

Sunday, 04-11-25

PROVERBS 30:5

HENREWS 2:1-4

REVELATION 18:4

"Hybridizing the Word" (Pt.2)

62-1230M - "Absolute"

God doesn't deal with groups of men. God deals with an individual, because men has different ideas.

55-1114 - "The Darkest Hour, Then Jesus Comes Along"

Now, groups of men draws barrier lines.

An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages (7 - The Sardisean Church Age)

The leadership of the Holy Spirit was superseded by a human hierarchy.

An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages (10 - A Resume Of The Ages)

Nicolaitanism is organization, humanizing the leadership of the church, and thereby deposing the Spirit.

An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages (3 - The Ephesian Church Age)

Secondly, the temple had within its confines the virgin priestesses who performed the religious acts of the temple. **This showed forth the day that ceremony and form, ritual and works, would take the place of the Holy Spirit and no longer would charismatic manifestation fill the temple of God.** Over them all was the high priest,

a man of political power and public influence, **portraying what was already in progress, though not too manifested, that is, the church would soon be given over to the leadership of man with man's plans and man's ambitions and "thus saith the Holy Ghost" would no longer be a living reality.**

Now I want to say that I believe in leadership. **But it is not the leadership of men I believe in. I believe in the leadership of the Holy Ghost coming through the Word.** I believe also, that God has set men in the church, men who are gifted by the Spirit; and they will keep the church in order. I believe that. I believe also that the church is ruled over by men that God sends to take charge. **But that rule is BY THE WORD, so that it is not men really ruling but the SPIRIT OF GOD, for the Word and Spirit are ONE.**

But see what was happening back there. **That false vine was getting a hold and it was teaching that rulership by man was right. It taught that the church had to be governed. It taught a control over the people, but instead of doing it God's way, they simply took authority and vested all the spiritual power in their own hands and came out with a holy priesthood standing between God and the people. They went right back to the old Aaronic system. They became antichrist for they disposed of His mediatorship and**

imposed their own. God hated that. The Ephesians hated that and any true believer will hate it too.

An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages (5 - The Pergamean Church Age)

You will recall that I brought out in the Ephesian Age that the word, **Nicolaitane**, comes from two Greek words: **Nikao** which means to conquer, and **Lao** which means the laity. **Nicolaitane means, "to conquer the laity."** Now why is this such a terrible thing? **It is terrible because God has never placed His church in the hands of an elected leadership which moves with political mindedness.** He has placed His church in the care of God-ordained, Spirit-filled, Word-living men **who lead the people through feeding them the Word.** He has not separated the people into classes so that the masses are led by a holy priesthood. It is true that **the leadership must be holy**, but then so must be the whole congregation.

An Exposition Of The Seven Church Ages (10 - A Resume Of The Ages)

Sad to say the true vine was not exactly immune to this doctrine. **By that I do not mean that the true vine ever did establish the Nicolaitane ideas as a doctrine.** Far from it. But that little worm of death kept sucking at the true vine hoping that it might fall. **Even within the true church, men whom God had called as overseers were holding that title to mean a little more than just a local responsibility.** It was not the clear understanding of Paul that existed in the church at this time. For Paul had said, **"And they glorified God in me."** No matter what authority Paul had, he kept the people looking to God from Whom is

all authority. **But the clergy was always looking to Divine Leadership PLUS HUMAN, and thus in giving honor where honor was not due, we find that the true church was spotted with humanism. With Nicolaitanism established — apostolic succession — placed ministers — pastors voted in, etcetera, it was only one step for the false church to proceed to Balaamism.**

Now watch this doctrine of Balaam most carefully. **Notice above all, that it is the deliberate maneuver of a corrupt clergy to bind the people to them, by leading the people deliberately into the sin of unbelief.** The Nicolaitane doctrine was the corruption of the clergy as they sought political power amongst themselves, while Balaamism is the subjection of the people to their system of creed and worship in order to hold them. Now watch this carefully. **What was it that bound the people to the nominal church and thereby destroyed them? It was the creeds and dogmas formed into church tenets.** It was the doctrine of the Roman Catholic Church. **They were not given the true food, the Word. They were given the food that came from idol worship, Babylonian paganism wrapped up in Christian terminology.** And that very same spirit and doctrine is right amongst all Protestants and it is called DENOMINATION. **Nicolaitanism is organization, humanizing the leadership of the church, and thereby deposing the Spirit.**

When any religious people embrace both Nicolaitanism and Balaamism, and have the political, financial and physical power to back it up there is only one direction they can go. That direction is right into the Jezebel doctrine.

So this age did not launch out very far on the Word. Thank God that it did go as far as it did, but because it leaned on political power to a great extent, this age ended in organization, and this very group that in Luther's generation had broken from the false vine, now turned back to become a daughter of the harlot for she went right into Nicolaitanism and Balaamism.

CAB 10 - Resume - "10 - A Resume Of The Ages"

Not for one moment do I bring a message to the people that they may follow me, or join my church, or start some fellowship and organization. I have never done that and will not do that now. I have no interest in those things, but I do have an interest in the things of God and people, and if I can accomplish just one thing I will be satisfied. That one thing is to see established a true spiritual relationship between God and men, wherein men become new creations in Christ, filled with His Spirit and live according to His Word.

