

# The Importance Of An Absolute Pt10

Emotion

## I KINGS 19:11-12

11. *And he said, Go forth, and stand upon the mount before the LORD. And, behold, the LORD passed by, and a great and strong wind rent the mountains, and brake in pieces the rocks before the LORD; but the LORD was not in the wind: and after the wind an earthquake; but the LORD was not in the earthquake: 12. And after the earthquake a fire; but the LORD was not in the fire: and after the fire **a still small voice**.*

## LUKE 19:37-40

37. *And when he was come nigh, even now at the descent of the mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with **a loud voice** for all the mighty works that they had seen; 38. Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: peace in heaven, and glory in the highest. 39. And some of the Pharisees from among the multitude said unto him, Master, rebuke thy disciples. 40. And he answered and said unto them, I tell you that, if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out.*

## THE BREACH BETWEEN THE 7 CHURCH AGES AND THE 7 SEALS [63-0317E]

That's the reason the thing is in such a scruple tonight. See? They pick up a little doctrine, and they run off here to one side and say, "This is it." Another one picks up another doctrine, runs off to this side and said, "This is it." And each one builds a denomination under it, until we got hundreds of denominations. But still in all of it to see the confusion; the people are wondering, "What is truth?" If that isn't just the condition today... But then He promises that when that time has finished out, there'll be the sounding of the seventh angel's voice, and then the Book will be revealed (See?) at that time.

## WHAT DOES THOU HERE? [59-0301E]

...great things, are quiet things. Did you know that, friends? Listen. The sun which gives life on the earth to every living thing, and botany life, plant life, tree life, whatevermore, it brings forth life, the sun does. And it can draw a million gallons of water from the earth and make less noise than we can get bucket full out of a pump. See? It's big things, quiet things are big things. Did you ever hear the world turning? Did you ever hear the planets as they pass through the orbit? Do you ever hear one? That's the big things. Did you ever hear the sun rise?

Oh, we think we have to have a lot of noise, have to have a brass band to beat, a lot of jumping up-and-down, or we ain't got a good meeting. We think everybody has to be

on top the-- clapping their hands and things. We think the music has to be going at a rhythm, and everybody run up-and-down the aisle. We've had that. What good's it done? Where's it at? Where's it got us today? In a bunch of confusion, a bunch of denominations, broke up, brotherhood ruined.

### **MARK 10:46-48**

46. *And they came to Jericho: and as he went out of Jericho with his disciples and a great number of people, blind Bartimaeus, the son of Timaeus, sat by the highway side begging.*

47. *And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, **he began to cry out**, and say, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. 48. And many charged him that he should hold his peace: but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.*

FROM THAT TIME [62-0713] Something strange **everywhere He's at, there's noise goes on**. People said, "You make too much noise." This is the quietest place you'll ever live in. If you go to heaven, even the Angels are singing day and night, "*Holy, holy, holy unto the Lord.*" If you go to hell, it's weeping, and wailing, and gnashing of teeth. **This is the quietest place you'll ever live.**

### BELIEVEST THOU THIS? [51-0506A]

Now, I'm not excited, I just feel a little good. See? Notice, I get a little noisy, but I don't mean nothing by it. **If you felt like I did, you'd be noisy too maybe.**

Look. All right. I can prove anything without emotion is dead. So your religion hasn't got any emotion about it, bury it somewhere and get one that's got some life in it. Amen. That's right.

PRAYER LINE [54-0810] Now, if you were healed of something like that woman was, you'd be happy too and scream like that.

### THE UNWELCOMED CHRIST [55-0911]

I heard a remark the other day, that someone had--had made about a wagon. A fellow saying, "They had a great meeting." And said, that, "But," said, "there wasn't enough spirit, **there wasn't enough noise about it.**"

And the old preacher said, "Well," said, "when I used to live on the farm, I went out to the farm, and I went with my wagon empty, and every time I hit a little bump it would squeak and crack, pop, jump, and go on." Said, "When I loaded it down with good food and products, I brought it back. And it hit the same bumps, and never moved at all, a good, loaded wagon." So what we need today, is a good, loaded, solid wagon, knowing where we're going, led by the Holy Spirit.

EXPERIENCES [52-0726] Listen. I've traveled the seven seas, and I've never seen a holy-roller yet. I've never seen one. I've seen people scream and shout. I've seen them get disorderly even in their way of doing, going to excess, to the other side. And that steers people away. But **I'd rather have a little wild fire than no fire at all.**

THE RESURRECTION [53-1205]

You say, "Well, Brother Branham, I'm afraid you'll get a little fanaticism, a little wild fire." I'd rather have a little wild fire than no fire at all. Sure I would. I can put up with a little fanaticism before I could put with something that's so icy, and stiff, and starch, and ungodly. How can God move into a place like that? Go into a place and the spiritual thermometer registering hundred below zero. Somebody say, "Amen," and everybody stretch their neck, and look around, and see who said it.

WHY IT HAD TO BE SHEPHERD [64-1221] I've seen jumping spells, and joy spells, **but there was nobody hurt.** The mountains rung out, and they... the sun went down, and everything took place, **but there was nobody hurt.** And I've seen meetings where the power of God was revealed to the people that they were free from the world and the things of the world, and the joy of the Lord filled the congregation. They stood and screamed, and cried, and shouted to the top of their voice, for the glory of God. I never did see anything disorderly, they was always right in order; because they had recognized that, their name that had been written on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world. The great Prophet-shepherd had brought them the Message, and they were delivered, the Prophet-shepherd. No matter what the other ecclesiastical realms said about It, they knew what had happened.

