

Prophet's Column

# "The Saddest Day In All The World"

"Is Your Name Written In The Book Of Life?" Part X

By J. M. Little

And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire. If your name is not written in the Book of Life there is no hope for you. It would have been better that you had never been born. I did not know that my name was written there until God saved me. When He showed me He had blessed me from eternity to eternity. I knew then it was written there. If your name is written there in the Book of Life you can never perish. Do you want to know if your name is written there? Be honest my friend, for the time is short. I haven't much time left to warn you. Christ is coming soon. Are you ready to meet the Bridegroom? Do you have on the Wedding Garment? I'm ready and I have on the Wedding Garment. If Christ should come today are you going to be taken or left? Think seriously friend. For you are headed for Hell or heaven.

If your name is written there in the Book of Life you won't rest until you know it. And you can and will know it on this side of eternity. This thing of you can't know you are saved until you die is a lie out of Hell! How could you rejoice in the Lord if you didn't know Him as your you? Every believer knows that he is saved. He knows he has passed from life into death. Once you were dead, without Christ who is our life. Yes, Christ is my life. Once I did not care for Him. I could go all the day long and not think about Him. But not so now, I love to meditate on Him. To be taken up with Him. Are you taken up with Christ? Are you? Don't fool yourself friends. You are either taken up with Christ or you are taken up with yourself. What do you meditate on as you go about your daily tasks? Are you meditating on the world and all its so-called pleasures?

Before the foundation of the world God chose a certain number (Eph. 1:4) and wrote their names in the Book of Life. Is your name written there? I praise the Lord mine is. If your name is not written there the wheels of grace will never turn in your direction. If the wheels of grace begin to turn in your



direction, all the world, Satan and his emissaries will try to stop them but praise God they cannot. How is it with you friend? You are going out into eternity like it or not. Whither bound my friend?

You will be judged out of things written in the books. Every idle deed and word will be accounted for. Read Matt. 12:36. Isaiah said we (born-again believers) and His witnesses. The word witness is a legal term meaning someone is going to be tried. Paul said the saints shall judge the world (1 Cor. 6:2). That means that every believer shall be at the Great White Throne Judgment to testify against the unbelievers. If you don't know Christ you are an unbeliever my friend. Every saint will have to take the stand and witness against you. Abel will be there to witness against Cain. Cain you know was that wicked one who shed the first human blood on earth. What a damnation that man will face. Does anyone know that man that shed the first blood on the earth of My servant Abel? Abel will have to step forward and say, Lord I know him, we were brothers but he killed me, and Lord, my blood cried unto you from the ground. My friend, you didn't know blood has a voice did you? Read it there in Gen. 4:10. The generation that made fun of Noah, does

anyone know these? Noah, his three sons, all four wives will have to come forward. Yes, Lord we know them. They rejected your message of warning about the flood that was going to destroy them made fun of us, called us crazy for building the ark. Does anyone know this man and these two women? John The Baptist will step forward. Yes, Lord I know them for they are the ones who cut my head off but I thank you Lord that you put it back on. And surely these women, the wicked wife of Herod and that naked daughter of hers will scream the most horrible screams because they thought they were rid of John back there when they cut his head off.

Does anyone know this man here? The Apostle James will step forward, yes, Lord I know him, for he killed me with the sword. Does anyone know this group here? Stephen will come up, yes, Lord I know them, I preached the Gospel to them and they knashed on me with their teeth and stoned me to death. But I looked up to heaven as I was dying, Lord I saw you standing at the right hand of God and cried, Lord Jesus receive my spirit and you took me up. Lord I thank you for it.

Does anyone know this man here? Paul will stand forth, yes, Lord I know him, that's Alexander the coppersmith, he did me much

evil. Does anyone know this group over here? An old divine like my late pastor will step forward and say, I know Lord, I preached to them every Sunday but they would not heed the Gospel.

Does anyone know this man here? I'll step forward, yes, I know him Lord, that is the superintendent I worked under at work. He rejected the Gospel and called me a liar. Yes, I know him all so well. Does anyone know this group over here? Lord, I know them, they're my family, they would not have the Gospel. Oh the tears that will flow from the eyes of believers there that day of the judgment. Every sin has to be tried and paid for. This judgment will take a long long time. There will be no hurry. The Lord is in no hurry. It may take a thousand years. All the world will know you and everything you did wrong.

That time you slipped out after midnight with the other man's wife, it will be revealed. You thought no one saw you. God saw you. I don't have to see you. A record was made of it. It was recorded on your memory too. At this judgment both records will tally side by side my sin loving friend.

Every soul will be there. All the World from Adam of the human race on down to the last man bore on the earth. All the elect angels will be there, all the fallen angels will be there. Every soul in my family and yours will be there. What a huge seen! All these souls to be judged. I'm glad I know the Lord. My friend, these wicked soldiers could not stand in presence of the angels there on the resurrection morning. They fell as dead men. How are you going to stand that day my friend at the judgment before a Holy God at this WHITE Throne of Judgment. But you will stand there and here your sentence. How will you fare my friend?

You may say you don't care for the JUDGMENT. But you shall care then. You'd give ten thousand worlds to be in Christ that day my friend. Yes, you would. But you sold your soul for a little earthly pleasure. It will all be gone then. You'll want to flee away then but you can't.

I think of you souls every day here at work. You are sinning with a high hand now. You don't know that you will have to give account. You may think you are somebody come. Well, you are somebody going. Going to hell as straight as a martin to his gourd. Oh the tragedy of your lost soul.

Listen to these sad words my friends; AND WHOSEVER WAS NOT FOUND WRITTEN IN THE BOOK OF LIFE WAS CAST INTO THE LAKE OF FIRE. Will that be you? If you fail to turn to Christ it will be YOU. I plead with you to turn to Christ now. The Lord is coming soon. This day will be THE SADDEST DAY IN ALL THE WORLD.

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At Grambling

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