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SPIRITUAL IDENTIFICATION

This was so because, it was written that it would be so, but of this world ranging from sciences on His second coming, He is to remain stationary operating in the four corners of the universe. If you therefore, find anyone professing to be God, yet he physically moves from place to place, such is a liar because God is stationary in His throne jut as the sun but exerts His power throughout the whole universe.

Brotherhood of the Cross and Star is the Word of God, Voice of God and anything you witness here is done by the leadership of the Holy Spirit or better said, the Will of God. It is God Himself manifesting Himself in all the ramifications and magnititude in Brotherhood of the Cross and Star. This year puts an end to carnal activities. It could be recalled that magnitude in even 1997, there was a situation where people used to be brought here for healing or blessing but I have now put an end to that assignment. Everything is done according to arrangements. Even the issue of ordaining brethren, I had long ended such activity. Therefore, as we are here, we are not to do things anyhow but strictly according to His orders. Whether one is a presi-

dent, judge, governor or anything, if the voice of God gets to one, demanding one to do His work, just obey without any hesitation. Equally if you were a farmer and God tells you to become a trader, you are to obey Him immediately. Let us no longer do things out of our own volition or through the carnal knowledge.

All the varied knowledge to other fields of educational endeavour are worthless in the eyes of God. Moreso, the world does not know God. The scientists do not know what is going to happen because God has not revealed His wisdom to anybody. Henceforth, once you hear His voice, abide by it and you will see the glory of God revealed in you. THE BENEFIT OF OBEDIENCE:

Here, what God uses to baptise or wash away our sins is Holy Ghost and fire, not water; therefore, let us not go by anybody's suggestion or formulate your own plan but whatever He reveals or tells you to do, you should do that. Once you abide by His pieces of advice you shall not stumble or fall. Let us hearken unto His voice over whatever He tells us to do. Let us not heed the voice of anybody, government or church so that it will be well with us.

to the Holy Spirit to indwell us. There is no other place in the whole world where the Holy Spirit is used for baptism, it is God alone that operates and baptises with the Holy Spirit.

Do not beg anybody to come into Brotherhood of the Cross and Star or cause anybody to leave Brotherhood of the Cross and Star, whatever the spirit directs you to do, do that. If it tells you it inform a certain fellow to forsake sin, tell that fellow that; and whether or not he forsakes sin, it is none of your business, do just what the spirit directs you to do. Equally if the spirits tells you to inform an individual to come into Brotherhood, do that irrespective whether he or she comes in or not. Let us not move about as we like, professing to be sons of the soil, or the children of Olumba Obu or anything; for this profits us nothing and constitutes not our assignment here on earth.

'The operational force in this Kingdom is the Holy Gbost and fire, and this fire consumes all the evil things in our bodies, giving way to the Holy Spirit to indwell us. There is no other place in the whole world where the Holy Spirit is used for baptism, it is God alone that operates and baptises with the Holy Spirit."

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FULFIL YOUR DESTINY:

Before anyone comes into this earth plane, information from the Holy Spirit would reveal what he

or she has to do on earth. Therefore, if you grow and end up doing something else, you will be wasting your time. It is proper to hearken to the Voice of God than that of man: henceforth all those who have been hearkening to the voice of man should repent and hearken unto the Voice of God. Moreso, let us do only that which He tells us to do rather than doing things out of our own volition.

Recall that John the Baptist wore no clothes but camel's hair, and a leathern girdle about his loins, and his meat was locust and wild honey. (St. Matthew 3 : 4). It is not as if there was no food but it is how God wanted him to exist. This was also applicable to Christ.

Never look unto any church, bishop, your parents or any individual for pieces of advice or instructions except God's. Equally do nothing out of your own volition but only as you hear from the Holy Spirit.

David in the scriptures had desired to erect a house unto God, but God told him that his hands were not clean and that his son would build a house to God. David obeyed God's instruction and cancelled his plans. Therefore, in whatever you do in this life, once God instructs you to stop doing this or that, such as the consumption of meat and fish, you are to abide strictly by that order so that you may have that peace obtainable from this Kingdom because obedience, they say, is better than sacrifice, in the Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen.

Brethren, a stroke of cane is sufficient for the wise. He that hath an ear, let him hear. May God bless His Holy Words, Amen.

Thank You Father.

OTHER SOURCES OF DANGER IN OUR DIETS

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xantines. Others in the group are chocolate and cola nuts. They cause excessive irritability, restlessness, insomnia, nausea, anxiety, twitching of limbs and face and destruction of nerve cells in later life. It is also believed that they lower blood sugar and cause loss of memory. So be careful with tea and coffee - reduce your intake of these products in concentrated forms.

PROCESSED DRINKS:

If you are a vegetarian you must run the race to the end. If you have been able to put your body under control by avoiding animal products and by-products and your aim is to maintain your good health and supply your body with natural food and drinks, any other food or drink apart from those in their pure natural form should be regarded as kings food and drink. See Daniel chapter 1 verse 8. These drinks are the products of modern industrialisation. they are artificial and can only be good for artificial body. Since you want to bring yourself closer to nature as god (be

ing a child of God) you need not be enticed by any drinks, beer etc. In most of the worldly gatherings, these drinks are served and people who claim to be temples of God pollute themselves, sometimes ignoraritly. You can not be a slave to your carnal appetite and yet be a slave to God.

What is there in most of the mineral drinks? They contain gas under pressure, colouring and sugar. You have to consider the possibility of viral pollution in the factory even under the most hygienic conditions. These drinks are Purin containing and tend to increase the complications of excess uric acid in the body.

No person is asking you to be anti-social in your community or among your friends. Sometimes you will save yourself a lot of trouble when certain friends find it difficult to entice you with drinks or food. You can use your being a vegetarian as an excuse to avoid eating in dangerous social gatherings. Many people have been trapped. If pretended

friends can not trap you with food or drink tell me how-else they can easily get you. You may be more successful with this type of excuse if you learn to fast periodically. You can claim to be fasting to avoid any friend feeling bad for your refusal to eat even fruits which he knows you love to eat. The whole exercise depends on self disipline. Your life is very precious so is your health. As the devil has learnt to shoot without missing, so should children of God, learn to fly without perching. The way is narrow and tedious in all aspects of life. that is why many are called but few survive the road. Children of God should be cautious of the food they eat in public places. A wicked and dirty cook can never prepare a healthy food.

OTHER FACTORY PRODUCTS:

Other factory products which are not recommended are margarine, butter, and the beverages. Whatever mineral or vitamins your body needs should be supplied in its natural form where most of them

occur in combination with other complimentary elements. Though, margarine is from vegetable oil, during the process of hydrogenation (or hardening) the unsaturated fatty acids become saturated. Generally, unsaturated oils remain in liquid form under normal temperature, but the saturate tend to harden to form slough. Cooking oils full of saturated fat can easily be detected. Soya oil or cotton seed oil (sunola) or any other pure vegetable oil without saturated fatty acid remain in liquid form at normal temperature, and are recommended to vegetarians. Pure vegetable oils are more expensive. litre of sunola is about N170.00 (One Hundred and Seventy Naira and 3 litres of Soya oil is about N400.00 (Four Hundred Naira). It is good to spend the money and buy vegetable oil with low or no cholesterol than to buy the so called groundnut or ordinary cooking oil. Bleached oil should also be avoided. Generally, one should limit the frying of food.

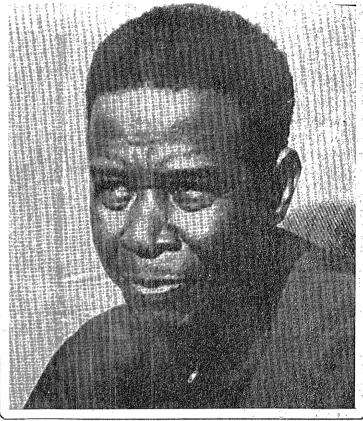
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FOR THE RECORDS

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LEADER OLUMBA OLUMBA OBU

HIS HOLINESS O. O. OBU ABOUT TO BLESS THE CROWD IN LAGOS STATE - 1998

KOK'S VISITS TO LAGOS STATE

Dr. Badejoko was lost for was 'badly sinking'. In his rebels) and their cohorts. words, as he could not "quantify the blessings of the Almighty God coming personally to his homestead, he, a poor sinner. Remembering the love the King of kings had for him, he had recently refused to succumb to all monetary entreaties and pressures from the dissident brethren to surrender the Ikotun bethel.

The King had called at other bethels during that visit such as Ikeja, Ipaja, Surulere, Idimu (where he laid foundation stone) and Ojo Road (where he dedicated the new 'high altar').

Just as he entered Lagos, His Holiness frowned at the misdemeanour of certain brethren who claimed to be choristers. They had blockaded the entrance of the Surulere Cathedral against the King, and debarred choristers from officiating whilst the King conducted the service. They claimed they wanted to draw attention to a lingering issue. They had since apologised and fulfilled prescribed penalties.

In January 1998, enroute Ogun State to lay foundation stones of Owode and Otta bethels. He had spent time in Lagos.

Before 1999. He had paid unscheduled visit when 'He saw that the ship

words, he came to properly navigate the troubled waters of BCS Lagos. He told the brethren bluntly that He was not pleased with the lacklustre unimpactful and dwindling fortunes of the evangelical exploits and State administration. He remarked that there was no virtue of humility in the State. He had made brethren to sit on the floor of the Surulere Cathedral, he himself setting the significant example. Brethren had wailed, made passionate petition and supplication

Ouring that visit, He had trade series of changes pointments of zonal leaderships. But was again patient with Deaconess Dada who was the State LR then. She later became the most lucky and blessed LR for hosting the King for upward of five times from 1997 to 1999.

1999, the King had strong as most often. He stopped cause to again call at Lagos State. This time, to resolve fully furnished two-large choral imbroglio in the State CNCF, then led by the Father in (now Apostle) Edet James Udombang, He was accused of being authoritarian, high-handed, insensitive and dictatorial. There was therefore uneasiness amongst members of the Divine Royal Lagos songsters induced by certain CNTMs (who are now ness Aja O. Obu, the Su-

That timely visit to lkeja bethel that day for the formal commissioning of the cathedral brought about enduring tranquility and unity amongst Lagos choristers. His Holiness

had personally supervised the choral election, which replaced Udombang. He had told brethren, in his address that a 'spiritual person is a disciplined person'.

During this visit, in the thick of night, He 'pushed' His way through the usual heartrending Lagos traffic jam to the new site of Apapa bethel (cradle of Lagos BCS) to lay the foundation stone. The new site is located at No. 33 Warehouse Road, Warehouse Bus stop, near Tin Can Island Port.

Six months after in November 1999 - seven vears after the Father revealed Him as 'King of kings' He was again in Lagos On 14th May twice in two weeks! This time. over and slept at his taste rooms' apartment at Ikeja International Bethel on His way to and from Ghana '99 fame. This apartment is so furnished that even heads of government will have no cause to complain. Other Family, including Her Holi-

preme Mother of Peace, the **Blessed Special Mother Prin**cess Onugen O. Obu as well. as Orlando O. Obu had slept in this reserved apartment every other time they transit. Such apartment is also at Surulere cathedral.

Towards the epoch-making Ghana 99 trip, His Holiness had arrived Ikeja by air along with three Buscar-loads of World Headquarters functionaries and countless long buses which had conveyed brethren from several distant States enroute Ghana. The beauty, awesome power and teeming crowd of brethren clad in all manners of well-styled and fashionable, neat and clean white materials mightily arrested and attracted the attention of people in the neighbourhood of Ikeja bethel. The entire length and breadth of the long Oshifila street were taken over by vehicles and transisting brethren. The 'invasion' brought blessings as dwell to neighbours and passers-by, while the restuarants smiled to the banks with bulging bags the following day.

Before the celebrated Home Mission 2000 (King of kings visit to Cross River State) held in October 2000, the BCS Executive Chairman and Head of Administration, His Holiness O O Obu, breezed into Lagos (Okokomaiko bethel) to mend damages done by the earlier visit of former Queen Mother Helen O. Obu upon her return from the USA in September 2000. This was the flash-

light of the 'Kingdom Drama' or

grave commotion, which shook the base of the BCS. There were unpronounced indignities and humiliation hurled at the person and office of the King of kings by sycophants, and bootlickers. They had even countered the directive of the Head of Administration in respect of the Lagos Women Fellowship, This effrontery had forced His Holiness to visit Okokomaiko bethel and it had marked the starting point of the commotion.

Everyone had felt the spiritual power of His presence, especially when He charged and roared at the derobed bishops. The now famous question "where are the bishops, why are they not here?" by the King, referring to the three who were resident in Lagos, was first heard at Okoko, when none of them showed up at Okoko to honour His physical presence in Lagos. The discerning minds quickly began to sense dangers.

There is doubt that the various visits have brought considerable blessings to many. But have they pondered over the imports and many lessons derivable from the visits?

In those days many were hungry for the sight, smell and sound of this Heavenly Being yet could not physically felt same inspite of untold sacrifice of resources, energy and time.

Much attention, zeal, devotion and enthusiasm in the Father's service need to be furthered, in view of the avalanche of cosmic and material blessings bestowed on Lagos State, which every one is unwittingly impelled to visit.

Thank You Father.

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FIRST LESSON: JOHN 5: 30

nothings: as I hear, I judge: and my judgement is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me.

SECOND LESSON: JOHN 1; 33 - 37 And I knew him not: but he that sent me to baptise with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost. And I saw, and bare record that this is the Son of God. Again the next day after John stood, and two of his disciples; And looking upon Jesus as he walked, he saith, Behold the Lamb of God! And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.

I indeed baptized you with water unto repentance: but he that cometh after me is mightier than I, whose shoes I am not worthy to bear: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and with fire: Whose fan is in his hand, and he will throughly purge his floor, and gather his wheat into the garner; but he will burn up the chaff with unquenchable fire.

THE FATHER HAS ACCOMPLISHED ALL THINGS:

Brethren, the above excerpts constitute the revelation we have for you.. The spiritual chorus we often render in Biakpan language which says, 'Oven gud keyeng, mozoi Saso uren ma izan', which interpretes everything in heaven and earth has been perfectly accomplished by the Father' explains why Christ made that statement as recorded in the First Lesson. Your problem then is that you want to operate in the flesh. Do you think anybody can do anything by the power of the flesh? Even science or technologies that abound in the world consist of deceitfulness unto the inhabitants of SPIRITUAL CHORUS:

Nothing scientific, philo-I can of mine own self do sophical neither any academic pursuit has a place in this Kingdom. Moreso, no carnal wisdom or teachings is accepted in this Kingdom. He is the one that sends people on errand and accompanies them to fulfil the assignments. He monitors and directs us on what to do while we only move accordingly.

AUTHORITY BELONGS ONLY TO THE FATHER:

In the whole world mention any person who has never striven to do things according to His own desire or way. You have heard what Christ said, that He cannot do anything by Himself; but in your own case you stand up to give people congratulatory handshakes, recom-GOLDEN TEXT: MATTHEW 3:11-12 mend people and do one thing or the other. Who has given you such an audacity? Are you sure you are walking on the path of God? All that you do without His authority are counterfeits.

> There is nothing which anyone can do successfully by his carnal dictates except the Father does so Himself. Once He tells you, "go and pray for this or that person", just act within the limits of His orders. Even if He tells you to proceed on Ministry works, give a certain sum of money to a particular fellow, celebrate feast worth only five Naira, preach this portion of the Bible or that unto people or tell a certain fellow this or that, you must act just within the limits of His orders. You should not try to do anything out of your own carnal wisdom, understanding or knowledge.

FIRST LESSON: JOHN 5:30

I can of mine own self do nothing: as I hear, I judge: and my judgement is just; because I seek not mine own will, but the will of the Father which hath sent me.



Do not listen to anybody's directives except that of the Holy Spirit. And anytime you want to come in here, always pray, and if the Holy Spirit tells you that when you come in here, you should sit in absolute humility you are to obey strictly. He tells you whatsoever thing He wants you to do and whether He tells you to proceed on ministry work, pray for a certain person, be charitable unto a certain fellow with only ten naira, you are to act at once within the limit of His commands. Even if He tells you to go and fetch water for a certain fellow, do same. Do not ask questions.

You can not identify anybody physically except when God reveals such a person to you; and you are to hearken to what the Spirit says. Do not try to do anything out of your own volition.

SECOND LESSON: JOHN 1: 33-34

And I knew him not: but he that sent me to baptise with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost. And I saw, and bare record that this is the Son of God. Again the next day after John stood, and two of his disciples; And looking upon Jesus as he walked, he saith, Behold the Lamb of God! And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.

SPIRITUAL IDENTIFICATION:

Do you think that John the Baptist just on his own began to Baptise? The fact is no. John the Baptist did not know Jesus even though he and Christ were first cousins. But Christ was revealed to John in spirit. Therefore, anything that is

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the world. In other words scientists "SOMEBODY IS LEADING ME (2X) and those in other fields of endeavour are indulging in self - deception, because what they are doing amounts to utter deceit. This is because their acts have no bearing with God's way. If all of you had come in here leaving behind the knowledge acquired from science, philosophy, and other disciplines, submitting to the Will of God, it would have been well with you.

OLUMBA IS THE ONE LEADING ME".

SEEK THE FATHER'S DIRECTIVES:

Brethren, your problem is that you do not allow the Father to direct you on what to do. If I do not order you to read, pray or do anything and you go ahead to do that which I have not commanded you, you are only wasting your time.

to be done here should be done through the Spirit of God. Even the interpreters here are recognised in the spirit. If the Holy Spirit says certain persons have a particular assignment to do, that is exactly what the persons have to do - no deviation. Therefore, brethren, our concern is to serve God according to how He directs us.

A great many of you do spring out of the blues opting to be-



come preachers. Who sents you? You also profess to be servants of God. Who permits or authorizes you? If you make any attempt to do anything without His permission, you have failed woefully. If He tells you to go and farm and you protest against that order, professing that you do not want to become a farmer, you have failed.

Do not want to do anything because you have seen some other people doing it, just remain fervent in prayers that He may direct you on what to do. Everyone must learn to walk according to the dictates of the Spirit. If we walk in spirit, we will have no difficulty in identifying people because He will always inform us. A situation where you physically seek to know somebody because such an Individual healed you of your illness is silly. The Holy Spirit is always around to reveal to us those whom He has sent to heal or give us any form of help.

God does not leave us for even a second. He is always teaching and revealing things to us; informing us of what we should know at every given period.

Recall when Our Lord Jesus Christ asked His disciples, who men said He was. They informed Him of the different persons they thought He was; ranging from John the Baptist, Elijah, Jeremiah, or one of the prophets. He then turned back to the disciples and asked who they thought He was. And Simon Peter answered and said, thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God.



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THE FATHER VTIFICATION



With that reply, Jesus said unto him, "Blessed art thou, Simon Barjona for flesh and blood hath not revealed it unto thee, but my Father which is in heaven" (Matthew 16 : 13 - 17). This therefore means that the identity of Christ was revealed unto Peter in the spirit and any statement or something brought about by science or any academic discipline constitutes falsehood.

The people of the world do not know God because they seek to know Him through their carnal wisdom, understanding and knowledge. But if God should reveal to you

do a specific thing, such an order or instruction will be effective. This is how Göd wants us to live, only according to His instructions

and orders. Never do anything out of your own volition, to avoid confusion and problem. Never you profess that you want to preach a certain portion of the Bible as your flesh directs you, else you will fail. But any portion of the Bible, whether good or bad, which the spirit instructs you to preach, dwell on it, if you do otherwise, you will be inviting death unto yourself, and I will be no party to it.

The reason why John the Baptist baptized with water was because, God instructed him to do, hence John said, "but he that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me, upon whom thou shalt see the spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost. And I saw, and bare record that this is the son of God" (John 1 : 33 - 34).

If God had not revealed this to John the Baptist, how would John have been able to recognize Christ, and know that, He was the one to baptise with Holy Ghost? John knew and recognized our Lord Jesus Christ in the spirit as made known in the revelation, '... Upon whom thou shalt see the spirit descending, and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghosť.(John 1 : 33).

by carnal reckoning, he would have expressed some doubts about Him. John the Baptist did not, on his own, see the vision but it was the Holy Spirit which revealed it unto him. This explains why, when Christ was baptised by John, the spirit of God descended upon Him, thus enabling John to recognize Christ as the one to baptise with the Holy Ghost. But if

was always acting according to God's orders. And when the sick were brought before Him, He had to pray and be in spirit in order to be directed further by the Holy Spirit

Recall when a certain blind man was brought before Our Lord Jesus Christ, He spat on the ground, took some of that earth which was mixed with His saliva and rubbed on the eyes of the blind man who immediately regained his sight. In addition. Christ told him to go and wash himself in river Jordan. You can see that, it was the Father who directed Christ on what to do. In the same vein, Christ used His saliva to heal a deaf man just as the Father directed him to do.

ILLUSTRATION AN ON **STUBBORNESS:**

Brethren, I had earlier given you this illustration about a certain widow who had four children; two female and two male. One day God told her that, her duty was to serve Him. This woman argured with God pleading that her children where orphans and needed formal education. Her request was obliged. God went to her again and made it clear that she was sent to the world to serve Him. Again she pleaded with God to allow here educate her children before she could think of serving Him. The voice of God came to her the third time, she did not hearken to it.

She succeeded in educating her children to the university level, thus all of them became graduates. This woman did not stop at that: she desired that all her chil-If John had known Christ dren got married and be employed in good establishments and these desires were accomplished. This woman further planned to erect a large family house and this was equally fulfilled. But all her achievements were attained by her carnal reckoning and people felt the woman was spending her money wisely.

> It is interesting to note that, this woman was very rich and

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that a certain person is Elijah, or a certain prophet, just believe it for it is true. But now, many have refused to believe the spirit which is the source of their problems. We should not live by the dictate of the flesh but in the spirit for it will be well with us.

I tell you, if a preacher or visioner should tell you out of his own volition to do a particular thing, it will not work; but if the Holy Spirit reveals to him, telling him to inform you to

the Spirit had not come upon Christ, John the Baptist would not have known or recognized Our Lord Jesus Christ. THE EFFICACY OF GOD'S DIREC-

TIVES: All the statements or pronouncements that proceeded from the mouth of Our Lord Jesus Christ were controlled by God Almighty. Hence, you notice that Christ never acted or walked about carelessly but

her children married Princess and princesses, and were very rich. This woman also had different cars which conveyed her to wherever she desired to go. As fated, one day when she returned from a night party, she gave up the ghost without even pulling off the party clothes and was buried accordingly. When the thanksgiving service was conducted, her first son dropped dead and was equally buried. And in the world beyond, this

woman was kept in an uncomfortable crevice and her son was also kept in a similar condition. At the end of it, all her children in the world of the living passed on to the great beyond and were all subjected to the same condition as their mother. The question now is, what was the children's usefulness after their education? Equally, what was the widow's gain from the lots she possessed on earth? God revealed to her about her duty on earth, but she did not heed it.

All of us here are under the protection of God. Are you aware of this? If you do anything the way you like, you will return emptyhanded. It is foolhardy therefore, to do anything out of your carnal perception or will. Realise that Our Lord Jesus Christ never did anything out of His own volition. Even when He went to His home town, Nazareth. He said unto the inhabitants 'ye will surely say unto me this proverbs, physician, heal thyself: Whatsoever we have heard done in capernaum, do also here in thy country. And he said, verily I say unto you, no prophet is accepted in his own country. But I tell you of a truth, many widows were in Israel in the days of Elias, when the heaven was shut up three years and six months, when great famine was throughout all the land, but unto none of them was Elias, save unto sarepta, a city of Sidon, unto a woman that was a widow. And many lepers were in Israel in the time of Elias the prophet; and none of them was cleansed, saving Naaman the Syrian' (Luke 4 : 23 - 27).

For this reason, Christ did not return to His home.

GOLDEN TEXT: MATTHEW 3 : 11 -12

I indeed baptized you with water unto repentance: but he that cometh after me is mightier than I, whose shoes I am not worthy to bear: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost, and with fire; Whose fan is in his hand, and he will throughly purge his floor, and gather his wheat into the garner; but he will burn up the chaff with unauenchable fire.

THE SPIRIT IDENTIFIES:

Brethren, John the Baptist was informed about the identity of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the spirit; that was why He was able to make that statement recorded in St. Matthew 3 : 11 - 12 above. Even Our Lord Jesus Christ never baptised anybody with water because that was not what He was to do, He was to baptise with the Holy Ghost. But were you aware of this fact before this time? Whosoever wants to know the truth, then such must abide by His instructions.

Christ was accused of going on foot to places during His advent.