

## God's Reflection Pt2

### Moonlight

#### GENESIS 1:14-18

14. And God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years:

15. And let them be for lights in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth: and it was so.

16. And God made two great lights; the greater light to rule the day, and the lesser light to rule the night: he made the stars also.

17. And God set them in the firmament of the heaven to give light upon the earth,

18. And to rule over the day and over the night, and to divide the light from the darkness: and God saw that it was good.

SHALOM [64-0112]

In the--the Bible, the moon represents the "church," and the sun represents "Christ."

#### JOHN 8:12

12. Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.

#### PSALM 18:28b

28b. ...the LORD my God will enlighten my darkness.

SPEAK TO THE ROCK [53-1115A]

I think of it in Genesis when the--when God made the sun and made the moon. Now, the moon is the wife of the sun. Now, when the sun goes away, the moon reflects the light of the sun (Is that right?) on the earth.

And now, when Jesus was taken away, we are the Bride which is the moon, to reflect the Light of the Gospel, and we can't reflect it until He shines on us. Amen.

Well, when we get... When the Gospel goes to shining on us, then we shine it out. So send the Light, Lord, is my prayer, that we can reflect the Light of the Son of God in His power, and His resurrection, and His fullness, how marvelous.

#### JOHN 16:7

7. Nevertheless I tell you the truth; It is expedient for you that I go away: for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you; but if I depart, I will send him unto you.

### ZECHARIAH 14:6-7

6. *And it shall come to pass in that day, that the light shall not be clear, nor dark:*
7. *But it shall be one day which shall be known to the LORD, not day, nor night: but it shall come to pass, that at evening time it shall be light.*

### THE LAW HAVING A SHADOW [54-1203]

Now, the moon is to give light while it's dark, in the absence of the sun.

And now, **the Church is to give the Light, a lesser Light, in the absence of the Lord.** And then when the light, as the moon is shining, and the sun comes into the moon, they both blend together, and it makes one light, so will it be when the Lord Jesus returns. The Light that the Church has reflected... And the same Jesus, the same works, the same Light, the same thing that He did when He was here on earth is reflected by His Church, **showing that He is living somewhere.**

When I look out tonight and can see the moon a shining, the stars shining, the lesser light, when I can see that, it's a guarantee of one thing: that **the sun's shining somewhere.** That's right.

### LAMB AND DOVE [60-0805]

These old nightingales used to set out down there, and sing at nighttime. And as I would come in, I studied the nightingale. I like to study nature, as you know I love nature. And I was studying of the nightingale. Sometimes on a real stormy night, he will set out there, and **he will just keep looking up.** And as soon as he can see the black clouds go by, if he can get his eye on one little star, he will start singing, because he knows the sun's a shining somewhere. It's reflecting the sun, the stars, the moon, and so forth.

So as long as I can see a good meeting like last night, I can just keep on singing, 'cause I know the sun's shining somewhere, to see it **reflecting back to the earth, the glory of God.**

### WE HAVE SEEN HIS STAR AND HAVE COME TO WORSHIP HIM [63-1216]

The moon and the sun is husband and wife, as to say. And in the absence of the sun, the moon reflects the light of the sun, to the earth, giving it a lesser light, that **we can see how to get around by the moonlight until the sun rises.** And then the sun and moon becomes one, the same, sunlight and moonlight is all the same.

That's what the Church of the Lord Jesus Christ should be, reflecting the Light of Him **while He is absent from the earth in a physical body, the Church should be the reflection of Jesus Christ in these dark hours.**

## ABRAHAM'S COVENANT CONFIRMED [61-0318]

So that's what Christ did when He went into Glory. He reflects His Light back on His church to give light until He returns.

## MATTHEW 5:14-16

14. *Ye are the light of the world.* *A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid.*

15. *Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house.*

16. *Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.*

## HEBREWS 5 & 6 PT1 [57-0908M]

Quickened, the Word came to us. He died in my stead. I'm made alive. Here I am, who was once dead in sin and trespasses, been made alive. All my desires is to serve Him. All my love is to Him. All my walks want to be in His Name. Wherever I go, whatever I do, I glorify Him. **If I'm hunting, if I'm fishing, if I'm playing ball, and whatever I'm doing, I must be, "Christ in me," in such a life, that will make men long to be that way;** not tattling, backbiting, and fussing about your churches. You get it?

## II CORINTHIANS 4:3-7

3. *But if our gospel be hid, it is hid to them that are lost:*

4. *In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, lest the light of the glorious gospel of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine unto them.*

5. *For we preach not ourselves, but Christ Jesus the Lord;* and ourselves your servants for Jesus' sake.

6. *For God, who commanded the light to shine out of darkness, hath shined in our hearts, to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.*

7. *But we have this treasure in earthen vessels, that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us.*

## ELIJAH [53-1018]

What if I'd go out here tonight and say, "Say, I see the moon shining. What are you shining about moon?" And the moon would say, "It's not me shining. It's the sun shining on me." That's what it is. **If you live close enough to God so the power of the Holy Spirit can fall on you, it'll reflect the Presence of God.** Amen.