



If you reject God's way...

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A man fights his way
to hell***



Bro. William Branham

*Title: 63-1124M - What Shall I
Do With Jesus Called Christ?*

59 And all that Daniel said about the last days, and how that, “They that know their God will do exploits.” And just so many Scriptures tying in this day that we’re living in!

How that these evil, deceiving times would be on the earth! And just exactly

**what we're having now
fulfills it.**

They, they had—they had been given a chance to see Him, and, but they rejected their very Messiah.

And today it's the same thing, the very same thing. **We are given the opportunity, because God cannot judge without first having...being justified for His judgment.**

Now, if you told a—a certain person going down the road, speeding; you'd stop them, say, "There is a—a hole in the road down there. If you continue that speed, you'll be killed."

60 And they say, "Nonsense, I know what I'm doing." Then, you see, the blood can't be upon you, because you have thoroughly warned them.

Well, God does the same thing by His Word. He thoroughly warns the people of oncoming judgment, and shows His signs and wonders that's predicted in the Bible for that age. He shows them, and the people just walk right over it.

It's not easy for a person to go to hell. A man fights his way to hell. The first lie you ever told, you know it was

wrong. First cigarette you ever smoked, you knowed was wrong. The first evil you did, you knowed was wrong. But in your conscience, told you it was wrong, but you continually run through the red light, run over the barricades. You're reckless. You want to do it, anyhow, show you're some big guy. See? **But, remember, you fight your way to hell. It's**

not easy to go to hell. You have to reject Truth.

61 Before you have the wreck, you have to run the red light.

Before you have the wreck, you have to, down there in the road, you have the—the warnings that's been put up. But, you, you got your own way about it, man has today. And he knows more

than anybody else, and he won't listen to the—the signs and warnings of the oncoming Judgment, and those who reject Christ.

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If you go to hell, there'll be weeping, wailing, and gnashing of teeth. If you go to Heaven, there'll be hallelujahs and praise of God day and night for all times and all eternity. This is the quietest place you ever lived in. Yes.

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Title: *60-0723 - Speak To The
Rock And It Shall Give Forth His
Water*

33 You know, someone
said one time...

I was preaching; there was
a woman crying, and she was
just holding up her hands and
crying, praising God.

The Holy Spirit was there.

The woman was filled with the Holy Ghost.

How can a magnet draw anything unless it's magnetized to it? Correct.

There was a man who belonged to another church, a friend of mine, were standing outside; he said, "Billy, I was enjoying your sermon until that woman raised up and started crying." Said, "How in

the world could you preach?
And her acting like that?”

I said, “That’s the only time
I can preach, when I see that
the power of God is caught
away the Church, caught
away the message.”

He said, “It just made
shivers run over my back.”

I said, “If you’d ever be
fortunate enough to get to
Heaven, you’d freeze to death.

Because they are crying and shouting and praising God day and night. Angels flying back and forth, crying, “Holy, holy, holy, unto the Lord. Holy...”

Now, let me tell you something right now, my brother, you’re living in the quietest world you’ll ever live in. Amen. If you go to hell, there’ll be weeping, wailing, and gnashing of teeth. If you go to Heaven,

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Title: *54-0103E - Questions And
Answers #2*

44 Now in there, God...
Why death, that just—that just
knocks all the sting out of
death there is. And no wonder
Paul could stand and say,
“Death, where is your sting?
Grave, where is your victory?”
He said, “Thanks be to God
who gives us the victory
through our Lord Jesus

Christ.” Yes, sir. This earthly tabernacle be dissolved we already got one waiting, so just forget about it.

45 Now to you, friend, if you’re a sinner who asked this, God be merciful to you. Yes, sir! You’re not only under condemnation now, not here, no! You’ll prosper and go on. And that’s all through the mercies of God. That’s all through the mercies of God

that you prosper and do what you do. That's true. But one of these days, if you're a sinner and your soul slips out, it'll go yonder into judgment and will be condemned. And then, you'll be cast away, and you'll be in torment until the day that you are brought back to this earth again. And you will receive an immortal body, a immortal body that cannot die, and will be cast away into

outer darkness where there'll be weeping, wailing, and gnashing of teeth. You'll be cast into hell, where the worm never dies or fire is never quenched, and you'll be tormented through all ages there is to come. Jesus said that. That's a black picture, but it's what the Bible said.

