

## **OUR NEW HOME 23**

### **REVELATION 22:12**

12 And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be.

### **REVELATION 22:13**

13 I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last.

### **REVELATION 22:14**

14 Blessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city.

### **[STOP]**

239-2 THYATIREAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.6  
"I will put upon you none other burden."

The word for burden is weight or pressure. The pressure of the Dark Ages was either bend, or be broken. Bow or die. It was the inquisition, the power of the empire backing up Satanic worship. Be organized or pay with your life. Each age had its pressures.

**For example a great burden of the last age is the pressure of riches, soft living and nervous tensions in a complex age that we seem unfitted to live in.....**

### **PSALM 55:4**

4 My heart is sore pained within me: and the terrors of death are fallen upon me.

### **PSALM 55:5**

5 Fearfulness and trembling are come upon me, and horror hath overwhelmed me.

### **PSALM 55:6**

6 And I said, Oh that I had wings like a dove! for then would I fly away, and be at rest.

**PSALM 55:7**

7 Lo, then would I wander far off, and remain in the wilderness. Selah.

**PSALM 55:8**

8 I would hasten my escape from the windy storm and tempest.

**PSALM 61:1**

1 ¶ To the chief Musician upon Neginah, A Psalm of David. Hear my cry, O God; attend unto my prayer.

**PSALM 61:2**

2 From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee, when my heart is **\*OVERWHELMED**: lead me to the rock that is higher than I.

**OVERWHELMED**: HEBREW LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 5848 {aw-taf'}  
to turn aside, to envelop oneself, to be feeble, be faint, grow weak

**PSALM 61:3**

3 For thou hast been a shelter for me, and a strong tower from the enemy.

**PSALM 61:4**

4 I will abide in thy tabernacle for ever: I will trust in the covert of thy wings. Selah.

**PSALM 142:2**

2 I poured out my complaint before him; I shewed before him my trouble.

**PSALM 142:3**

3 When **my spirit was overwhelmed within me**, then thou knewest my path. In the way wherein I walked have they privily laid a snare for me.

**PSALM 142:4**

4 ¶ I looked on my right hand, and beheld, but there was no man that would know me: refuge failed me; no man cared for my soul.

**PSALM 142:5**

5 I cried unto thee, O LORD: I said, Thou art my refuge and my portion in the land of the living.

**PSALM 142:6**

6 Attend unto my cry; for I am brought very low: deliver me from my persecutors; for they are stronger than I.

**PSALM 142:7**

7 Bring my soul out of prison, that I may praise thy name: the righteous shall compass me about; for thou shalt deal bountifully with me.

**PSALM 143:3**

3 For the enemy hath persecuted my soul; he hath smitten my life down to the ground; he hath made me to dwell in darkness, as those that have been long dead.

**PSALM 143:4**

4 Therefore is my spirit **overwhelmed** within me; my heart within me is desolate.

**PSALM 143:5**

5 I remember the days of old; I meditate on all thy works; I muse on the work of thy hands.

WHAT.DOES.THOU.HERE\_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY\_ 59-0301E

E-56.....The hour's pressing. The--the darkness is a settling. The end time is here: one minute before midnight. See the presence

of the enemy, the shaking, the feeling, the nervous condition,  
**the tension of their world, and not knowing that that's  
your doom.....**

WHAT.HEAREST.THOU.ELIJAH\_ LA.CA SUNDAY\_ 59-0412E

E-17.....All God's people needs to go to that juniper tree. It's a place where he was so discouraged he didn't know what to do. So he ran out to himself and got under the juniper tree. Many of us feel like going there.

And today, when we see the institutions filled with people of God,  
**nervous breakdowns, tension, oh, it makes us all want to  
run to the juniper tree.**

LETTING.OFF.THE.PRESSURE\_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-11 SUNDAY\_ 62-0513E

35 We are living in a neurotic age, **nervous tension**. Everybody's racing here and going there, and going nowhere. It's just at that kind of an age. And I know this church would be plagued with it as everywhere's plagued with it. Tabernacle's plagued with it, everywhere, the whole world.

**It's a day of pressure.** Hurry, hurry; hurry, hurry; hurry up and wait. Drive ninety miles an hour and then--to get home for supper and wait two hours till it gets ready. That's right. It's--it's the time. And in that rushing and speeding it gets you **to a nervous tension**; the wife say something a little contrary, you want to fly off: temper. Husband say something, you'll pat your foot and tell him to get in the room. See? "Well, now husband, I don't want no words with you; go out there."

"Wife, oh, I'm so nervous." See? Why? What's the matter? See?