CAB 03 - Ephesian - "3 - The Ephesian Church Age"

There was no one with Him when He trod the fierceness of the wrath of the fiery furnace. It was not another, but HIM Who hung upon the cross and gave His blood. He is the Author and Finisher of our faith. He is the Alpha and Omega

of our salvation. **We are espoused to Him and not another. We don't belong to the church. We belong to Him.** His Word is law. Creeds, dogmas, by-laws and constitutions have no effect on us. **Yes, it is Jesus ALONE Who walks in the midst of the churches.** It is God in her, willing and doing of His good pleasure. Never forget that. **You have only one relationship to God and God has only one relationship to you — that is JESUS, and JESUS ALONE.**

GALATIANS 2:16

Knowing that **a man is not justified by the works of the law, but by the faith of Jesus Christ,** even we have believed in Jesus Christ, that we might be justified by the faith of Christ, **and not by the works of the law: for by the works of the law shall no flesh be justified.**

60-1113 CONDEMNATION.BY.REPRESENTATION_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-2 N-13 SUNDAY_

The Holy Spirit breathing upon us like we are now, breeding back, **taking away the rubbish of theology, taking away the rubbish of the world, man-made doctrines..**

65-1127B TRYING.TO.DO.GOD.A.SERVICE.WITHOUT.IT.BEING.GOD'S.WILL_ SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-2 SATURDAY_

False teachers can rise, teaching all kind of **trinitarianism** and **everything else...**

60-1113 CONDEMNATION.BY.REPRESENTATION_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-2 N-13 SUNDAY_

How do we have condemnation? **Because of hybreeding, breeding in the world with the things of God.**

ROMANS 7:1-6

65-1125 - "The Invisible Union Of The Bride Of Christ"

The prophet, Paul, here **is saying that a woman cannot remarry until her first husband is dead.** She cannot remarry as long as her first husband is living; **she, by no circumstances, at all.** She must remain single as long as her first husband is living. And **if she should do such a sin, "she shall be called an adulteress."** I'm speaking of the natural now, to type it with the spiritual. **If this woman would commit such a sin, then she is marked, "an adulteress,"** if she has two living husbands at the same time. **Therefore, she has forfeited, by doing this, her rights to God and Heaven, by doing so.** She sure has. **She is an outcast from the economy of God, according to the Scriptures that I've just read.**

60-1113 CONDEMNATION.BY.REPRESENTATION_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-2 N-13
SUNDAY_

Hybrid the churches till we become **man-made dogmas** instead **of Christ-fearing servants.**

60-1113 CONDEMNATION.BY.REPRESENTATION_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-2 N-13
SUNDAY_

Oh, here's a thought. It might choke you. Somebody represented you as a sinner. **That was the one that hybrid the Word. And today if you're expecting the**

Pentecostal church, or the Methodist, Baptist to represent you, it's a hybrid word and condemned.

65-1128M GOD'S.ONLY.PROVIDED.PLACE.OF.WORSHIP_ SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-4 SUNDAY_

Thou shall eat no leavened, bread in it;...What does that typify in the sacrifice? **Don't mix it with any creed**, **got to be the Word**. "**No leavened bread**."

65-1207 LEADERSHIP_ COVINA.CA V-7 N-7 TUESDAY_

"No leaven". Now, what is that? **No creed, no world**. Jesus said, "If you love the world or the things of the world, the love of God's not even in you." See? **And we're trying to mix that; you can't do it!**

56-0611 HEAR.YE.HIM_ INDIANAPOLIS.IN MONDAY_

You might know your **catechism**, say **Hail Mary's**. You might know the **Apostles Creed, the Doxology...**

56-0401M THE.MIGHTY.CONQUEROR_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN SUNDAY_

To know Him is Life. Remember that, Christian friend and sinner friend. To know Christ is Life. **Many people go and they learn a catechism.**

63-0707M THE.INDICTMENT_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-3 N-19 SUNDAY_

And, today, the Roman Catholic church adopted, "Father, Son, Holy Ghost," to take That's place. Instead of That, a communion. "Lick out a tongue and take up a wafer, and the priest drink the wine, and you're one together." The "communion," in the stead of being the Holy Ghost, called,

"**holy Eucharist**." And a "Father, Son, Holy Ghost," a trinitarian baptism, when it's not even spoke of in the Bible.

61-0618 REVELATION.CHAPTER.FIVE.2_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN ROJC 747-793 SUNDAY_
And here the Protestant church comes around with what they call **the Apostles' Creed, "I believe in God the Father Almighty, preserver of heavens and earth, and the--and the Holy Roman Catholic church. And I believe in the intercession of saints, communion of saints."**

61-1224 SIRS.WE.WOULD.SEE.JESUS_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-3 N-23 SUNDAY_
The creeds today say, "Join this. **Say this Doxology.**

61-0410 CONFERENCES_ BLOOMINGTON.IL MONDAY_
And I think all the way from Martin Luther to Pentecost ought to go back and have a conference again, find out, **it's the Holy Spirit that's to lead the church--not dogmas, and creeds, and "hail Marys" and apostle's creed**. I want you to find me the apostle's creed in the Bible.

339-1 † LAODICEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.9
The Baptists have their **creeds and dogmas** based on the Word and you can't shake them. They say **the apostolic days of miracles are over and there is no Baptism with the Holy Ghost**, subsequent to believing. **The Methodists** say (based on the Word) there is no water baptism (**sprinkling is not baptism**) and that sanctification is the Baptism with the Holy Ghost. **The Church of Christ** majors in **regenerational baptism** and in all too many cases they

go down dry sinners and come up wet ones. Yet they claim their doctrine is Word-based. Go right down the line and come to **the Pentecostals**. Do they have the Word? **Give them the Word test** and see. They will sell out the Word **for a sensation** just about every time. If you can produce a manifestation like oil and blood **and tongues and other signs, whether in the Word or not, or whether properly interpreted from the Word, the majority will fall for it.**

65-1125 THE.INVISIBLE.UNION.OF.THE.BRIDE.OF.CHRIST_ SHREVEPORT.LA V-2 N-15 THURSDAY_

Now, now, **you cannot mix denomination creed with the Word,** **because they're too contrary, one to the other.**

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