Quotations On The Foolish Virgins

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It is the second resurrection wherein the five foolish virgins come up. Notice that they were virgins. They did not have the Holy Spirit so they missed being in the bride, while the five wise who had oil became a part of that bride. But these people, being a separated, God-loving people, and trying to abide in the Word, according to what they knew of it, and being a help in the work of the Lord will come up at the end of time. They will miss the millennium, which you can begin to see by these truths is much more important and wonderful than we have ever thought or believed.

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Secondly, there is another class. Their names are also in the Book of Life and they will come up in the second resurrection. Such are the foolish virgins and the righteous as are spoken of in Matthew 25. In this class also are those who do not worship the beast or become involved in the antichrist system but die for their faith even though they are not in the bride, not having been born again. But they will come up in the second resurrection and go into eternal life.

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Let's go over that again. Here is that original seed that was planted. It produced a blade. That wasn't it. It produced a stalk. Not it either. Here come husks in which the wheat is to form. That isn't it. The tassel appears. THEN POLLEN FALLS ON THOSE PISTILS. PART OF THAT PLANT IS QUICKENED. SOMETHING OF THAT ORIGINAL SEED THAT CAME UP THROUGH THE REST OF THE PLANT TURNS INTO SEED. Why didn't the whole plant go into seed? Because it was created to that end. Just part of that plant can go back to being seed because just part of that WHEAT PLANT IS ETERNAL LIFE WHEAT.

You have a perfect type of that in Israel leaving Egypt. They came out about two million strong. ALL escaped through the sacrificial blood. ALL were baptized in the Red Sea; ALL came up out of the water enjoying Holy Spirit manifestation and blessings; ALL ate angel food; ALL drank of the rock that followed them. Yet except for a very few they were naught but carriers for the children who should follow them and go into Canaan land. All Israel is NOT Israel. And all but a tiny minority had their names blotted out of the Book of Life.

## WORKS.IS.FAITH.EXPRESSED\_ SHREVEPORT.LA 65-1126

**292** Now, you take Luke 17:30 and read it. Jesus said, "As it was in the days of Sodom, so shall it be in the coming of the Son of man." Just like it was at Sodom. Now, look at the position of the world today: Sodomites. Look at that Billy Graham and Oral Roberts, them two witnesses, down there witnessing to the denominational churches. One to the Methodist, Baptist, and Presbyterian; the other to the Pentecostals. This one, that one, and the other one.

**293** But remember, Abraham wasn't in Sodom; he was already called out. And there was One stayed and talked to him. And the One stayed and talked to him, showed him a sign. With His back turned, He said Sarah was going to have the baby that he'd waited on. Amen. With His back turned... And he called It God, Elohim.

## EVENTS.MADE.CLEAR.BY.PROPHECY\_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY 65-0801E

## 135 We believe that Thy Word is Truth, Lord. Let us just see before we start this prayer line, Lord, and make Yourself known to us. And as You said, as it was in the days of Lot. When Abraham, that called-out group waiting for a promised son, Lot was down there hearing a modern Billy Graham and an Oral Roberts to that denominational setup down there as a nation. But Abraham was a sojourner without any organization, just his little group wandering about through the land that he was to heir. "And the meek shall inherit the earth."

## CHOOSING.OF.A.BRIDE\_ LA.CA V-2 N-28 THURSDAY\_ 65-0429E

## 38 Look at the nominal churches coming in. When the sleeping virgin come for oil, she failed to get it. The Bride went in. The rapture went up. While they went to buy oil, the Bridegroom come. Are you asleep? Wake up quickly, and come to yourself, and let us pray each one like we were dying at this minute, in the Name of the Lord. Let's each one pray in your own way.

## SEED.SHALL.NOT.BE.HEIR\_ LA.CA V-18 N-5 THURSDAY\_ 65-0429B

## 46 Now, there, what troubles me at this hour is knowing that we see all these denominations pulling into this what we know to be the--what you call the latter rain, or the pouring out of the Spirit. Do you realize that Jesus said that when that come to pass, it would be the end? When the foolish virgin and the wise virgin was not heirs together... For when... The foolish virgin, she was a virgin, just lacking Oil. But when she come to buy Oil, it was at that time that the Bridegroom came. And she was left out, while she was trying to buy Oil. You understand?