46 If God so condemned sin and had it cost such a price, what will it be if those

unjust spirits could ever be made loose again? We'd have another thing like we've had in the last six thousand years. Is that right? There'll never be an opportunity again.

47 Now you say, "Well, I believe that when you go to the grave you—you go to hell." Your body goes to hell, that's right. *Hell* means "separation." *Death* means "separation." Your body dies,

separates. You go from your loved ones here, but that's not what we're talking about. "It's once appointed unto man to die, then after that, the judgment." See?

48 Now, when you...if you have to stand the judgment of God, you're going to be judged by an angry God. And God is going...has already pronounced what He was going to do. So you know

what your judgment will be before you even get there. So the thing to do is to be saved and have this glorified being...

49 Look. If I have to...if my spirit... Look, we're not something dead; we're alive. If—if my...if this desk here...if this plank had the life in it that's in my finger, that desk, and it had an intelligence to move it, it can move like my finger moves. We're not made

of that kind of material. We are made of—of—of—of cells, and of life, and of fiber; and there's a spirit here that controls it all. And just look how fast it has to travel. Look here; my hand touches that. Now, no sooner...There has to be a negative and a positive reaction. As soon as my finger touches that, it feels that. That quick it goes to my mind, and my mind says, "That's cold,"

and go back. See how quick that is? Quicker than thought, quicker than anything, is the act there. What is it? There's something alive in there, and that nerve works on the mind. See what I mean? The nerve touches it, feels it, and says to the mind, "It's cold." The mind says it's cold, because it's felt by the nerve. Oh, my! You talk about a makeup.

50 And then, all of that...
How quick that God knows
every thought that we think of.
Everything that we do, He
knows of it.

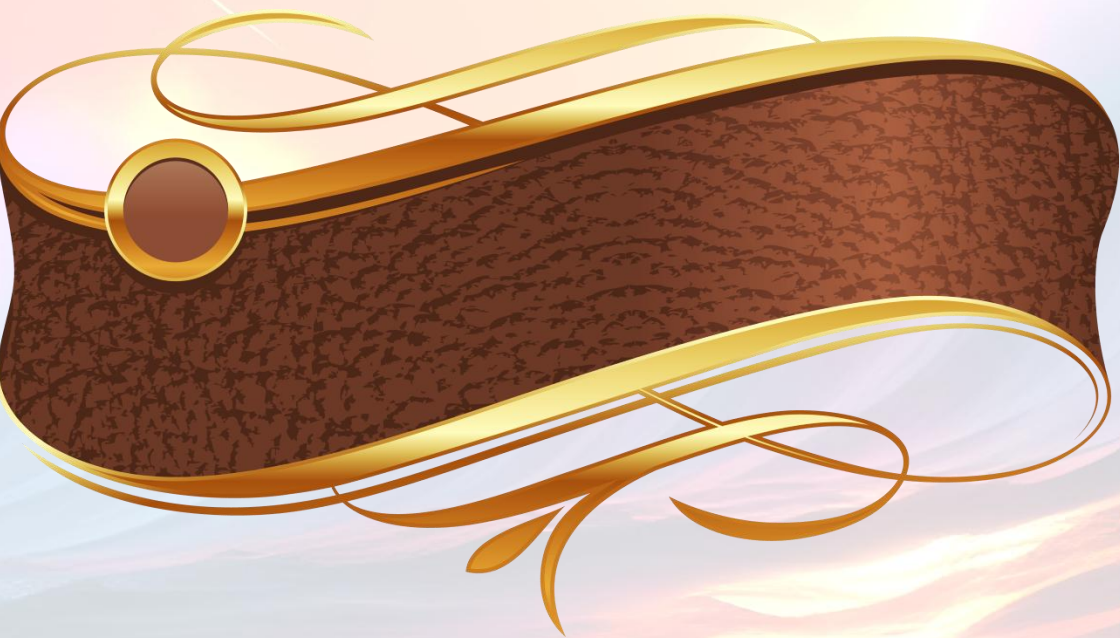
So when the believer dies,
he goes into the Presence of
his Maker, his God. And the
sinner, when he dies, goes to
his destination. Then at the
return...Now, I'm talking now
of the Elect.

51 But there's some that will come up in the second resurrection, that'll have to stand in the Judgment with the sinner, to be judged with him. I want to be sure to get that. See?

