WORLDLY THINGS

I JOHN 5:1

1 ¶ Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is born of God: and every one that loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him.

I JOHN 5:2

2 By this we know that we love the children of God, when we love God, and keep his commandments.

I JOHN 5:3

3 For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous.

I JOHN 5:4

4 For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.

[STOP]

I JOHN 2:15

15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

JOHN 3:16

16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

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GOD'S.POWER.TO.TRANSFORM_ PHOENIX.AZ V-16 N-5 SATURDAY_ 65-0911

Now, the word there is not earth; it's a Greek word, is kosmos, which means "the world's order." If we love fashions of the earth, the world, if we love the trend of the day, if we think "this is a wonderful time, oh, we have all these things," if you think that, it's because your thinking is wrong. It is perverted by the Devil. "For if you love the world's order, and the things of this present world, it's because the love of God is not even in you." Remember that. O God! Look what we're looking into!

ARROGANT SPIRITS

REVELATION.CHAPTER.FOUR.3_ JEFF.IN ROJC 645-716 SUNDAY_ 61-0108 15......The Spirit of God always is ready for correction, sweet, humble, willing. See? If it stands up and say, "I'll do it anyhow," you know how sometime... Just remember, **arrogant spirits are not of God**. See? So why take a substitute when everything, the whole earth, is filled with the glory of God (You see?), real power of God. Why will we take a substitute? We're too late in the day now; but, remember, the Bible has said he'd come in like a--just as sly as he could be, and deceive the very elected if possible. See?

ARROGANT: Having or displaying a sense of overbearing selfworth or self-importance. Marked by or arising from a feeling or assumption of one's superiority

exaggerating or disposed to <u>exaggerate</u> one's own worth or importance often by an <u>overbearing</u> manner

showing an offensive attitude of superiority: proceeding from or characterized by arrogance

INFLUENCE_ SHREVEPORT.LA V-17 N-8 SATURDAY_ 63-1130B

We find out that Uzziah, **because of his arrogance**, he was smitten with leprosy. He never did recover. He never recovered. He had to separate himself from the Presence of God, and die in a lepers' house......

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- And Uzziah ought to have taken that heed. Now, remember, we call him, today, a Christian that God had blessed. He wasn't just some ordinary man. He was a man that was blessed by God, **but he did not want to stand correction.** No matter how much the Word said it was so, he didn't want to understand That, because he felt secure enough that God would let him get by with something else.
- And that's what's the matter with our peoples today around the world, that they think that God will let them get by with something contrary to this Word. He'll never do it. We must come back to correction, and stand correction by the Word. And because of his arrogant way he acted, he pay no attention to what this minister had to say. He would do what he wanted to do. Just think, now just stop that in your mind a minute.

II CHRONICLES 26:16

16 ¶ But when **he was strong**, **his heart was lifted up to his destruction**: for he transgressed against the LORD his God, and went into the temple of the LORD to burn incense upon the altar of incense.

II CHRONICLES 26:17

17 And Azariah the priest went in after him, and with him fourscore priests of the LORD, that were valiant men:

II CHRONICLES 26:18

18 And they withstood Uzziah the king, and said unto him, It appertaineth not unto thee, Uzziah, to burn incense unto the LORD, but to the priests the sons of Aaron, that are consecrated to burn incense: go out of the sanctuary; for thou hast trespassed; neither shall it be for thine honour from the LORD God.

II CHRONICLES 26:19

19 Then Uzziah was wroth, and had a censer in his hand to burn incense: and while he was wroth with the priests, the

leprosy even rose up in his forehead before the priests in the house of the LORD, from beside the incense altar.

II CHRONICLES 26:20

20 And Azariah the chief priest, and all the priests, looked upon him, and, behold, he was leprous in his forehead, and they thrust him out from thence; yea, himself hasted also to go out, because the LORD had smitten him.

II CHRONICLES 26:21

21 And Uzziah the king was a leper unto the day of his death, and dwelt in a several house, being a leper; for he was cut off from the house of the LORD: and Jotham his son was over the king's house, judging the people of the land.

MARK 9:37

37 Whosoever shall receive one of such children in my name, receiveth me: and whosoever shall receive me, receiveth not me, but him that sent me.

MARK 9:38

38 And **John** answered him, saying, Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followeth not us: and **we forbad him**, because he **followeth not us**.

MARK 9:39

39 But Jesus said, Forbid him not: for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me.

MARK 9:40

40 For he that is not against us is on our part.

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS_ JEFF.IN COD THURSDAY_ 61-0112 544-209......The life that's in it bears stickers, always fussing, and cutting up, and real mean, and ill, and everything. See what I mean? Arrogant (See?), that's not the fruit of the Spirit. The fruit of the Spirit is meekness, patience, gentleness (See?), all that. See?

He can say, "Well, well, I can shout just as loud as you can. Bless God, the Holy Ghost falls on me." That may be every speck true, but the life that he lives doesn't back up what he's talking about. See? He was a weed; he was a weed to start with.........

PERFECT.STRENGTH.BY.PERFECT.WEAKNESS_ JEFF.IN V-8 N-1 SUNDAY_ 61-1119 79......God can use them if they're ready to forget that they are a somebody. If you're ready to forget that you're a somebody and become a nobody, then God can use you and make a somebody out of you. See? **But you've got to forget that you're so important.**

There's many of us; many of us do that in--in our lives. As soon as... Some people, as soon as they become Christians, they become arrogant, indifferent (That's right.) when they're just taking a vice versa the path. They're going backwards instead of forward. When... More you can get out of yourself, more room you've got for the Holy Spirit to come in.......

YOU.MUST.BE.BORN.AGAIN_ JEFF.IN V-11 N-5 SUNDAY_ 61-1231M

say something about you, you right up ready to fight, then borned of the Spirit of God? No. God's Spirit don't do like that. No. God's Spirit is humble, meek, sweet, long-suffering. That's God. loving, kind, forgiving, that's God's Spirit. Oh, yes......

HUMBLE.THYSELF_ JEFF.IN V-21 N-1 SUNDAY_ 63-0714E

77......If you want power, see how humble you can get. Just get away from all your <u>worldly thinking</u>, and humble yourself before God, and then you've got more power than the man that runs all over the building and makes a big lot of noise; see, because you have been able to conquer yourself, and commit yourself to Christ, you see, to humble yourself before Him. That's really power.

You show me a church that's humble, real humble, **not a--a arrogancy**; a church, just a sweet, humble church, **I'll show you a church that has the favor and power of God in it**. That's right. That's the thing it takes, humility, humbling

ourselves before God, letting God just work through us. Don't have to make a lot of noise.

HUMBLE.THYSELF JEFF.IN V-21 N-1 SUNDAY 63-0714E

another.

And I've always found out that the man that humbles himself is the man that God exalts. When you take a person with his chest out and knows everything, and you can't tell him nothing, and he is arrogant, and--and, well, that--that's the person that never gets anywhere. But you take that person that humbles themself and walks sweetly.

HUMBLE.THYSELF_ JEFF.IN V-21 N-1 SUNDAY_ 63-0714E
94......if you want to get somewhere with God, never let an
arrogant spirit ever come around you. Don't let no malice
come in. No matter what anybody does, if they are wrong, don't
you never build up a complex against that person. See?
You be sweet and kind. Remember, God loved you when you
were in sin. And if the Spirit of God is in you, you love the other
person when he's in wrong. See, just pray for them, and love one

Above everything, love God and love one another. And be humble with God and around one another, and God will bless us, and it's hard telling what He will do. Usually when a church begins to get in numbers and get to getting a little bigger, or something like that, then they get away from that real thing, the real thing.

