

THE VEILED GLORY II

II CORINTHIANS 3:15

15 But even unto this day, when Moses is read, the veil is upon their heart.

II CORINTHIANS 3:16

16 Nevertheless when it shall turn to the Lord, the veil shall be taken away.

II CORINTHIANS 3:17

17 Now the Lord is that Spirit: and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is liberty.

II CORINTHIANS 3:18

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18 But we all, with ***OPEN** face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

OPEN: anakalupto {an-ak-al-ooop'-to}
to unveil or uncover (by drawing back a veil)

BEHOLDING: katoptrizomai {kat-op-trid'-zom-ahee}
to show in a mirror, to make to reflect, to mirror, to look at one's self in a mirror, to behold one's self in a mirror.

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70 Now, with our Message, can we stand by the looking glass of God's Word and see Christ reflect in our own lives then? Can we bear such, and **the reproach of the Message that we're standing for here?** Someone can say something about It, and

yet you just don't open your mouth and say nothing about it. **He was example, because God was reflecting His character in Him.** And then if we're sons and daughters of God, **God reflects His character in us, then we become like Him.** That's my heart's desire. I think that's every believer's desire, is to become more like Him.

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99.....if we profess that He is our Peacemaker, He is our Propitiation, then if we profess that, **then that is supposed to reflect Him back in us. And we are a written epistle, a looking glass, that people can see Christ in us.** And now, **if they don't, then we're--we're--we're looking at something else, and we're not looking to Him.....**

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS.1_ JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY_ 64-0823M

966-Q-256 256. Brother Branham, should we go to the other churches even when they disagree with you? Sure, yep. Jesus did when they disagreed with Him. Go ahead. We notice here, says, "Should we go to another church that disagrees with you?" Sure, I don't... **I'm not the only pebble on the beach, you know. There's--there's just other godly men everywhere; I hope I'm one of them.**

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS.3_ JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY_ 64-0830M

1106-Q-349 349. Now. Brother Branham, is it true that no one should preach but you? We have seen your--we have seen you ordain men. We do--don't believe you would do that if there were not--if they were not to preach. **Mercy. Brother, sister, ever who told you that nobody's to preach but me, I'd sure be a poor subject to God with all that. No. Every man or that feels a call of God upon his life, get into the ministry and start preaching; we need them. Men of God are anointed all over the world to preach the Gospel. See? I'm just one little pebble on the beach among many big stones. See? So I... There's just many that's more eligible, more worthy, more of anything to preach than me; I'm just one little, humble person laying out here.**

I'm one grain of wheat in a whole garner. See? So that just a... You know what I mean. Any man that's called of God needs to preach the Gospel.

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102.....kill that nature of yourself, that you might become...
And **then the Word becomes a living thing**, It just expresses
Itself through you. See? Then you're looking in the looking glass,
when people sees you as a mirror. Because, you know, God
has made a way. **People won't read the Bible, so God has
made you a Bible. You are. What you do, people is looking
at you.**

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112.....**We're invited to be molded in His Image, that we
might reflect His Presence**. "And the works that I do, shall you
do also. The Life that I live, so shall you." We're invited, by God,
to take Him as an Example, and **let our character be molded
like His**. What a thing! My!

113 Then, when we let His character be in us, then we have
become sons, by having the mind of Christ, mind, which is His
character. Your mind makes your character. **"Let the mind,"
Paul said, "of Christ, this mind that was in Christ, be in
you." Let that mind of Christ be in you. It molds the
character of a son of God.....**

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119 You know, in the heathen world, how the heathens put up
an idol and they prostrate themselves before the idol, and work
themselves into such an emotion till they believe they can hear
that idol speak back to them. It's a mental affair, but how vice
versa from God's Truth.

120 **God wants you. He don't want an idol. You are the
living image of God. And you prostrate yourself before
God, and He fills you with Himself, and you express Him as
a looking glass, His Church.**

THE.HARVEST.TIME_ PHOENIX.AZ V-18 N-6 SATURDAY_ 64-1212

188 I'm going to ask you something. How can a man or a woman who claims to be filled with the Holy Spirit, which is the Word (that right?), and **how can you be the flesh of that Holy Spirit, has made you part of Him, to reflect the Gospel of your age, and deny the Word that He wrote?**

II CORINTHIANS 3:3

3 Forasmuch as ye are manifestly declared to be **the epistle of Christ** ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.

SOULS.THAT.ARE.IN.PRISON.NOW_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-22 SUNDAY_ 63-1110M

343 And a man that's got the Spirit of God in him, or a woman, **lives that Word, lives right out in them. That's the heart beat, the predestinated, for the Word of the Lord comes to them, and they are the Word to the people.** "Written epistles read of all men." Is that right? Could the Third Pull be on?

