

## EXPECTATIONS

LUKE 2:25

25 And, behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and the same man was just and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel: and the Holy Ghost was upon him.

LUKE 2:26

26 And it was \*REVEALED unto him by the Holy Ghost, that he should not see death, before he had seen the Lord's Christ.

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chrematizo {khray-mat-id'-zo}

be admonished of God, to teach from heaven; to be divinely commanded,

LUKE 2:27

27 And he came by the Spirit into the temple: and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him after the custom of the law,

LUKE 2:28

28 Then took he him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said,

LUKE 2:29

29 Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word:

LUKE 2:30

30 For mine eyes have seen thy salvation,

LUKE 2:31

31 Which thou hast prepared before the face of all people;

EXPECTANCY\_ OWENSBORO. KY SUNDAY\_ 53-1108E

E-9.....Eighty years old, white beard, white hair, and yet the old man went around telling people that he wasn't going to die until he seen the Lord's Christ. What a beautiful picture of faith. Faith knows no defeat.

Faith is perfect. Faith brings things when there is no things to be brought. Faith creates. Faith takes doubt away, takes negative and makes positive.....

FAITH. IS. OUR. VICTORY\_ JEFF. IN SATURDAY\_ 58-1004

E-31..... Real faith knows no defeat. It cannot be defeated. Even death, itself, can't defeat it. It knows no defeat. Trials know defeat, but faith knows no defeat.

It cannot be defeated, and it is the only way that you can please God. "For without faith it is impossible to please God," said Hebrews 11.

PERSEVERANCE\_ CHICAGO. IL SUNDAY\_ 62-0520

E-73..... . And she knowed if God was here on earth in power enough to give a blind man his sight, He was the same God that could raise the dead yet.

She was persistent. She stayed all day. The undertakers calling for her baby, she stayed all day anyhow. The ushers trying to keep her out of line, and she stayed anyhow: turned down every way, but she stayed.

Why? She had perseverance. Why? Faith caught a hold. Faith said, "It's so." And Faith knows no difficult. Faith knows no defeat. When you got faith, you have perseverance.

EXPECTATION\_ LONG. BEACH. CA TUESDAY\_ 61-0207

E-26 Now, when Noah was asked to build an ark by God, why he moved with fear, knowing. . . Could you imagine what the critics was saying? Noah was EXPECTING it to rain, because God said it was going to rain.

Now, it never had rained on the earth. Could you imagine the critics saying, "Oh, look, poor old fellow's kind a little off at his head. But he said. . . "Where's that rain at Noah? Tell me where it's at; I don't see any of it up there.

There--there's no rain from up there, never has been, never will be."

But Noah said, "God said so. That settles it. If God said so, He can create rain up there if He wanted to." So he was EXPECTING it to rain, so he made preparations for the rain.

Oh, I like that. Oh, make preparations as long as you hear God's Word, then make preparations for it to happen and wait under expectation. Oh, that makes me start feeling religious to begin with. See? To think that. . . God said so, then make--be expecting it.

DEMONOLOGY. PHYSICAL. REALM\_ CONNERSVILLE. IN DE 21-40 MONDAY\_ 53-0608A

92.....God said, "Abraham!" Said, "Abraham, you're going to have a baby."

Sarah got up. Said, "How you feeling, Sarah?"

This is a mixed multitude, but listen. "No different."

"Well, glory to God, we're going to have it. Go get the birdeye and the pins and everything, get ready."

All right, another month passed, "Sarah, how you feeling?"

"No different."

Year passed. "Sarah, what about it?"

"No different." Ten years passed. "No different." Twenty-five years passed. "No different."

Abraham, instead of getting weak, he got stronger and stronger.

He knowed it was going to be more of a miracle all the time, 'cause he believed God, and he staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief. He said, "We're going to have it."..... .

EXPECTATION\_ WOOD. RIVER. IL SATURDAY\_ 54-0220  
E-26..... you'll get just what you expect. That's right. You  
always. . . And you can never go above your expectations. You'll  
always have to do that.

EXPECTATION\_ PHOENIX. AZ SUNDAY\_ 54-0228A  
E-74..... While they're setting there under expectations, God is  
under obligation to give them the manna from heaven, 'cause  
they're expecting it.  
You're expecting a meeting, God's under obligation to give it to  
you.

HEAR. YE. HIM\_ KLAMATH. FALLS. OR TUESDAY\_ 60-0712  
E-2..... . I've walked to the platform, and many times, be five  
and six, seven thousand people and not be one feeble person left  
just as soon as you walked out on the platform.

Every one get up out of wheelchairs, and cots, and stretchers,  
and everything, walk right away, because they just. . . You're  
under such expectations.....

EXPECTATION\_ TUCSON. AZ SUNDAY\_ 61-0205M  
E-29 Now, divine healing is a promise in the Word. Now, if the  
Holy Spirit will reveal it to you, that He has died to heal you the  
same as save you, then come with expectations to receive it, and  
God will certainly see that you get it.

Now, you might. . . The doctor might say, "Now well, let them  
alone. It won't hurt them, I guess. They're just going to die  
anyhow."  
But you just remember, if God made the promise, you stay on it  
no matter what the circumstances is.

If you say, "Well, I got cancer." "I got TB"--that doesn't have one  
thing to do with it. If God has revealed it, God keeps His  
promise, that's all.

EXPECTATIONS\_ CLEVELAND. OH THURSDAY\_ 50-0810

E-20..... You get just what you're expecting.

And if you come tonight expecting to see the Lord in His work, God will show you Himself, and will give you such peace. If you'll just come tonight expecting to be healed, you'll be healed. You get just what you expect.