52 Now, there'll be...The first that'll take place will be the—the coming of the Bride. There will be people in the world...I...You might differ a little with this, but listen

close. Just because that you accepted Christ as personal Saviour, that doesn't mean that you're going in the Rapture. That's for the Elect, that'll go in the Rapture. There'll be a remnant left here on earth that'll go through the persecution and the great Tribulation. The Church will be caught up in the Rapture.

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you've got to go to hell.
You have to. It's the only
other way. So you're in
the one way or the
other. Amen. All right.



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Title: *52-0900 - God's Way
That's Been Made For Us*

91 A little girl was going down the street one day, and she said... Finally, the one said... “Oh, hallelujah! Hallelujah!” She just got the Holy Ghost.

92 So there was an old infidel setting over in the

corner, said, “What’s you so happy about, young’n?”

93 Said, “Oh, Jesus just saved me and filled me with the Holy Ghost.” Said, “I’m so happy.”

Said, “Look, what’s that you got in your hand?”

Said, “My Bible.”

Said, “Do you believe That?”

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“Sure.”

Said, “Do you believe all of
It?”

“All of It.”

Said, “Do you believe that
story about Jonah?”

“Yes.”

94 Said, “Do you believe
that actually that whale
swallowed the man?”

“Yes, sir. I believe it.”

95 Said, “How you going to prove it any other way besides faith?”

96 She said, “Well, when I get to Heaven I’ll just ask Brother Jonah.”

97 The infidel said to her, said, “What if Brother Jonah is not in Heaven?”

98 Said, “Then you’ll have to ask him.” Hallelujah! Only one place left for him, that’s hell.

99 If you reject God’s way, you’ve got to go to hell. You have to. It’s the only other way. So you’re in the one way or the other. Amen. All right.

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me tell you
something. It may
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It's a serious thing.
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Title: 65-1205 - *Things That
Are To Be*

116 Now we're at the evening time. The earthly body is now ready to be dissolved, and we're preparing to enter into the Heavenly. And we now feel the strange call, of God, to go to this great Eden. And before we can be born here, our little bodies cried for something

that—that had to be provided, or we'd be an afflicted child here if we wasn't. God has no afflictions up there. They're, every one, perfectly lined up, the Bride just exactly like the Groom was, the Word manifested in Its season. God grant, tonight, children, each and every one of you! There is a Heaven to go to. There's a hell to stay away from.

117 Now, many of you know that the Lord has given me visions, thousands of those. The greatest thing...I used to fear death. About three years ago, you seen the Christian Business Men, *Past The Curtain Of Time*. I realize I might not live through this night. I may never see you again in my life here, but this is true. I—I don't know

whether I'd call this a vision, or what it was.

One morning, recently, I was... I had just woke up. I come in from meetings. And my wife was laying there, asleep. I said, "Honey, are you awake?" She was still sleeping. I know we had to get up, to get the children off to school.

And I put my hands back up, like *this*, and I said, “Well, say, Bill Branham, do you know you’re past fifty? You, if you’re going to do something for the Lord, you better hurry up, ’cause you ain’t got too much more time.” I thought, “My, I hope that I can live to see the Coming of the Lord Jesus.”

I always had it in my mind, that—that when we died, I’d

see, like, brother *here*. I'd say..."Yeah, you preached in my church, one night down on earth, Brother Branham." But, he—he's a spirit, I couldn't shake his hand, because his hand is out there in the grave, rotted away, see; mine, too. I used to kind of think that.

118 But that morning, when, I felt Something come over me, and I thought... Usually, like a vision comes.

And I looked, and I—I looked. I thought, “My! What is this?” And I looked, a great, green hills. And young women was coming from everywhere, by the tens of thousands, and hundreds of thousands. And they were all coming, long hair hanging down their back, white robes on, barefooted, screaming, hollering, “Our brother!”

119 I—I thought, “Now, this is strange.” I turned back around and looked. And there I laid right there, and there was my wife, laying there on the bed. And I said, “Now, you know what? I died.” I said, “That, that’s what’s happened. I—I’ve died.” And I said, “I might have had a heart attack, or something. I’ve died. There lays my body.” I was just laying there with my hands

back, like *that*, just as stiff. I thought, “That’s not twenty feet from me.” And there I was, looking. I thought, “That’s... There is my wife there. There, there is everything. There is my shirt hanging there on that bedpost there.” And I thought, “Here I am.”