THE.ANOINTED.ONES.AT.THE.END.TIME_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-3 SUNDAY_ 65-0725M 285......Many of you here might be trinitarian preachers. We don't want to be angry with you. We love you. If we didn't, if I didn't believe that, I'd never leave this church till I got down there on my knees and said, "God, make me right."

I don't want that arrogant, selfish spirit mixed up with mine. I want my spirit to be pure and clean, brotherly love, holy with the Holy Spirit. Now, if someone does anything wrong to me, that's all right. And though I might have the right to get back at them, I don't want that in my life. No, I--I want to have love. I want to be ready to correct with love, with love that absolutely answers out yonder for it.

MATTHEW 26:33

33 Peter answered and said unto him, **Though all men** shall be offended because of thee, **yet will I never be offended**.

MATTHEW 26:34

34 Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, That this night, before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice.

MATTHEW 26:35

35 Peter said unto him, Though I should die with thee, yet will I not deny thee. Likewise also said all the disciples.

JOHN 21:15

15 ¶ So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon Peter, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my lambs.

JOHN 21:17

17 He saith unto him the third time, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me? Peter was grieved because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me? And he said unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee. Jesus saith unto him, Feed my sheep.

THE.WORD.BECAME.FLESH.INDIA.TRIP.REPORT_ JEFF.IN V-26 N-5 SUNDAY_ 54-1003M 108.......I want to ask the church one more thing before we get some place to study in the Scriptures: that is, that you'll pray for me. **I've developed a critical spirit, and it haunts at me**. I told my wife yesterday, the first time. Something happened now, that I was sitting in the yard, and I told her. She had reminded me, and I told her about it. I said, "Honey, I've got to a place till **I'm become critical of people**." I don't want to be... Who--whose job is it? It's not mine. And God's the One to criticize, not me.

THE.WORD.BECAME.FLESH.INDIA.TRIP.REPORT_ JEFF.IN V-26 N-5 SUNDAY_ 54-1003M So you help me, as I stand here with my hand up at the pulpit, help me to criticize nobody. And help me that God will give me a spirit in my heart, that instead of criticizing it, I will love them anyhow, and go on.

It's just been a constant grind, and a grind, and a grind. Till I'm just human. My mental powers are breaking like that. You see? And I've got to get away for some rest.

And that's what I'm going away for I to stay by myself to pray that God will take that critical feeling away from me, and mellow me down, till... I could go and act like it, but that wouldn't come from my heart. And I'd be a hypocrite then, sure enough. See? I want it to come from my heart, that I really have love for those who are not lovely. That Jesus did. When I was critical, when I needed to be criticized, and still, He still loves me anyhow. So that's the way I want to be. You pray for me......

THE.WORD.BECAME.FLESH.INDIA.TRIP.REPORT_ JEFF.IN V-26 N-5 SUNDAY_ 54-1003M Now, I pray that You'll help me. **Take the critical spirit from Thy servant, Lord. God, I don't want to... If the men are wrong, You be the Judge, Lord.** Let me just love anyhow, will You, Father? If the women missdress, and misuse themselves, and become prostitutes, and our nation sinks, how can I change history when You've spoke it, Lord? But I pray that You'll just help me, and let me be loving and kind, that I can be Your servant and do Your will.............

SIRS.WE.WOULD.SEE.JESUS_ LOUISVILLE.KY SUNDAY_ 54-0328 E-24......Then the Jews found this man packing his bed on the sabbath day and questioned him, and perhaps was questioning Jesus about these things.

"Why won't He heal that one? Let me see Him make this one well and I'll believe it. Let me see Him heal this one; I'll believe it." And yet people were being healed everywhere. **Them same** critical ungodly spirits still...?... exist today. "Let me see Him heal this one and I'll believe it." See? The devil takes his man, but never his spirit. God takes His man, but never His Spirit. His

Spirit lives right on. God's Spirit lives on in men, on and on and on. "Ye shall see Me, for I will be with you, even in you, to the end of the world." See?

BLIND.BARTIMAEUS SAN.JOSE.CA FRIDAY 59-1127

E-29 You know, God takes His man, but never His Spirit. The devil takes his, but never the spirit. The same spirit lives on among the people. That is true. God took Elijah, but the Spirit come upon Elisha. God took Elisha; It come on John the Baptist. Them Spirits does not die. And He took His Son, Jesus, and the Holy Ghost come on the Church. Amen.

Those critical spirits of those unbelieving priests still live today among the people: religious spirits, criticizing, making fun.

But as Jesus was at that day, so is He today, the same yesterday, today, and forever. He goes on about the Father's business. The Church of the living God shall prevail. They'll move forward......

IS.YOUR.LIFE.WORTHY.OF.THE.GOSPEL_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-5 SUNDAY_ 63-0630E

And did you know, you are a little creator, yourself? You know that? Certainly. You've seen people that you just love to be around. You don't know why. Just that loving type of person. Have you seen that? [Congregation says, "Amen."--Ed.] Just as kind, there, you like to be around them. That's... They create that atmosphere, by the life they live, the way they talk, their conversation.

Then, you've seen those that, every time, you--you shun them. All time, they want to talk about something evil, and talk about somebody. Say, "Oh, my! There they come. They're going to criticize somebody there. He's in here now, he's going to talk about this man. All they're going to do is tell dirty jokes, or something about women, or something like that." You just hate to get around them. See? They create. Seemingly, pretty nice people, but they create that atmosphere. And the things that you think on, the things that you do, the actions, the things you talk about, creates an atmosphere.

EPHESIANS 4:30

30 And grieve not the holy Spirit of God, whereby ye are sealed unto the day of redemption.

EPHESIANS 4:31

31 Let all *BITTERNESS, and wrath, and anger, and clamour, and evil speaking, be put away from you, with all malice:

<u>BITTERNESS</u>: pikria {pik-ree'-ah}

bitter gall, a bitter root, and so producing a bitter fruit. A secret lurking displeasure at another, or rather a confirmed and permanent one;

GOD.MAKING.HIS.PROMISE BROOKLYN.NY SUNDAY 56-1209A

E-36 And I've noticed in the dove, the dove is one bird who has no gall, no bitterness about a dove. And **there's no bitterness about God**. It's a gentle, meek, kind little fellow. And it cannot eat anything that's contaminated........

GOD.KEEPS.HIS.WORD_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY_ 57-0407M

takes all the old roots of bitterness out, the old anger, and temper, and jealousy, and love of the world, and things, and takes it all out of you, and then you're a new creature.

THIRSTING.FOR.LIFE CHICAGO.IL SATURDAY 59-0613

E-35 Now, when you're borned again, you don't have to be a hypocrite; you are a new creature. **The gall of bitterness is-the desire of the world is taken from you......**

LAMB.AND.DOVE_ YAKIMA.WA FRIDAY_ 60-0805

E-14.....in the dove, is no bitterness. And **in God is no bitterness, or in the one that the dove lives in, and leads, there's no bitterness**. Now, the dove, the reason he's made like that, it's because of his diet. Now, he could not eat the things that a vulture eats, because it would kill him right away.......

THE.SMYRNAEAN.CHURCH.AGE JEFF.IN ROJC 185-227 TUESDAY 60-1206

The only thing the matter, get all these little differences away from you. Little isms, and little funny feelings around you for brethren, and things like that, shake it away. **Don't let no root of bitterness ever get into your soul. If you do,** <u>it'll canker you</u>. Right. Keep love. I don't care how much people hate you; you love them anyhow. If you can't do that, you need-you didn't--you--you ain't sealed; you got a loose place yet. So come on back and get that sealed up right good with the Blood of Christ. It'll cleanse you from all roots of bitterness. Yes.

HEBREWS 12:15

15 Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled;