TEXT:

"The Elect In Heaven"

DANIEL 10:12 - 13 & 20

- 12 Then said he unto me, Fear not, Daniel: for from the first day that thou didst set thine heart to understand, and to chasten thyself before thy God, thy words were heard, and I am come for thy words.
- But the <u>prince</u> [chieftain, ruler, commander] of the <u>kingdom of Persia</u> withstood me one and twenty days [something stronger than an Angel of God?]: but, lo, <u>MICHAEL</u>, one of the <u>chief princes</u> [Michael ranked higher], <u>came to help me</u> [an Angel of God would need help? Why? Because the Prince of Persia outranked him, even though he was a fallen Angel]; and I remained there with the <u>kings of Persia</u> [it was not Natural Kings that was on a throne; it was Demonic Domain or a Rule of

Demons].

10:20 Then said he, Knowest thou wherefore I come unto thee? and now will I return to fight with the prince of Persia: and when I am gone forth, lo, the prince of Grecia shall come.

[The Persian Empire was the Ruling Empire of the World, but the Grecian Empire was going to soon take it over; A Demon had already been choosen to be the Prince]

DEGREES:

IDENTIFIED.MASTERPIECE.OF.GOD-YUMA.AZ SATURDAY- 64-1205

E-34 And there's Angels, such as there's <u>Seraphims</u> and <u>Cherubims</u>, and <u>Angels</u> and <u>great Angels</u>, and <u>degrees</u>. And even in the new world to come, the kings of the earth bring their honor into the city. We're always going to be that way,

DEGREES OF ANGELS

SERAPHIM:

ISAIAH 6:1 - 2

- 1 ¶ In the year that king Uzziah died I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and his train filled the temple.
- Above it stood the <u>seraphims</u> [same word used for fiery serpent]: each one had <u>six wings</u>; with <u>twain he covered his</u> face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with <u>twain he did fly</u>.

This is a complete different category of Angel than the one that talk with Br. Branham; Because the Angel that came to him did not have wings over his face, he did not have wings over his feet; He was barefooted.

INFLUENCE.OF.ANOTHER- JEFF.IN SATURDAY- 62-1013

91 "<u>Seraphims</u>" it means "burners." Which it is next to the altar. Actually, the <u>Seraphims</u> is the one who receives the sacrifice, and cleanses the worshipper, and then presents him to God, the <u>Seraphim</u> does.

CHERUB:

EZEKIEL 28:14 - 17

(Satan was in the Cherub classification of Angels)

- 14 Thou art the anointed <u>cherub</u> that covereth; and I have set thee so: <u>thou wast upon the holy mountain of God</u>; thou hast walked up and down in the midst of the stones of fire.
 - 15 Thou wast perfect in thy ways from the day that thou wast created, till iniquity was found in thee.
- By the multitude of thy merchandise they have filled the midst of thee with violence, and thou hast sinned: therefore I will cast thee as profane out of the mountain of God: and I will destroy thee, O covering cherub, from the midst of the stones of fire.
- Thine heart was lifted up because of thy beauty, thou hast corrupted thy wisdom by reason of thy brightness: I will cast thee to the ground, I will lay thee before kings, that they may behold thee.

MIGHTY ANGELS:

II THESSALONIANS 1:7

And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels,

REVELATION 18:21

And a <u>mighty angel</u> took up a stone like a great millstone, and cast it into the sea, saying, Thus with violence shall that great city Babylon be thrown down, and shall be found no more at all.

ARCHANGEL:

I THESSALONIANS 4:16

For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the <u>archangel</u> [chief of the angels], and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

JUDE 1:9

9 Yet <u>MICHAEL</u> the <u>archangel</u>, when contending with the devil he disputed about the body of Moses, durst not bring against him a <u>railing</u> [slander, detraction (damaging comment of ones character), speech injurious] <u>accusation</u>, but said, <u>The Lord rebuke thee</u>.

ELECT ANGELS:

I TIMOTHY 5:21

I charge thee before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, and the **ELECT angels**, that thou observe these things without preferring one before another, doing nothing by partiality.

ANGEL WITH THE SEAL COMMANDS...:

REVELATION 7:1 - 4

- 1 ¶ And after these things I saw <u>four angels</u> standing on the four corners of the earth, holding the <u>four winds of the</u> earth [wars], that the wind should not blow on the earth, nor on the sea, nor on any tree.
- And I saw <u>another angel</u> ascending from the east, <u>having the seal of the living God</u>: <u>and he cried with a loud voice</u> to the <u>four angels</u> [the angel with the seal- gave a direct command to these other four angels which had been designated on the earth to deal with wars which showed the importance of the seal to God], to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea,
- 3 <u>Saying</u>, <u>Hurt not</u> the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads.
- And I heard the number of them which were sealed: and there were sealed an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.

SEVEN ANGELS:

REVELATION 8:2

2 And I saw the <u>seven angels</u> which stood before God; and to them were given <u>seven trumpets</u>.

REVELATION 15:6

- 6 And the <u>seven angels</u> came out of the temple, having the <u>seven plagues</u>, clothed in pure and white linen, and having their breasts girded with golden girdles.
- And <u>one of the four beasts</u> gave unto the <u>seven angels</u> seven golden vials full of the wrath of God, who liveth for ever and ever.

WHITE THRONE JUDGEMENT:

MATTHEW 25:34 - 46

- Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom <u>prepared</u> for you from the foundation of the world:
 - For I was an hungred, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me in:
 - Naked, and ye clothed me: I was sick, and ye visited me: I was in prison, and ye came unto me.
- Then shall <u>the righteous</u> answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee an hungred, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee drink?
 - When saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in? or naked, and clothed thee?
 - 39 Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came unto thee?
- And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as <u>ye have done it unto</u> <u>one of the least</u> of these my brethren [now he is talking about the bride categories], <u>ye have done it unto</u> <u>ME</u>.
- Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, <u>prepared for the</u> devil and his angels:
 - For I was an hungred, and ye gave me no meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me no drink:
 - I was a stranger, and ye took me not in: naked, and ye clothed me not: sick, and in prison, and ye visited me not.
- Then shall they also answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee an hungred, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not minister unto thee?
- Then shall he answer them, saying, Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as <u>ye did it not to one of the least of these</u>, <u>ye</u> did it not to ME.
 - And these shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous INTO LIFE ETERNAL.

RIGHTEOUS, BUT NOT THE BRIDE?

SARDISEAN, CHURCH. AGE - CHURCH. AGE, BOOK CPT. 7

- There will be both the righteous and the unrighteous in this judgment. It says so. **THESE RIGHTEOUS** WILL **NOT BE THE BRIDE** FOR THE BRIDE SITS WITH HIM IN JUDGMENT.
- 276-1 The question now arises, <u>why are these righteous ones in the judgment</u>? There is no other place that they can come up, for there are but two resurrections and since <u>they could not qualify</u> for the <u>first resurrection</u> they must come up in the <u>second which is a resurrection unto judgment</u>. The <u>ones who qualify</u> for the <u>first resurrection</u> (<u>THE BRIDE</u>) are not in the judgment.

But notice carefully, Jesus must have yet another group in mind who at <u>a certain resurrection</u> will <u>receive eternal life</u>. They will <u>receive it at the resurrection</u>, <u>NOT HAVING PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED IT AS A MEMBER OF THE BRIDE</u>.

HIS SOUL AN OFFERING FOR SIN:

ISAIAH 53:10

10 ¶ Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise him; he hath put him to grief: when thou shalt make his soul an offering for sin, he shall see his seed, he shall prolong his days, and the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in his hand.

NOT ACTUALLY UNDER THE BLOOD:

FIRST.SEAL.THE- JEFF.IN MONDAY- 63-0318

134-4 {120} Notice, these type, the reason they die out, they go through the <u>purging of trial</u> of the <u>TRIBULATION</u>; because they're not actually under the Blood. They claim they are, but they're not. How can they go through a trial to <u>purify</u> them when the bleach Blood of Jesus Christ takes every symptom of sin and stuff away from you. And you're already dead, and your life is hid in Him through God and <u>sealed in there by the Holy Ghost</u>; what are you going to be judged for? Where you going to get your purification? What do you have to be <u>purified</u> from when you're perfectly in Christ, sinless? How

What's the judgment for? But it's this sleeping bunch.

THESE ARE NOT ACTUALLY SHEEP:

SARDISEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.7

278-1 To further clarify, notice specifically the words of Matthew 25:31-46. It does not say that a shepherd is literally separating sheep from goats, but it is AS a shepherd dividing sheep from goats. These are not sheep in this particular area of time (White Throne Judgment). The sheep are in His fold, they heard His voice (Word) and they followed Him. THEY ALREADY HAVE ETERNAL LIFE AND CANNOT COME INTO THE JUDGMENT. But these do NOT have eternal life, and they are in the judgment. They are allowed to GO INTO eternal life. But upon what grounds do they enter into life eternal? CERTAINLY NOT UPON THE FACT THAT THEY ALREADY HAVE HIS LIFE AS DOES THE BRIDE, BUT THEY RECEIVE IT BECAUSE THEY WERE KIND TO HIS BRETHREN. They are not His brethren: that would make them joint-heirs with Jesus. They are NOT heirs to anything but life. They share no throne, etc. with Him. THEIR NAMES MUST HAVE BEEN IN THE BOOK OF LIFE AND NOT REMOVED. Now because of their love of the people of God they are recognized and SAVED. No doubt these served and helped the children of God.