120 I looked around again, and these women were all coming. And they were... I

looked, coming *this* way, and there come my brothers. Oh! They're genuine. All of them looked to be young men. They were screaming, "Our precious brother!" Oh, I didn't know what to think.

121 I thought, "This is strange." I looked back, and I wasn't an old man. I was young. I thought, "This is a strange thing." I thought, "Is this a vision?" I'd bite my

finger. And I thought, “No. It ain’t the kind of vision I’ve had.”

122 Then, there,
Something begin to talk to me
up *here*, and said, “You’ve
entered in with your people.”

I thought, “With my
people? Are all these
Branhams?”

123 He said, “They’re your converts to Christ.” And these women...

You know I’ve always been considered, on account of they’d call me “woman-hater,” but I’m not. See? Cause, I believe... I—I—I don’t like immoral, indecent. I like real, genuine sisters of Christ. If that way, all right.

124 I had some scars when I was a kid. I know things that happened that's kind of turned me that way. But it—it was all God, making, molding me for this hour. See?

125 I think a real, genuine sister, there's nothing any nicer. If God could give a man anything better than salvation, He'd give him a wife. See? And so, then, if He could give

anything better, He would have done it. And then to see some of them turn and don't even act like a wife, unloyal to their marriage vows, and their husbands the same. You remember, you're bound as long as you live, to one another. "What God joins on earth, joined in Heaven also." See?

126 And so then I—I seen that. And these women run up

and was throwing their arms around me, and hugging me, and call me, “Brother!” Now, they were women, but there can never be sin in that place. See? They were women. But, see, what made us now, a woman with a—a gland, a female gland, and a man with a male gland, it’s for raising children. There it won’t be. They’ll all be one gland, but they’ll still be in the form. The

earthly image that they bore here will be there, but there'll never can be sin. You're all the same. There'll be no more children raised there. See? That's right. It'll all be that way. And so I looked, and these women.

127 And they picked me up. These brothers set me up on a place. I said, "Why'd you do this?"

He said, “In earth you was a leader.” And said—and said, “You...These are the people.”

128 And there was some woman come up. She said, “Our precious brother.” Most beautiful woman!

When she passed by, this Voice stopped, said, “Don’t you remember her?”

I said, “No.”

Said, “You led her to Christ when she was past ninety. See? Can’t you see why she says ‘precious brother’?”

I said, “Well, do—do you go...”

Said, “No. We’re waiting here.”

I said, “Well, if I’ve passed over, I want to see Jesus.”

Said, “You can’t see Him now. This is the Scripture, said, ‘Souls under the altar.’ He’s just a little higher. Someday He will return. We’re go back to earth. We don’t eat or drink here.”

129 I said, “You mean I was afraid of this? Why, this...”

There’s no word to speak it, friends. “It’s perfect,”

wouldn't— wouldn't touch it, "sublime." There's no English vocabulary that I know, no word at all, that could ever express what it is. It's beyond anything that I know. There he was. **There was no sickness, no sorrow. You couldn't die. You couldn't sin. It was just perfect, just perfect. Friends, you mustn't, you mustn't miss it. Remember.**

130 And when I was a little boy, I saw a vision of hell, as a little boy. And you know how the ladies, today, or the women (lady wouldn't do a thing like that), paint their eyes like a wolf, or something like that, that blue stuff under their eye. I seen that. I was sinking. As a little boy, I had been shot, and I was laying, dying in a hospital. And I had always knowed there was God.

I remember the first prayer I ever tried to pray. The only thing I could say...I—I've never told this before. I just feel I'll tell it right now. I was shot, laying there, dying in a field. And the only plea that I could have to God, I said, "You know, Lord, I never did commit adultery." See? As a little, young boy about fifteen years old, I tried to live right. And I said, "I've lived clean."

And that's all I could say.
That's all the merit that I could
offer Him.

131 And then laying there,
then, when the doctor done
walked away from me, and I
felt myself sinking into a dark
Eternity, and looked like. I
holler for papa, "Oh, papa,
help me." There was no papa
there. "Mama, help me."
There was no mama there.
"God, help me." There was no

God there. It was just the endless, horrible, oh, nightmare. Burning, blazing hell would be a pleasure, being up aside of that. And falling through there, I thought, “Oh, my!” Over and over, like *this*. **I got into a place, smoke, and dark, and sick. And, oh, such a feeling! It was death on me.**

And I could see those women coming up to me, with

them kind of painted eyes like that. Now remember, that's been forty-five years ago, about forty years ago, anyhow. Going, they was going, "Oooh! Oooh! Oooh!"