SIR.WE.WOULD.SEE.JESUS_ NY.NY V-18 N-7 TUESDAY_ 63-1112

38 Now, according to the Scriptures, we are supposed to be "written epistles" of Him. The Bible says that we are "written epistles." And if, tonight, we would hunger and thirst to see the Lord Jesus Christ, **we as Christian believers should reflect His Life, so much, till it would be His entire representative.** We should be that. Every Christian should be represent and reflect the Life of Jesus Christ.....

INFLUENCES_ TULARE.CA V-22 N-13 SATURDAY_ 64-0215

26 Remember, the Bible said, **"You are living, written epistles, read of all man." Now, many people won't read the Bible, but God has made you a living representative. You are a walking letter, should be a walking Bible, Christ in you. You should be the walking Word of God.** And if you profess to be a Christian, and not that, your influence, your... **What you're influencing, will make you have to answer for many souls that you've turned aside, away from Christ, in that Day of the Judgment.....**

271 As it is written, see, "Written, you are written epistles," the Bible said. **Now, what is epistle? Is a "written word."** And you are the "written." Other words, you'd read It like this, "You," It said, "you are written epistles," or, **"you are the Word, that has been written, made manifest,"** nothing can be added to It. You can't say, "I'm a written epistle," and living some other kind of a something but what This has already wrote, because nothing can be added or taken away. [Brother Branham pats his Bible--Ed.]

II CORINTHIANS 3:18

18 But we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are ***CHANGED** into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.

CHANGED: metamorphoo {met-am-or-fo'-o}
transfigure, transform, to change into another form, to transform, to transfigure, i.e. Christ appearance was changed and was resplendent with divine brightness on the mount of transfiguration Mt. 17:2

Here is an allusion to the effect which was produced by looking into an ancient mirror. Such mirrors were made of burnished metal, and the reflection from them would be intense. If a strong light were thrown on them, the rays would be cast by reflection on the face of him who looked on the mirror, and it would be strongly illuminated.

ASSIMILATE,
to take in and incorporate as one's own; absorb:
to bring into conformity with the customs, attitudes, etc.
to cause to resemble.

42.....in Acts the 4th chapter, that we find out, that those fishermen, Peter and John, and healing the man at the Gate Beautiful, and was able to answer any question that they--that

they... the Sanhedrin asked of them, asked them; yet, they with their ignorance, and unlearned. They could perceive that. They had no education, and they was not trained ministers, they were fishermen. **"But they perceived that they had been with Jesus," see, because that they were acting the same way He acted on them.**

SIR.WE.WOULD.SEE.JESUS_ NY.NY V-18 N-7 TUESDAY_ 63-1112

43 **You can just live with somebody so long, and around them, until you take up their ways.** And it's good for us not to run off and live with the world. But stay with Jesus until we can reflect, His Life be reflected in our life.

44 And that's the way those disciples were. They, **they knew that they had been around Jesus, because they talked like Him, acted like Him, and healed like Him, and every answer was like Him.** They was inspired like Him, and they knowed that He was living in them. That's what we should be all the time, as believers. **They acting like Him, 'cause, if you associate with someone so long.**

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80-2 EPHESIAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.3

"Seven golden candlesticks." In Exodus 25:31, it says,

"And thou shalt make a candlestick of **PURE** gold; of **BEATEN** work shall the candlestick be made; his shaft, and his branches, his bowls, his knops, and his flowers, shall be of the same."

The true church of Jesus Christ, the bride, is likened to PURE gold. Her righteousness is HIS righteousness. Her attributes are HIS own glorious attributes. Her identity is found in Him. What He is, she is to reflect. What He has, she is to manifest. There is no fault in her. She is all glorious within and without. From beginning to ending **she is the work of her Lord, and all His works are perfect. In fact in her is summed up and manifested the eternal wisdom and**

purpose of God. How can one fathom it? How can one understand it? Though we cannot do that, we can accept it by faith, for God hath spoken it.

II CORINTHIANS 4:6

6 For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

THE.FOURTH.SEAL_ JEFF.IN THURSDAY_ 63-0321

292-1 {92} In Genesis 1:1, it said, 'In the beginning God created heavens and earth' period. See? That's all. Now, the world without form and void." And I said, "I believe every seed was laying right there from some other civilization or something, and as soon as the water lifted off and the light struck it, up come the trees and everything."

The same thing with the human being; it's a type. When all the--the--the mist is moved away, and the revealed Truth to that real seed laying there still germitized, and the Light of the Gospel can strike it by true a-vindication of the Word, it'll live; it's got Life in it...?... Outside of that it can't live. It hasn't got no Life in it.

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EPHESIANS 5:8

8 For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are **ye light** in the Lord: walk as children of light: