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"These are they which were not defiled with women for they are virgins. These are they which follow the Lamb withersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men being the first fruits unto God and to the Lamb.

**B**RETHREN, I want to divide this gospel into three. I will give the first part today and the other two parts in the following Sundays. They are going to illustrate those who will be taken to heaven. If any of the signs is seen in you then you are one of them. This gospel is not going to be long because it is self explanatory.

I am not giving this gospel to set a division between husband and wife. I do not also want wagging tongues. This gospel does not belong to any particular member. It is just a revelation of the eternal truth as God has it. I am giving you this gospel because I had already promised you that I shall reveal those who will go to heaven to you.

## Heaven Is For Heavenly People

You can not ascend up to heaven because you are wealthy, or because of your wisdom or because of any righteousness or goodness in you. You may be the cleverest person, you can make up your mind not to marry and stay unmarried. You may use your money to prepare yourself for heaven, but if you were not meant for it you can not go there. Even if you were put in heaven you can not stand the condition of things there.



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People have different gifts from God. God gives people advise to marry only one wife and after union to fast. St. Paul from the day Christ called him, had nothing to do with a woman. At the end of His Sermon while on earth Christ would say, those who have ears to hear let them hear. The gospel given out is like a big net thrown out into the sea. It takes with it various kinds of fishes, so when the gospel is given pick out what-ever portion that belongs to you.

When our Lord preached to His disciples that if they divorced and married another, they have committed adultery for the rest of their life, the disciples became very sad. Because they were annoyed, He made it clear to them that the sermon belonged only to those who were destined to hear it, those who could digest it. Do you remember an instance when the disciples of John the Baptist saw the disciples of our Lord Jesus Christ baptising, how they were annoyed and went and told John the Baptist what the disciples of our Lord Jesus Christ had done.

John said that he had told them that nobody

could do anything along these lines except the power is given him. Therefore the capacity to marry one wife and be satisfied with just that one comes from above. It is simple and easy to say "I want to marry one wife or one husband", but the capacity to do it must come from above.

Also the capacity to marry two or more wives must come from above. There are some men who if they put two or more wives in the house become almost dead. There are others who can't tolerate one wife. There are those who can't stand women at all. That is just how they are made because they are meant for the Kingdom. This revelation of God is plain.

When you see others marry, you start to imitate them. Some even marry more than one wife. Has God given you the capacity? Many women say, our companions have husbands and still keep as many boy friends as they like outside, let us imitate them. Have you asked God whether you can do so?

### The Signs That Follow Them

On the other hand you may find some women marrying one husband and keep to him alone. They do not want to know the number of women their husbands have made contact with outside. There are others who may marry one husband with many boy friends outside. I tell you that in each case they are not responsible for this behaviour. They were created like that, so do not try to imitate them. If you do you may become wretched.

There are people who were not meant for marriage but because of the circumstances of this life, they marry. You will find that they will carry on for some time then finally separate, because they always fight and quarrel in the family. There will be no settled life in their midst because they are not meant for this world but for heaven.

Some of this women become sickly in their husband's homes because of sex. But as soon as they stay away from their husbands they become well. Some men or women will be lovely to look at but you see them remain single, this makes you wonder why such a lovely person by nature shouldn't have a wife or husband. They have been approached for marriage but they refused because of their position in heaven. The world is blind. When a thing like this happens people begin to talk and gossip and start to consult juju doctors to prepare them lucky charms to make them find wives or husbands.

There are some women who are born exactly like men and some men who are born exactly like women. The Bible says, that there are some born eunuchs but when his happens to a man the individual becomes perpetually grieved and

ridiculed by men and women. As a result, he starts worrying and looking for treatment. This is how human beings fight with God. There are others who because of the Kingdom separate themselves from husbands or wives and wait for the coming of the Kingdom. They aren't responsible for this action.

### IST LESSON REV. 14:4

"These are they which were not defiled with women, for they are virgins. These are they which follow the lamb whithersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men being the first fruits unto God and to the lamb."

Brethren, have you heard the word of God, read as a witness? People say Oh! where can God get such people these days, people who don't want to marry or people who haven't defiled themselves with women. I tell you that there are lots of men and women who have never defiled themselves. They are not responsible for the level in the life they have attained. It is God that has given them that power of resistance. Some of these people may be highly educated, some may only attain a basic standard of education, some may not be educated before the trumpet setting every thing in order sounds. There are other people who had been in preparation against this time. Among them are the Rev. mothers and fathers who had kept themselves from fornication etc.

Don't make the mistake that Elijah made when he saw all other Prophets, killed, and asked God to protect him for the people have decided to kill him as he was the only one left. What was God's reply? God told him that He had sent down seven thousand men to him, to protect him. Some very young ones are coming. When the number is completed the trumpet will surely sound. Some of them as soon as they are born into the world show no interest for man or woman because they don't know the difference.

If a girl you can find her undressing before a man or sleeping in the same bed with him, but with our carnal minds if we see such, we will conclude that they have known each other sexually because it is believed that a man and woman can not sleep in the same bed without sex.

### God's Way Is Mysterious

These children of God so born do not even know that they were created like that for the Kingdom of heaven. God passes in a mysterious

way to do his work. That is why in Brotherhood we do not struggle for anything. Stay where God keeps you. Phillip had four beautiful daughters, none of them was given in marriage.

They remained without husbands all their lives and waited for the fulfilment of God's wish. Prophetess Hannah married, but when the husband died she stayed, worked and served God without a man.

There are many Hannahs among you today. Do not feel that you are lost when you hear this gospel. God knows what he is doing. Do not make any choice because the Father has already made it. I told you of those heavenly ones that will travel with the Lamb wheresoever He goeth. In the same sense there are children of perdition. Don't you see clearly that this does not depend on anybody who looks for it or runs away from it. There are prophets who will go to heaven and prophets who will inherit the earth and those who will go to hell. Today I tell you that those that will be selected to go to heaven are those that never marry nor defile themselves.

Everybody is saved by grace, but we should not because of this become people with questionable characters. Those who are destined to go to heaven will be separated from their husbands or wives to get themselves prepared before the trumpet sounds.

You may count a very miserable prostitute who goes from man to man as lost, but I tell you if his or her name was destined for heaven on that day he or she will refrain from all this and will surely go to heaven. Can you say why women are prostitutes. It is because they don't see the truth. You may see a husband and wife and may recommend them to be good partners. You may be wrong in your recommendation because you may not know their internal problems. The husband may not be truthful to the wife. The woman may because of this retaliate in like manner.

They come back to the house no one questions the other. You will also find a woman who is married to a man that goes from woman to woman, the wife will not be satisfied because she wants a loyal husband. The woman eventually leaves the man to look for another man. She is not a prostitute but she is looking for loyalty. This thing happens also to men and when they make up their minds they decide never to marry again. The whole town will take them to be prostitutes. A woman who becomes a prostitute does so because of some unavoidable circumstances.

They want loyalty, that is why they are compelled to go from door to door. The same thing happens to men. Brethren why is there so much dissatisfaction in marriage. It's because

God does not create some people for marriage.

They just marry for security purpose and when their husbands demand sex they refuse because they have no interest.

The same thing happens to men, some have no interest for marriage they just marry to be free from women's molestation. When their wives demand sex, they refuse and they will be called eunuchs. There are also some men who are impotent. They become miserable and dispirited and may even commit suicide when they know that they can't play the part of a man. They don't know that God created them for Himself. They can pay large sums of money in ignorance to jujitsu doctors to make them virile. God in fact loves the world very much. If He should follow our evil ways, He would not keep us alive till today.

## 2ND LESSON LUKE 20:35

**"But they which shall be accounted worthy to obtain that world and the resurrection from the dead, never marry nor given in marriage."**

### **They Are Not Married**

Those that are counted worthy are not married nor given in marriage. You may say, "I will be carried up to heaven". Which heaven? If you still think of material things you will not be carried to heaven as you think. You may look round to say, my friends have all married and have grown up children. Those who are married think of how to please their husbands or wives but those who aren't married think of how they will be pure in body and in mind so as to please God.

Those who are for heaven do not have marriage in mind. If you talk to them about marriage they refer you to heavenly things, and depart from you. But they are only happy if you take them as brothers and sisters. Brethren do not be deceived that those who will go to heaven are given in marriage. The choice of who goes to heaven is left to God alone. If it falls on a woman she will remain without sex. If it falls on a man he will also remain without sex. God wants to use us all so stay where you are placed and do not be annoyed. Our Lord Jesus Christ said, it is better to go to heaven with only one hand than to hell with two hands. There are some people who were not born eunuchs but later they changed and became eunuchs. There are some from the day of their conversion they resigned from all forms of sexual intercourse.

Yes, it was stated by God that within a twinkling of an eye they will be changed. Many of

you are still fornicating even though you are meant for heaven, you do this because you do not know where you stand. There are those kept for the fulfilment of the scripture and those who will be changed within a twinkling of an eye. If you are among those for the heavenly home don't worry, you will be changed before you go to heaven.

### Christ Is Preparing You

Some grumble that ever since they came to Brotherhood no man or woman has shown interest in them anymore. Whether they have become too ugly they wonder. No. I say you have even become more beautiful.

You are being prepared for heaven by driving the desire out of you. So do not be surprised that you have no more desire for sex, even though you are not old. When God puts up a sign like this you worry and abuse Him not knowing that He prepares you for heaven. You find that since you came to Brotherhood you have no more peace at home; you face a threat of divorce every now and then from your husband. Yes Christ wants to prepare you for that day. Some men when their wives divorce them they become worried and marry another woman not knowing that this will not give them peace in mind.

Christ does not want you to marry and perish hence, the divorce. Why then do you worry when you are given the knowledge that you are being prepared for the Kingdom. You all have seen these signs in you and have ignored them in arrogance. Now that God has come to save you please heed the advice.

### GOLDEN TEXT: MATT: 19: 12.

**"For there are some eunuchs which were so born from their mother's womb and there are some eunuchs which were made eunuchs of men and there be eunuchs which have made themselves eunuchs for the Kingdom of heaven's sake. He that is able to receive it, let him receive it."**

### The Power of Resistance Is Not Yours

We hope you understand our lesson? That's why Christ said it is simpler for a harlot to go to heaven than a rich man. There are people born eunuchs and remain so till they die. Yes that is their share.

They were not born eunuchs due to their sins or the sins of their parents. Another class of eunuchs is made of men. God has given another person power to make you eunuch so that you

may go to heaven. The third set are those who decided within themselves to remain eunuchs for the sake of the heavenly home. They are perfectly sound in health but because of the Kingdom of heaven they decided to stay without sex.

Are you not aware that this decision cannot be made by man. Now you find a comparatively young man surrounded by lovely girls but he does not want union. Don't you see that the power to resist sex is not yours but the power of God. When He gives you this power, He has given you a place in heaven.

Those who are born eunuchs are made so by God. You cannot ask Him the reason. He made them so for a purpose. The self made eunuchs often reverse back to fornication and other bad life because they cannot resist the temptations of life.

Do you remember when God wanted the children of Isarel to suffer tribulation from the hands of the Egyptians: how they later on came to realise the power of God. Without suffering you cannot know the power of God. When you meet a very wicked husband or wife who punishes you, you will decide to stay alone. God wants it so, so that you may know yourself. In every court today you see divorce cases. These things do not happen for nothing.

### No Marriage In Heaven

The scripture says that when the Lord Jesus Christ shall come his angels shall be sent to remove whatever will be obstacles in the ways of the children of God. One of these stumbling blocks is marriage. You will remember the statement that two people will sleep together and one will be taken away.

The one that is taken goes up to heaven and the other will be left behind. If something that you love very much is not taken from you, you will be chained to it, and you are lost. If you are meant for heaven, God will take away from you whatever job you are doing, if He sees that it will be a stumbling block to you.

You are not told here that a man and a woman will not stay together. They are to remain as brother and sister. The capacity to do this does not come from man. Be thankful to God when, you can perceive these things spiritually. Even if it remains one day God will cut off your relationship with the world so as to be fit for heaven. There is no marriage in heaven. It is inhabited by angels. You will be told of those that will remain

on earth. You have been told that you can stick to your one or two wives, but there is no place for you in heaven. Those who will go with Christ are not to marry. This is the first sign. There are two more signs. So don't rejoice and say I have no husband or wife I am for heaven. Wait for the three signs which signify the supreme Godhead.

You may decide not to have sex, but in spirit you are doing it. It means that you were forcing yourself. If you force yourself to stay without sex, you may become mad. Some say "I am not going to marry, I want to devote myself for the service of God for the rest of my life" but as soon as you set yourself for this purpose your desire for sex becomes worse. Those that God has destined for

these things have no difficulties and no regrets.

People tell women that if they stay without sex they will have no blood in them. It is all false because God does not reason this way. This can happen to those who force themselves to stay without sex. Therefore brethren let everyone stay where God has kept him or her. You who will not marry do not tell another woman to leave her husband etc. If she leaves her husband and comes to you, will you be of help to her? As God gives grace to those that are married and have children, so does He give grace to those who are unmarried. Their wealth is in heaven. On that day, there will be much lamentation.

Those who have ears to hear, let them hear, may the Lord bless His Holy Words. Amen.

## THOSE WHO WILL GO TO HEAVEN (2)

1ST LESSON

LUKE 18:22

2ND LESSON

LUKE 14:33

3RD LESSON

LUKE 12:33

**N**OW when Jesus heard these things, He said unto him, yet lackest thou one thing: sell all thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shall have treasure in heaven. and come, follow me.

Last week we told you certain signs that those who will go to heaven shall bear. That was the first part and today we give you the second part. You can now see why our Lord said it is difficult for rich men to enter into the Kingdom of God. To them, the god of this world is nothing else but money. They believe that without money you are lost. If you tell them that one who loves the wealth of this world will not go to heaven, they laugh you to scorn and tell you that heaven means comfortable living which money provides. They have eyes but they cannot see, they have ears but they can not hear, they have brains but they cannot reason, because they have been led astray by the author of confusion, the Satan. How then can people who put their hearts in the riches of this world go up to heaven? Did I not tell you that there are those who will be taken alive to heaven, and there are those who will inherit the earth and those who will go to hell?

You may find some people with bags of money today, but before they know where they are the money has all been spent. People take this to be misfortune and attribute it to the power of evil spirit. Yes the money finishes because he gives it away freely at anytime. He is not responsible for his action. It is because his Kingdom is not of this earth and he is laying up treasures in heaven.

As I have said before the will and the power to do this does not come from anybody, it comes

from above. If you are this type of a person then you will go to heaven. The children of God do not regard money as anything in this life. In spite of this, they don't lack money, rather money finds them. But one thing is that they are never in peace if they don't distribute it.

### This Is All False

People say that if you do the work of God you will be perpetually poor. This is all false. The children of God are banks themselves and their work is to give out money left and right to others. If you examine the different tribulations that confront you, you will see that it is due to your actions. People will always advise you wrongly and will ask you that if you give alms to others freely what will be your gain, you will only become poor in the end. You take their wrong advice and you stop giving alms, this works against you. You will be in want. The children of God should therefore be contented with any position God has placed them in life.

If you say you are tired of doing good and you stop doing it you can't enter into the Kingdom. What helped the Gentiles to have a share in this Kingdom? It was position Cornelius the commander of an Italian army, who was giving alms to people.

The people of the world laugh at a man who gives alms freely because they say that he is bound to be poor and wretched in the end. Brethren you have been told that what God loves is what the world hates and vice versa. If you keep all other laws, honour thy father and mother etc. yet you don't give alms you have no share in the Kingdom of heaven. Supposing you pray for someone who is hungry and penniless, and after the prayer and the word of God you send him away saying God be with you, which God? What helped Abraham? generosity. By giving freely,

Lot also was saved.

When the two angels were sent to go and destroy Sodom and Gomorrah, they called at the house of Abraham. They were angels in the form of human beings and neither Abraham nor Sarah knew this, but as soon as Sarah saw them she prepared them food.

This showed that Abraham and Sarah were children of God. As they were eating, the angels told them of a mission to Sodom and Gomorrah. Then Abraham mentioned Lot his Nephew to them and begged them to save him and his house and the angels agreed to save them and went on their journey.

When they reached Sodom and Gomorrah Lot treated them with the same generosity as Sarah did. The angels also told them that they came to destroy the city but that they will be saved.

Lot and his house were warned not to turn back while going out of the City. Lot's wife met her doom because she turned back, when she started to think of her box of trinkets and became a pillar of salt. You can now see clearly our Lord's lessons on how hard it is for a rich man to go to heaven. A man who loves money cannot love God.

### Money Is Nothing

We think money is important, has it hands and feet? It's unwise to bury our minds in money after all Nigerian coins are different from those in Ghana or Gambia etc. Even in Nigeria how many times have the currency note been changed. Don't think of money as God. Anybody who does not put his heart in money is the person that money goes to. This indicates that he is the child of God and that his duty is to give freely to the poor. Some people complain of having a lot of money in dream yet in real life they are poor.

Yes because their minds are in money, so each time they close their eyes they dream of money. I tell you that the children of God are very rich; money means nothing to them. Job declared that he came to the world naked and naked will he return. We came with nothing into this world. We shall go with nothing.

### Blessed Are The Poor In Spirit.

That is the reason we have the teaching from our Lord, "Blessed are the poor in Spirit for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven." They that come from heaven don't regard money as something. The children of the Heavenly Kingdom have no money in their pockets, but when they want anything their Father sends them cheques.

The heavenly children are the tap root of the family of many children, everybody else feeds from

them without caring to know where the money comes from. In short they take them as their bank, strangers steam in and out of the house always and the Lord gives them the ability to care for them. The heavenly children don't draw money from this earthly bank but from the heavenly bank. When they are in difficulty they find that nobody helps them but God and his angels.

Whenever you give alms you are placing your wealth in heaven. When you see a person who is fond of giving alms freely know that such a person is from heaven and will be taken alive to heaven. He can never be at rest if he doesn't give his neighbour what he lacks.

If he has but one cup of garri, he shares it with everybody and he can never be alone in a place. If you give him a small room to sleep he will call everyone in. The power to do this comes from above. People who come from heaven do not attach any importance to agreement papers when transacting business with others. They know that God himself is their agreement.

These people never claim anything as their own. If they work for the government they use the money to help others who complain of being in difficulty. Should they give a loan to someone the person will not care to return it instead they will be abused. People always like to borrow money from them because they will never ask for it again. The children of God are always cheated by others and because of this they are always blessed by God.

### 1ST LESSON LUKE 18.22

"Now when Jesus heard these things He said unto him, yet lackest thou one thing, sell all that thou hast and distribute to the poor and thou shall have treasure in heaven and come and follow me."

Brethren do you see the truth? Tell me then how many rich people will go to heaven. People seem to think that when a man is wealthy he is in heaven. They say that if thou have no money you cannot enter into heaven.

### A Rich Man Becomes A Murderer

What are you doing with money in heaven? A man is wealthy because he does not use his money in giving alms and feeding the poor. A rich man finds it difficult to give out even 50 kobo to a person who is in need. He complains of lack of money. Now if the person in need dies through lack of help from the rich man, the rich man becomes a murderer because he refused to

render help. A person who can save up to ₦40 hates man and God.

All those created for destruction always have the interest of money in their hearts and they cannot do anything free of charge. If they are asked to sing or dance they want first to know whether they will be paid for it. Now this same people will turn round to say that when they die, they will go to heaven. Who will take them there? The first lesson says you must sell all what you have and give the money to others. All those who are meant for heaven use their money, voice, strength and health for the service of others.

Those who can read and write must teach those who cannot. If you are well, use your health to make others well. A person who has no faith go and give him faith. A man who has no clothes give him from your trunk box full of clothes.

Why not give them out? Let us obey this instructions so that we may go to heaven. We are but store keepers of our father's treasure house, and we are to give out anything as required by others.

If it is faith, if it is intelligence or if it is gospel that is wanted we must give out freely. Regard all things as belonging to the poor and must be distributed. Our Lord knew that the world had nothing to offer Him so He stored His wealth in heaven. Go and distribute what you have and follow Christ.

## 2ND LESSON LUKE 14:33

**"So likewise whosoever of you that forsaketh not all that he hath, he cannot be my disciple."**

You say you want to go to heaven, you can't go there with the thought of wordly wealth. Christ says that we must surrender all the things of the world before we can follow him. Many of you must have met beggers on the way as you were coming to the church. You did not give them anything. Your coming to church means nothing because you do not know that they are Christ who is the head of the church you are hurrying to attend.

Do you remember the incidence in which Christ said to the people on his right hand, "go to eternal joy prepared for you because I was hungry and homeless and you cared for me." He also said to the ones on His left hand "go to eternal destruction because when I was hungry and homeless you do not care for me." In as much as ye did it to the hopeless ones ye did it to me.

If you have a house and you meet someone without one, house him. Name me a person who

has surrendered all he has and followed Christ. I tell you none. All the 12 Apostles surrendered what they had. They left their wives, mothers some left their canoes, nets etc. They sold all their belongings and the money was given to the poor. Matthew was a rich tax collector as well as Levi. They all put their belongings into the common purse.

## This Is a Revelation Not a Gospel

St. Paul said, "Things that would have been gain to me I count them but lost for the sake of the Kingdom." What will be our gain if on the eventful day we are left behind. Do you want to be left behind? People witnessed Enoch and Elijah being taken up alive. Our Lord Jesus Christ after blessing his disciples was taken up in front of them.

Those from heaven come down here to work and to return afterwards. It is just like an expatriate who comes over to Africa to work and returns to his country at the end of his contract.

Many of us sitting in this building now come from different places. We may stay at these places to do different businesses and have children. But one day we may decide to return to our different places of birth. It is exactly so with the heavenly children. One day they will go back to heaven to where they belong. Those that will go back to heaven are not many

If you don't give freely to the poor you can't climb up even as far as this roof. The power to do these things doesn't come from us but from above. People begin to ask whether there are such people in the world today. Yes God has prepared them since from the beginning of the world.

Brethren this is not a good gospel but revelation of the truth about those who are intended going to heaven. If you have the noble qualities given here continue with them for you are among those who will go to heaven. If you have not these qualities don't struggle to do them because your name is not among those going to heaven. I tell you these things because I had already promised that I would explain to you the three categories. You see, members of the other churches say that they will go to heaven when heaven wants only 144,000. Those who will go up to heaven are those who come from heaven. Some said that "if their parents had lived till this generation they would have gone to heaven", but I tell you if they weren't meant for heaven they won't go.

## GOLDEN TEXT LUKE 12:33

**"Sell that ye have and give alms provide**



yourselves bags which wax not old, a treasure in the heaven that faileth not where no thief approacheth neither moth corrupteth."

If we have Europeans in our midst today they will surely send home anything they have that they attach importance to, at least for security purpose.

### They Are Strangers Here

It should be the same with you. Every good thing that Christ did was stored for him in heaven. All those who are heavenly give all they have to the poor knowing that they are but strangers here on earth and will go back to heaven. Don't deliver this gospel to the rich person or he'll lock you up. Don't give this gospel to the people of the world or they'll laugh at you. I am not even asking you to practise this gospel because you can't practise it.

Look at the young lawyer who asked Our Lord what he would do to inherit the Kingdom of God: when he was told to sell all and give to the poor he was greatly disturbed and went away sorrowfully. Those of the earth only think on how to get rich.

The heavenly ones think of heavenly glories and how to please God. If you weren't meant for the Kingdom but hearing this gospel you decide to sell all you have and give the money to the poor, you'll find that in a short time you will go back to your former life. There are people here in Brotherhood who sold all they had but are now

looking for those things again.

Don't worry yourself if as a rich man you find yourself penniless because of alms giving, you are storing in the heavenly bank. Our Lord did all his good work without counting the cost because He knew what He was doing.

Now that this gospel reveals to you where you stand, continue doing good so that when that great day comes you will go up to meet your wealth where no rust or moth doth destroy. Thieves may break into the earthly bank or moth. There is no other bank for the heavenly children than helping the needy. You don't do them to the poor but to God who will reward you. Of what use is your preaching if you don't give water to the thirsty and food to the hungry one. Heavenly children have no other assignment but this.

The good Samaritan had his hope in heaven. He was not a rich man. Whereas the other two well-to-do people who passed by the wounded man and offered no help have no hope for heaven. The good Samaritan was a good man of God. In Brotherhood our hope is in heaven that is why we are instructed to give alms because it might happen like a cinema and it is done for ever. People from your family often tell you that the money you would have used for the family, is used for your brethren in your church. The power to do this does not come from you but from above. Brethren, we shall not take you further.

Those who have ears to hear, let them hear, may the Lord bless His Holy Words. A—men!

## THOSE WHO WILL GO TO HEAVEN (3)

1ST LESSON

LUKE 14:26

2ND LESSON

MARK 8:34

3RD LESSON

MATT 10:37

"If any man come to Me and hate not his father and mother and wife and children and brethren and sisters yea and his own life also he cannot be my disciple."

### How Do You Wait For Jesus?

**B**RETHREN this is the third and the last instalment of those who will go up to heaven. On the first day when the gospel was given people feel that because they have left fornication, they are free, but that is not all. The second instalment was about distributing your wealth to the poor. What about that of today? Many call themselves Christians and say that they wait for Jesus Christ. Can it be done without faith. The gospel of today proves to you those

that are in readiness to go to heaven.

Christ spoke these words clearly not in parable. He told His disciples that if they did not do these words they can never be where he is and they can never reign with him. He said I am going to prepare a place for you. So where I am ye may be also. Brethren if you can't follow Him on earth how can you follow him in heaven. Christ said that after the days of John the Baptist the Kingdom is gained by struggling for it.

Now show me a single individual who is a follower of Christ with the members of his family, mother and his friend. Did Christ do his father's work with his mother and father? Don't you remember an occasion when his mother and brethren sought for him, and the disciples told him that his mother and brethren were looking for him, how he stretched his hands over his disciples and said, "Those who hear what I say and do what I teach are my mothers and

brethren."

When Christ was taken by the Spirit to the desert to pray, did he go there with his mother or father? He forsook his father, mother and brethren and never stayed in Nazareth. Up till today people wonder whether Christ had sisters and brothers. He forsook personal enjoyment to do the work of his Father.

Brethren I put this question to you, what is your preparation to meet Christ? Don't you know it was written that there will be anti-Christ. When the people of the world talk of false prophets they mention Brotherhood. If all these Churches say that they are followers of Christ yet they don't practise his teachings are they not false Prophets? Peter asked our Lord 'as we have left all things and followed you what will be our gain?' Christ replied that all who have left their father, mother, children, wife and relation and all the pleasures of this life and for their own lives, when all things are perfect and he will be in the Kingdom of his father all those people will be on the twelve thrones to judge the twelve tribes of Israel and will have a hundred fold of what they left plus eternal life. In the wide world today which person has forsaken father, mother, sister, brother, children, wife to follow Christ? Who has surrendered his life to Christ? Now since you haven't done this what is in your mind? He says "I am a jealous God." If you love mother or father, then you don't love Christ.

### **Paul Surrendered Everything To Follow Christ**

People carried their Bibles every day and proclaim themselves followers of Christ which Christ? When you go back read the Scriptures again they are the real words of God. Christ became poor for his father's sake. You who have God have you surrendered your wealth so that you may have Christ? St. Paul said what would have been gain to me I count as loss so that I may have Christ.

Paul forsook his profession, wife, children and relations etc and suffered many indignities for the sake of the gospel, so that he may possess Christ. Peter and other disciples did the same so that they may have even a small place in heaven. The Apostles, Levi and Matthew did the same. Now brethren, you have faith that on that day, you'll be taken up. On what do you base your faith? Don't you know that Christ has come back not to have anything to do with the world nor go from street to street preaching, but has come to take those who forsook all even their lives and carry them to heaven? Don't you see that today it is your mother, father brother, sister, wife, husband, children and the enjoyment of life that

has hindered you from following Christ?

It is written that all those who love their parents or children and the pleasures of the world have no share in heaven or in the new earth. Those who are ashamed to confess my name to people on earth, will I be ashamed to confess their before my father I will forsake those who forsake me. You find people saying Christ the good friend of all. If he is your friend, do you keep his commandment? How many people believe his words and do them. God has come down with his only Son to straighten all things so that they may take to heaven those that be long to heaven and leave the earthly ones on earth.

The Holy Angels are telling us what we should do and what we should not do. Who are those people prepared to go up, who are those prepared to remain on earth? Remember the baren fig tree. Christ cursed it because there was no fruit on it and the next morning it withered? To whom does the parable refer? To the churches, you and me.

Who in the Churches is prepared to do His work and His words! Who in this house we are now, is prepared to own Christ and make up his mind to follow him? You can't follow him by words of mouth, you have to follow Him with your whole heart and mind.

Let each person ask himself today whether he loves Christ. Christ says that he who loves me will keep my commandments and my Father will love him and will make us abode with him. Therefore if we love Christ we will keep his commandments today.

### **1ST LESSON LUKE 14:26**

**"If any man come to me and hate not his father and mother and wife and children and brethren and sisters and yea and his own life also he cannot be my disciple.**

Of all that is counted in this text which is the one that concerns money? I don't ask you to do this gospel. I am only revealing the gospel of truth to only those who will be going to heaven. I told you before that there are three marks to indicate those who will go to heaven. I am merely revealing these marks to you, to get you prepared to anywhere you may be taken to. I am not asking you to leave your parents or brethren. I tell you these things so that you may work with hope and gladness so as not to feel disappointed when those with these marks will be carried up to heaven. At that time you will not turn round to say that the Leader has deceived you. To be forwarned is to be forarmed so don't be satisfied with saying I am Brotherhood. Yes everything

else is Brotherhood, the trees, the water, Lucifer himself is Brotherhood. But the scripture clearly states that only those who possess these heavenly qualities will be taken up to heaven to be with him. Let us ask ourselves whether we have these signs? Because heaven and earth will pass away but not the words of God.

Do not interpret the word of God to suit you. Some people say that it does not mean that one should hate his mother. I tell you that it means so.

Now is it not your wife, parents child etc. that made you to be in enmity with God?

Don't you remember the young man who was called by Christ to follow him? He gave Christ the excuse that he wanted to go and bury his father first. Christ said to him, "let the dead bury the dead".

Now your complaint is that your children or husbands have stopped you from knowing God and going on ministry work. Are they not stumbling block?

You keep on saying "who will look after my children; what will they eat?" Supposing a chariot was brought down here now for you to enter and go to heaven. How many of you here will be ready to jump into the chariot leaving all the children, parents and relatives behind?

I tell you that won't be able You will think about the children and your relatives, that they should come as well. So our Lord said don't keep your treasures on earth because where your treasure is there will your heart be. How can you go up to heaven when your heart is still on your relations? When your child is sick you query God why the child should be sick. Do you see your set back.

If you don't follow Christ these are the things that hinder you, so whatever happens to you as a result of this, Christ isn't responsible. Christ has said openly that if you don't hate your relations you can't be his disciple. This is not a law or commandment, it is just the simple gospel of truth. It is now left to you to make up your mind whether you will follow him or not. Those that Christ has given the power to do the gospel will do it because the power to do it comes from above.

Don't you remember when Christ said "blessed are the barren and the wombs that never bare and the paps which never gave suck." Don't you see how children worry you. A pregnant woman is not sure of what will happen or he till the day she delivers her child. She continues to live in fear till that day. When a pregnant woman goes to Church it isn't for the love for God but God's protection against that day of uncertainty

## Abraham And The Sacrificial Lamb

Now we place before you Christ, children, wife mother etc. choose one. Christ says that if you choose me you must forsake every other thing. He also said that one who looks for his life shall lose it, but one who forsakes his life for his sake, will save it. Don't you remember Abraham's faith? He walked three days and three nights to the place where he was to offer sacrifice to God. He got every thing ready for the sacrifice but there was no lamb. Isaac his only son questioned him about the lamb and he replied that the Lord will provide and the Lord did provide a lamb just at the time he lifted up his hand to cut off Isaac's head for the sacrifice. Did Abraham not hate his only son? Did he refuse to offer him for sacrifice? The same Abraham was going with his wife to buy corn and he was instructed in his dream that when they got to the place he should say that Sarah was not his wife.

Now when the King of that country saw Sarah he loved her and sent someone to go and find out whether she was Abraham's wife. The reply was no; he therefore asked that Sarah be brought to him.

Abraham raised no argument. But here today you can't stand somebody else covering with your wife, even if they say He is Christ. At night God sent an angel to rebuke the King for his action and he explained that he did not know Sarah to be Abraham's wife. Today you may say that you are a good Brotherhood member yet you don't allow your wife to go on missionary work for fear of being loved by someone.

If your husband goes on missionary work you fear that he will love another woman. If your wife sends a present to a brother you mis-interpret her and then confusion comes between you. If a brother were to buy a soutane for a sister the wife will get annoyed.

Now ask yourself whether it is not your wife or husband who prevents you from serving Christ. If you quarrel with people you are a confusionist, you cannot be Christ's follower and you cannot go to heaven.

Christ said that he separates himself from the joys of this world for our sake so that the truth may be ours. Don't you see that if you separate yourself for Christ you will see the truth and the truth will make you to separate others for Christ. But today you find it difficult to separate yourself from your wife and children. Well, the question is, how can you go to heaven? The advice your wife or husband gives you will not save you.

They say that because you attach yourself more to members of your Church you forget,

about your family. If you don't let go the ways of your wife, husband, children, mother, father and follow Christ you will be lost. You must follow him because he is the light, the truth the only way to heaven.

## SECOND LESSON MARK 8:34

"And when he had called the people unto him with his disciples also, he said unto them whosoever will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his Cross and follow me."

### You Must Deny Yourself The Comfort Of Life

He said he who follows Him must be ready and willing to suffer, and to deny himself the comforts and pleasures of this life and must leave pride and arrogance and humble himself by going from house to house preaching the gospel of our Lord's sufferings and death. As you spread the gospel along you may meet with opposition, this may result to abuses and beating and other kinds of disgrace. This is how to carry the Cross of Christ.

The carrying of the Cross will make you to talk to people you would not have talked to. It will also compel you to enter into houses you would never have entered. When rain or sun does not stop you from spreading the gospel; when you accept humiliations because of Christ, and complain not; when you are prepared to go naked because of Christ, you will surely go to heaven.

You must be very accommodating by agreeing to see another person's point of view. You must be prepared to go on ministry work at any time the need arises.

You must bear one another's burden. This is Christianity pure and simple. He said "if you want to be my disciple take up the Cross and follow me" He did not say take your wife, children, money, cars, relations etc. and follow me. By bearing one another's burden and taking up the Cross you are letting the light of Christ shine everywhere.

This is difficult to do but it is the only sure way to heaven. For it was the only narrow path that our Lord Jesus Christ took, and anybody who wants to go to heaven must surely follow His foot-prints. He must be very humble. He must teach his children this humility by doing the least job in the house such as fetching of water for example.

You can see a well-to-do man going about without shoes or costly and expensive clothes. When they prepare him good food in the house he cannot eat it because he is always fasting. He

teaches people the importance of mortification of the flesh. This teaching takes one to the new kingdom. It is said that he who does not keep these commandments and teaches others not to do so will have no place in the Kingdom, but he who receives it and teaches others the same is saved. We must be prepared to forgo anything to gain the Kingdom.

If anyone spits on you or slaps you, just say may the peace of God be with you. If you don't behave in this way you aren't for the Kingdom. Don't think of what to put on or what to eat. If you can't go to spread the word of God in all the corners of the earth how will people know Christ. Christ denied himself of all pleasures and took up his Cross to do his Father's work.

Show me a follower of Christ who lies comfortably in his bed and sends others to do the work for him. Paul suffered a lot and was many times beaten. When you go on ministry work, you may return to see your things stolen.

When you come back, all you ought to say wholeheartedly is may the peace of God be with the thieves. This is the life the heavenly ones must live.

How pleasant would it be for one to leave his car and go to do things for others, and to see him walk without his pair of shoes even in his house. How nice would it look for one to see a lawyer with all his knowledge going about without his pair of shoes serving his juniors.

People may say of a truth God is on earth. That is not all. If you don't attach yourselves to the lower class of people you are not fit for heaven. Money is money but you have special duty to do with your hands. You can't see God in your money but people can see Christ in your lives. There is Christ in all the parts of your body. People will see him in you and what he tells you to do.

It was because of St. Paul that certain great men were converted. Peter and some of his disciples were mere fishermen and the higher class of people wouldn't have listened to them. Those great men were saved through Paul. By going out to serve others people will be drawn to God.

## GOLDEN TEXT MATT. 10:37

"He that loveth father and mother more than Me is not worthy of Me and he that loveth on or daughter more than Me is not worthy of Me."

Now have you see the point? If your child is sick you won't attend service because you love

the child more than Christ. Anybody who loves Christ has no time for the things of the world. Christ does not think of the things of this world. You cannot serve two masters. If you love Christ you must hate your parents, children, wife, husband etc. Those who hate Christ hate His gospels because they are the children of darkness. They have no share in the Kingdom of heaven.

Those who will follow him are those who love Him more than father, mother, child etc. The behaviour of all those who are for Christ must be able to win the children of perdition for Christ.

All those who hate Christ love all those who hate Him. If their parents were juju makers and snuffers, their children will support them either financially or otherwise. You always take the advice of the people you love.

The instructions you receive from your parents often lead you astray. You remember King Solomon. God advised him to leave the woman he was keeping or he would go astray; he refused. Because he loved the woman, he did what she wanted by building a temple for her goddess. For this reason God departed from him and Babylon fell to rise no more.

You see where the love of children, parents and other people lead us to. Therefore if you follow them you are lost.

### Christ The Only Adviser

Christ alone is the one who can advise you properly. I do not say that you should hate your people, this gospel is not for flesh and blood, but for the Spiritual ears. Your wives or children don't take you to heaven no matter how strong and healthy they may be. Christ alone can take you there because He reigns over heaven and earth. If you love Christ you can no longer love your relatives and the material things of the world. Those who will be taken up alive are those who love Christ only.

What Christ loves, is what they love. Christ said he who loves me should keep my commandments. Therefore what Christ doesn't love, they don't love. You cling to your village: what do you get from there. Christ gives you blessings but you take them to the people of the world. Christ loves you so much that he gave his life for you. What have you done for him instead you centre your thoughts on your children who disobey you, and are fornicating and doing all sorts of evil. Your father is snuffing and fornicating yet you cling to him and you won't leave him. If they are ill you prefer to stay with them. For this reason you find it difficult to serve God. Brethren do you see your love? Is this your preparation for heaven.

Those who have ears to hear, let them hear, may the Lord bless His Holy Words. Amen.

## THOSE WHO WILL GO TO HEAVEN (4)

1ST LESSON

JAMES 2:5

2ND LESSON

2ND COR. 8:9

3RD LESSON

MATT 19:28—29

**P**EOPLE have wondered why you are asked but to marry even the young beautiful ones have decided not to marry. Today we are going to summarise the gospels of the past three weeks. Our first gospel revealed that those who would go up to heaven never marry. They are the ones who go with the Lamb whithersoever He goeth and they will reign with Him. The second gospel was that which asked us to go and sell all we have and give the money to the poor before we can follow Christ. We became sad when we heard this. The wise men of the world think this is a parable but we tell you plainly that it is not a parable.

Those who will be rich in this new Kingdom of heaven are those who are selling their wealth in order to give the money to the poor. Our Lord

used to speak in parables, but when he decided not to do so, he became plain in his language.

The same thing is happening today. Moreover the Holy Spirit the Comforter has come as promised. Don't you see that the words spoken by Christ are true. How difficult it is for a rich man to enter this Kingdom of heaven.

### You Don't Enter By Force

When the scripture says that it is difficult for a rich man to enter the Kingdom those who are poor rejoice and feel that the Kingdom then belongs to them. They don't struggle to improve their status, they are glad to be poor so that they may enter heaven. This is entirely wrong idea. The rich here mean that although they are rich their minds are not in the riches. They give freely to the poor for the sake of the Kingdom.

That is why Christ compares the Kingdom to precious stones that one finds buried in the

garden. He sells all that he has and have this farm. If a rich man gives out his wealth then he is storing wealth in heaven. There is nothing more pleasing in the sight of God and Angels than distributing freely to the poor. God has promised that those who will inherit the Kingdom and be His children for ever are those who are giving freely to the poor in material things.

All their minds and beliefs are in heaven and as they do not want others to suffer they give them freely. I will show you why they act in this way and what will be their gain. You cannot enter the Kingdom by force or through accumulated wealth.

### 1ST LESSON JAMES 2:5

**"Hearken my beloved brethren hath not God chosen the poor of this world rich in faith and heirs of the Kingdom which he hath promised to them that love him."**

Brethren hear what the scripture says; that those who are poor in the material things of this world are rich in heaven and are heirs of the Kingdom. They do not bury their minds in houses, cars, clothes etc. A child of heaven does not attach importance to any material thing. He gives out such things freely and his mind is not there. A person who is rich in faith is a person whose mind rests entirely with God and in heaven.

In all that they do they think of how to get to heaven. Their minds are not for children, clothes or wealth. God knows that everything in the world belongs to Him therefore you being his children, can never be poor. Any person who loves God is poor in spirit, because he is prepared to give all he has to the poor.

#### **This Is Wrong**

There are people go about consoling themselves that they are poor, therefore they are meant for heaven. When they are poor physically it means they are rich in spirit because all their minds are in how they could be rich, how they could have money, have cars, houses, children, cloth, food to mention a few. When they sleep they always dream about these things because their minds are there. Do you think that anyone who loves God loves money? Anyone who loves God doesn't like to hear others complain about God, he is prepared to share things in common with others. His greatest desire is to do things for God and to please all those who are sad. He has

no regard for money. He knows God has everything so he needs not strive for anything as everything that belongs to God belongs to him.

Does a person who heals free of charge love money? Does a person who gives the word of God free of charge also love money? If he doesn't love money what does he love? Can a man serve two masters. People who love God are wealthy in the Kingdom. They are riches. Christ said to the young lawyer, come follow me and you shall have more than that you left behind plus eternal life.

Therefore don't rejoice because you will go to heaven if you are poor physically. Heaven is for those who have one mind, one heart and one Spirit in Jehovah God and can give freely; this class of people surrenders everything to the service of God. This does not mean that if you go to their houses you won't see cupboards, chairs, motor cars, etc, but they know that these things belong to God. They built their houses to accommodate the poor. With their money, they buy clothes for the poor. These are those that are poor in Spirit.

### 2ND LESSON II COR. 8:9

**"For ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich yet for your sake he become poor that ye through his poverty might be rich."**

Do you see what is meant by being poor in Spirit? Because of the word of God, because of the love you have for God, you become poor in Spirit. Who is the richest person in the whole world? We are like God. The likeness of God in us is wealth, power and wisdom. Do you realise now what you are? The children of God are stewards and store keepers. It is their duty to give out from their father's storehouse to those who haven't knowing fully well that wealth belongs to God.

Anybody who calls wealth his own, whether it be money, children etc. has no faith in God. Did we come to the world with any children or wealth? Yet we claim this is our child, this is my wife, this is my house. Empty handed you came and so you will return. Those who realise these are those who will inherit the Kingdom. What is it now you have that you didn't receive? If you receive what you have why then do you puff up when it was all given to you?

You pray to God to give you appointment, he gives you, when another person comes to you in the office for help you drive him away saying go away from my Office. Are you really in your correct senses when you say this? He who is poor in Spirit knows that he can't do anything by

himself but God can do everything. Christ himself said by himself he can do nothing except the father. When sick people were brought to Jesus He knew that His Father would do the work and heal them. Now tell me why your mind is always on money. You sleep and think of money and you see bags of money. If your mind is occupied with thoughts about money etc, how can God see a space in your mind. Do you think that if you fail to think about money you won't have money? Some of you don't put your minds on money yet you see people giving you money.

All those who will move with Christ believe that they don't possess anything, even others who come to borrow their things never return them. Christ our Lord dressed like His disciples. He did everything in common with them so that He could not be distinguished from others when they came to arrest Him. The children of God even if they have houses to sleep on the floor and give their beds to others without caring. The text of the gospel says leave your wife, children and relations and follow Christ.

### They Do Not Belong To You

Yes this makes up the other class of wealth. Leave your wife and children to serve God. Let them serve God so that they may have wealth in heaven. Your wife and children do not belong to you. Let them go, stay as if you have none. If you count upon the pleasure of wife and children when will you serve God? If the love of children and wife fill your heart how can you serve God.

That is the reason Christ says if you love children, wife etc. more than me, you have no place in the Kingdom. Even though our Lord had a mother, a father, sisters and brothers He left them so as to serve God. What time did he say "As the first born I must look after the others, or why did you not ask for my permission before doing anything in the family?"

Today we are going to tell you what you will have when you surrender all what you have to God. Any man who loves God is poor in Spirit. Any man who loves his children etc is rich in Spirit. Those who are poor in Spirit, whose hearts and minds are with God will inherit the Kingdom of heaven. God does not say that you should not have mother or father etc because he had said, Go ye and multiply. Whether you have a father or not you must realise that you have them in spirit. Your children, wife and brethren must be in spirit.

Now tell me why a person should pray to God

to give him a child, wife, husband? Do not put your trust in man whether Paul or Appolus, sickness, poverty and wealth belong to us. We have Christ and Christ has God. God owns all of us. Why then do we complain that we have nobody, money, houses, cars etc. We are the children of God. God owns everything in the world. What God has, belongs to his children, therefore we lack nothing. Aren't these persons owned by God? Don't love these things and put your heart in them, they belong to God and you.

### GOLDEN TEXT: MATT. 19:28—29

"And Jesus said unto them verily I say unto you that ye which have followed me in the regeneration when the Son of man shall sit in the throne of his glory ye also shall sit upon twelve thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone that hath forsaken houses or brethren or sisters of father, or mother, or wife or children or lands for my sake shall receive an hundred fold and inherit everlasting life."

Brethren do you hear this statement? Haven't I told you that I will reveal those who will go to heaven? Those who have forsaken wives, mothers, children, and even their own lives for my sake will inherit the Kingdom and in the regeneration will sit with Christ and with him rule the whole world.

Now distribute your clothes, money, houses, stores, wealth to the helpless so that you will have a hundred fold and eternal life. Those who leave all types of earthly things will go to heaven and rule with Christ and go wheresoever he goeth.

Now see if your name is written among those for heaven after going through the 1st, 2nd and 3rd lessons of today? See if you are among those for marriage; those who surrender their goods to the poor, those who leave their fathers, mothers, children, wives, relations and their very life for the Kingdom's sake; those who don't tell lies, those who love Christ and God and those whose hearts are with him; those who don't regard themselves as anything; those who go about preaching and teaching about the sufferings of our Lord; those who don't mind being cheated, those who regard earthly glory as nothing.

See if you are among those who meet with shame and disgrace for the Kingdom's sake. See if you are one of those who go hungry because of the gospel. Those who work day and night

enduring all conditions of life for the Kingdom, will have everlasting life, everlasting joy and rest. See the small sacrifice you make and the glory it brings you.

If you have these signs then you have this glory awaiting you. Because you don't defile yourself with women, because you give out freely, you will have a hundred-fold plus eternal life and you will reign with Christ. Everything will be changed but the word and promise of God stand for ever.

God speaks these words not an angel, not St. Paul, not St. Peter. Whenever Christ made a statement he would say, these words aren't from me but from God. Think brethren, what is greater than eternal life? If we were to see the glory

awaiting us, we would readily surrender everything for this glory in heaven. Earthly glory soon passes away but heavenly glory lasts for ever. Life itself is but a shadow. The glory of this world is transitory. You may be king today and tomorrow you are dethroned. Christ Himself didn't want the glory of the world. Those who are from heaven want everything directly from God. Those things are everlasting. Those who do this gospels are those who will reign with Christ the Lord of Lords and King of Kings. They will judge angels, trees, moon, etc. Their wealth will have no beginning or end, and they live everlasting in joy and glory.

Those who have ears to hear, let them hear may the Lord bless His Holy Words. A—men!