

Middletown - CMA - July 27/64

Bethesda - CMA - no date

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BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH BIBLE CLASS.

... OCT 2/55

May 9/65

Scrip. Reading:- Matt. 20:1-7.

CLEARBROOK B.C. - Nov 18/66

Manitowish B.C. - Jan 5/66

PROVOST - Nov 10/66

Peoples Mission, Kelowna Aug 4/63

Introd:- (1). This morn. want us look at O.T. story not too well known..then at very well-known N.T. story..put together learn lesson. Serious one. If asked you what could move God to curse a city..what say? SIN. True. Think of Sodom. at bring displeasure on life? SIN. True. Think of Cain, Aram, Pharaoh, Judas. And most of us prob. feel sense of satisfac. that we not so classed. Afraid we are in for a shock..for there is another class condemned by God..and it may include any or all of us here. *Camrose - Mar 14/71*

Bethesda - CMA Edmonton May 21/67

Frontier B.C. June 2/68

I. Read first O.T. story..found in that remarkable Bk. Judges

(a). Story of Deborah..Barak..Judges 4:6-7. Mt. Tabor not far from Nazareth..standing out of great plain that leads do to Megiddo. Saw it several times. River Kishon runs N. of Carmel range, emptying into Medit. N. of Haifa. Scene of great events. By banks stands Hill of Prophets..Tomb of Proph. of Baal. Bet. Tabor, Kishon this battle fought.

(b). Victory won..Israel delivered from state of bondage, poverty, powerlessness..peace for 40 years..Blessing of God. BUT..out of victory, for some there came CURSE..Judges 5:23

I never saw Meroz. Men search in vain for it. Very memory of place has perished. This single bitter strain in Deborah song of victory is only mention of it in all history..

(c). Why cursed? Not joined enemies..or fought brethren.. No wickedness charged. Cursed bec. did..NOTHING! They did not rally when call to battle sounded! God cursed. Not Deb.

NOTE:- Remarkable expression in this vs.."Came not to the HELP OF THE LORD (Jehovah)". Ponder. "The Head cannot say to the feet, I have no need of you". He has delegated..... When men do NOTHING..we limit God..fail..disappoint..betray.

Meadow Bk, Park V.P. Dec 1/68

Delburne - Mar 22/70

II. Now a brief bit from N.T. story..one of best known.

(a). In Luke 10:30-32. Again my thrill and joy travel that road. Still wild, deserted country. 2 killed few months ago. Bet. Jerus. and Inn of Good Samar..looked carefully at valleys, gorges along road. Somewhere there..this happened Jesus said it did. Not made up tale. Real men..events.

(b). Ev'body on earth scorns two men in story. Names are unknown, but in disgrace..besmirched forever..despised. Why, what did they do? NOTHING! Saw desp. need..and with criminal, unfeeling selfishness did nothing. The curse of God upon them! Heartless rascals..pitiless wretches! They broke the greatest commandment that governs human relations the "new commandment" X left for us..John 13:34, 15:12, 17. I John 4:21..and given high title in James 2:8. Royal law.

MILDEN, SK - APR 29/62
 OTHAWA (ME) - JUNE 10/62
 Concluse: - 1. I leave you to make the personal applic. of these things. May God save us from the sin of uselessness! The word "sin" simply means "missing the mark". When we fail to meet our measure of responsibility to cooperate with God, we sin. If doing NOTHING brings God's curse..doing little bring just that measure of His displeasure.
 2. Everywhere today X'n workers are overloaded..on mission and at home. In churches..SS..Pastor's. Our Pastor..because some doing NOTHING..when visitation programs wait. Not going ask you. You ask you. What doing for God? Utmost? Idle time and idle money bring curse of God. ~~Listen - less at pr. meet~~
~~Wed. night..then in this class alone.~~ What doing? Multitudes wait bec. of little prayer at home. World can be stirred from this room..Some robbed by devil..wounded by sin..half dead now..not reached bec. we fail. God curse those who pass by in apathy and indiff! Time for show-down. God calling. Centring of thought, effort, money on self is fatal..draws God's curse..We are living at ease..and losing God's blessing.

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