## PROVING.HIS.WORD\_ LA.CA V-18 N-3 MONDAY\_ 65-0426

**8** And I'm so thankful to know that--that God has dealt out in the other realms besides our own Pentecostal group, and are picking up men, those seed of God that's been laying out there all these years, waiting for the Light to shine across them.

And it also gives us a warning, friends, to know that Jesus said, "When this sleeping virgin had begin to come in to buy Oil, that was when the Bridegroom was coming." So we can see by that, when we see the Episcopalian, Presbyterian, Methodist, Baptist, Lutheran, coming in to get the Oil, then that was the hour that the Bridegroom came. Let's remember that.

## WHO.DO.YOU.SAY.THIS.IS?\_ PHOENIX.AZ SUNDAY 64-1227

**113** Now, notice, the woman here represents the future denominational church called bride. It all come up in Genesis. It's a seed. You start in Genesis; you'll get your picture straight. See? Now, here, she represented the church of this day because some says (Now, we take Presbyterians, and Lutherans, and all of them coming around, these businessmen and so forth.), "We'd like to have... We want the baptism of the Holy Ghost. We--we'd like to get it."

Do you realize the day that we could be in? See? It could be that they never get It. Do you know Jesus said, "When they, the sleeping virgin..."

Now, remember, the sleeping virgin come to call for oil. It was all sealed out. She didn't get It. She never got It. Do you realize that after the Bride is done gone, raptured to heaven, churches will still go on, people think they're getting saved and everything just like they always did. Continue just like it was in the days of Noah. They went right ahead eating, drinking, and everything just like they always did. They didn't know it, but the door was closed. And it could be, friends, that the door could close at anytime. Maybe already, for all I know. We don't know.

**116** There just going to be a few of them go in. We know that "As it was in the days of Noah (eight souls were saved), so shall it be in the coming of the Son of man." There just be a few souls saved. I don't say eight. Might be eight hundred or... I--I don't know how many: eight thousand, I--I don't know, eight million. I...

But you see, the Bride's not going to be made up of just what little group's here on earth now. When the seventh watch, when He came, all those virgin raised and trimmed their lamps. All the way back, every one that believed the anointed Word down through the age come forth.

## QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS\_ JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY\_ 64-0823E

**1044-Q-324** **324. If (s-a-n-d-) standing in line to get into church is going to be only a memory, what is going to happen if we are not going through the tribulation? Are we to be--be seen--same--some suffering? If we're not to see...**

See? I... This question is probably this. I'm trying to hurry; I--I--I oughtn't to do this. Ought to lay these back, 'cause there's a place you could stay on it a hour (See?) and it--just tear it down. I'll--I'll stop.

Look. The people are wanting to say that, thinking that they--the church is going to hit the tribulation. See? It won't; It can't (See?), because It's already redeemed.

Now, the church, the--the nominal believers like Lot, he's going through the tribulation period (See?) and be saved as if it was by fire. Noah went through the tribulation period, carried above it, come out with Ham who polluted the earth again. See? Lot came out, his own daughters slept with him, and had children by his own daughters. See? But Abraham brought forth the Royal Seed, brought forth the Seed of the promise. Enoch went to glory in the rapture, just took a walk and went home. He never went through the tribulation period. You see?

## INVESTMENTS\_ NY.NY V-18 N-11 SATURDAY\_ 63-1116B

**234** Now, you might be a fine, loyal member of a church. And that, oh, how I appreciate that, certainly. You just continue right on in your church. That's right. Because the sleeping virgins is coming up now; you see that. And remember, Jesus said, when the sleeping virgin, the one that tried to live a good life within theirself, they was a virgin, but they didn't have any Oil. Oil symbolizes the Spirit. That's why we anoint in oil. See? The oil symbolizes the Spirit. They were good people, fine people, members of fine Methodist, Baptist, Lutheran, all kinds of churches, but they had no Oil.

And they come in the last watch, the seventh church age, to buy Oil. And while they were in process of buying Oil, what happened? The Bridegroom came. Now, that was just read in the Scripture awhile ago, by this notable minister here. And don't you see, was there ever a time down through the age, you Pentecostals? Down through the age, it's never been a time that the Methodist, Baptist, and Presbyterian has cried out for the Holy Spirit like they're doing now. See? And when they do, what is that? He come right then. That was the hour of His coming. And right while they, all of these brethren and churches are hungering, it's got... This virgin rises, you know, in the last day in the judgment, the white throne; but not the Bride.

## TOKEN.THE\_ JEFF.IN V-2 N-19 SUNDAY\_ 63-0901M

**27-7** But then, the token was required for all Israel. All Israel was required of this token, "And when I see the token, I'll pass over you." Oh, my, my. What an assurance.

**27-8** Israel coming out of Egypt was a type of the antetype today. Egypt was the church, and Israel represented the Bride. And as Israel come out of Egypt, so does the Bride come out of the church. See? 'Cause there has to be something there for it to come out of, and it's got to come out of. So if it was the type... The--the church is down in Egypt, in the world, and in sin, and does not care a tinker about your Token. They don't even believe it. But Israel loved it, for it was salvation to them.

## ONCE.MORE\_ CHICAGO.IL V-21 N-7 SUNDAY\_ 63-0804A

**59** What's the matter with this deluded church? The world has punctured its eyes. Don't you know Jesus said that that would happen? And when the sleeping virgin come in to buy oil, she never got it. There's the sleeping virgin: Lutheran, Methodist, Presbyterian. They're not getting it. They might speak with tongues and jump, but that don't mean anything. I've seen heathens do the same thing, and--and devil-worshippers, speak in tongues and jump, and sing and shout; drink blood out of a human skull, and call on the devil and speak in tongues. Don't you rely on sensations. It's the Word of God that don't pass.

## INDICTMENT.THE\_ JEFF.IN V-3 N-19 SUNDAY\_ 63-0707

**30-5** You remember they rose and trimmed their lamps and washed out the chimneys, but it's too late. So when a man sees these Lutheran, Presbyterian, Methodists, trying to come in in these last days to receive the Holy Ghost, why, you know they don't get it.

## SIXTH.SEAL.THE\_ JEFF.IN SATURDAY\_ 63-0323

**447-4 {407}** God will close the door one day. He did in the day of Noah, and they beat on the door. Is that right? Now, remember, the Bible said that in the seventh watch... That right? Some fell asleep in the first watch, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh; but in the seventh watch there come forth a proclamation or cry: "The Bridegroom cometh; go out to meet Him."

The sleeping virgins said, "Say, I'd like to have some of that oil now."

The Bride said, "I just got enough for myself, just got enough. You want, you go pray it up."

Don't you see the sleeping virgins now? Look at the Episcopalian, and Presbyterian, Lutheran, and everything trying to... And the trouble of it is, instead of trying to get the Holy Ghost, they're trying to speak in tongues.

## QA.ON.THE.SEALS\_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY\_ 63-0324M

**488-3 {199}** **16. What happened to the born again believers who are in the various denominations but not in the Bride of Christ? What happens to them?**

Well, I think we explained that awhile ago. See? They go into the tribulation. They are martyred in the tribulation, come up in the last after the millennium for their judgment (See?), because the Bible said that the rest of the living... the rest of the dead lived not until the thousand years was expired. Then there was a resurrection, and then come forth the both just and unjust and was judged by Christ and the Bride. He came to the earth with ten thousands times ten thousands of His saints (Is that right?), His Bride.

Judgment was set, the books was open... Books was open, and another Book was opened, which is the Book of Life. He separated from there the goats from the sheep. Is that right? That had nothing to do with the Bride. She was standing right there in judgment with her Queen--the Queen and King together.

**488-4 {201}** He came with His saints; ten thousands times thousands ministered to Him: His wife; then judgment was set. And then the sheep was separated from the goats. (You remember the other night me bringing that little meditation, so you'd understand it, "The Cowboy Meditation"? See? There you are.) No, they are... That's the...

They the--the--the church, the people that's in denominations that are--are genuine Christians who's receives the message... And they will never see it. It'll never be preached to them. And those in a mixed crowd (who it is preached to), it'll go right over the top of their head unless their name was on the Lamb's Book of Life. That's right.

