

Notes used in the Message

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15-0809am - The Inspiration of Expectation - George Quinn

LUKE 2:25-35

- » **25** † ¶ And, behold, there was a man in Jerusalem, whose name was Simeon; and the same man was just and devout, waiting for the consolation of Israel: and the Holy Ghost was upon him.
- » **26** † And it was revealed unto him by the Holy Ghost, that he should not see death, before he had seen the Lord's Christ.
- » **27** † And he came by the Spirit into the temple: and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him after the custom of the law,
- » **28** † Then took he him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said,
- » **29** † Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word:
- » **30** † For mine eyes have seen thy salvation,
- » **31** † Which thou hast prepared before the face of all people;
- » **32** † A light to lighten the Gentiles, and the glory of thy people Israel.
- » **33** † And Joseph and his mother marvelled at those things which were spoken of him.
- » **34** † And Simeon blessed them, and said unto Mary his mother, Behold, this child is set for the fall and rising again of many in Israel; and for a sign which shall be spoken against;
- » **35** † (Yea, a sword shall pierce through thy own soul also,) that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed.

JOB 32:8

- » **8** † But there is a spirit in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding.

51-0506A BELIEVEST.THOU.THIS_ LOS.ANGELES.CA SUNDAY_

- « **E-10** † Not long ago, I stood by the side of William Cowper's grave. He wrote,
There is a fountain filled with blood,
Drawn from Emmanuel's veins.
And sinners plunge beneath the flood
Lose all their guilty stains.

In London, England... And I stood there by his grave, and I laid my hand over on the tombstone, and I thought, "God rest your gallant soul." I thought, "Mr. Cowper, why were you considered a neurotic?" You know, after he wrote that song, "There is a fountain filled with blood, Drawn from Emmanuel's vein," he came out of that inspiration and got--went down to the--to a cab--tried to find the river to commit suicide, to drown himself in the river. William Cowper; that's his history right there by his grave.

51-0720 THE.ANGEL.OF.GOD_ TOLEDO.OH FRIDAY_

- « **E-11** I thought of William Cowper, he was considered in England, an neurotic, a little off. And how that he would go into the inspiration and finally he went way into the inspiration and wrote this marvelous song, "There Is A Fountain filled with blood." While he was up there, he was in the Spirit, but when he dropped back down, he tried to find the river to drown himself, commit suicide. It's so foggy they couldn't get him. He couldn't get to the river, William Cowper.

52-0720A LIFE.STORY_ HAMMOND.IN SUNDAY_

- « **E-7** Look at Eddie Perronet there. He was a persecuted and everything, and what he thought. He wrote the--the... One day there, when the inspiration hit him, he picked up the pen and wrote the inauguration song:
All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name.

I think of...?... there, when he wrote the

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me.

I think of blind Fanny Crosby. "What could God promise you? You never seen daylight in your life? You were blind all your life. What do you think about Jesus Christ?"

She said,

Pass me not, O gentle Saviour,
Hear my humble cry.
While on others Thou art calling,
Do not pass me by.

Thou the stream of all my comfort, more than life to me, whom have I on earth beside Thee, or whom in heaven but Thee?"

51-0506A BELIEVEST.THOU.THIS_ LOS.ANGELES.CA SUNDAY_

« **E-10** Then I remembered the prophet Jonah, how that he was going down to Nineveh, take him a ship to Tarshish. And the inspiration of God fell upon him, and he went down and gave his prophecy before Nineveh where God sent him. And they even put sackcloth on the cattle on the hills. And God spared that great city. And such inspiration... Then went up and set down under a gourd, or a tree, and prayed for God to take his life. Is that right?

« **E-11** † And I thought of Elijah, who went out there and set by the brook Cherith, and was fed by the ravens. And he closed the heavens that it wouldn't rain. Then he opened up the heavens and brought down water, brought fire out of heaven the same day, and then when the inspiration left him (by the threat of a woman), run out into the wilderness and prayed for God to let him die. Is that right? Now, I could go on and on, but what is it, friends? Men who are--are brought under such tremendous inspiration of another land... You go out of this world, somewhere else, way up. And then when you're--when you're up there it's all right. Or when you're down, it's all right. But when you come in between there... Now, as long as the inspiration was on them, they were all right. But when the inspiration leaves, that what hurts.

II TIMOTHY 3:16

» **16** † All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness:

51-0728 THREE.WITNESSES_ ERIE.PA SATURDAY_

« **E-20** And now, He is the same today. And it's written that in this day, the things that we now see and hear, were to be here. And it's all to fulfill what the Lord has said. All Scriptures is given by inspiration. And it's the fulfillment must come quickly as the time draws near.

JOB 32:8

» **8** † But there is a spirit in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding.

