

Judging Fruits

MATTHEW 7:18-21

18. *A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit.*
19. *Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.*
20. *Wherefore **by their fruits ye shall know them.***
21. *Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.*

THE FLASHING RED LIGHT [63-0623E]

And you can preach to our women in America, and they get worse every year.

CHURCH AGE BOOK

A son of God can go a long time before he recognizes that he is a son.

MATTHEW 5:45b

45b. *...for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and **sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.***

DESPERATIONS [63-0901E] The very Holy Ghost can fall upon an unbeliever and make him **act just exactly the same way** a believer acts.

THE MANIFESTATION OF THE SPIRIT [51-0717]

There's **not a physical thing** in the world that you could prove that you're saved.

CORINTHIANS BOOK OF CORRECTION [57-0414]

And all these sensations that those Corinthians had, not one of them was a evidence that they were saved. **Not one of them was an evidence that they were saved.** Not if you could shout, if you could prophesy, if you could heal the sick, if you could speak with tongues, if you could interpret tongues, if you had wisdom, and you had knowledge, **none of those mean you're saved, not a one of them.**

CONVINCED AND THEN CONCERNED [62-1125M]

So, see, **there's no sensation that you could place on the Holy Ghost.**

TURN ON THE LIGHT [64-0125] You can't judge by speaking in tongues, neither can you judge by the fruit of the Spirit. But it's a manifestation of the Word of God, brought to Light. It's the Light that does it.

SHALOM [64-0119] **There is what the evidence of the Holy Spirit is, believing the Word of God when It's manifested.**

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS PT2 [64-0823E] **There's only one evidence of the Holy Spirit that I know of, and that is a genuine faith in the promised Word of the hour.**

WHO DO YOU SAY THIS IS? [64-1227]

The evidence of the Holy Ghost is believing His Word.

THE TESTIMONY OF A TRUE WITNESS [61-1105]

...I believe that when a man or a woman is in their right mind, that is the time to accept the Lord Jesus and get it all settled then, once for ever. Because when we come to the end of the road, we don't know just where and how we're going to be sick. **We may be sick in our mind**; there might be a fever that would really cook our very brain; and we might say anything or do anything at the end of the road. We don't know. But, you see, if we have already anchored in Christ, no matter what sickness takes us, or what condition we are when we go, it's already settled.

DEMONOLOGY PHYSICAL REALM [53-0608A] Many times you can see a person maybe of insanity. Now, they may be yet a converted person, **filled with the Holy Spirit, and yet be totally insane**. See? That's right; **that has nothing to do with the soul**. It's a tormentor (See?), something that torments them.

LUKE 10:17-20

17. *And the seventy returned again with joy, saying, Lord, even the devils are subject unto us through thy name.* 18. *And he said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven.*
19. *Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.*
20. *Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.*

MARK 14:18-19

18. *And as they sat and did eat, Jesus said, Verily I say unto you, One of you which eateth with me shall betray me.* 19. *And they began to be sorrowful, and to say unto him one by one, Is it I? and another said, Is it I?*

THE LAMB'S BOOK OF LIFE [56-0603]

Now, **the mark of the devil is impersonation**: works, not grace.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS [59-0628E]

Now, you can have a lot of signs and not the life. You can impersonate the life without the signs...

ACTS 13:13

13. *Now when Paul and his company loosed from Paphos, they came to Perga in Pamphylia: and John departing from them returned to Jerusalem.*

ACTS 15:36-40a

36. *And some days after Paul said unto Barnabas, Let us go again and visit our brethren in every city where we have preached the word of the Lord, and see how they do.*

37. *And Barnabas determined to take with them John, whose surname was Mark.*

38. *But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia, and went not with them to the work. 39. And the contention was so sharp between them, that they departed asunder one from the other: and so Barnabas took Mark, and sailed unto Cyprus; 40a. And Paul chose Silas, and departed...*

COLOSSIANS 4:14 *Luke, the beloved physician, and Demas, greet you.*

PHILEMON 1:24 *Marcus, Aristarchus, Demas, Lucas, my fellowlabourers.*

II TIMOTHY 4:10-11

10. *For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world, and is departed unto Thessalonica; Crescens to Galatia, Titus unto Dalmatia. 11. Only Luke is with me. Take Mark, and bring him with thee: for he is profitable to me for the ministry.*

MATTHEW 13:30a *Let both grow together until the harvest:*

ACTS 9:13-15

13. *Then Ananias answered, Lord, I have heard by many of this man, how much evil he hath done to thy saints at Jerusalem: 14. And here he hath authority from the chief priests to bind all that call on thy name. 15. But the Lord said unto him, Go thy way: for he is a chosen vessel unto me, to bear my name before the Gentiles, and kings, and the children of Israel:*

LIFE STORY [53-1206A]

I went in the next room, got down in the box, and pulled out my revolver, thirty-eight revolver, put six shells in it. I'd been hunting. Come back in the room. I said, "God, I-- I'm going insane. I don't want to bring a reproach. I'm going insane. I'd rather commit

suicide than to go insane. So I'm going to meet you now." And I meet... "Father, You forgive me for the sin. I can't stand it any longer; You're not consoling my heart. I can't stand it any longer."

And I pulled back that hammer; I put it up side of my head. I knelt down there by that old dirty cot, said, "Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name." Begin to squeeze on the trigger... "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done." I squeezed with all my might, and the hammer wouldn't fall. And I said, "Oh, I can't even take my own life." I threw the gun, it went off, but it went out through the house like that.

HERE WE HAVE NO CONTINUING CITY [50-0200]

And I got real nervous. And I had on a pair of rubber gloves. Many of you linemen knows...?... twenty-three hundred. Running right by me run the primary. And I thought, "Looky here. I can lay my hand on that primary. In one minute's time I'll be with Sharon." I jerked my glove off. I said, "God, I've lost my mind or something." I said, "Sharry, honey, I can't stand it no longer. Daddy's coming to be home with you."

I said, "Look at them..." Twenty-three hundred running there, break every bone in your body, electric. I said, "Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name." And the first thing you know, I was setting down on the ground. I don't know.

I believe that if that gift hadn't been foreordained, that'd been the end of your Brother Branham right there.

LUKE 1:35

35. *And the angel answered and said unto her, **The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee**: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.*

LUKE 2:5

5. *To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being **great with child**.*

A PRISONER [63-0717]

...don't judge your life by how much power you have to perform miracles. And we don't judge ourself by how much knowledge you have of the Word. But always judge yourself, **look back and taking inventory of what kind of a fruit that the life you presently live now is bearing**.

CORINTHIANS BOOK OF CORRECTION [57-0414]

Not by the reaction of the Spirit, whether they healed the sick, or whether they speak in tongues, or whether they sang in the Spirit, or whether they rejoice this a way or that, they can do all that and still be lost. It's your life within you, a borned again experience.