But they will be good people, and they'd be raised up again and given trial, and be judged by the very group that preached to them. Don't you know the saints will judge the earth? They'll be preached to. See? They'll be preached to by the very same people witnessed to them of the message to come out of it. See? (I hope that explains it. I've got so many here that...)

## SEVENTH.SEAL.THE\_ JEFF.IN MONDAY\_ 63-0324E

**575-1** Now, we find out also in this that the Sixth Seal now being opened, it was for a threefold purpose. Now, here was the purposes: The first thing was that the sleeping virgins had to go through the tribulation period for purification. She had to be purged of her sins of unbelief and rejecting the message. This she was done in the tribulation period. We see they wind up over here in Revelations 7, between the 6th and 7th chapter here, that she had been purged, and she'd been given her robes.

**575-2** Now, she's not the Bride, but it's the church, the pure people that--that--that didn't have the opportunity, maybe, to receive the message, or in some way that they were blinded by these false prophets, and they--they didn't get a chance, and yet they're really sincere in heart, and God knows their heart, and here they're purged during this time.

## SPOKEN.WORD.ORIGINAL.SEED\_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY\_ 62-0318M

**51-1** Now, now look, we're... Show you that we're at the end time, even the un--the parable of the wise version and the unwise version--virgin is with us. Now, look, the unwise version--virgin (Excuse me.), the unwise virgin is going to be the hybrid. See, she had the seed without the oil, the moisture to make it grow. Now, and what's she doing? The--the two groups, the Pentecostal group and the denominational of the world, the Evangelical groups has emerging together. See? What for? Going to Sodom (So, see? Now, notice.) to reap this harvest.

## SPOKEN.WORD.ORIGINAL.SEED\_ JEFF.IN SUNDAY\_ 62-0318M

**51-3** When the wise virgin wants oil--or the unwise virgin, rather, wants oil, and while she's buying it, that's the time that the Bridegroom come. Oh, you Pentecostals, what's the matter?

## SEVENTY.WEEKS.OF.DANIEL\_ JEFF.IN DA 89-141 SUNDAY\_ 61-0806

**169** When the church goes up, then the confederation, the sleeping virgins: Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, lukewarm Pentecost, all of them together were the confederation, which they've already got their big regime now... And when they do, they'll make a covenant that will... Now, his new pope that we got now wants to bring them all in. Can't you see the thing heaping right up?

## TEN.VIRGINS\_ JEFF.IN ROJC 425-492 SUNDAY\_ 60-1211M

See the sign He give the elect church? See the sign they got in Sodom?

There's your three classes again right back; we're right straight back to it again.

**107** We've got a... These great ministers that's covering that world out there... After Billy Graham received the Holy Ghost, he could not come out into here. That's his field down there, and he recognizes it, and God's holding him there. See? With that intellectual preaching, the thing that he hears here, but he's trying to jerk out Sodom, trying to jerk out, or give grace to that sleeping virgin. See?

## TEN.VIRGINS\_ JEFF.IN ROJC 425-492 SUNDAY\_ 60-1211M

**136** But one of these days the message will go to Israel, and what'll break for... God will send unto them Moses and Elijah of Revelations 11, and they'll do signs and wonders, and Jehovah's sign; while the Gentiles is finished, the grace of--day of grace will leave the Gentile church; the Pentecostal age will leave. The denominations will continue on, because they come up here with the sleeping virgin (We'll go into that just in a moment.), but they'll come up in that class.

## TEN.VIRGINS\_ JEFF.IN ROJC 425-492 SUNDAY\_ 60-1211M

**236** Eve was deceived; she...?... part of the Word. Moab was deceived. The sleeping virgin was deceived. The church is deceived. The denominations are deceived. See?

Stay with the Word. That's the only way. Stay right with It, don't move from any of It. Stay right with It; go right on like God said do. No matter what anybody else says, keep God's line.

**238** Now, the sleeping virgin, she lost her place; we know that. She comes up in the judgment. And if she's ever heard the truth, she's condemned. That's right. You'll never find Jesus any place but where you leave Him at.