there), and says, "To him that overcometh I will grant to sit with Me in My throne as I overcame and set in My Father's throne." And He was there for Seven Church Ages as Priest, as Intercessor. But then at the end of the Seventh Age, He steps forth to take that Book and open these Seven Seals. To do what he says? To gather His redeemed subjects. And when you see the Son of Man coming in a Cloud with power and great glory, look up and lift up your head, your redemption draweth nigh. [Luke 21:27-28 -Ed.]

And blessed is he, in that time, who will count it worthy to escape the things that are coming upon the face of the earth because like a snare it shall come and quickly catch that whole earth. [Luke 21:35 -Ed.] And we

see in the Book of Revelation, why; because It's showing us how she's drunkening them. But before she could get that Bride there, a Voice says, "Come out of her, My people!" (Revelation 18) and says, "Strong is the Lord that judgeth her because her sins are come up into Heaven and give to her double as she did."

Now all these things are in the Old Testament. You go back in the Book of Exodus, It shows you this was methods of Divine judgment because God said, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay." That's why It says: Herein is the faith and patience of the saints. [Revelation 14:12 -Ed.] "Don't try to take things in your hand. Go on—" He put an ox anointing upon them; they laid down their lives and died in martyrdom, overcoming that thing. The corn of wheat must fall in the ground and die; it will come back up.

And so, while this was happening there during the Ages: from Luther the stalk, Wesley the tassel, Pentecostal the husk; it's that life that went down in the Dark Age coming back up in the Reformer Ages. Then at the end of the Pentecostal Age, the shuck Age here is to come the Life, the Grain, the full mature Wheat; and he preached *The Harvest Time* [1964-1212 -Ed.]

You see, it wasn't a sermon because *Harvest Time*, Luther couldn't preach it; he was the stalk. Wesley couldn't preach it; that was just the tassel. Pentecostal couldn't preach it because at harvest time, Naomi is coming back in the homeland at the beginning of barley harvest, and Ruth is coming, and the chief reaper is in the earth that Boaz is going to come to. And the sign that sees that... It's a sign that is the last generation. You see?

And so, when we look in the Scripture and we see how this will come back in the last days, then it means to say we want to be looking. Because the Seals—under that same messenger the Book was opened and he went back, way back into Eternity and said, "How art thou fallen from Heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning? Because thou sayest in thy heart, I will be like God." [Isaiah 14:12-14-Ed.]

And look at the Prophet, came in this Day and opened *The God Of This Evil Age* [1965-0801a.m.-Ed], *And Knoweth It Not* [1965-0815-Ed.], *Satan's Eden* [1965-0829-Ed.]. *God Of This Evil Age*: he's the god of this present evil Age. Satan, the most worshipped one because the Bible tells you in Revelation 13: the whole world whose names are not written in the Lamb's Book of Life, slain from the foundation of the world, will worship the Beast." Paul said in 2nd Thessalonians 2: "And the man of sin will sit in the temple and be worshipped as God. That day of Christ will not come until there's a falling away first."

Revelation 3:20 shows, they pushed Christ on the outside of the Church so the man of sin could be raised up. In the type in the Old Testament; they cast David out of Jerusalem. Absalom stole the hearts of the people by the words he was speaking. He broke the unity between David (Christ) and his angels in the kingdom and he stole their hearts, and they went with Absalom. And David became a fugitive from his own people, living in a cave and these things (see?); showing that that was going to come. Because in Heaven, Christ cast Lucifer and his angels out of Heaven.

Now Lucifer for six thousand years was building his kingdom on the earth. And in this Age, he was so successful in leading the whole earth into rebellion against God that Christ, he drove Him out of the church because it was Christ in the messenger: the Son of Man being revealed in a son of man. That's why they were indicted for the second crucifixion. See? The shuck pulled back and pushed the grain out. And so when you look and you see this, we realize now, look at the Scripture. Now, this is to fulfill the Word that Satan will be exalted as God. "I will exalt myself above the stars of God. I'll be worshipped as God." See? "I'll be like the Most High." And showing...

Bro. Branham said—look on *Satan's Eden*, "He has had great success in carrying out his threats." He said, "Who is the most worshipped person in the Age today?" Satan. Because it's only a little group of the true Seed. Seven messengers and seven groups of overcomers are in Glory for the last two thousand years. They came, they died, they were sealed away unto the Day of redemption, and they are in Glory. And a little group of the true Seed remains on the earth tonight that God is to present to Christ a Bride; but She will become a persecuted, hunted-down group, in this very hour.

I'm coming to show you this man who is coming here, the policy that they made under Mr. Bush (War on Terrorism) took away all the rights of the people; (the homosexualization of the world) under Mr. Obama. These men are the angels with Lucifer. Where Bro. Branham said, "Can you see what Lucifer is doing?" He is using these men. He is building a kingdom on earth because he is getting ready to be enthroned as God. [1963-0728 - Christ Is The Mystery Of God Revealed - Para. 548 -Ed.]

If you can't see that and believe that, you are not really seeing the Rapture. Because you have to see your part: 'going up' and see that part coming because both wheat and tares are being ripened together. They grew together through the church Ages because while the white horse rider was moving, the Lion was combating the thing. While the red horse was moving, the Ox was combating the thing. While the black horse was moving, the Man was combating the thing. These are the two vines coming all down and two spirits are anointing these on earth, in the stream of human beings.

One: that spirit is coming up from below, anointing those in the false vine. And that Word; a Seal opens, a Mystery unfolds, the messenger on earth catches the Word! That's why you see sometimes, men speaking, anointed, with revelation, opening the Bible, identifying the enemy. It's not good preaching! It is the war in the

spirit realm! It is God and Satan. The whole thing is about God and Satan because these two are not dead yet. But all the saints who came and lived out their lives in Seven church Ages died and went, so a new generation started. But God is mindful to continue that revelation.

When Abraham died, what did God do? "I am the God of Isaac." He didn't go and start over, He just continued. Then He came, "I am the God of Jacob." Then He came to Moses, "I am the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. I'm come down. I'm sending you!" He is thinking about His promise, His covenant! You see? Well, it's the same way with Satan. You see?

So when we look in the Scripture, we see Satan from way back there: "I would be like God." He didn't get it until this Age, because in the Fourth Age, he began to unite his... under the Fourth Seal rather, in the Seventh Age, he began to unite his powers. And when he began to unite his powers, here is the Eagle, he named him Death and identified that's Lucifer in the church, coming as Nicolaitans; coming with the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, then the doctrine of Balaam. See what he is doing in the church. Then he brings the doctrine of Jezebel, then he brings the church to the depth of Satan. See? And it was showing, look at him at work in the church, plundering and devouring, destroying.

Then in these last days, *The Uniting Time and Sign* [1963-0818 -Ed.] he said, "We see churches uniting, big corporates being united, businesses being united, nations being united, armies being united," he said, "but I want to point you to another uniting." He said, "All man could see that with their natural eyes, but in the spiritual realm," he said, "Christ is uniting with His Bride." It's an invisible union. The Head has come down, the Intelligence, to take the headship over the Body. And when the Word from the Head is coming down into the Body, it's a sign that the Rapture, the catching away, the going away of the Church is at hand.

That means you are supposed to look and see a Church made ready. The Bride hath made Herself ready. [Revelation 19:7 -Ed.]

Then Matthew 25 says when the bridegroom came, "And they that were ready went in with the bridegroom." That means they knew they had to have that extra oil there. They rose; they trimmed their lamps. And then the others found themselves, "Oh, the bridegroom is here!" they're talking that the bridegroom is here too, but without oil. They knew he was coming to take the bride. And then they said, "Give us some of your oil." And they never made it through that door. They never made it through that door. Why?

Now, this is the thing because Revelation 17, the great Catholic Church, that's the great whore. The Protestant churches are the harlot daughters. The foolish virgin is not whore or harlot – virgin, foolish virgin, but without Oil – without Oil, without the Inside Teacher to teach you. You see, the outside teacher could teach day and night, but it takes the Inside Teacher to teach you and quicken to you what the outside teacher is teaching. You see? And that's why as we sing, "Pray for revelation." Because "That Inside Teacher will teach you further on those Truths," he said, "make it real to you; show you how to apply It in your life." What a great thing!

So let's continue to read this second beast here now. It's very interesting. So did you see how that first...? We can see from that first beast there, the four beasts of Daniel 7 which came out of the sea, being identified. Because when John is giving this revelation here now, it is the time of the fourth empire because the other three beasts had already been fulfilled. John tells us the Beast was wounded in the head, but it came back to life. So that means this has to be after the Beast got the wound. And we know when the Beast got the wound at Pagan Rome, church and state united under Constantine, AD 312, the Nicene Council; and from

there, the church now began to use the power of the state to kill the Christians.

Pergamos means married. And what followed Pergamos? Thyatira: dominant female. See? Well, church and state are to unite again in this hour. And the church is to use the power of the state because the church can't go and kill people. But the church, who is in control, uses the state to carry out her will.

