

## **GETTING IN THE SPIRIT 143**

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:51**

51 ¶ Behold, I shew you a **\*MYSTERY;** We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,

**MYSTERY:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 3466  
musterion {moos-tay'-ree-on}  
hidden thing, secret, religious secrets, confided only to the initiated and not to ordinary mortals  
a hidden or secret thing, not obvious to the understanding  
a hidden purpose or counsel; secret will: of men; of God: the secret counsels which govern God in dealing with the righteous, which are hidden from ungodly and wicked men but plain to the godly

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:52**

52 **IN A MOMENT**, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

**In a moment. In an atom of time; a point of time which cannot be cut or divided,  
A single instant; immediately. It will be done instantaneously.**

**At the last trump. The word "last" here is a word denoting that this is the consummation or close of things; it will end the economy of this world; it will be connected with the last state of things.**

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:53**

53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality.

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:54**

54 So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, **DEATH IS SWALLOWED UP IN VICTORY.**

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:55**

55 O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory?

GOD.HIDING.HIMSELF.IN.SIMPLICITY.THEN.REVEALING.HIMSELF  
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57-4 {371}.....The rapture will come in such a simple way till the judgments will fall, and they'll see the Son of man; they'll say, "Wasn't we supposed to have such-and-such... And wasn't there supposed to be Elias sent to us? And wasn't there supposed to be a rapture?"

**Jesus will say, "It's already happened, and you didn't know it." God in simplicity... See?**

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57-5 {373}.....The rapture will be... So few go in that Bride. It'll not be... Now, see how the teachers has got it? They've got charts, and they go to show ten million people coming up here, and all the Methodists, if it's a Methodist preacher; and if it's a Pentecostal, all the Pentecostals coming. **It will never touch it.** It'll be, **MAYBE** one leave Jeffersonville, just somebody come up missing. They'll say, "Well, you never..." The rest of them won't know. There'll be one leave Georgia. See? There'll be one leave in Africa. And let's say there'd be five hundred people a-living will go in the translation. Now, that ain't--that ain't the church body; this is the Bride. That ain't the church; this is the Bride. See? The--the church will come up by the thousands, but that's in the next resurrection. They lived not for the space of a thousand

years. See? But in the Bride if five hundred people left the earth this very minute, the world would know nothing about it.

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58-2 {377} Jesus said, "There'd be one in a bed; and I'll take one, leave one." **That's at nighttime. "There'd could be two in a field (over on the other side of the earth);** I'll take one and leave one. And as it was in the days of Noah, so shall it be in the coming of the Son of man."

**Think. Everything will move just as common as it can be.** A fanatic message will go by, and the first thing you know something, "This minister going somewhere, he's never come back. He probably went to the woods hunting; he's never returned no more. And this fellow went somewhere..." "You know what happened? I believe that young girl, she--she must've been caught away somewhere, you know. Somebody take that girl out and ravish her, probably threw her in the river. She was miss...?... Nobody... Half of it."

Ninety-nine out of every... **May say one out of every hundred million will ever know anything about it. See? Unless somebody's acquainted with...** Say, "The girl's missing. Why, I can't understand. She never did leave like that." No.

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58-5 {379} And when they say the--the graves will open, how is the graves going to open when... I--I haven't got time to get into this, what I wanted to. I'm going to have to take this... Just to show you the simplicity of God. And that calcium, potash, and everything when... When everything that's in you of materials only makes a spoonful... That's right. **And what that does it breaks on back into spirit and life...**

**God just speaks and the rapture will come.** It ain't going out there, and the Angels come down and shovel out the graves and get out an old dead carcass here. What is it? It's born of sin to begin with, **but a new one made in its likeness.** You know... See? If we have this, we'll die again. See? Nobody will say, "The

graves will open. The dead shall walk out." **That may be true, but not open the way you say open.** See? That's right. See? It won't be like that. **IT'LL BE A SECRET**, because He said He'd come like a thief in the night.

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59-2 {380} He's already told us this, the rapture, then judgments will strike: sin, plagues, sickness, and everything. **The people will cry for death to take them.....**

.....**Why don't believers believe the simple signs of His coming?** They're expecting the--a--all this things that's spoke of by the Scripture, and--and the moon's going to go down in the middle of--the sun in the middle of the day, and there's going to be all kinds of things.

Oh, if we just had... I got the notes wrote here on it (See?), to show what them things are, and we'll get it on the breaking of these Seals this week anyhow. See, see? **There it is, just where it's already passed and you didn't know it.** See? See if it is. If the Angel of the Lord will break them Seals forth to us... Remember, it's sealed with them seven mysterious thunders. See?

GOD.HIDING.HIMSELF.IN.SIMPLICITY.THEN.REVEALING.HIMSELF  
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59-5 {385} Now, why--why can't people believe the simple simplicity of a humble bunch of people (See?) and the--the voice of the signs of God? Why can't they believe it? Just like it always been. The true Word of God being made manifest, It's... **They're too smart and too educated to believe the simple form of the written Word.** They want to put their own interpretation to it. "It don't mean this. It don't mean that." See? It does mean that.....