65-1212 COMMUNION_ TUCSON.AZ V-8 N-4 SUNDAY_

« **14** † We understand that Saint Paul, who ordained it in the Church, being the prophet of the New Testament. Peter, James, John, all of them, they wrote (why, Matthew, Mark, Luke) what Jesus did, as scribes. But Paul set the thing in order, he was the--he was the prophet of the New Testament. Just as Moses went into the wilderness to receive the inspiration to write the--the five Books of--of... the first five Books of the Bible, well, Paul also went into the desert and received inspiration from God, to set the New Testament Church in order and type It with the Old.

65-1121 WHAT.HOUSE.WILL.YOU.BUILD.ME_ TUCSON.AZ V-19 N-6 SUNDAY_

« **13** And the Books are sealed with Seven Seals; it would also require the same, I believe, in these days, to open those Seven Seals. To leave what you hold dear, to what you cherish, and a little home that was given me by the people, and amongst all my people and friends, and a church that was flourishing, and had nothing lacking; and to--to leave that, pull right away from it, and move away, out into a desert where you knew nobody, and everything against you.

65-1127B TRYING.TO.DO.GOD.A.SERVICE.WITHOUT.IT.BEING.GOD'S.WILL_ SHREVEPORT.LA V-7 N-2 SATURDAY_

« **158** † Notice David, king of Israel, the king had just been freshly anointed the king; or elected king, Saul... Samuel anointed him by the will of God; and he was absolutely God's chosen king, no doubt to it. And here he is, and inspiration strikes him. It was revealed to David. He got the revelation, nobody else had said nothing about it. "Let us go and fetch the, ark, 'cause that's the will of God that we have the ark here with us, that we consult God by this ark." Very, very gallant thing. Don't you think so? All right.

65-0801E EVENTS.MADE.CLEAR.BY.PROPHECY_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-12 N-3 SUNDAY_

« **36** † And when you see the church getting worldly, like it was in the days of Sodom, see the church world all going into the... worship "the god of this evil age," and seeing that; then seeing a little minority group gathered out under the inspiration of God, producing again the Life of Jesus Christ, by the Scriptures that's supposed to happen, you know what hour you're living in.

65-0217 A.MAN.RUNNING.FROM.THE.PRESENCE.OF.THE.LORD_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-5 N-8 WEDNESDAY_

« **32** † I had a little poem I wrote, something like this. And said... Now, just think, I was only about twelve years old. And standing up there, the other day, looking up that canyon; and thinking, "That lion will be setting right here in this den room, looking out the window," in a glass window. I was thinking of a little poem. I went back and picked it up, something like this. Just think how God...

33 Do you believe God is in all inspiration? [Congregation says, "Amen."--Ed.] God has to write a song. Do you believe God is in songs? ["Amen."]

Jesus said so. He referred back to David, "Don't you know what David said in the Psalms? You know, has not..."

34 Look at the very crucifixion. David sang it, in the **22**nd Psalm, "My God, My God, why has Thou forsaken Me? All My bones, they stare at Me. They pierce My hands and My feet." You know, and that was a song. Psalms is a--is a song.

« **35** † And in this poetry, just watch how it come to pass. Setting there, a little old kid with a borrowed sheet of paper, I said:

I am lonesome, oh, so lonesome for that far away southwest,
Where the shadows fall the deepest over the mountain crest.
I can see a lurking coyote all around the purple haze;
I can hear a lobo hollering down where the longhorns graze.
And somewhere up a canyon I can hear a lion whine,
In that far off Catalina Mountains at the Arizona line.

« **36** † Forty years later, I'm setting right there at that canyon, that lion looking me in the face. O God, there's a Land beyond the river somewhere, friends. It's just... It's got to be there. See? There's--there's too much speaking of it. All these things are not just myths; they are... They are real. They are realities. I'm so glad to be here tonight, to be with these people that I'm expecting to live over There forever with, where there'll be no more sickness, or death, or separations. And travel will be nothing to us then.

PSALM 62:5

» **5** † My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation is from him.

PROVERBS 23:17-18

» **17** † ¶ Let not thine heart envy sinners: but be thou in the fear of the LORD all the day long.

» **18** † For surely there is an end; and thine expectation shall not be cut off.

PROVERBS 24:14

» **14** † So shall the knowledge of wisdom be unto thy soul: when thou hast found it, then there shall be a reward, and thy expectation shall not be cut off.

ROMANS 8:18

» **18** † For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

PHILIPPIANS 1:20

» **20** † According to my earnest expectation and my hope, that in nothing I shall be ashamed, but that with all boldness, as always, so now also Christ shall be magnified in my body, whether it be by life, or by death.

50-0405 EXPECTATION_ NEW.YORK.NY WEDNESDAY_

« **E-13** † Just for a little text, if I should call it that, I want to speak for a moment or two on the word of "Expectation."

We always get what we expect. When people expect anything, well then they usually get what you look for. It's the mental attitude that you have.

Remember this, and never forget it. The right mental attitude towards any promise of God will bring it to pass, the right mental attitude towards any promise of God.