WHAT HEAREST THOU ELIJAH? [59-0609] Did you ever notice, it isn't a little ripple that reflects the stars, making a lot of noise; it's the still small pool that reflects the stars. And **many times, we've relied too much on the ripple.** I believe the ripple's got water on it. But you know what makes it to ripple? Because it's shallow. That's true.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON HEBREWS PT3 [57-1006]

A young man asked me this morning about spiritual gifts, about speaking with tongues, a young fellow, very sincere. I believe he's to be a minister some of these days. And about the church, I said, "There's so much of it that's flesh. We don't want that, but **we want the real thing. We long to have it.**"

IS THIS THE SIGN OF THE END, SIR? [62-1230E]

All these mysteries! The mystery of the baptism of **the Holy Ghost, without sensation,** but the Person of Christ performing in you the same works that He did.

#### THE VOICE OF THE SIGN [64-0321E]

Now notice then **when His Presence is near, It, certainly It brings emotion.** As I spoke this morning, *"Anything without emotion is dead."* And any religion that hasn't got some emotion to it, you better bury it, it's dead. **It brings emotion.** He quickens us. **But when we are quickened, let's remember What quickened us.** What did it? It's the Presence of the Holy Spirit, Jesus Christ in our midst, showing Himself that He is alive.

#### FELLOWSHIP WITH GOD THROUGH RECONCILIATION [56-0120]

Other things will take place when you get the right thing first. You can't build up on top of the ladder for your first round, you go to start at the bottom and come up to it. That's the way revivals have to begin. That's the way healing campaigns has to begin. That's the way all things has to begin: begin from the bottom, build up. For **anything else is worked up emotion, and mental.** We got too much of it today. Even psychologists coming to me to be prayed for, mentally broke down. There you are. What's the matter? **Nothing but the Blood of Jesus will take care of the thing.**

RESPECTS [61-1015E] When He comes, don't say, *"Hee, hee, hee. Look at that woman shouting there, and crying, tears running down her cheeks. Look at that man there, shaking his hands and trembling and crying. You know what that is? That's a bunch of worked up emotion."* **You're blaspheming the Holy Ghost.** You've got to respect That.

PERFECTION [56-0610] Look at it. In the world today, where all this ism rises up. Watch on all the cults of non-meat eating, and a legalist that, *"I've got to do so-and-so. If I don't speak with tongues; if I don't do this; if I don't shout; if I don't dance, there's something wrong with me."* That's legalism. We are saved by grace through faith.

THE THIRD SEAL [63-0320] Now, oil typifies Spirit, and **wine symbolizes stimulation of revelation.** Boy, I like to run all over the place. It's a wonder I didn't wake up the neighborhood when the Lord showed me that. Stimulation of revelation...

#### A PRISONER [63-0717]

**I've always believed in shouting and jumping.** But I've always said, **"Don't jump no higher than you live,"** 'cause the world is going to watch that.

#### THE INVISIBLE UNION OF THE BRIDE OF CHRIST [65-1125]

And if a woman won't have a baby for her husband, she'll take a dog or a cat, or something. She's got to mother something. It's a nature. But to bear a child for her husband, and raise it to the service of God, that's entirely all out of her line. She should.

Oh, she'd... Oh, she'd be so disgraced, if she did, by her sin-loving society of this 1965 type of women.

A true picture of the modern church today! Neither does the modern church want any of these here, **screaming, shouting, tongues-speaking, Acts 2:38 young'ns** around her. Yeah. Yeah. See? Yeah. She don't want any of them whooping, and crying, and screaming, "Amen! Hallelujah!" Why, such a child would immediately put her out of her denomination. They had one like that in one of the churches, why, they'd throw her out right quick.

"Why you letting such stuff as this go along?"

So, you see, she's pregnated with something, 'cause she's bringing forth members all the time. But **she don't want none of them screaming, hollering, blabbering, Acts 2:38**, miserable creatures that she thinks they are. It would certainly embarrass her. It would ruin her and her educated, ethical, scientific society church that she belonged to here. They would throw her out, at the next council. She can't have it. So she don't want to be pregnated with the Word, because **that's the only kind that the Word can bring forth.**

Born of the Spirit of God, it has the Spirit of God in it. No intellectual church-join and creed-going, bobbed hair, painted face; there's no such a thing as that in all of It. You don't find that in the Word of God. You find an old-fashion, sanctified, Holy Ghost-filled child, born of the Spirit of God, **screaming, hollering, shouting, praising God.**

That's altogether out of the reaches for her. She don't want That. Oh, no, sir! No, indeedy.

THIRST [65-0919]

And there is, also, just people who live upon the emotion, upon the... Some people say, "*Well, we got a lot of that in our Pentecostal movement.*" And they will go in, which is fine, they'll pat their hands [Brother Branham claps his hands--Ed.] and play the music. The music stops, "*sh, whew,*" a bucket of water went over everything, see. Now we--we do that, we--we got in a habit of doing that. We got, we--we... **It's just become one of our customs.**

Let me tell you something. When you're worshiping God, in the Spirit and in Truth, when it becomes a custom for you to do it, because you think you ought to do it; because you think, if you don't shout, or jump up-and-down, or dance with the music, your neighbor is going to think you're backslid; **you are drinking from a stagnated stream.** Right!

Until It fills every fiber, until the Holy Spirit Itself bubbling in you; I don't care whether the music is playing, whether they're playing "*Nearer, My God, To Thee*", or whatever it is, the Holy Spirit is still ringing the glory bells in your heart. That satisfies. That's God's satisfying Portion. **Anything less than That, you're done.**