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS\_ JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY\_ 62-0527

734-238.....The unbelievers will wonder, "What's happened?" **What's the matter with them people? Where did they go?"**

O God, they'll not understand; they'll not even see Him. But the church shall see Him, that is, the called-out, the elected, the born again; **they'll just disappear. They won't know where they're at; they just know they're missing; they will be with their Lord.....**

THE.THIRD.SEAL\_ JEFF.IN WEDNESDAY\_ 63-0320

239-1 {67}.....Not that they'll have--send down a bunch of Angels down with some spades and dig up the graves. The Bible said we'll be changed before even you could bat your eye, just a twinkle. It'll all be over that quick. **Just say, "Somebody disappeared." .....**

GOING.BEYOND.THE.CAMP\_ JEFF.IN V-6 N-3 SUNDAY\_ 64-0719E

22.....**Think of it! Missing people, they can't see you no more, but you're getting together with the rest of the group.**

"They which are alive and remain to the Coming of the Lord shall not prevent, or hinder," the word is, "those which are asleep," not dead. No, Christians don't die. They're just taking a little rest, see. That's all. Oh, my! "And the trump of God shall sound; and the dead in Christ shall rise first," appear to many. **And all at once, you happen to stand and look, and, well, there's a brother, and you know it ain't long.** In a few minutes, "We'll be changed, in a moment, in a twinkling of an eye. And together with them, **be missing on earth,** caught up to meet the Lord in the air."

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934-58 Now, the first thing happens when we're resurrected... The ones which are a-living will just still remain... The resurrection will set in first, the resurrection of those that are asleep. **There'll be a waking time, and those which are asleep in the dust now,** not those that are asleep in sin, 'cause they sleep right on. They don't awake for another thousand years. But those who are--are sleeping in the dust will be

awakened first, and they'll--**these corruptible bodies will put on incorruption in the rapturing grace of the Lord. And then we'll all get together.** And when they begin to get together, then we which are alive and remain shall be changed. **These mortal bodies will not see death, but just of a sudden, there'll be like a sweep go over us, and you're changed.** You're turned back like Abraham was, from an old man to a young man, from an old woman to a young woman. What's this sudden change? **And after while you--you're traveling like a thought, and you can see those then who are already resurrected.** Oh, what a hour. Then we'll gather with them and then be caught up with them to meet the Lord in the air.

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

935-60.....Watch the changing. "There will be two in the bed; I'll take one and leave one," the same moment, "There'll be two in the field; I'll take one and leave one," one on the dark side of the earth and one on the light side of the earth. See? It'd be a universal rapture. **Yes, the church will all be together, but after, after the resurrection and the rapture has set in.....**

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:13**

13 ¶ But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope.

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:14**

14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, **even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.**

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:15**

15 For this we say unto you **BY THE WORD OF THE LORD,** that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:16**

16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a **\*SHOUT**, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

**SHOUT:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 2752

keleuma {kel'-yoo-mah}

an order, command, specifically a stimulating cry, a signal is given to men, a commander (with a loud summons, a trumpet call)

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:17**

17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be **\*CAUGHT** up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

**CAUGHT:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 726

harpazo {har-pad'-zo}

catch up, take by force, catch away, to seize, carry off by force, claim for one's self eagerly, to snatch out or away

### **I THESSALONIANS 4:18**

18 Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:41**

41 There is one glory of the sun, and another glory of the moon, and another glory of the stars: for one star differeth from another star in glory.

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:42**

42 So also is the resurrection of the dead. It is sown in corruption; it is raised in incorruption:

### **I CORINTHIANS 15:43**

43 It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power:

### **GENESIS 23:3**

3 ¶ And Abraham stood up from before his dead, and spake unto the sons of Heth, saying,

#### **GENESIS 23:4**

4 I am a stranger and a sojourner with you: give me a possession of a buryingplace with you, **that I may bury my dead out of my sight.**

#### **I CORINTHIANS 15:43**

43 It is sown in dishonour; it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness; it is raised in power:

#### **I CORINTHIANS 15:44**

44 It is sown a **\*NATURAL** body; it is raised a spiritual body. There is a natural body, and there is a spiritual body.

**NATURAL:** psuchikos {psoo-khee-kos'}

Sensual, having the nature and characteristics of the breath i.e the principal of animal life, which men have in common with the brutes. The sensuous nature with its subjection to appetite and passion

#### **I JOHN 3:2**

2 Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him; for we shall see him as he is.

#### **I JOHN 3:3**

3 And every man that hath this hope in him **\*PURIFIETH** himself, even as he is pure.

**PURIFIETH:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 48

hagnizo {hag-nid'-zo}

purify (one's) self, cleanse, to offer, to burn as a sacrifice