

Spiritual Abuse Pt19

MATTHEW 16:13-18

13. When Jesus came into the coasts of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I the Son of man am?
14. And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist: some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets.
15. He saith unto them, But whom say ye that I am?
16. And Simon Peter answered and said, Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.
17. And Jesus answered and 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.
18. And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and **the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.**

QUEEN OF SHEBA [61-0119E]

“Upon this rock I’ll build My church. I don’t care how many persecutions, how many lines they draw and cut you out, I’ll build My church, and the gates of hell will never prevail against it.” That’s right. **Shows all the gates of hell will be against it, but could not prevail.** “I’ll build My church,” the Holy Spirit moving, working, the resurrected Christ moving. **Who can stop it? Try it. You never be able to do it. It’s going right on, and on, and on. Rise all the critics you want to, it’ll only strengthen the church every time you do it: going to move on.**

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS [54-0515]

Don’t pay no attention to what the world’s got to say. Look what God’s got to say. This is the Word of God. We have to build it according to this blueprint, ‘cause He said to Peter, “Upon this rock I’ll build My church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.” Everything else will take place. **It showed the gates of hell would be against it, but it’ll not prevail.** And the people thinking they can stop it? **You could stop the sun quicker. That’s right. You can’t stop it. God has ordained it to move on.**

Here, when I first got converted, even my poor mother back there thought I’d gone crazy. My mother-in-law said, “He ought to be sent up to the insane institution.” The preachers in the city said, “He’ll burn down pretty soon.” I--I’ve been burning a long time; it’s sure still burning better all the time. Why? **It can’t burn down; it’s God. Instead of burning down, it’s spread around the world now.**

WHAT THINK YE OF CHRIST? [54-0321]

And then you can come to a church where they're trying to preach the Gospel and to demonstrate the power of the Holy Ghost, they call us holy rollers, and write them up, and all kinds of things that they can say about them. **Shows the devil on the rampage; but God's church will never fail; she'll move from victory unto victory until Jesus comes for His Bride.** Hallelujah.

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With true revelation in our lives, the gates of hell cannot prevail against us, but we will prevail over them.

I TIMOTHY 1:18

18. This charge I commit unto thee, son Timothy, according to the prophecies which went before on thee, that thou by them mightest **war a good warfare;**

I TIMOTHY 1:5-7

5. Now the end of the commandment is charity out of a pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith unfeigned:

6. From which some having swerved have turned aside unto **vain jangling;**

7. **Desiring to be teachers of the law; understanding neither what they say, nor whereof they affirm.**

I TIMOTHY 4:1-2

1. Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, **giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;**

2. Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron;

II TIMOTHY 2:3

3. Thou therefore **endure hardness,** as a good soldier of Jesus Christ.

I TIMOTHY 6:3-5

3. If any man teach otherwise, and consent not to wholesome words, even the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to the doctrine which is according to godliness;

4. He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings,

5. Perverse disputings of men of corrupt minds, and destitute of the truth, supposing that gain is godliness: **from such withdraw thyself.**

II TIMOTHY 3:1-7

1. This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come.
2. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,
3. Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, **despisers of those that are good,**
4. Traitors, heady, highminded, **lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;**
5. **Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.**
6. For of this sort are they which creep into houses, and lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts,
7. **Ever learning, and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth.**

II TIMOTHY 3:12-17

12. Yea, and **all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution.**
13. But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived.
14. But continue thou in the things which thou hast learned and hast been assured of, knowing of whom thou hast learned them;
15. And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus.
16. **All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:**
17. That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works.

ISAIAH 59:19b

- 19b. **When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the LORD shall lift up a standard against him.**

THE FIFTH SEAL [63-0322]

Notice, as the antichrist went forth on his beast of ministry there, God sent forth a beast to combat it. See? Now, watch. Then every time the beast rode on his horse (the antichrist rode on his horse, on his beast) to announce his ministry, God sent His beast also, in his own mask to announce His combat to it.

Now, the Scripture says, "*When the enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God raises a standard against it.*" And so **when the enemy went out as an antichrist, God sent a certain type of power out to meet him.**

...it is the Word and the Name that brings the enemy pouring after us like a flood. That mighty Word which was manifested in healings, signs, wonders, and other demonstrations, caused the Pharisees to scream out for the death of the true believers.

POWER OF TRANSFORMATION [65-1031M] PRESCOTT, AZ

Now remember, don't forget this; Brother Leo and Gene, especially. Now, **you think Satan is going to let this go on like this, without a hindrance? Oh, no. He sure won't. He is going to fly in, one of these days, just like a whirlwind.** But when the--when the enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God raises a standard against it. **Just keep lifting yourself up in prayer before God. Cling to one another. Hold to God.**

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION [56-0923]

If He will reveal to you this morning by the revelation that this is the end of your suffering, this is the end of your sickness, **all devils out of torment will never shake that foundation,** though every doctor say it's wrong. "For upon this Rock I'll build My Church, and the gates of hell cannot prevail against it." Though it would be against it, yet it cannot prevail for when the enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God will raise a standard against it every time.

THE END TIME [54-0307A]

You always talk about how bad the world is, how wicked the world is. That's true. But look how great the church is getting all the time. We fail to look at that side. Jesus said, "*Let them grow together.*" **When the world's getting wickeder and wickeder and wickeder, the Church is getting more powerful and powerful all the time.**

When the enemy comes in like a flood, the Spirit of God will raise up a standard against it. Hallelujah. Let's go. Glory. **The winds are blowing; set your sails.** Hallelujah. Move right on into the face of the storm. What do you care? Who's the Captain? He will take care of it.

CALLING JESUS ON THE SCENE [63-0804E]

Oh, if we tonight could only catch that vision! The very Jehovah, that made the heavens and earth, is right in this little vessel of ours, while we're sailing life's solemn main. For, the Holy Ghost is Jehovah, in spirit form, in you.