

## **BITS IN TROUBLE'S MOUTH**

### **DANIEL 7:25**

25 And he shall speak great words against the most High, and shall **\*WEAR** out the saints of the most High, and think to change times and laws: and they shall be given into his hand until a time and times and the dividing of time.

**WEAR:** HEBREW LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 1080

bla' (Aramaic) {bel-aw'}

to wear away, wear out, to harass constantly

### **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:

### **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.

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43 **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.**

### **GALATIANS 6:7**

7 Be not deceived; God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap.

### **GALATIANS 6:8**

8 For he that soweth to his flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth to the Spirit shall of the Spirit reap life everlasting.

## **GALATIANS 6:9**

9 And let us not be **\*WEARY** in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not.

**WEARY:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 1573

ekkakeo {ek-kak-eh'-o}

faint, to be utterly spiritless, to be wearied out, exhausted

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20.....SPEAKING ABOUT JESUS

when He raised up that boy, the widow's son from Nain (I believe, The Prince of the House of David), that He set on a rock and groaned with a headache. See? He bore our infirmity. Bear means "to pack them." See, He bore. And He had all things in... like we have. **He had sickness, he had temptations, He had trouble, He had flusteration just as we have**, because He had to be the right kind of a Mediator; so He had to be partaker, the Husbandman of the fruit, before He would know.....

## **JAMES 1:2**

2 ¶ My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers **TEMPTATIONS;**

## **JAMES 1:3**

3 Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh **\*PATIENCE.**

**PATIENCE:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 5281

hupomone {hoop-om-on-ay'}

patient continuance, patient waiting, steadfastness, constancy, endurance:

In the NT the characteristic of a man who is not swerved from his deliberate purpose and his loyalty to faith and piety by even the greatest trials and sufferings:

### **JAMES 1:4**

4 But let patience have **her perfect work**, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.

### **JAMES 1:12**

12 Blessed is the man that endureth **\*TEMPTATION\***: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him.

**TEMPTATION:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 3986

peirasmos {pi-ras-mos'}

trial, proving, the trial of man's fidelity, integrity, virtue, constancy:

### **I PETER 1:6**

6 ¶ Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in **HEAVINESS** through manifold temptations:

### **I PETER 1:7**

7 That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ:

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178.....Now, don't fail this, to get this. **When you have a trial or a test, it shows the grace of God has found, you found favor with God, and God believes that you'll stand the test.**

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183 When looks like everything has gone wrong, **God is giving you a trial. He's got confidence in you.** He don't have to baby you around. You're not a hotbed plant, a hybrid. You're a real Christian. **God is giving you a test, see what you'll do about it.** Amen. No wonder Peter said, "These fiery trials, why, count it a joy. It's--it's more precious to you than gold."

184 And many times we hum and haw, "Oh, well, if I just..."  
**Well, that, well, that's something God give you, to**

**overcome. He--He--He knows you'll do it. HE, HE'S--HE'S PUT HIS TRUST IN YOU.**

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38..... Shadrach, and Meshach, and Abednego.

They had their--their--their faith was put to a test. **And when their faith is put to a test, then don't fail. Stay right with what you believe.**

And when they're faced, faith was put to a test. And they went through a crucial hour, not only did they go to a--a ash heap, but they went into a fiery furnace. **But Satan could not destroy them, for God's purpose wasn't yet fulfilled....**

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41 Satan could not take them. 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.....**

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43.....**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.....

.....**We ask for comfort and peace; God gives us the best He could give us: trials and tribulations. That's better than comfort and peace. Our comforts is just beyond the river.**

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47 **It wasn't until** 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.** But not until they went into the fire did that Comforter appear.

But it was after the heat was put on, and he was throwned 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.

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49 It was Abraham, **after 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 after 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, after he'd been tried till his--his patience was at the end; it was on that day that when after the trial was over, he spoke face to face with Elohim under the oak that day.** It was after he'd suffered his trials, after 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 after the trial and tribulation.**

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50 Oh, if the Church could only wake to Itself today, to find that **after the troubles, and trials, and laughs, and made fun of**, the things the church has been through, the Pentecostal church, **that we see God in our midst, doing great signs and wonders.....**

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61 **And they have to have a crucifixion before you can have a resurrection.** And before the church will ever be able to see a resurrected power, before I can ever see a new ministry take place myself, before you can ever enter into a new fellowship with God, there's got to be a self-crucifixion so that there can come a resurrection.....