MADE US KINGS & PRIESTS:

REVELATION 1:5 - 6

- 5 And from Jesus Christ, who is the faithful witness, and the first begotten of the dead, and the prince of the kings of the earth. Unto him that loved us, and washed us from our sins in his own blood,
- 6 And hath made US kings and priests unto God and his Father; to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever.

 Amen.

REVELATION 5:10

10 <u>And hast made US</u> unto our God <u>kings and priests</u>: <u>and we shall reign on the earth</u>. [Who are we going to Reign Over? Another Class & Category of People.]

CATEGORIES IN HEAVEN:

REVELATION 4:4

4 And <u>round about the throne</u> were <u>four and twenty seats</u>: and upon the seats I saw <u>four and twenty elders</u> sitting, clothed in white raiment; and they had on their heads crowns of gold.

REVELATION 14:1 - 3

- 1 ¶ And I looked, and, lo, a Lamb stood on the mount Sion, and with him an <u>hundred forty and four thousand</u>, having his Father's name written in their foreheads.
- 2 And I heard a voice from heaven, as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of a great thunder: and I heard the voice of harpers harping with their harps:
- And they sung as it were a new song <u>before the throne</u>, and before the <u>four beasts</u>, and <u>the elders</u>: and no man could learn that song but the <u>hundred and forty and four thousand</u>, which were redeemed from the earth.

REVELATION 19:5 - 9

- 5 ¶ And a voice came out of the throne, saying, Praise our God, all ye his servants, and ye that fear him, both small and great.
- 6 And I heard as it were the <u>voice of a great multitude</u>, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, <u>Alleluia</u>: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.
- 7 <u>Let us be glad and rejoice</u>, and give honour to him: for the marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.
- 8 And to her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and white: for the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.
- 9 And he saith unto me, Write, Blessed <u>are they which are called</u> unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, These are the true sayings of God.

THE CITY:

REVELATION 21:23 - 24

- And <u>THE CITY</u> had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in <u>IT</u>: for the glory of God did lighten <u>IT</u>, and the Lamb is the light THEREOF.
- And <u>the nations</u> of them which are saved shall walk in the light of <u>IT</u>: and <u>the kings of the earth</u> do bring their glory and honour into <u>IT</u>.
 - And the gates of IT shall not be shut at all by day: for there shall be no night there.
 - And they shall bring the glory and honour of the nations into <u>IT</u>.

DEGREES IN HEAVEN:

QUESTIONS, AND, ANSWERS- JEFF, IN COD WEDNESDAY- 59-1223

And then I can prove that there is <u>DEGREES</u> in heaven, that <u>they'll not all be on the same equal</u>, but <u>you'll</u> <u>have equal Eternal Life</u>. But the Bible said (Revelations 22) that the <u>kings of the earth</u> bring their honor and glory into the city. That proves that <u>there'll be kings</u> in the <u>NEW EARTH</u>, <u>kings and rulers</u>.

Jesus told His disciples... They said, "What will we have after we have left father, and mother, and all to follow You?" He said, "Verily, I say unto you, you'll set upon <u>twelve thrones</u>, <u>judging the twelve tribes of Israel</u> in that day." See, it's another, it's a earthly system that's coming up that'll be far supreme to anything. In that they'll be no sin, but yet they'll have <u>rulers</u> and so forth in the cities, when everything will be carried on in the way of Eternal Life.

WHO LIVES OUTSIDE THE CITY?

QUESTIONS.AND.ANSWERS- JEFF.IN COD SUNDAY- 64-0830E

1154-Q-380 380. Brother Branham, who will populate the earth outside the heavenly city?

It will be the redeemed that will populate the earth outside the city, but they will not be THE ELECTED and CALLED BRIDE. THE BRIDE WILL LIVE INSIDE the Kingdom with the King. On the outside will be the kings of the earth that labor and bring their fruits into the city. And the doors will not be closed by night.

Now, on... Now, this <u>LIGHT</u> on top of the mountain <u>will not lighten the whole world</u>; <u>It'll only lighten the city</u>. But It can be seen in the distance of thousands of miles maybe; but It won't lighten the earth, because the Bible said, in the <u>NEW WORLD</u>, that from <u>one Sabbath</u> to another and from <u>one new moon</u> to the other (You see?) will the people come up <u>before the Lord UNTO ZION</u>--up to <u>THE CITY</u> to worship.

And now, they will be outside the city, not THE BRIDE, but the people that come up in the second resurrection that will be tillers of the soil, just like Adam was, and so forth, and carers of the garden.

But the KING AND OUEEN will REMAIN IN THE CITY.