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## **ROMANS 8:16**

16 The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God:

## **ROMANS 8:17**

17 ¶ And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and jointheirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together.

## **ROMANS 8:18**

18 For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

## **ROMANS 8:19**

19 For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God.

## **II CORINTHIANS 4:15**

15 For all things are for your sakes, that the abundant grace might through the thanksgiving of many redound to the glory of God.

# **II CORINTHIANS 4:16**

16 For which cause we faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day.

# **II CORINTHIANS 4:17**

17 For our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory;

# **II CORINTHIANS 6:3**

3 Giving no offence in any thing, that the ministry be not blamed:

# **II CORINTHIANS 6:4**

4 But in all things approving ourselves as the ministers of God, in much patience, in **afflictions**, in **necessities**, in **distresses**,

## **II CORINTHIANS 6:5**

5 In stripes, in imprisonments, in tumults, in labours, in watchings, in fastings;

## **II CORINTHIANS 6:6**

6 By pureness, by knowledge, by longsuffering, by kindness, by the Holy Ghost, by love unfeigned,

## **II CORINTHIANS 1:5**

5 For as the sufferings of Christ abound in us, so our consolation also aboundeth by Christ.

## **PHILIPPIANS 3:10**

10 That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death;

## **COLOSSIANS 1:24**

- 24 Who now rejoice in my sufferings for you, and fill up that which is behind of the afflictions of Christ in my flesh for his body's sake, which is the church:
- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 41......He could not drown **Noah** in the flood, **UNTIL** the purpose of God had been finished. He could not burn up **the Hebrew children UNTIL** the purpose of God had been finished. He could not kill **Job** with boils and troubles **UNTIL** the purpose of God had been finished. Neither could the lions eat **Daniel UNTIL** God's purpose had been finished. Neither could death and old age take **Abraham UNTIL** the purpose of God had been finished. **And neither can it take you, or can it take me UNTIL** the purpose of God of our life is finished. So we gather from their consolation.

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- And why does God let troubles come? God harnesses trouble, puts bits in its mouth, and makes it obey Him, and those troubles bring us into a closer fellowship with God. There had been no rainbow UNTIL the flood came. But after Noah was pressed into that condition that he was in, to float forty days and nights in a storm and the little ark pitching up and down in the water, it was after the flood was over that he saw the rainbow for its first time, the covenant of hope, the covenant of promise. AFTER he'd went through the tribulation, then he saw the promise. That's the way you see the promise, AFTER you've gone through the tribulation......
- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 47 **It wasn't <u>UNTIL</u>** the Hebrew children was forced into the fiery furnace, on one of their most outstanding trials, that they seen One like the Son of God stand among them. **Their troubles produced the Son of God standing among them in the breezes to wave away the heat wave. <u>But not UNTIL they went into the fire did that Comforter appear.</u>**

It was Daniel who had purposed in his heart that he'd not defile himself with the things of the world, and was forced through a trial, whether he'd pray to God or go to a lions' den. But it was **AFTER** the heat was put on, and he was throwed into a lions' den, that **AFTER** that, he saw the Angel of the Lord standing in the midst of him, keeping away, that great Pillar of Fire standing between him and the lions. And the lions could not get him, because he'd went through the trials and temptations and troubles. He knew that his God was able to deliver him from that.

- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 49 It was Abraham, <u>AFTER</u> he'd seen the ground get barren, and the drought come, and Lot separate himself and go

down to live deliciously into the world; it was <u>AFTER</u> he had heard the whines and cries of--of his herdsmen, with no grass for his cattle, but he maintained in the land that God gave him and told him to sojourn in. And as on that day, <u>AFTER</u> he'd been tried till his--his patience was at the end; it was on that day that when <u>AFTER</u> the trial was over, he spoke face to face with Elohim under the oak that day. It was <u>AFTER</u> he'd suffered his trials, <u>AFTER</u> he'd went through the troubles that he'd been through, that God appeared to him in the form of a Man, and set there and told him he was married and his wife's name was Sarah, and said she laughed at Him in the tent behind. It was there that Abraham called Him Elohim. It was <u>AFTER</u> the trial and tribulation.

- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 62 <u>BEFORE</u> Abraham could see Elohim there had to be twenty-five years of testing. <u>BEFORE</u> the Hebrew children could see the Son of God they had to go into a fiery furnace. <u>BEFORE</u> Daniel could see an Angel he had to go into the lion's den. <u>BEFORE</u> Job could ever see the resurrection he had to go in and lose everything he had; but then by a vision he saw......

.....Let's get off the ash heap today with a new vision, with a new power, with a new determination that we see God in His power. We see the resurrection of the things coming.

- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 68 **IT TAKEN** a Gethsemane of drops of Blood breaking through His skin, before there. And **IT TAKEN** a cruel agony of Calvary before there could come the proof of an eternal God Who could raise the dead up. It taken a--**IT TAKEN** a **Gethsemane** and a **Calvary to make an Easter**. It certainly did.......
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75 See, <u>IT TAKES</u> a crucifixion. <u>IT TAKES</u> a crushing of the flower to bring perfume from it. <u>IT TAKES</u> a crushing of a life to get the best out of it that there is. That's the reason Jesus had to be crushed to bring forth what He was. He could not stand before the crucifixion and say, "All power in heavens and earth is given unto My hands." <u>BUT AFTER</u> the crucifixion, He could stand and say, "All powers in heavens and earth is given unto My hand." But what did it do? <u>IT TAKEN</u> crucifixion first.

**IT TAKEN** the crushing and the disappointing of the apostles. It seen their Saviour, the One they'd loved, and seen Him even raise up the dead from the--from the grave.....

- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 91 When I lost my baby, and my little Sharon, I... **That was one thing that stumbled me**. I said, "How can that be for the good? How can it be for the good?" And months later, when I seen her standing there in all the beauty of a young girl, speaking to me, standing by the side of that old wagon broken down there. I knowed if she would've lived, she might've turned out wrong. God had to take her while she was tender and sweet. I know I'll see her again. I know I shall see her; I know it beyond any shadow of doubt.

I think of my wife of twenty-two years old, taken, just merely a girl, a little mother there. When the papers give a headline here, "Young mother of reverend just died," oh, how my heart bled. I didn't know what to do. But today I know it was all working for my good. I know the life had to be ground, and twisted, and squeezed to get what in it was, out. There was too much Branham in there had to be squeezed out before God could make Hisself known.

- I.KNOW\_ JEFF.IN EASTER.MESSAGE.BOOK SUNDAY\_ 60-0417S
- 94 There was too much of you in you, till God had to squeeze it out through trials. And while that squeezing was coming on, it's hard. But after while the skies clear back and you

see the purpose of God. Then you cry, "I know my Redeemer liveth, and at the last days He'll stand on the earth. Though the skin worms destroys this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God."

These little trials and things are just for a moment, and they fade and pass away. But they're only done for your good; let us remember that, that God would get glory.

## **I PETER 4:12**

12 ¶ Beloved, think it not strange concerning the \*FIERY trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you:

## FIERY: GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 4451

purosis {poo'-ro-sis}

a burning: the burning by which metals are roasted and reduced; by a figure drawn from a refiners fire; calamities or trials that test the character

## **I PETER 4:13**

13 But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

# **I PETER 4:14**

14 If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you: on their part he is evil spoken of, but on your part he is glorified.

# **ROMANS 8:18**

18 For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with **the glory which shall be revealed in us**.

# **II CORINTHIANS 11:22**

12 ¶ Are they Hebrews? so am I. Are they Israelites? so am I. Are they the seed of Abraham? so am I.

# **II CORINTHIANS 11:23**

23 Are they ministers of Christ? (I speak as a fool ) I am more; in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft.

## **II CORINTHIANS 11:24**

24 Of the Jews five times received I forty stripes save one.

## **II CORINTHIANS 11:25**

25 Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep;

## **II CORINTHIANS 11:26**

26 In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren;

## **II CORINTHIANS 11:27**

27 In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness.

# **II CORINTHIANS 11:28**

28 Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches.

# **II TIMOTHY 2:12**

12 If we suffer, **we shall also reign with him:** if we deny him, he also will deny us:

# **REVELATION 5:10**

10 And hast made us unto our God kings and priests: **and** we shall reign on the earth.

35-3 THE.REVELATION.OF.JESUS.CHRIST - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.1

......He redeemed us for a purpose. He bought us for a purpose. **We are kings, spiritual kings.** Oh, we are going to be kings

upon the earth with Him when He sits on His throne. But now we are spiritual kings and we reign over a spiritual kingdom. It says in Romans 5:17,

"For if by one man's offence death reigned by one; much more they which receive abundance of grace and of the gift of righteousness shall reign in life by one, Jesus Christ." And in Colossians 1:13,

"Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom (reign) of His dear Son."

Right now we reign with Christ, having dominion over sin, the world, the flesh, and the devil. Showing forth His praise and glory; showing forth HIMSELF, for it is Christ in us, willing and doing of His good pleasure. Yes, indeed, even now we are seated in heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

# 36-1 THE.REVELATION.OF.JESUS.CHRIST - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.1

"And made us priests." Yes, priests unto Him, offering the spiritual praise of sanctified lips. **Spending our lives as a sweet offering unto Him.** Worshipping Him in Spirit and in truth. Interceding and petitioning. Priests and kings unto our God. No wonder the world does not appeal to us and we are a peculiar people zealous unto good works. **We have been recreated in Him to be children like unto our Father.** 

## **REVELATION 20:6**

6 Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, **and shall reign with him a thousand years.** 

## **REVELATION 22:1**

1 ¶ And he shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

## **REVELATION 22:2**

2 In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of

fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.

## **REVELATION 22:3**

3 And there shall be no more curse: but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him:

## **REVELATION 22:4**

4 And they shall see his face; and his name shall be in their foreheads.

#### **REVELATION 22:5**

5 And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light: **and they shall reign for ever and ever.**