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62 **Before Abraham could see Elohim there had to be twenty-five years of testing.** Before the Hebrew children could see the Son of God they had to go into a fiery furnace. Before Daniel could see an Angel he had to go into the lion's den. Before Job could ever see the resurrection he had to go in and lose everything he had; but then by a vision he saw.....

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39.....I'm sure that I'm speaking to peoples this morning who's come to that place. I've been there many times myself. When I've went back and traced my life and turned over every stone, and I'd find that I did something wrong, I'd go confess it and say, "Lord God, I'll make it right," and go do so. Then come back again and say, "Now, Lord, Thou art God; You'll answer me. Surely I've met every request that You required me to do. And

every requirement, I have met it." **And still He won't move, seems to set silent; that's when you've got to be sure that He is God. Don't be discouraged; the only thing is, that in your heart to be certain of God.**

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41....when you've met everything that He said, then you're sure that He's **God, that's when faith goes to work right there.** Faith stands steady, for it knows that He is. And you met every requirement.....

.....If you've met God's requirement, and in your heart you believe that He is, **God's only testing your faith, for He loves to do that.** You've confessed your sin and you've met every requirement that God requires, and still He lays silent, remember, faith says that He is. **Then faith holds onto it, not knowing what it's all about, but it knows that He is, and it's certain that He is.**

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44 Then remember, if He is, His Word has to be true. And if He required you to meet these circumstances and you did, **He's obligated to take care of His Word.** Don't back off and say, "Oh, I never got healed. I..." Oh, you poor, weak faith. Don't believe that. If everything's confessed, and everything's out, and you met God's requirement, **faith holds right there. There's nothing will move it.....**

.....you have done everything that God required you to do, then your faith rests right there that He is. **Be certain of God.**

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46 **You know, He loves to test us. He loves to see the reaction of your faith. Did you know that? God likes to see how you'll react.** When you say, "Oh, Lord, I believe You; Thou art my Saviour. I believe that You are the Healer; I believe that You are the One Who gives the Holy Spirit; and the things that I am requiring.....

.....and then because it don't happen, you run off like a coward somewhere, God can't use that. There's no way for Him to use you. There's no way for Him to answer you, because He only answers by faith.....

### **I CORINTHIANS 16:13**

13 ¶ Watch ye, **\*STAND** fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong.

**STAND:** GREEK LEXICON -- STRONG'S NUMBER 4739

stekō {stay'-ko}

to stand firm; to persevere, to persist; to keep one's standing

### **GALATIANS 5:1**

1 ¶ Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.

### **PHILIPPIANS 1:27**

27 ¶ Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel;

### **PHILIPPIANS 4:1**

1 ¶ Therefore, my brethren dearly beloved and longed for, my joy and crown, so stand fast in the Lord, my dearly beloved.

### **II THESSALONIANS 2:15**

15 Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle.

### **PSALM 22:1**

1 ¶ To the chief Musician upon Ajeleth Shahar, A Psalm of David. My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me? why art thou so far from helping me, and from the words of my roaring?



**PSALM 22:2**

2 O my God, I cry in the daytime, but thou hearest not; and in the night season, and am not silent.

**PSALM 22:7**

7 All they that see me laugh me to scorn: they shoot out the lip, they shake the head, saying,

**PSALM 22:8**

8 He trusted on the LORD that he would deliver him: let him deliver him, seeing he delighted in him.

**PSALM 22:11**

11 ¶ Be not far from me; for trouble is near; for there is none to help.

**PSALM 22:12**

12 Many bulls have compassed me: strong bulls of Bashan have beset me round.

**PSALM 22:13**

13 They gaped upon me with their mouths, as a ravening and a roaring lion.

**PSALM 22:14**

14 I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of joint: my heart is like wax; it is melted in the midst of my bowels.

**PSALM 22:15**

15 My strength is dried up like a potsherd; and my tongue cleaveth to my jaws; and thou hast brought me into the dust of death.

**PSALM 22:16**

16 For dogs have compassed me: the assembly of the wicked have inclosed me: they pierced my hands and my feet.

**PSALM 22:17**

17 I may tell all my bones: they look and stare upon me.

**PSALM 22:18**

18 They part my garments among them, and cast lots upon my vesture.

**PSALM 22:19**

19 But be not thou far from me, O LORD: O my strength, haste thee to help me.

**PSALM 22:20**

20 Deliver my soul from the sword; my darling from the power of the dog.

**PSALM 22:21**

21 Save me from the lion's mouth: for thou hast heard me from the horns of the unicorns.