And that's why God put it in the Old Testament and prophesied it's going to happen. Because, what does the Bible say? That which was is now, and that which shall be hath already been. [Ecclesiastes 3:16 -Ed.] And, there is nothing new under the sun. [Ecclesiastes 1:9 -Ed.] History repeats itself. That's why Jesus said, "As it was in the days of Noah, so it shall be. [Matthew 24:37 -Ed.] As it was in the days of Lot, so it shall be." [Luke 17:28 -Ed.]

Look at the beginning of the Gentile dispensation; so shall it go out, the same way it comes in. Look at the first exodus. Look at the second exodus. They were patterns of this third exodus. Look at the coming of Elijah; five comings of Elijah. See? Every time things are recorded about the spirit of Elijah, God gave specific description so we will understand this one. Did you catch that? [Congregation replies, "Yes." -Ed.] Now, there are other characteristics about Elijah that God could have given, but He gave sufficient. And in Elijah, we see when he came, Ahab and Jezebel were in a union. When he came, the idolatry had filled the land. When he came, this woman had led the church away from God.

Deuteronomy 28 tells you the blessings and the curses; Leviticus 26 the same. And Deuteronomy 28 says (also Leviticus 26), "When I bring you in the land, if you go and you follow idols and you turn away from Me and you go whoring after idols, I will make your ground like iron and your heaven like brass, and I will take you out of this land." And so we find that that is exactly what God did. He took the ten tribes out and

scattered them. In the Book of Amos, we went through these things. So when we look and we see how these things are...

When Elijah came what did he do? He shut the heaven because that was fulfilling... That was the curse. And the curse means 'to take away the blessing'. And so he took away the rain; without rain, nothing can grow. Then it brought famine on the people. You see? So then what did Elijah do? He came... Elijah came and made an atonement to remove the sins of the people that brought the plague to atone for the sins of the people. He was standing in the gap. He is like Christ. Do you know Elijah is a type of Christ?

Well, Ahab was a king who followed his wife and threw his kingdom into death just like Adam did. Ahab followed his wife with her doctrine. Where did she get that doctrine from? The Beast. Jezebel came with her doctrine (that's right) to Israel and then she began to sow that idolatry in the land. She began to take the people away from God. In the Thyatiraian Age, what did He say? "You have that Jezebel who seducest My servant and gives them things to eat sacrificed unto idols." They had taken the church into paganism, taken them away from Christianity, taken them into Romanism. You understand that? [Congregation replies, "Amen" -Ed.] So watch how these things repeat.

And so it was prophesied that when Elijah comes in the last days again, which is in this Day, we see this is the Day when there is not just the Beast now, but the image of the Beast being formed; and has been formed. And we went the other night when we went to Genesis (remember that?) and I showed you the Beast in the beginning and the Beast at the end. And then from the Beast, what followed the Beast? Cain.

The Serpent didn't come with an altar and put sacrifice on it. When the Serpent was doing that, Adam and Eve didn't have an altar with a slain lamb on it. You see? So when that came here now, here is an

image. The image is something like the first one. Adam was in the image of God; he was a little God, like God. So the Serpent, the Beast, the image of the Beast, it was something like the Beast. And Cain was even closer to man than the Serpent because the Serpent was pure beast. But Cain, it was Eve's egg and the Serpent's seed that produced Cain. Is that right? [Congregation agrees -Ed.]

But then we see the first introduction of false worship, in the earth here, to God. And when he was being corrected, he refused the correction. God said, "Sin lieth at the door." He said, "Do like your brother. I only have one way, one provided way." What did Paul say? "By faith (revelation), Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain." [Hebrews 11:4-Ed.] And Cain slew him; (1st John 3:12) Cain was the son of that wicked one and he slew Abel because his works were evil. Not, killing Abel, was his evil works; he killed Abel because his works were evil. He loved his religious works more than the revealed, vindicated Word when God gave him the understanding: "This what you're bringing is wrong; that is the right way." Because Cain was the first liar in the human race when you get the twins coming forth from Eve.

He said, "Where is your brother?"

He said, "Am I my brother's keeper?" He had killed him and hid him.

Then God pulled the rug out from under him. He said, "The voice of thy brother's blood crieth to Me. That's what made Me come down here. I came down on an investigation judgment." He said, "Why have you done this?" And then God now... That was an investigation. God had brought them to trial in the Garden. God had weighed him in the balances of His Word and found him wanting. And when God executed the sentence, He said, "This earth will be cursed sevenfold."

And he stood up in the Supreme Court and watched the Supreme Judge in His face and he cried out and said, "My punishment is more than I could bear!" In other words, "You are an unrighteous God! Look at the sentence You gave me!" See?

He was the first marking of a human being. The image of the Beast and the Beast is connected to the mark of the Beast and false worship, the rejection of worshipping the Lamb: the only provided way of worship; God's only provided place; God's only provided way. "There is a way that seems right unto a man, but the end is death." [Proverbs 16:25 -Ed.] The only place God meets man for fellowship is under the shed Blood of a Slain Lamb; the only way to approach God. We see how when Nadab and Abihu tried to come to God with strange fire how God killed them, though they were born from the lineage where God put the priesthood in Aaron. But God has a provided way. You see? Outside of that way is death!

And that's why these things in this hour when you see the churches doing those things, they are dead spiritually. You must come God's provided way. That's why God sent a Prophet: to bring us back to the Word. One Word broken in Eden brought every graveyard, every hospital, every famine; every pestilence.

In the middle of the Bible, Jesus said, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of God." [Matthew 4:4 -Ed.] Every word! In the end, He said, "You add one word, all the plagues shall be added; you take away one word, your name shall be taken out." Bro. Branham said on *The Harvest Time* [1964-1212 Para. 104 -Ed.] he said, "If one Word took them out of Eden, how could we get back in without it being every Word?"

Then Seven Thunders uttered their Voices! The Book is opened! *Lo, I come (in the volume of the Book...)* [Hebrews 10:7 -Ed.] He took the law, and the Psalms, and the prophets; all things! Here was the Word, Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever, coming back. "The fullness of the Word," he said "coming into

existence in the last days." The whole Secret of God opened up through the Seven Seals, to show us how to prepare for great translation faith.

What a place where the Church should be in this hour, to know our Day, recognize our Day, recognize our Message, recognize the Son of Man came in the Cloud with power and great glory; recognize this is the hour of restoration, not reformation; restoration. Elijah truly shall come and restore all Things [Matthew 17:11 -Ed.] (See?) to literally turn the hearts of the children back to the faith of the fathers [Malachi 4:6 -Ed.]; showed the vision and showed the Bride coming, marching onward Christian soldiers from all nations of the world. And that first Bride and the last Bride were the same Bride; She comes back around a second time. Like the grain goes down in the ground, then comes the stalk, the tassel, the husk, but the grain appears again, the same grain that went down, in the same image. You see?

So when we look and we see these things we know: what a Day! What a time! – And the exactness, the precision that we are looking at these things with, and knowing we have not followed cunningly devised fables, but we have the Word of prophecy made more sure, a more sure Word. The Word made more sure because It is vindicated supernaturally; God, witnessing and confirming that these sayings are faithful and true. It was THUS SAITH THE LORD from the mouth of a Prophet coming to us in this hour.

So when we look and we see these unfailing realities, then it's an awakening. It's an awakening. And then to see your name coming out, to see the desire in your heart (oh God); you wanted a reality. You longed for that. The deep in your soul is calling to walk with Him, in union with Him, that Christ could be your life. As Paul said, "It's not I that liveth but Christ that liveth in me. And the life I live now in this flesh, I live by the faith of the Son of God." [Galatians 2:20 -Ed.] Because the just, the justified ones...

On *Invisible Union* he came and said, "You are the sinless, spotless, virtuous Bride of the Son of the Living God! [1965-1125 - The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ - Para. 37-38-Ed.] You stand free without sin!" Why? You see your name in the Book and know you were chosen before the foundation world. You were just trapped into it because of the adulterous parent, Eve. But in the last days when you heard the Word, you could recognize and identify and you went beyond the camp and identified yourself with that Word and saw the Token come back on you! See?

This is the reality of where we are living and walking and moving in the rhythm of the Symphony, moving in the Spirit! The Spirit of the Director is the Spirit of the Composer, coming down to move into the Church so that every member could be in the right swing in the rhythm of the Symphony, displaying the Blood, the Life of Jesus Christ, that they are redeemed, they are Bloodbought, the Purchased of Jesus Christ; (see?) that reality. So, we look back and we see how those things are.

Sis. Hilda, I really have to bring out all this food tonight. [Bro. Vin laughs -Ed.] We were making a little joke, you know. She met me in Canada earlier this year. When she... We were eating nice food by Bro. Burkhard (we went to dedicate the house), so we were full. So she said, "Here, we have some more."

I said, oh God, sister, I can't take any more.

She said, "Ah ha, that is what you do to us." She said, "That is what you do to us. Now we get a chance to do to you the same thing, so you can see how we feel."

Oh, she slew me! I had to put up my hands and surrender. I said, yes, that is the truth. But here she is tonight and I have to do it. I want to say, take some home, heat it up tomorrow by the grace of God in prayer, in meditation, you know, because I can't keep up with the time. The time is ahead of me and I'm

coming, trying to keep up, but you know how these things are by God's grace.