EXPECTANCY\_ OWENSBORO. KY SUNDAY\_ 53-1108E

E-8..... And usually a person gets what you expect. Many people comes to meetings, they go to church. Say, "Why, I didn't see nothing. I didn't expect to see anything in the first place." That's the reason you didn't see nothing. "I didn't get helped. I didn't expect to." You usually get what you expect to get..... .

EXPECTATION\_ NEW. YORK. NY WEDNESDAY\_ 50-0405

E-29 Daniel was expecting God to deliver him from the lion's den.

The Hebrew children, when they went in the fiery furnace, they said, "Our God is able. . ." They was expecting God to deliver them.

And they made the last step of the way before He came, but He's always there at the last end. Jesus comes in the darkest of hours, then Jesus comes along. They was expecting it.....

EXPECTATION\_ NEW. YORK. NY WEDNESDAY\_ 50-0405

E-29..... The woman with the blood issue was expecting. If she could touch the hem of His garment, it was over. When she touched the hem of His garment, her expectations were fulfilled. If you come tonight expecting to be healed, you're going to be healed.....

MATTHEW 9:20

20 And, behold, a woman, which was diseased with an issue of blood twelve years, came behind him, and touched the hem of his garment:

MATTHEW 9:21

21 For she said within herself, If I may but touch his garment, I SHALL be whole.

MATTHEW 9:22

22 But Jesus turned him about, and when he saw her, he said, Daughter, be of good comfort; thy faith hath made thee whole. And the woman was made whole from that hour.

MATTHEW 8:5

5 And when Jesus was entered into Capernaum, there came unto him a centurion, beseeching him,

MATTHEW 8:6

6 And saying, Lord, my servant lieth at home sick of the palsy, grievously tormented.

MATTHEW 8:13

13 And Jesus said unto the centurion, Go thy way; and as thou hast believed, so be it done unto thee. And his servant was healed in the selfsame hour.

EXPECTATION\_ NEW. YORK. NY WEDNESDAY\_ 50-0405

E-30 Notice. Blind Bartimaeus, he was expecting. If he could get to Jesus, he, or attract His attention, that he would be healed.

So they tried to get him to set down, but he cried out the more, "Thou Son of David, have mercy on me," for he knew if he could ever bring the attention of Jesus to him, that he expected Jesus would heal him.

If you're expecting to be healed tonight, you will be healed. Whatever your expectations are. . .

MARY'S. BELIEF\_ LA. CA THURSDAY\_ 59-0409

E-30 South Africa recently, a man who had never had a pair of shoes on his feet in his life, been way back in the jungles as a-- born back there years ago by missionary parents. . . He was born with deformed feet.

When he come walking up through there, clubbing his feet along, had a shoe box under his arm. And someone said to him, "What you got in there?"

He said, "A pair of shoes."

Said, "What do you expect to do with them? Do they. . . Are they going to be your father's?"

He said, "I'm going to wear them."

And when the service was over, he had those shoes on, running down through that lot just as hard as he could go, praising God. What did he do? He took God at His Word.

He said so much, when he was asked, he said, "I seen others coming that was crippled, was healed. And I seen those who were blind could see again, and God would not turn me down." That's the way to believe it. "God won't turn me down."

WORKS. IS. FAITH. EXPRESSED\_ SHREVEPORT. LA V-7 N-1  
FRIDAY\_ 65-1126

199 Here, some time ago, next to my last trip in Africa; I was just over there this spring, but trip before that. There was a little baby that had club feet, and one foot. . . leg shorter than the other one.

It never wore shoes in its life. Oh, it was a most horrible deformed. And I prayed for the baby that night, they had watched and seen those things done, they prayed for the baby.

And the next morning I went down, walked by a shoe store. And I walked in there, and there was the man buying the baby a pair of shoes to wear. He believed it! Uh-huh.

LEADING. OF. THE. SPIRIT. OF. GOD\_ CAMPBELLSVILLE. KY  
SUNDAY\_ 55-0807E

E-16..... Simeon was expecting God to keep His Word. Abraham was expecting God to keep His Word. David was expecting God to keep His Word when he met the giant.

Samson was expecting God to keep His Word when he laid his arms around the pole. Samson was expecting God to keep His Word when he picked up a jaw bone of a mule and beat down a thousand Philistines. The Hebrew children was expecting God to keep His Word when they walked into the fiery furnace.

Daniel was expecting God to keep His Word when he went in among the lions. The woman that touched the hem of His garment was expecting God to keep His Word. Martha was expecting God to keep His Word when He said, "I am the Resurrection and Life."

WHY. CRY. SPEAK\_ JEFF. IN V-2 N-26 SUNDAY\_ 63-0714M  
98..... Moses. I'm sending you, and I'm going to show you My glory. And here I am, in a bush, burning. Go down there! I'll be with you." He didn't even need a stick. He had the Word, the vindicated Word, and there he went. It anointed the faith that was in him.

99 And it anoints us when we see that we're living in the last days, to find out that all these signs that we see being taken place, that's spoke of in the Scripture, would take place in the last days;

all the way from Heaven, to the political powers, and the nature of the people, and the demoralization of the world, and among the women, and how they would do in the last days, and how the men would do, and how the churches would do, how the nations would do, and how God would do. And we see it all laying right here on us.



100 Oh, it anoints our faith. It moves us out in the great cycles. See? It--it separates us from other things of the world. See? No matter how little we are, or how much a minority we are, how much we're laughed at, made fun of, don't make a bit of difference.

That's all. We see it. There is something within us. We were predestinated to see this hour, and there is nothing going to stop us from seeing it. Amen! Here God has spoke it. It's--it's already happened. We see it. Oh, how we thank God for this! Oh, then, it brings out your faith when we see these things happening here.