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38 All this together, **this tension building up, then the results of it is doing something wrong and acting out of place.** That's right. Now, it'll make the poor act that way; it'll make the middle class act that way; it'll make the rich act that way. It'll make the wrong act that way; it'll make the pretty good act that way; and it'll make the good act that way; **because it's**

**tension, steam built up. Got to blow it out somewhere. See? If you don't, you blow the boiler up.**

Now, we find that. It builds up as the day goes. You talk to your boss if you're working, "Oh, so-and-so." And if you speak to the kiddie, "Come in here." "Mama, I'm..." See, there you are. It builds it up. **Oooh, my. See? You feel like you're going to-- head's going to come off. I know; I'm with it every day. So I--I know what it means. It builds up.**

Nervous tension is capable of disorganizing the entire digestive system to an alarming degree and frequently inhibits both assimilation and elimination. It affects the brain, the spine and the various nerve plexes. Repressed or restricted forces are bottled up only to explode later in some sort of emotional outburst, sex debauch, disease, or, worse still, mental unbalance.

Nervous tension immediately tightens every muscle and nerve in the body and restricts the normal action and free and rhythmic flow of the various circulations. It holds the poisons in the body preventing their free exudation and by their presence creates more poisons. It prevents the free flow of any kind of force or energy to or from the body. It prohibits by constriction the circulation of fluids, ethers, air or gases through the tiny conduits so delicately and marvelously constructed to convey these forceful elements.

When we permit ourselves to get into a state of tense nervousness or nervous tension we are only half alive! The nerves hold fast, resist, and cannot report correctly because they are in a state that makes them incapable of adjustment to vibratory rates. Everything becomes distorted, colored with fear, anxiety or apprehension, and the resultant impressions are not reliable. The nerves can neither receive nor send nervo-grams easily or dependably and are in no sense true indicators of facts.

This condition also upsets emotional impressions, both coming and going, for nerve-force is both introactive and reactive. Hence, when tensed in body we become tensed in mind. When the brain

is subjected to nervous tension either through action or reaction, we can neither think, reason, nor remember; for the mind cannot function adequately through a disordered vehicle.

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61.....That's the way it is today, that there's something inside of people that lets them know something is fixing to happen. We know it. The Christian knows it. The world knows it. The drunkard knows it. The gambler knows it. The businessmen, the governments, the U.N., all of them know that something's fixing to happen. **It's built a tension.**

THE.UNITING.TIME.AND.SIGN\_ JEFF.IN V-6 N-10 SUNDAY\_ 63-0818

15 Speaking of tension, I was praying about it this morning. What would you do if you didn't have tension? Just think of it. **Tension is part of living. That kind of encouraged me when I thought that.** If you had no tension, you'd be like a rag doll, you wouldn't have no feelings. There'd be nothing you could work on. Like a husband and wife, maybe if she wants to do something, and they're trying to work together (especially Christians), and the other one wants... And then when you come together to... and find out what she's done; she finds out... See, the tension really brings you closer together. And somebody tells you that "Well," said, "just think of the little wife that went under a lot of tension when you wasn't so good, or the husband went under some tension when you wasn't so good. Then when it's all forgiven, look how you feeled about him. My, you just..." **See, you got to have tension. That's all.**

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17 Some people tries to introduce Christianity, that "you're free from worry. You're..." No, you're not. "You're free from tension." Oh, no! **You add tension when you become a Christian**, because you was kind of a slop--go, happy-go-lucky, whatever it was out there, not caring what you did.

18 But when you've become a real Christian, every moment you're wondering, "Am I pleasing my Lord? If I could hear from Him!" **It puts you on tension, puts you on guard.** That's what makes you what you are. So after all, **tension is a blessing. It's just the way you're looking at it.** It's just the way you're looking at it. See? If you just look the other side, there's-- there's... No matter how thin you slice anything, you still got two sides to it, you see. So you want to see both sides.

19 So tension... I think, "Oh my, it's... What's this tension? If I could've been born without this tension." Well, if I wouldn't have had this tension, I wouldn't have been what I am. **I wouldn't have been a Christian, perhaps. It was this tension that drove me to Jesus Christ. See? So, it's been a blessing thing to me.**

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20 So then as Paul said, as though when he had a tension or something or another, he had consulted the Lord to--to take it away from him three times. And the Lord said, "Saul... My Paul, My grace is sufficient."

21 He said, "Then, I'll glory in my infirmities. Then when I'm weak, I'm strong." See? As long as it's to the will of God, all right.

22 Now, I consulted Him one time when it used to bother me so bad, it scared me. And He told me, about eight or ten years ago, **He said, "It'll never scare you again."** And it never has did it. No, sir; don't--don't worry about it. I just feel it, but I know it's there; **but I just go on because it don't scare me no more, so thankful for that.** Now, He could have said, "It won't be no more," just as well as that "You won't be scared no more."

23 **So it's His will that it happened, so I just embrace it and say, "Thank You, Lord, I'll walk that way."**

SIR.WE.WOULD.SEE.JESUS\_ NY.NY V-18 N-7 TUESDAY\_ 63-1112

10 And I truly believe that we are just facing some great event. I--I trust it's the Coming of the Lord. Become... We know something has to give away, **the world is under too much**

**tension.** And there is something wrong. Everyone knows that. And I--I believe that we are facing some great thing, and I believe, with all my heart, that it's the second Coming of the Lord Jesus. And I trust that He will pour out His Spirit upon us, and will reveal to us the things that we should do to be prepared for His Coming.

WHO.DO.YOU.SAY.THIS.IS\_ PHOENIX.AZ V-6 N-9 SUNDAY\_64-1227

58 **And look at the world today, what a tension the whole world lives in.** You go down the street... It's--it's not even safe to drive. It's not safe to be on a four lane highway. **Everybody's at a tension, snapping and... What's the matter? Quieten down.** Where you going? That's what's making the insane institutions fill up. That's what's got the church in such a turmoil. They're--they're so head-bound on certain thing. They won't stop and consider God's Word, and the hour that **we're living; all under a strain, tension.**

80% of drivers exhibit some type of road rage. An alarming 8 million act upon their road rage, causing harm to people and vehicles.

Men exhibit signs of road rage more than women. Where men really surpass women, however, is in the extreme road rage category. Men are 3 times as likely to get out of their car and fight the other driver.

Every year, around 30,000 people die in car crashes, in spite of safer vehicles and traffic laws designed to protect drivers, passengers, and pedestrians alike. As it turns out, no safety system in the world can protect you from an aggressive driver, possibly linked to two-thirds of all traffic fatalities.

50% of drivers who are subjected to aggressive driving behavior on the road respond with aggression of their own, thus risking a more serious confrontation.



## PRESSURE

LETTING.OFF.THE.PRESSURE\_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-11 SUNDAY\_ 62-0513E

33.....there is a pressure on the people today. And that pressure has no limitation or any denominational lines; it has no age line; it has no respect of person. It's on young and old, good and bad; it's on everybody: pressure.

LETTING.OFF.THE.PRESSURE\_ JEFF.IN V-5 N-11 SUNDAY\_ 62-0513E

45 Everybody... It's just becoming a--a neurotic age. Everybody's all built up, haven't got no time. And that builds up to a place that it breaks up things, **it causes people to have hard feelings when they snap them off and--and say things you don't mean to say.**

Now, everybody's guilty of it. I'm guilty; you're all guilty, **We--we do things under pressure that we wouldn't do otherwise.** So they's a--they's an excess pressure built up today. I believe, before I go any farther I might say this: I believe it's the enemy coming down and pressing. I believe it's the devil.

And we know the coming of the Lord is at hand, and the Bible said in the last days that the devil would go about like a roaring lion. **And if he could get you under pressure, hurrying, running over something, you'll make decisions that you wouldn't make if you'd set down and think it over.**

LETTING.OFF.PRESSURE\_ PHOENIX.AZ SUNDAY\_ 63-0113M

41 **And we are living in a day of much pressure.** Everywhere, everybody is so tense. And down the street with the hot rod, and they can't wait for the stop light, and, you know, and run over you. The... They're not going anywhere, not at all, not going. They're just as hard as they can race, but just racing towards Eternity, is all I know. And they... And you have to watch this way and that way. And--and--and then it's... I said, "There's just two classes of people live down there, and that's the quick

and the dead. And them that ain't quick, die quick." And I--I... My! Dangerous to be safe, these days, it's hurrying, racing.

LETTING.OFF.PRESSURE\_ PHOENIX.AZ SUNDAY\_ 63-0113M

65 That's the way of a Christian experience, when people are trying to put a cold, formal confession into a powerful pentecostal Church, or experience, **unless that person is built from ground up, built up, born again, regenerated.** Impersonators of today, going around, trying to impersonate speaking in tongues, trying to impersonate this and impersonate that, the gifts, if they are not born again.

66 And if they are born again, they cannot impersonate, because they were built for those things. They're born, regenerated, remolded; not just something that's patched up, and shook hands, and got emotion, and danced around the altar a few times, and says, "I got it." **It's something that's been remolded, and regenerated, and become a new creature. Then it can stand the pressure of the persecution and the things that follows the spiritual life.** You've got to be made and built to stand the pressure. And only one thing can do it. That's when you come into God's molding house, and be torn down and rebuilt, a new creature in Christ Jesus.

LETTING.OFF.PRESSURE\_ PHOENIX.AZ SUNDAY\_ 63-0113M

70 All these lodges get us all mixed up. You cannot join church. There is no such a thing. You can join the lodge. You can join the Methodist lodge, the Baptist lodge, the Presbyterian lodge, or the Pentecostal lodge. But you can't join the Church. You've got to be born. That's the reason, got so much blowup. See? The pressure builds, and there you go. Say, "Well, I belong to this." But that doesn't mean...

71 **You've got to come up from the ground, up, to stand the pressure of this day.** When God puts His big charge of the Holy Spirit in there, you better know what you're doing. You better be ready for it.

72 Now, if you--if you kind of rebore out something, say, "I tarried all night for a gift," you better be careful. It might explode, see, and it'd backfire.

**PSALM 5:11**

11 But let all those that put their trust in thee rejoice: let them ever **shout for joy**, because thou defendest them: let them also that love thy name **be joyful in thee**.

**PSALM 35:9**

9 **And my soul shall be joyful in the LORD: it shall rejoice in his salvation.**

**PSALM 63:5**

5 My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fatness; and my mouth shall praise thee **with joyful lips**:

**PSALM 95:1**

1 ¶ O come, let us sing unto the LORD: **let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.**

**PSALM 95:2**

2 Let us come before his presence with thanksgiving, and **make a joyful noise unto him with psalms.**

**EPHESIANS 5:19**

19 Speaking to yourselves in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody in your heart to the Lord;

**EPHESIANS 5:20**

20 Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ;

**PSALM 98:4**

4 ¶ **Make a joyful noise** unto the LORD, all the earth: make a loud noise, and rejoice, and sing praise.

**PSALM 98:5**

5 Sing unto the LORD with the harp; with the harp, and the voice of a psalm.

### **PSALM 98:6**

6 With trumpets and sound of cornet **make a joyful noise** before the LORD, the King.

### **PSALM 98:7**

7 Let the sea roar, and the fulness thereof; the world, and they that dwell therein.

### **PSALM 98:8**

8 Let the floods clap their hands: let the hills be joyful together

### **II CORINTHIANS 7:4**

4 Great is my boldness of speech toward you, great is my glorying of you: I am filled with comfort, **I am exceeding joyful in all our tribulation.**

THE.RESTORATION.OF.THE.BRIDE.TREE\_ JEFF.IN V-3 N-15  
SUNDAY\_ 62-0422

35-4 **And then, next fruit on the Tree is peace**, peace of mind, knowing that you're saved. They tell you, "Well now, if you'll recite our creed, you're saved."

"If you'll join my church, you're saved."

Well now, this one says, "You're not saved if you go there; you have to join our church to be saved."

"You have to say a 'Hail Mary.'"

"You have to have your name on this book."

"You have to have..."

Oh, my. That would take all the joy out; but that's not God's Tree. You know where you're at; that's hybrid. I always... You know what my story about the mule; he's a hybrid. He don't know who his papa, mama, either one was. See? He's a hybrid. But oh, a good pedigreed horse, he knows who his papa and mama was through generations. **And a real good pedigreed Christian too, that's got the Holy Ghost, he know It fell on the day of Pentecost.** He knows where he's at; he can trace his generations plumb back--his genealogies to the first beginning of

it. Peter had It; on down through the nation, and races, they've had It on down. **A good pedigreed Christian knows where it comes from.**

### **ISAIAH 26:3**

3 Thou wilt keep him in **perfect peace**, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.

### **ISAIAH 53:5**

5 But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement **of our peace** was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.

### **JOHN 14:27**

27 Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.

### **JOHN 16:33**

33 These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have **peace**. In the world ye shall have tribulation: but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world.

### **ROMANS 5:1**

1 ¶ Therefore being justified by faith, **we have peace with God** through our Lord Jesus Christ:

### **COLOSSIANS 1:20**

20 And, **having made peace** through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven.

### **ROMANS 8:6**

6 For to be carnally minded is death; **but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.**

### **ROMANS 14:17**

17 For the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and **peace**, and joy in the Holy Ghost.

### **II CORINTHIANS 13:11**

11 ¶ Finally, brethren, farewell. Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, **live in peace**; and the God of love and peace shall be with you.

### **PHILIPPIANS 4:7**

7 **And the peace of God**, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

### **COLOSSIANS 3:15**

15 And **let** the peace of God **\*RULE** in your hearts, to the which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.

**RULE:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 1018

brabeuo {brab-yoo'-o}

to be an umpire, to decide, determine, to direct, control,