So let's go to the second beast here now. We watched those two verses: ...he that killeth with sword, and we see how they are killed with the sword in Revelation 19. And we see how they were led into captivity: from the first Age, they went forth and that anti-Christ spirit, Nicolaitanism, conquering them (see?) through the Ages. And these two powers did that. We saw how they went out and killed with bombs; "I will bomb them back to the Stone Age!" This time the people didn't have anything. Sure, there was a bad man there, but there is a bad man in every country. Sure, that man didn't kill a million people and then put a pretext and called it democracy. So who is the real bad man when it comes that way? You see? So this is the evil. Now, we're going to find that here. [Bro. Vin points to the Bible -Ed.] These characteristics are not normal.

I'm going to show you these characteristics are of supernatural devils. It was devils: men bound in the river Euphrates, like Hitler, like Mussolini, like Stalin; like Roosevelt (the Prophet said) who was the rascal of them all, who took them into war; the one who brought on the credit card after World War II there and threw the whole world, the whole nation rather, into debt. That, in 1962 the Prophet said, "Think of my grandson when he comes." He said, "We are here with... the taxes for forty years." [1962-1014M - A Stature Of A Perfect Man - Para. 57 -Ed.]

When they made the last count it was about eighteen trillion. I am listening to Mr. Trump too, he says, "We are going to make America great again, and we are going to do such and such and such." And I'm saying, this sounds good to people who don't know the Bible. But we who know the Word... Look at the grace of God. The Seventh Angel's Message uncovered the schemes of the enemy. The Seals broke and showed and pointed out,

that is that Roman spirit working through there, and these men are just tools, agents!

And then the same Spirit said, "Look at Luther! Look at Wesley! Look at Finney and Knox, and all of them inside of there! They were men of God catching the Word and going forth, moving the Church forward." See? It's the same; it's still going on tonight. While there's that voice in the political realm deceiving, there's the Voice of Truth in the Bride who cannot be deceived, who will not be deceived. She might be a little confused here and there, but then the Holy Spirit is so gracious, He'll give Truth upon Truth upon Truth, and shine that Light so clear until there is no room to doubt anymore. He'll cast out that darkness and confusion when the mind of Christ comes in, by the revelation of the Word. Glory. My!

Verse 11. And this is John now. John is looking at something here. John saw the first four beasts that Daniel saw. Babylon and the Medes and the Persians are in Asia; Greece and Rome are in Europe. So these four beasts covered the then–known world. During the time of Daniel's vision and during the time of John's vision, America was still undiscovered; people do not know it exists. And then they had the theory of the flat earth, so they believed if you sailed out there, you'll drop.

Bro. Branham said, Columbus, sitting there, watching that sea; he is seeing the mast of the ship before he sees the ship and something begins to tell him, the earth is not flat. And so, he now was coming out of the box of that geographical thinking that they had there, and he began to lobby for some ships and a crew. Well, at that time, Europe now is under Black Death, bubonic plague and these things for rejecting Columba and them in the Message, and a temporary judgment is moving in the earth. You see? Because those Romans killed out so much.

And then while that thing is moving through Europe there, look and see in the Age of the Renaissance and they, painting all these pictures and writing all these little stories about *Cinderella* and *Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs* and all these different things; and this time those weren't just fairy tales. These were little stories and paintings because they had to hide what they were doing: communicating. Because the Roman power was rooting out, in the Inquisition, and killing anything they saw that is not Roman. And so they found ways to communicate the Truth; and to identify, they had little signs and symbols and these things.

And today, when they watch the paintings, even of the great artists in the Renaissance, they see that they had a lot of mystical little things inside of there. Look at Michelangelo; all these people, they had inspiration but they couldn't resist the system, but they had a way to work to leave the message there and do things. You see?

And so, when we see how God, even in the – when it comes in this Day, (you see) God gave us a language to speak, even as the Bride, too. You see? When they come, they say, "You all are only quoting the Scripture." We're not quoting the Scripture; we're identifying who Jezebel is, who Elijah is, who this is. We're not talking about William Branham and the Catholic Church and this, and that, and that. We're talking about it in a Mystery. Paul said, "We speak the Things of the God in a Mystery." [1st Corinthians 2:17 -Ed.] See? So the enemy is confused but we're aware of what we're talking about (see); the Truth. Because the time is going to come...

Now they have it, you can't even speak against homosexualism because they legalized these things, and they protected it with legislation that you cannot speak against it. And they make it a hate crime: just one word they used: *decriminalize*. See? So they could take their pen and say, "Okay, that is no more a sin." You see? And you have all these intelligent people, but

behind that is the spirit of Satan who wants to destroy the true marriage institution, which is a mystery of Christ in the Church...which is a mystery of Christ in the Church. That is not just a natural thing. When God gave that in the beginning: Eve, the bride being taken out of the bridegroom, bone of his bone flesh of his flesh, how she was chosen in him and blessed in him, and how she was married to him and then went and reigned over the kingdom and they had dominion together; this was a Mystery of the Church. And this was attacked from the very beginning when Lamech and they stepped out and started to have more than one wife and do these things; (you see?) and all the filth that followed those things.

So watch now, John here, is seeing now another beast. This one, Daniel didn't see. Nowhere in Daniel's writing, he identified a beast that is going to express all the evil of the one that came from the sea. But John is given this because this had something to do with the End time.

And my objective tonight is to show you, the reason people and many of us, Message believers, we take these things lightly. Sometimes, I listen to people talk and they're talking nationalism, not revelation. And you realize they lean more to that because of that patriotic spirit to the nation that was cultivated in them through school and everything else, coming up, and the media and everything else; they have like an undying loyalty that they can't let go. You understand? And so, they are not knowing the thing by revelation and this is where you find, they don't have much expectation. Because you say, "Well I know we are the Bride and we're going in the Rapture." The Rapture is to escape that.

And, your laws and privileges in this nation are not yet enforced upon you (the new laws), but your rights and privileges are already taken away; and it's just a matter of implementation. And they are culturing the

minds of the people through the fourth dimension – radio and television, the prince of the power of the air. And bringing the people now...

You see, this is what radio and television do. Television is video; that is seeing. Radio and these things – hearing; that is audio. Audio and video govern all communication. You take in knowledge by hearing and by seeing.

You send a child to school; that teacher is writing on the board, that teacher is doing things: he's seeing, he's explaining, he's instructing. They are learning by what they are taking through their eyes and their ears. It goes in the sub-conscience and it begins to influence and govern their behavior. That's why they start to see things they like; it gets to their emotions, it stirs them, it excites them, (woo!) it looks exciting! "Look at that dress. Look at that shoe; they match." They want one like that. Now, they are not conscious how...

That's why they'll spend millions of dollars in advertisements; for a couple seconds. And you can't feel: "Why are they doing that?" Well, that is how they make billions. They get that thing planted inside of there, it's going to control your buying. They start to study the brain (neuroscience), and they know how now to manipulate the thinking. So, for all the commercial things in the store, they have subliminal messages. You walk in there through the store, you see something advertised: "Big Sale! Black Friday Sale coming up!" and you're moving. "Thanksgiving Sale coming up!" and you're getting out there to get your bargains and so on. You're buying more than you can afford.

Now, you are not seeing it's an influence. If something could influence you subliminally... They call it subliminal seduction. You see, it's a manipulation. It's an exploitation of your thinking because they train you to think along certain lines.

Look at your apple phone and these things. You want to do it this way; no, it tells you, you have to perform it this way, you have to do it that way; you have to do it that way. And you want to use your phone, you want to do things, and they are bringing you in their way of thinking. It's a control. You don't see it, but it's like you take a sip, a sip, a sip, and the next thing you know, you're thinking the same way. And then you start to realize you're enjoying that. Somebody says, "Hey, how do you do that? Teach me how you did that on the phone, I can't do this!" and it kind of inflates you.

"Here, let me show you. Hand it to me." And you start to show the person. You see? And then you become converted and you're making a next convert. You're helping him to think the same way they want you to think. But when it comes to the Word, you're not taking It in, and you're not going and witness to somebody and try to help strengthen that person's faith and bring them up here, too. You see? You could tell a person where there's a good sale right now, and what you got there, and the price you paid, and the discount you got. And then you don't know where the Word is many times, and what is happening, and how to get It. See? "That sale is going and close now. Get it now!" There is something in the Word, you have to get It now! You have to make It priority! You see?

So, this is evaluating your own self, under the Light of the Word. When the Light of the Word begins to shine upon you, you begin to see yourself. Then when you see yourself and you examine yourself in the Light of the Word, then you see you need to make some adjustments; maybe not some big ones. Maybe, some might have to be big ones. But some now, you realize you have space here, you have space here; you have to close up that space; you have to get a little more precise here with the Word. You see? And then, when you do that, it's not a bad thing. Next thing, you find your power. Next thing, you start to see more clearly. Next thing, you find now, you could spot a weaker one who is in the condition like you were, a couple weeks ago.

And then you could help that one because out of your faith you could strengthen that one and lift that one out; because you understand them because you were going through similar things.

And as we start to get closer together, the body now is being fitly joined and compacted together in the measure that every joint supplieth. To whom? To one another...to one another; God, unifying the Body, strengthening It. See?

¹¹ And I beheld another beast coming up out of the earth;

The first one, it emphatically tells us, it came out of the sea. So we know that that beast which comes out of the sea is the same beast in Daniel (the four kingdoms). And here we are finding now, a fifth beast. When John was writing it, it was still yet undiscovered but today, they just had their forty... Yesterday, they had their forty-fifth President won the election and will be inaugurated on January 20th (you see?) 2017. So, we see the world, two hundred years almost, that... look at where this thing has come to.

...and he had two horns like a lamb...

Now, follow me with this, okay. This is a little tricky thing to read sometimes, but I want you to follow how I'm reading it for you.

¹¹ And I beheld another beast coming up out of the earth; and he... [That's the beast that's coming out of the earth.] he had two horns like a lamb, and he...

The beast that comes out of the earth, the nation, the USA. I'll prove to you just now, how that is the USA.

...spake as a dragon.

You see, the first beast... You don't have to fight up too much to prove what they are because the Book of Daniel is very explicit, that the first one, the head of gold, is Babylon, the lion that went out. The second one followed Babylon was Medes and Persia, chest and arms of silver, the bear. And you go in Daniel 2 and Daniel 7

and you can see the identity. Daniel 8, the third one, the he-goat, which was also the leopard. See? Different symbols reveal different characteristics (you see?) of the nation because it is showing you in symbol form.

...and he [the beast on earth] spake as a dragon.

This is this nation that's come out of the earth, another beast. It didn't say he's a lamb; It says he had two horns like a lamb. Bro. Branham also said, "It's like the American buffalo which they put even on their money." [1954-0513 - The Mark Of The Beast - Para. 160 -Ed.] But John didn't say he had two horns like an American buffalo; he wanted to bring in *lamb* there because *lamb* is a symbol of religion and innocence. So John wants us to observe this nation in its youth because the horns of a lamb are very small; they're not big horns yet. "And that is two powers," he said, "civil and ecclesiastical powers." You see?

...it spake as a dragon.

12 And he [the beast that comes out of the earth; the nation; the USA] exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him,

Well, Revelation 13 that we just read, about this one who's going to overcome the saints; power is given him to do all these different things that he did. We have the history of the Roman Catholic church, how many they killed and the kind of power. We have the type of the Roman Catholic Church, in the Old Testament: Jezebel, how she moved and operated, how she handled the financial power, how she handled the political power, how she handled the religious power, how she took control of the nation, how she brought the nation under her control, killing out all the prophets and these things. So, that is the first beast.

Now It is saying, this one here, he exerciseth all the power of the first beast. Now It is telling us, this nation that is coming up will be closely connected with that evil power. It is telling us, this nation will be closely

associated, closely connected, intimately related to that first beast and will exercise all the power of the first beast. It has its own power too – have their financial power, have the power of the resources in the earth and the riches in the land and these things. But look and see what kind of power that nation exercises; because the fourth beast was doing what? Devouring the whole earth and breaking it up in pieces and stamped the residue. So when you see that power – pagan Rome, then it became papal Rome. Then papal Rome now, she's governing from the inside. And this power is exercising her power; this beast from the earth is exercising her power. Look how they break up the earth.

Now, that doesn't mean like mash it up, you know, in one term. That means they're reshaping certain things; "Take this one out. Put a base here. Control those resources over here. Move that dictator. Control this trade zone over here." And when you leave—those people had their country, had their dignity, had their different things, but they are not interested in their goals. They are interested in their own goals and their goals are coming from the beast before them. Because that Beast needs them to go with their military power and take those resources so they could control the earth; all trade and commerce.

Understand what the prophecy is talking about. Because this Beast, the first one, is the Mother Of Harlots. She is Rome, the fourth empire. The fourth empire was wounded and came back to life. The fourth empire, Jesus Himself will come and slay it with the Sword from His mouth because they lead into captivity, He will bring them into captivity. That system is—He raised up communism. He let communism... Think. If communism didn't have the nuclear weapons, what could they do to this nation? What could they do to the Vatican? If they didn't have that, they couldn't express their will in the earth. But there is a power there, He

let them acquire the same kind of weapons: a sickle in His hand, Revelation 15, to do what? Reap the earth.

He already reaped His grain; the Bride is reaped. Ruth, Chapter 2; Ruth, Chapter 3, the grain is being threshed; the seed will not be heir with the shuck: the reaping, the threshing, and the garnering. And the threshing is after... After you reap the grain, you don't take it in the garner, you bring it to the floor. Boaz was in the field, then Boaz is at the floor, then Boaz is in the gate. Watch the movement of Christ at Harvest time. You understand?

The ecumenical move is binding the tares. They are maturing under corrupt teachers. But the Bride, there is an acceleration of ripening by the Son-Light coming in the full strength. The true teaching from the Messenger and the Bride is ripening that faith to get them ready to be taken out. Then the tares: "Bind the tares first – Matthew 13 – Bind the tares first, then gather My wheat." See?

He said, "Watch. Then after He burns the tares under the Sixth Seal, the earth will burn as an oven." Christ is going to come down and pour out His wrath on the earth – the wrath of the Lamb after the Bride goes.

So, this beast... Watch. This beast is put in the Bible in the same chapter with the first beast and is linked together by these two verses. And It tells us: he that leadeth into captivity, and, he that killeth with the sword. And here It tells us, the second one is exercising all that same power, because that is what the first beast did. And when we see, in the end, how that Rock comes down and smashes that image (the ten toes; the two big toes: five from the East and five from the West), we see how these things are coming. So we know the nation by revelation in prophecy, according to prophecy, in this hour.

We have gone past the history book here now. We're in this Book. [Bro. Vin points to the Bible -Ed.] And in this Book, we are seeing the climax hour is come here. We

have seen this great nation, somehow was bewitched by sorcery; that she rejected Christ; put Him outside of the Church. The same Gospel that they sent all around the world, then they come now and submit and go back to Rome.

We had just, I think was this year or last year, when Pope Francis came to the United States, spoke to the Senate, spoke to United Nations; came to America, went to Ground Zero. Is that right? The king of Babylon coming here, into the nation. We had Benedict before sitting in the Oval Office. [Pope Benedict XVI -Ed.]

We have Mr. Obama and his wife (according to their kind of marriage, you have to call her the wife) go into the White House—not the White House, into the Vatican. Vatican means the place of divination. See? And they must wear black, a repentant color because they are very conscious that is there: the power that controls them. Because they have sold out to that nation because of bankruptcy because past presidents threw them into that. And Bro. Branham said, "All these wars that...." He said, "How will we ever get...?" That is how it's about eighteen trillion. One bomb is a million plus.

Verse 12:

¹² And he [the beast that comes out of the earth: the USA] exerciseth all the power of the first beast [and the first beast is Rome; we know] ...and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein...

Causeth, not United States, you know, the earth. ...and them which dwell therein to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.

How could this nation be causing the earth to worship the first Beast? What kind of policy is that? When they established... Their money is saying, "In God we trust." When they were established, they came to this country for freedom of religion, running from the

Beast. How have they come back now and are causing the whole earth to worship that first Beast, in whom is found the blood of the saints and the martyrs? It doesn't appear like that when you listen to your news. So who is lying? Is God lying or are the communication networks lying?

When It says: And the god of this evil Age has blinded the minds of the people [2nd Corinthians 4:4 -Ed.]; who is blinding whose minds and how is this blinding taking place? What are the instruments, that they could smite seven and a half billion people blind almost, on planet Earth? What comes out of that mouth? Lying spirits...lying spirits. Know the Beast by revelation.

It says:

...to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.

¹³ And he doeth great wonders, so that he maketh fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men,

You mean to say, you could stay from one distance in an Intercontinental Ballistic Missile, and that thing is laser guided, and that is going through the sky. And then that comes down through a street and the whole world sits (in the sight of men), not just in this country; all over. And they see it displayed on the news, magnifying their advancement in technology and science that they could guide these smart bombs, and bring them down the chimney and do everything else, and track everybody they want. It is so smart, the system that they have raised up. And what are they doing with that? To bring the whole earth under its control, not to worship Jesus Christ...not to worship Jesus Christ; to worship the first Beast.

Watch. Now in the light of this, think of a messenger out of this country, raised up with the ministry of Moses, and Elijah, and Christ, and doing the same works and then this nation turns it down. Think of it in this light: and they crucified it. And the

representative of that first Beast, the Pope, he comes here and he sits and he's in the White House. Think of it. Then we can see how deceiving they are able to do this type of deception.

Bro. Branham showed us, he said, "That's scientific-technological wonders, atomic and nuclear missiles produced by their evil scientists from the tree of knowledge of good and evil."

¹⁴ And deceiveth them that dwell on the earth

[he: this nation] deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by the means of those miracles...

As I was saying on Sunday evening, I sat, I was actually watching the thing live when it was going on – when they brought the case to the United Nations and they showed them satellite photographs, and they showed them different things; and they showed them some trucks moving and said, "This is how they're doing it, and this is how they're making the gas and all of these different things and..." you know, and they put it there.

And all of them in the United Nations they said, "Okay, yes, yes, yes. We all agree. You have to go in." And the United Nations gave their backing.

And all of that was a plan because that first nation, that first Beast that came out of the sea – multitudes of people, is come out of Europe. And so, all the United Nations—what did Bro. Branham say? He said, "This is a rubber balloon: League of Nations, all these things." He said: *The Feast of Trumpets* [1964-0719AM - Para. 196 -Ed.] "United Nations under the auspices of supernatural demons," he said, "those fallen angels are the spirits in these men who are building Lucifer's kingdom, so he could be enthroned as God and become the most worshipped person." Satan's Adam, Satan's Eve and Satan's Eden – Satan's Adam: the man of sin for him to incarnate. Satan's Eve: the World Council of Churches.

And Satan's Eden, this scientific Eden of death that he has built up: a perversion of the True Adam, the True Eve, and the True Eden, God's threefold Secret: Christ, His Bride, and the restored Kingdom; "I will be like God." In God's Eden, the Tree in the midst was the Tree of Life. Here, is the Tree of knowledge of good and evil, it's an Eden of death.

¹⁴ [He] deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by the means of those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast;

Who is the 'he' doing it? The nation. I tell you watch the – another beast, 'he, he, he, he, he, he', every time It says 'he', it's that first one, the Beast that comes out of earth.

...saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, and did live.

This Beast, this nation, this government of this nation, is imposing the political and economic will upon the nations that they should make an image. Where is that coming from? That first Beast. The image is not the nation, you know. The image is a system, the World Council of Churches: Protestant churches came from the Protestants. Who are the Protestants? They protested Catholicism in Europe. They fled Roman persecution. They came here and they established a nation with freedom of worship; but here now in this hour, they make an image.

All these Protestants, Lutherans, Methodists, Baptists, Jehovah Witnesses, Seventh Day Adventists, Pentecostals; everything now is going back. Because this Pope comes out and is talking about the evangelization of the nations of the world; comes out with his sorcery with the bones and he's saying... you know, having this great big thing. And the Bible says: they're bewitching the nations by their sorceries. [Revelation 18:23 -Ed.] You say, "Could that be so?" Acts 8

says that Simon the sorcerer bewitched the whole city. Right? If you can paint a mile of the road with paint, and you have a system and you could calculate how much paint it will take to paint that, and then you have four thousand miles, you just have to do the math. Work out the manpower, work out the paint, and work out the miles, and you could bring it down to one person to one foot, and get everything and paint the whole thing. Well, it's the same thing. If Simon the sorcerer could bewitch Samaria, by the methods and by the principles (and there are so many people in one city), you could bewitch the whole nation; you could bewitch the whole world. And Revelation 18 says: she has bewitched the nations by her sorceries.

¹⁵ And he had power...

What kind of power is that? Constitutional power, executive power, civil and ecclesiastical powers.

¹⁵ And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed.

In others words, they are given ecclesiastical power that they could put down legislation and they could say, "Nobody can be in any church except they come and we can interview them, examine them, and if they don't meet our specification, we'll shut them down. We'll give them so many days to get their things fixed in order. Let them get a degree. Let them get something if they want to preach or so. Because of all these selves and this religious fanaticism and the trouble it caused, let's put these things."

Now, this is what I am saying. This man... All these laws were made already you know. But the same way they had the homosexual agenda when Mr. Clinton, in his first eight years, he laid the foundation for that; opened up the military and brought it out of the closet. Then notice how they get famous people, artists, movie

stars, sports personalities, "I am gay. I am gay. I am gay. I am gay." And those people are heroes and the whole stadium used to be cheering for them. And the great fashion people whose clothes they're wearing and different things, they realize, this person is gay too.

When you really like something already, it's hard to turn it down, when you find out what you like you know. They subtly manipulate the people, put it inside of them. And then when they come to it now, you're going to find then they want to compromise. Some who have conviction and realize, "They deceived us. manipulated us. They lied to us. (See?) They fooled us"; some who have a little spiritual pride and some conviction they will separate from that thing. Others now, find, when they were using, maybe, their products or whatever it is and they were being admired and looked up to, they don't want to lose that admiration, so it's a battle. Where is the battle? In the mind. Where is the battleground? The mind. How does this knowledge come to the people? Through the eye: video, and audio, through the fourth dimension. And this is what these things; it has been a deception, a deceit. They have deceived the world.

> ...to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed.

¹⁶ And he causeth...

...he causeth... To cause somebody to do something, you have to sit and study the person. You have to know now how to subtly... You have to know behavioral sciences. You understand? Behavioral Sciences. So you're doing something and bringing something in that will appeal to the people, that you will get little or no resistance; you will get cooperation. You have to be able to know how to present it. And so, they causeth the people; they studied them out.

And that is why, by your little credit card they know what you eat, they know what you wear, they know where you shop, they know the standard of living you're living by, they know what you like, they know the image you like. They know everything about you because everywhere you go and you swipe that card, it leaves the date, the day, the month, the year, the time of the day, how much money was spent on a particular item. And after three months of that or four months of that they know if you're in debt, if you're spending more than you have, they know where to put the pressure on you if they need to; everything. The reason they put all of this in and have all this information on people is that they are able now to manipulate people. This is what it's about. It's for control of the earth.

This is why you get... When they realize people like sports; twenty-four hours now; ESPN, FOX. See? They realize people like movies; twenty-four-hour movie channel; five hundred movie channels. See? So all of this... Then they realize now, the movies are bombarding the people: women are fair in the last days. Seven women to one man, Isaiah says. [Isaiah 4:1 -Ed.] Pornography channel, twenty-four hours. So the thing is they are...

This is how she's drunkening the nations. This is with the wine from her cup she is drunkening. She has five hundred channels; "This is soft. This is a little stronger." Like you know, some people say, "No, just give me a Shandy." Some people say, "I will take a beer, the light one." Another person says, "I'll take the strong one." Another person says, "No, I want some rum." Next one says, "No, I want vodka." One wants it strong; another wants it mild.

As Bro. Branham said, "You start with a cigarette, then you get on marijuana. Next thing you get something little stronger than that; you get cocaine. Next thing you go... Why? He's taking you little, by little, by little. They study human behavior; behavioral

psychology. And that is how they get the people when they bring in the laws. They make a fuss, maybe for two days. You know it with the little children. You are firm with the little child, then... [Bro. Vin indicates subjection -Ed.] He wants certain things, you take away certain rights that he enjoys, "Okay now, start to cooperate," then you get along.

Well, that's how they do until everybody is just obedient; from the time they reach there, they've already started to take off their shoe, (I, too) belt, this, everything. They teach you to do it. You want to get on that flight there; you want to be a smart person and give some talk here; they'll pull you aside. This is the world: it's control; it's about control.

And look where it's coming from. Who is bringing this? When Mr. Bush had his eight years, all of this came in. When he left: War on Terrorism. It is no longer an army. No, it is: "Al Qaeda here! Bill Laden here! This one here! It's Isis over here!" When you do find out the news, they're arming Isis. They're arming Al Qaeda. These people are working for them. So then you realize now, look what is going on in the world. It said in the Book of Revelation it will be like that.

Some people said, "I wish Hillary had won; oh, Mr. is Trump bad." Women like Hillary because Trump is like a lunatic. I told them, I said, Hillary is ten times more evil than Trump; evil woman. But I showed you, that's theater. All of that is theater. Way back there, Jezebel had Democrat and Republican. I will read for you before we close tonight, which I'm getting ready to do. I will read for you where Bro. Branham said, "They already know who's going in." And that was in '62 he was saying that when Kennedy came in by fraud; when Mr. Bush here came in for his eighth years by fraud.

Because the media is such a powerful tool now, they can sway you and manipulate you. You're seeing this and you're getting excited just like when you're seeing a movie or something, and you see they're carrying on with this here. And then it's stirring your emotions and then you get vex with this one and then you want to back-up this one, like if you're watching, you know, two teams playing football or baseball, or something because that thing is manipulating your emotions, manipulating your thinking but it's theater and you're thinking it's real. Because they don't have power; the people who have the power is behind them. "The one who is governing," he said, "from the inside and not being seen, that same evil Roman Power." Because the Beast that's carrying that woman is the Red Dragon who was cast out, who pulled down one-third of the stars. Lucifer, the angel of the bottomless pit, is the one who carries this woman. So look at what this beast is doing.

¹⁵ And he had power... [Verse 15]

As he said, constitutional... executive power, constitutional power, civil and ecclesiastical powers.

...to give life unto the image of the beast,

Because the image of the Beast is something religious, so he could give it religious power. He can't give them the Holy Ghost power you know. He gives them religious power. To do what? Shut down people who have Holy Ghost power so they can't function as a church.

...that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed.

They're going to have rights. When you have these vile people sit down there who believe in a homosexual priest, all these kinds of different things what they have, sit down there now to judge who should die and who should live because they refused their laws, like Nebuchadnezzar and them sat down there and said, "What? They didn't bow down? Cast them there! What? Daniel is praying and these days nobody should pray? Bring him – lion's den." That is how the Gentile

dispensation came in, that's how it's going out. Watch the Book of Daniel and Revelation are the same.

¹⁶ And he causeth...

Did you notice that: 'he' cause, 'he' causeth? Once you're reading about somebody causing somebody to do something, it's an influence. It's a pressure they are putting upon people to get... They are exerting their will upon others to bring others into submission to their will. They call it policy, legislation. Conform or violate the law and pay the penalty. It's simple.

¹⁶ And he causeth [by exercising] all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads:

¹⁷ And that no man might buy or sell,

Do you see what it's coming down to? This is the way to squeeze you. You have to eat. See? You have to wear, you have do these things, but you won't be able to have these rights and privileges except you comply. Because all of this now is being done in the name of peace and safety. "If you are honest and above board then come according to here; all of us are interested in worshipping God. This one calls Him, Allah; why are you vex with him? This one calls Him, Ram. This one calls Him something else. This one calls Him, the Great Spirit. We are all worshipping the same God. So why what is the fuss about? We're all interested in peace in the world. Are you not interested in peace in the world? We're all interested in harmony and brotherhood. Look at us here uniting together and look at you all in your little groups, fighting one another and broken up." Of course. You see. Watch the Word.

> ¹⁷ And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.

> ¹⁸ Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the

beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.

Here is to him that hath wisdom. Bro. Branham said wisdom there is one of the gifts of the Spirit. He said, "You see? The gifts of the Spirit will be in the Church here in the last days." Wisdom is the principal thing. That's the first gift (1st Corinthians 12), the Spirit of wisdom and revelation in the Church to know where this is coming from; that Beast and that image. Because the second Beast—notice, everything the second Beast is doing is for the first Beast. Everything the second Beast is doing is for the first Beast, so it's not this nation is independent. No! This nation was raised up for freedom of religion, but then they came and they were captured, and then they were bent, and then they came under control, and then they became a vehicle for the first Beast.

I want to read something for you quickly. If you have your Bible, just turn to Revelation 3. I'll just take the two verses there I want to read. I think it will be verses 10 and 11 and we have to close. We have to close. Do you realize how this thing is so big? I just read one Scripture, Revelation 13, eighteen verses, and the service is done. And the most I did is commented on It.

Yes, I need more days, but the Pastor is more than able. [Bro. Vin laughs and responds to someone's suggestion -Ed.]

Revelation 3, I'm going to just read two verses here, 10 and 11.

¹⁰ Because thou hast kept the word of my patience, I also will keep thee from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth.

¹¹ Behold, I come quickly:

So this temptation is right in the hour of His Coming; it's put together here.

...hold that fast which thou hast,

Do we have something? The Seven-Seal mysteries were given to the undenominational Bride. [1965-0801M -

The God Of This Evil Age - Para. 164 -Ed.] What were these Seven-Seal mysteries? It uncovered the scheme of Satan from where he said "I will be like God" all the way to where he sits there and is being worshipped as God, in the earth in this hour. And the Seven-Seal mysteries come to expose what this world is about, which is Satan's Eden, which he is the god of the evil Age.

And Knoweth It Not - he has blinded his subjects. They're blind, wretched, naked, miserable, and don't know it. He blinded them. Watch August the 1st God Of This Evil Age. August the 15th And Knoweth It Not. [1965 -Ed.] August the 29th that was the last message, Bro. Branham preached in the tabernacle: Satan's Eden. He was coming back to preach, The Trail Of The Serpent (the Beast in the beginning and the Beast at the end, through the trail of the Serpent) and died in the crash and went home December the 24th, 1965. But he knew the Spirit of Truth was going to be here just like it was back there, and the same way they knew Titus was coming to slaughter everything, but the Angel of God went forth sealing up an elected people and got them out. When you see Jerusalem compassed with armies, let not your flight be in winter.

They already have all the detention camps. They're already bringing the specialized troops back from Iraq and Afghanistan. They've already moved all the big military equipment to lock down the different cities and have it out there already. It's only to start implementing these things. They already have the laws that's come out from there. And look how all these things went on.

But from way back, 2001, watch the message coming out: The Day When The Towers Fell [2001-0930 -Ed.]; The Results of America Apostasy [2001-0916 -Ed.] – the cause behind the present troubles. See? Evil Counselors Behind The White House Throne [2001-1209 -Ed.]; God was speaking out again: The Three Curtains; The Plot To Divide Jerusalem, The Vengeance Of The Lord And His Temple [2007-0909 & 2007-0912 -Ed.]; all these things. The

enemy was moving but the Holy Spirit, from the Truth of the stored-up Food, that when these evils begin to come, we will have the Light. Because, it was the spirit of prophecy on a Prophet looking and seeing the thing coming, giving us the understanding, identifying the Beast to us.

He revealed to us Russia's part. He revealed to us what the United States would do. He revealed to us how the Catholic Church would have full control of this nation. He revealed to us the image of the Beast comes from here. That's right. He revealed to us Israel will get their two prophets for three and a half years – Moses and Elijah coming to separate them from that same system over there; perform the same miracles: shut the heavens, turn the water into blood and these things. We see a 144,000 singing, (Revelation 15) we have overcome the Beast and the image and the mark; singing the victory song, singing the song of Moses. See!

So, it's only two groups that are promised the baptism of the Holy Ghost in this hour: the Bride and the 144,000. The others – there is unrighteous partaking of spiritual blessing and manifesting in the Holy Ghost, but they're not converted under that. They're just unrighteously partaking because they're in the field. But that Holy Spirit is sent for the Bride, the Wheat, but the tares are in the same field. So the same Son and the same Rain bring up and mature the two crops, but they go to two different destinations. The Wheat goes into the garner and tares are burnt with unquenchable fire.

And, "The tares," he said, "that's the ecumenical move, that's the false vine, that's organized religion." Why Am I Against Organized Religion; Why We Are Not A Denomination. See? He said, "Not that kind of one." Pope John XXIII came and said, "Oh, that we all may be one, Jesus prayed." He said, "That's a deception; not that kind of one," and he preached Oneness [1962-0211 – Ed.]. He said, "Jesus prayed, Father that I and You may

be one. In that day, you will know as I was in the Father and the Father in Me, so I in you and you in Me." He said, "That is the oneness God's talking about," he said, "God, the Creator in man; God and man becoming one in this hour." Not that ecumenical move. He said, "That's deception."

The third angel's Message; He is called the third angel there in Revelation 14 because he is speaking directly, straight to those two Beasts. Who did Elijah speak to? Ahab and Jezebel. He put judgment on the two. Those are those two beasts in type that deceived, killed, and took possession. Are we not seeing the pressure upon Israel to divide Jerusalem? All of this in the Bible is coming to pass. You see?

So, this is just the part in the world there, but then what about among us, the believers? Is not the Holy Ghost revealing to us? The same way He revealed to us who Jezebel is. He revealed to us who Ahab is. He revealed to us who Jehu is? Is that right? He revealed to us who Elijah was. That's right! This is the Age of revelation. God has everybody in the Bible, and the whole setting is here, that we can look and see and understand the time we are living in. And we can see the things achieved under... since she came into power. She is using Democrats; it's one goal. It is to build the Eden so he can be enthroned as God because she took both sides.

Maybe I should read. I want to read something quickly. At least if I read something, it's on the tape too. Because sometimes I say it and... You see, you believe what I'm saying. But the thing is, sometimes somebody may hear some of these things and it looks like I should read. Okay, quickly. Bear with me a couple minutes. This is—I'll just read from the *Philadelphia Age*, these two verses. [1960-1210 - Page 313-1 -Ed.] Hear what Bro. Branham goes into to bring to us here. He said:

He goes on to say to them, "Because you have taken my Word and lived it, and thereby become patient, I will keep you from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth." Now here again we see the overlapping of the two ages; (I am closing up here.) ...here again we see the overlapping of the two ages; for this promise has to do with the end of the Gentile period which culminates in the Great Tribulation.

The Gentile period is Seven Church Ages. In the Seventh Age, Laodicea, Revelation 3:20, Christ is put outside of the church, rejected from His own church. Then who is in the church now? The man of sin is being exalted, just like when they cast David out, Absalom, the deceiver began to be exalted. Those are Mysteries of the Kingdom. Adonijah tried to take the kingdom too. And Nathan the prophet opened the mystery to Bathsheba, and said, "Look, move quickly. Adonijah is going to take the kingdom before Solomon comes in, a son of David." You understand? Oh, I'm pointing you to places. I don't have time to go to there, but I'm pointing you to places so you can see where those Things are. All of that is playing out.

He said: ...here... Right here, this 'hour of temptation', watch what it is. This is important because this Mark of the Beast and the Beast is tied to this 'hour of temptation'. And the Messenger opened this because right in there Jesus said, "Behold, I come quickly. Hold fast what you have." We have been given the Word of God. We know what is right. But that Word is also showing us who we are and showing us what is coming against us. That Word is not saying we'll walk in the Rapture nice and easy. That Word is showing we will be shut down. That Word is saying we can't operate as a church like this anymore.

They have the tapes too. They heard Bro. Branham say that a woman is a sex... disposal of garbage and all kinds of different things, and she isn't good to die with one clean bullet and all these different things. You know that? He was not talking about a good woman;

he was talking about a bad woman. He said, "Woman is the gates of hell." He was showing the evil; how Satan uses a woman to deceive. This is what he was talking about. He said, "Satan is the one who designed her, that's why he puts her on every cover, naked," and all these different things.

So in an Age of human rights, in an Age that's very civilized and 'people shouldn't talk like that'; this time, these people who want to shut down this, they spend tens and tens of millions of dollars in hush-up money and out-of-court fixing for pedophilia with little boys and all kinds of different things – all these priests. They don't go to court you know. So watch.

I will keep thee from the hour of temptation...

He said: ...this has to do with the end of the Gentile period which culminates in the Great Tribulation.

So before the Great Tribulation comes, the Bride will go. So we are between the end of the Gentile Church Age, the Gentile period because, "Come out of her, My people." We have come out of that. That thing has gone into apostasy because it rejected Christ. It rejected the Light for organization. We are here ripening in the Presence. We are here preparing: the Bride, making Herself ready to go.

So he said: This verse is not a declaration... [This verse] I will keep thee from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth. This verse is not a declaration that the true church will go into and through the tribulation. If it meant that it would have said that. But it said, "I will keep thee from the hour of temptation."

So what is he explaining to us here? This has nothing to do with the tribulation period. This is something before the tribulation period. This is something at the end of the Gentile Age and before the tribulation period, an hour here that is coming called, the hour of temptation. So that would be the hour we are in. That would be the hour we are in because we are called out

of that Seventh Age. That Seventh Age goes into darkness, apostasy. The moon is blacked out; all these things. You know that. So this hour of temptation, we know from what he's saying is not the Great Tribulation.

He said: If it meant that it would have said that. It is a time between the ending of the Church Ages and the Great Tribulations.

In other words, he said, it's an overlapping time between the closing of the Gentile Age—and what is the next thing to come? The opening of the Jewish Age: three and a half years for two prophets to come. It's prophets. There is no more beast after the Fourth Seal: Gentile Prophet to the Bride; two Jewish prophets to the Jews. Between the Gentile Prophet who left 1965 December the 24th and before the two Jewish prophets come; from 1966 to 2016 there is a Bride in here making Herself ready, called out and making Herself ready.

He said, "This is an overlapping time between the closing of the Church Age and the opening of the Jewish Age here," because they are going to be called in the tribulation period. So watch. So there is a time here, an overlapping time, and it's a time when the Bride Churches will have to stop preaching. He is telling us this.

He said: This temptation is exactly like the temptation in Eden. It will be a very inviting proposition... [He is explaining this Scripture to us.] It will be a very inviting proposition held up in direct opposition to God's commanded Word, and yet from the standpoint of human reasoning [from the standpoint of human reasoning it will be so very right, so enlightening and life-giving as to fool the world. Only the very elect will not be fooled. [He said] The temptation will come as follows.

That's why, to me, I said I felt that when this election was about to take place—and the Spirit gave it to me to show you; went way back to Mr. Clinton back there from 1992. He had eight years. Then after him, Bush came; he had eight years. Then Obama came; he had eight

years. See? And here we've had four eight-year periods. And when we look there, we see, look what came under each presidency.

Under this last one here, during that time we have had two popes. We had Pope John II going, and then we have had Benedict XXVI. And then we've come into a historical thing: first Jesuit pope, and first time we have two living popes. And then when we see this taking place here, all of this, unprecedented things, we see how in the end here, this whole earth is coming together; because it's the first time you see Muslim praying in the Vatican. First time you see Muslim, Jew, and Catholic (the Sheik...), all three went to Jerusalem and we see those things.

Then we see Pentecostals stand up and Kenneth Copeland [Televangelist -Ed.] and all of them doing these things, showing these things that are moving and look how far advance it is. And we see in the sixties, the Prophet crying out and warning us about these things. Could you imagine if he was alive tonight here seeing all of this, seeing this kind of world we've found ourselves in; (see?) seeing this country?

Watch. So this temptation is exactly like the temptation in the Garden of Eden.

The temptation will come as follows. The ecumenical move... Now catch this. I'm just reading here and closing.] The temptation will come as follows. This is going to come in this very season that we are in here. We are going to see this. We must see this. Between the ending of the Church Age and the opening of the Jewish Age is the time for us to see this. And here we are, already fifty years in the going away of the Prophet and we have come through all these presidents until we marriage homosexual, same-sex have seen throughout the United States and it's being forced upon every nation everywhere. We have seen the kind of wars and the manipulation of people by the media and the lies. We have seen this in our generation, in our time.

Do you know what we see now, too? A lot of Pentecostal ministers are going back and realizing that Bro. Branham had something. There are people I know (I testified to the brothers about it), they preach on the Church Ages. They talk about William Branham openly. They're talking about all these different things. They put *Deep Calleth To Deep* on television; in different places and talk about the program and showing that Bro. Branham... Because since that time to this time, they didn't see that kind of power in a man, these kind of demonstrations, but these people were using this to identify, to make something for themselves. They're not identifying with the Message. See?

Because they look in the Message realm and they see so much of fight, and war, and confusion, so they see it easier to work outside there. And they're talking about the white Dove, and they're talking about all these different things, and the great ministry and the sons of God to come up in the last days. They're taking everything from the Message now and applying it to themselves now. And then you can hardly get some Message-believers to believe some of these promises. They say, "Just stay with the normal simple things." You understand what I am saying? Now watch. We'll finish up here.

It will be a very inviting proposition...He said: The temptation will come as follows. The ecumenical move that has started on what seems such a beautiful and blessed principle (fulfilling Christ's prayer that we all might be one) becomes so strong politically that she bears pressure upon the government to cause all to join with her either directly or through adherence to principles enacted into law so that no people will be recognized as actual churches unless under direct or indirect domination of this council. [What I just explained to you; coming out of Revelation 13.] Little groups will lose charters, privileges, etc., until they lose all property and spiritual rights with the people.

Now could you imagine, you witness fight for property, you witness all kinds of corporate warfare for property; when they are coming in to take the property, do you think they could fight them? Watch. Watch. Be aware how late it is. This is the point. I'm not on what people do. I am not on that there. I just used that as a reference to say: look at what is happening among us when they are coming to take the property already. We should be trying to resolve differences and find healing and deliverance.

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This pressure is here in a small way, but it's going to increase. This man said, "We will put a wall straight here; block off Mexico. We're going to do this here with Russia. We're going to do this here." Look at... We've entered back into the cold war. Because you know what? Every President, when they realize they're going out they want a legacy, so they want to play they're doing things to be remembered in a certain way. It gets so selfish on their self, that, it's lies and confusion and trouble for the next people coming in behind, too. But you see, it shows you, Satan – devils fight among themselves because they don't have love. It's just a false unity. But God's people is to be united to love each other as He loved us.

He said: ...it is now almost mandatory...As this pressure increases, and it will, [I am saying it's coming under this administration.] it will be harder to resist, for to resist is to lose privilege. And so many will be tempted to go along, for they will feel it is better to serve God publicly in the framework of this organization than not to serve God at all publicly. But they err. To believe the devil's lie is to serve Satan, even though you may want to call him Jehovah. But the elect will not be deceived.

And he said: Furthermore, the elect will not only be kept,... Because He said, "I will keep you. I will keep you! You know why? Because you kept My Word. I will keep you because you kept My Word!" Let me tell you: you standing for that Word with conviction, mixing It with faith, going in obedience to that Word, letting that Word be projected out of your life that people can see Christ lives in you, God honors that. He said, "Because you're not ashamed of the Gospel, I will not be ashamed of you; because you stand for Me, I will stand for you." When those Hebrew boys stood for Him, He came down and stood for them. When Daniel stood for Him, He came down in the lion's den and stood for them when they were forcing them to do what? Worship the image...worship the image.

Furthermore, the elect will not only be kept, but as this [ecumenical] move becomes the "IMAGE ERECTED TO THE BEAST," the saints will be gone in the rapture. And this little delightful, winsome movement that started out in fellowship at Ephesus will become the monster of Satan that defiles and deceives the whole world.

This is going to become... whilst she was speaking with the mouth of the dragon: this thing that defiles and deceives the whole world.

For the church system of the Roman Catholic and the Protestant in coming together will control the whole wealth of the world system and force the whole earth into its religious trap, or will kill them, by refusing them the privilege of buying and selling whereby they would make

a living. This will be accomplished... [Hear the Prophet; he said,] This will be accomplished simply, for the harlot's daughters are all but gone back to her. In the meantime, Rome has acquired nearly all the supplies of gold. The Jews have the bonds and all the paper. At the right time, the harlot will destroy the present day money system by calling in all the paper, and demanding gold. With no gold, the system falls. The Jews will be trapped and come into the alliance, and the harlot church will take over the whole world.

So, my! Just think. It is in a time like this, *that* is coming.

I'll be punishing you if I go beyond this. See? This is painful; for a man like me, it's painful to leave these things like this. But I feel that, you know, you catch... You read what the Prophet says. God gave you a servant who will follow up these things and you will understand better, the hour we have come to. You will understand better the hour we have come to and all that God is doing in this hour.

But watch the next stage. Watch the stages how they come to change the moral condition. They have taken the resources in the wars, the last few wars. They have taken strongholds in the earth that give them economic control and military control of regions. That is your Second Seal; that is your Third Seal.

The uniting of Muslims, Jews, and all these different things, that's your First Seal. You understand? This Information revolution is your Fourth Seal: the uniting time and sign, uniting the whole world like Nimrod did. Nimrod... Let me... (The musicians can come for me.) Nimrod came out of the ark, not Nimrod rather; Ham. They had eight people coming out of the ark, all believing in one God. By the time Nimrod came he exalted himself as God. He changed the Truth into a lie. He changed It! In other words, he perverted the Word from 'one' God to 'many'. That is your First Seal.

Then he began to make war and conquer cities and nations; that's your Second Seal. War is for resources, for economic control, using force, military might. That is what they use to break the power... devouring the earth and breaking it up into pieces.

Then the Third Seal after he controls all the economics.

The Fourth Seal: Nimrod, uniting the world by one language, one speech; trying to take man into Heaven by science and technology.

Your Fifth Seal: souls under the altar, all the righteous in Adam's lineage down through the Age who stood for the Truth.

Your Sixth Seal: Nimrod forced every nation to bow to Babylon. The beginning of his kingdom was Babel, then Accad, Calneh, Nineveh. When he was made strong, he went forth into the earth. He changed the world from agriculture to industry and then to bring it to information, then God came down and scattered the people.

Abraham was called out: Genesis 12. Genesis 15: from justification to sanctification. Genesis 17: he received a new name. Genesis 18: God, in a man like a prophet: the revealing of the Son of Man at the end of Pentecostal Age. At the end of Genesis 17, God came down, turned His back to the tent; discerned Sarah's heart. Like we have... We have had Luther, Wesley, Pentecost, and then, God in a man like a prophet. Then Abraham and Sarah were changed and came back young and the promised son came on the scene, Genesis 21, the Mystery of the Seventh Seal. In this Day we have come the same way.

The Beast has deceived the world. Through war, taking peace from the earth, breaking it up, they've come to control the resources of the earth. What they went for really was the oil, to position themselves in the earth, to have control over the economics and the trade; to control the trade ways that they took down Egypt for

by Arab Spring: a new type of warfare, cyber warfare in the world. Without the Seven Seals, we are at the mercy of CNN and BBC and FOX News. Media is controlled by the Vatican and State-controlled media by the image; keeping the people under the lie, sedated, tranquilized. But the true Elect of God, these Divinely revealed 'Mystery-Truths' given to us by the Prophet was to awaken us, pull us together, show us how to prepare, give us the understanding of the powers that are at work in the earth: who they are, what they are; open to us the Mystery of our lives in this Book as we see the things that are to follow the one-man Scripture.

What followed Elohim in human flesh? Abraham and Sarah came back young. What followed Joshua? Rahab had the token and brought her family under it. That's right. What followed the going away of Eliezer? Rebekah and Isaac came into union; a bride called out and introduced into the marriage. See? What followed Israel coming back in the homeland—Naomi coming back in the homeland at harvest time? Ruth came in and came into union with Boaz.

Everywhere Bible, we in the can see predestinated an elected people, pre-planned your life and your experiences to give you identification that you are one of His. When that which is Perfect is come, that which is in part shall be done away. [1st Corinthians 13:10 -Ed.] You shall know as you were known; as He foreknew you, you shall know. You shall see who are. Like Bro. Branham, "I thank God when I found out I'm not the son of Charles and Ella Branham." He began to see his position in the Word. He began to see the mystery of his life. He began to see what he was called unto, what he was anointed for, and he lived in God's provided way.

It's the same for us. God, raising up a church in this hour, placing us positionally, bringing the mind of Christ into us that we can walk with Him like Enoch: And Enoch walked with God: and he was not. [Genesis 5:24 -Ed.] Elijah, in the day he was to be taken up was

walking in close communion. God said, "Leave Gilgal, go to Bethel. Leave Bethel, go to Jericho. Leave Jericho, go to Jordan." He knew he was going up. Enoch knew he was going up. They were walking in a realm of Perfect Faith because God had come down, and they were foreordained to go up while they were alive. Abraham and Sarah were changed while they were alive. Enoch and Elijah went up while they were alive. That's right. It's there in the Bible. We, who are alive and remain, we shall not all sleep, we shall be changed like Abraham and Sarah. We shall go up like Enoch. We will come back like Noah after the judgment and populate the new earth.

In this hour we see the things around us – the flashing red light of the sign of His Coming. We see the Sodom sign like Abraham and them before they were changed. We see the scientific Age like Enoch and them before they went up; seeing the wrath of God coming. It just proves: that which was is now. That which shall be, hath already been. And as we're awaken to this, we could walk in union.

Take the Word in your heart. Live for Christ. Live for this Message in this hour, walk in it. Gird the loins of your mind with the truth of His Word and be ready to give every man a reason of the hope that we are called unto. Let's pray.

Beloved Jesus, how we thank You for a believing church. Oh God, I think, Lord, that we just scratched the surface here, but time has run out. But I believe, dear God, that which You have spoken. You said, "I will write My laws in your heart and your mind. No man will have to say, know the Lord, we shall all know the Lord." This is the covenant which You will make with Your people, Lord. You're not writing Your laws on tables of stone anymore, but the fleshy tables of our hearts that we could be the living, manifested epistles in this hour, read of all men; that our lives coming to dovetail with that prophetic Word, Lord, like Your

Prophet talked about the two halves of the Chinese ticket: the Word that is written for this hour, and those who are predestinated to that written Word, those with the potentials to manifest that Word and see that Word, Lord, become personalized, being identified in their own lives, showing forth the interpretation which You say is the manifestation of the Name of God that that Name which is written on Your thigh is sealed into their foreheads. And Lord, God, they can look in the Bible, this Lamb's Book of Life, this Family Album and see their picture in There and know that that's them. Like the little boy in the mirror, he said, "Mama, that's me!" You said, "We shall know as we were known."

May this great Quickening Power, this blessed Holy Spirit, Lord, move in the hearts of Your children and take the fears out, take the doubts out, and bring such a certainty that we could be certain of God, certain that God keeps His Word that we could tie our souls to the Absolute, Your unfailing Words of promise, knowing that heaven and earth will pass away, but this Word could never pass away. Your Prophet spoke with such accuracy, such precision under Divine inspiration, making clear the hour, the time and You came down and vindicated these things supernaturally, giving witness and confirmation that these savings are faithful and true. Today, we hang our souls upon it, dear God, because we see it coming to pass even in our lives; You, giving the identification that we are part of You. We appreciate this, Father.

May You bless Your servant. May You bless all the offices in the assembly here. May You bless every family represented; the men, the women, Lord, the young children. Almighty God, bless Your servant, Lord, sitting here with his wife tonight, coming in to visit a little bit. Oh, gracious God, may You, the All-sufficient God, Lord, You give to us in this late hour that which... As you told Joshua, "Be strong and of good courage," and again You said, "Be of good courage. Don't turn to

the right or to the left and no man shall be able to stand before you all the days of thy life." So dear God, we pray in this hour, knowing that when that time comes, that darkness, there will be so much fear. But Lord, God, You said, "When it gets real dark, that's the time, Father, the light shines best." That Chief Engineer, the One Who designed the Church will be here amongst us to turn on the Light, to make Your Word manifest.

Oh God, search us, Lord. Know our hearts. See if there are things, Lord, where we are reasoning, we are lacking; pour in Your strength. Bring Your Light into the places where there is no dark places for us to wonder or be confused, or halting between opinions. But make it so real in every heart, in every life that, dear God, we could have the confidence that You Who said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you. Lo, I am with you always even until the end. I'm your shield, I'm your exceedingly great reward." You said, 'though a host encampeth round about us, in this we'll be confident. The Lord is our Light and our Salvation, whom shall we fear? The Lord is the strength of our life. In the time of trouble, You will hide us in Your pavilion, in the secret of Your tabernacle, oh God. You set us upon a Rock, we shall not be moved. May You grant it, Lord.

In that Day shall Michael stand and deliver the names found written in the Book. You will stand for us! Oh God, You, the great Gabriel, the Archangel Who announced the First Coming, Who came to the virgin and overshadowed her, Who showed her, her position in the Bible, oh God, Who gave skill and understanding to consider the matter and understand the vision, make these things real in the hearts of Your children?

We love You and we appreciate You, Lord. We thank You for all things. We certainly appreciate being here among Your people, Lord. Lord, they treated us so fine and was so good, and we are thankful we could give back something in some way that Lord, God, it might be an encouragement and blessing to them all. We commit them into Your mighty hands, and Your servant, and everyone, Father that is connected with them, for the glory of God we pray, in the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen and amen.

Amen, as we ask the pastor to come, amen. Praise His wonderful Name. Stay true to the Word, friends. Stay true to the Word.