I said, "Am I to be there forever?"

"Forever."

132 I said, "O God, if You'll let me out of here, I—I—I'll never be ashamed of You

again. I'll never be ashamed. God, please give me a chance."

The first thing you know, I felt myself coming back up. And the doctor was alarmed, 'cause my heart was only beating seventeen times to the minute. I done bled all my blood out and everything, was laying in my own blood. And I've wondered, someday that would happen?

133 About two years ago, when I moved to Tucson, I was with my wife down at J. C. Penney's. I was setting there like *that*, and with my head down, waiting. Cause, you know how, ladies, they shop a long time. And I was—I was setting there, my head down like *this*. And an escalator was coming up. And here come some of them women up, with them waterhead haircuts, you

know, like they do, like *that*. Coming up with them painted-looking eyes like that. And they were speaking Spanish. And that's that. It all (the vision) reoccurred again. There it was, "Oooh! Oooh!"

134 Brother, sister, let me tell you something. It may seem funny now, but you once get there. It's a serious thing. Don't you never go that way.

135 Me, as an old man, a minister, I preached around the world, got millions of friends, but I know I've got to stand with you yonder. Get away from the things of the world. And if there is something in you, that you still want to act the way you act, if you do have the things of the world in you, remember, you're none of God's. You're just a church

**member, until that call; that
deep, calling to the Deep.
See?**

136 Like, before there was a fin on a fish's back, there had to be a water for him to swim in, first, or he'd never had a fin.

Before there was a—a tree to grow in the earth, there had to be an earth, or there would have been no tree to grow in

it. There'd be no reason for the tree, and to make it coexist.

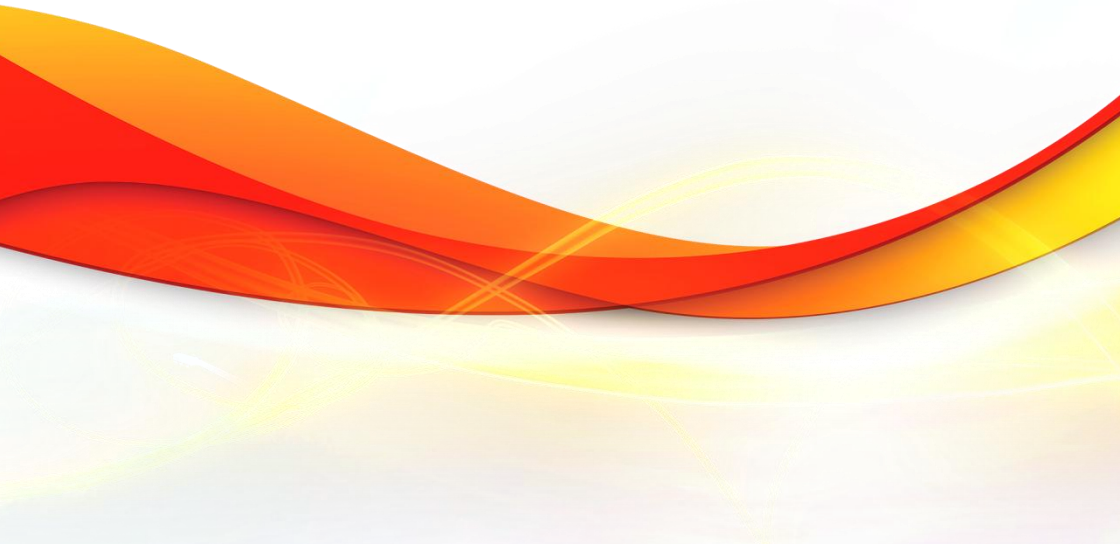
137 Before there is a creation, there has to be a Creator. "Blessed are they that do hunger and thirst after righteousness." See? There is something in us. You raised your hand a while ago, "I want more of God." See? There is something needy.

**And if you love the world,
going that way, the things of
the world, the world's travel
you'll go, and in the fall
you'll be. See? Come out.
You're sons and daughters
of a King, the King. Be lady
and gentleman. Walk like
Christians. Live like
Christians. Act like
Christians. Remember, I'll
meet you at the Judgment**

Bar with these remarks.

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