

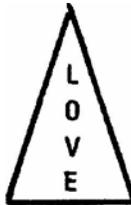
THE HEADSTONE

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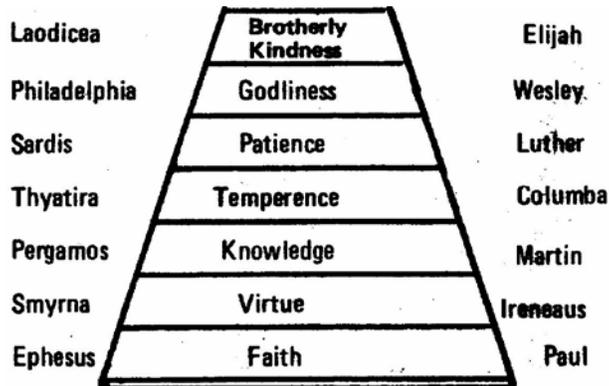
CHURCH AGES

JESUS

MESSANGERS



Holy Spirit



2 Pet. 1:1-8 Acts 7:44-47 Matt.5:48 Eph.4:11-15
Heb. 11:32-40 ba.6:1-8

"Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up-spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ. Wherefore also it is contained in the scripture, Behold, I lay in Sion a chief corner stone, elect, precious and he that believeth on him shall not be confounded. Unto you therefore which believe He is precious, but unto them which be disobedient, the same is made the head of the corner." 1 Peter 2:5-7

Christ is the Head, the true Stone of God. The true Word.

The Bride is the Body. Did you notice that the great seat, it's the pyramid? Never had the capstone. Why? It was rejected, the cornerstone. The Cornerstone that held this building, is a keystone. The cornerstone's what holds up the building, is that right? And the cornerstone in the pyramid was the capstone; was the keystone that held the rest of it together. Now, this keystone was rejected. The way the Body operates is by the Head, and the Head is the Word. The Spoken Word p. 44,45,46,47

The key given me of the Lord whereby I was able to determine the messenger for each

age is a most Scriptural one. In fact it might be called the Keystone of the Bible. It is the revelation that God never changes, and that His ways are as unchangeable as He is. Hebrews 13:8. In these last days the true Bride Church, (Christ's Seed) will come to the Headstone, and she will be the super church, a super race, as she nears Him. They in the bride will be so much like Him that they will even be in His very image.

This is in order to be united with Him. They will be one. They will be the very manifestation of the Word of the living God. From a little group of the true seed of the Word, God will present Christ with a beloved bride. The members of the virgin bride will love Him, and they will have His potentials, for He is their head, and all power belongs to Him. They are subject to Him as the members of our bodies are subject to our heads. Those in the bride do only His will. No one can make them do otherwise. They have Thus saith the Lord, or they keep still. They know that it has to be God in them doing the works, fulfilling His own Word. He did not complete all His work while in His earthly ministry so now He works in and through the bride. She knows that, for it was not yet time for Him to do certain things that He must now do. But He will now fulfill through the bride that work which He left for this specific time. Church Ages p.66,171,172

The capping stone was rejected, the head. Christ. But it will come someday. Building this statue. See, it starts off and the foundation is on faith, virtue, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, brotherly kindness. Then they're waiting for the Headstone which is love; for God is love, and He controls, and He is the strength of everyone of these things. The Holy Ghost coming down through Christ Holy Spirit. Building a what? - a perfect Church for the capstone to cap off! It's manifested through Seven Church Ages and Seven Church Messengers. You remember the sermon on The Bride Tree? It got denominational branches, He pruned them off. But the heart of the tree kept growing. In the evening time it shall be light. That's when comes Christ, the Holy Spirit. Jesus comes down and sets Himself at the head of the Church, then He will resurrect this Church being His own body. In there's the body, and the way God is expecting us as individuals to grow—the way He's brought His Church into grow. Christ in the person of the Holy Ghost comes upon you in the true baptism of the Holy Ghost, and you got all these virtues sealed in you, then God lives in a tabernacle, called the building, the Living Tabernacle of the Living God's dwelling place. There's a reality that proves it! God walking on two feet in you. You take the blood out of a man, he's gone. Then the only thing you can do is put another blood back in him. If he is going to live again....And now we put the Blood of Jesus Christ in! and that brings the Faith of Jesus Christ, the Virtue of Jesus Christ, etc.... There is the Perfect Man of God, when he possesses these virtues. And this Being when it's completed, is the Church of God that's going in the Rapture. There you are, see. When a man, or a woman possess this, then the capstone comes down and seals them into the Kingdom of God which is the Holy Ghost. So this Church has got to come to perfection in order to bring the resurrection. And up here, when the pyramid cap does come, the pyramid itself, the Body of Christ will have to be honed...it will have to be so perfectly like Christ 'til when He comes He and that ministry will fit right smack together. Then will come the Rapture and the going home. Because just beneath Him. the Holy Spirit, is the Spirit of Jesus Christ into the Church to manifest those virtues. Stature of a Perfect Man p. 46 to 55, & 65

Time shall be no more. He announces that time is over. What happens? Could that be so, now, Brethren? Seriously think! If it is, then the pyramid is capped by the Seven

Thunders. You remember the pyramid message? It is the capstone. What did it do? The Holy Spirit capped off the individual and sealed it when we added to our faith; righteousness, and godliness, and faith, and so forth-we kept adding to it until we got seven things, and the seventh one was Love which is God. That is how He makes the individual. He caps him and seals him with the Holy Spirit. Then if that be so. He has got Seven Church Ages that He has had Seven Mysteries that has been sounded away and they fought for to bring back, and now the Headstone comes to cap off the Church. Does the Thunders mean that, my Brethren? Sirs, is that where we are at? Is this the Mystery of the Thunders that will bring back the Headstone? You know, the pyramid never was capped. The Headstone is yet to come. It has been rejected. Sirs, Is This the Time? P. 47,48

And the God of Heaven promised the evening time would have evening Light. Three years ago this mystery was a prophecy, "What time is it, sir?" But now it's history. It's passed. The promise is fulfilled. What time is it, sir, and what's this attraction? God fulfilling His Word! He's the same yesterday, today, and forever. What is the Attraction on the Mountain? p. 24

The Token is the Token. It's you and Christ as persons together. See? It's the Holy Spirit, His life in you working His own Life through you. Back to the Word, because the messages and the messages and the messages has to wind up in the entire Word. And in the last days, the Seven Seals being opened, was to pick up every straggle that's been left off in it and make the whole thing in one great big body of the Bride, that them who lived back there was not perfect until this church be perfected, the Bride group in the last days, to bring them in and altogether be taken up. Now, watch what's come after the Seven Seals: the uniting of the people, united signs, the red light flashing in the last days; the sign of women getting prettier; and man, what they would do; all these signs of the Holy Spirit leading up; and then come right back here to the capping-off of .all those messages since the Seven Seats. It's capped off in this one thing, the Token, that we are all right. Just check ourselves and see if we're in the faith. Desperation p. 4,5,6,7

The Token never came into existence until the evening time. This is the evening time for the Church. Oh, we are living in the shadows, and the wrath is ready to strike, and God is requiring a Token that you, yourself, have received His Token-The Holy Ghost. It is the only way and the only sign that God will ever pass, because it is the Literal Life of Jesus Christ returned back into the believer.

Your character is God's Character. And that makes the human being now, not only human being, but he is a son and daughter of God, of the super, super, super, super, super. Life that was in Him comes back upon you and changes you from a sinner and the things of the world, a church member and a denominational goer, to a born again Christian, filled with the Spirit, and the Life of God just flowing from you like sparks from an anvil. As you walk full of virtue, love and gentleness, and the Holy Spirit moving, speaking. As you walk, you have confidence that the Life of Christ is in you, and you are in Him. Then it gives us The Token, and we apply the Token, which is the seat until.... The Token p. 9, 10, 44, 53

The Bible said the Headstone was rejected. Now, then after that age lived by, the Wesleyan age, come in the Pentecostal age with the Baptism of the Holy Ghost. See, you're shaping up all the time. Now remember, that Headstone wasn't on it yet. They shaped the pyramid in shape to fit the Headstone, but the

Headstone never did come. But the true Church all over the world has shaped down to a place that there's come a ministry among them just exactly like the ministry of Jesus Christ. Now, what's the next thing? This rejected Stone to the pyramid, cut out of the mountain without hands. The rejected One, the rejected Stone is the Head of the Capstone. And the very One that they've rejected through this Gentile age is Christ. He's the Holy Spirit. And the cap of the pyramid will be Christ coming. Do you see it? You understand it now? Christ the Headstone, the rejected Stone, the all-seeing Eye, coming exactly like the Bible said. Up went the Church into glory at the Rapture, cause it ended the Gentile dispensation. God ended it up, the coming of that Stone. Christ is that Stone. He's coming for a Church that's been reborned again by the Spirit of God, cause the strength of that Headstone runs all through the Church like a magnet. We've got to be magnetized to that Headstone. That Headstone is the Holy Ghost, Christ. And every one of us that's got that magnetism of the Holy Spirit, when that Stone strikes the Image, the Church will flee to It.

Back into glory She'll be taken up at the rapture of the saints, when She goes forth thru that day. Daniel 70 Weeks p.29,30,31

Three things happened, a shout, a voice, a trumpet, has to happen before Jesus appears. Jesus does all three of them when He's descending. What is a shout? It's the Message going forth first, the living Bread of Life bringing forth the Bride. It's a message to get the people together. The second is a voice of the resurrection. The Rapture p.27, 29

Pentecostal manna will not work for today. See what I mean? Every day it come day by day, fresh, and so has it to the church ages. Luther's manna was the message of justification. Wesley's message was the manifestation of sanctification; Pentecostal was the restoration of the gifts. But this is introducing the Headstone, the last day, the Bride Tree. And so has the real little minority of the Church growed from Justification, Sanctification, Baptism of the Holy Ghost, and now the coming Capstone, shaping itself up. His own reflection. Just like the pyramid message.

You see, it's heaping right up till it's coming to the minority for the Headstone. The ministry of Jesus Christ on earth has to be the same as the ministry He had, or He can't come to it...Beautifully, it's the Light of the hour. A Man that Can Turn on the Light p. 32,33,36

He's the Head of the Body, which is His Church, Bride. Then the Bride body must follow the Head, for it is part of His resurrection and part of the mystery, It's impossible for it not to go. It's a part of His threefold mystery. Therefore, the Body cannot recognize any other Headship, but the Word, because the Head is connected with the Body. And the Head is the Word. and it's the same Word-one Headship. There's one Headship-that's Christ. He, the Word properly vindicated, is the Headship, the Head of the Church. Then we are united under One vindicated Headship that is Christ, the Word of God, not under any church. Then our Headship is a Kingdom. We belong to a Kingdom, and the Kingdom is the Word of God made Spirit and Life in our own life, bringing to pass every promise in this day as it did in that day when the Word and God was One. Now it's coming up to identification. See? Watch. Now to the Life in the Body is a vindication of the Rapture is at hand. When you see the Headship and the Body becoming One and the fullness of the measure of His manifestation, show that the Body is about ready to be received to the Headship. He's bringing His Life to the Body in the vindication for the Rapture. The devil, that's the reason he's howling the way he is. His scheme has been

uncovered by the risen, resurrected Christ in the Headship over His Body! The Headship is here. Amen, Christ the risen Lord! Not them people; the Headship and the Body has become one Unit. It's God manifested in His people. That's the reason the husband and wife is no longer twain; they're one. God and His Church is One, Christ in you! God's great Revelation. Glory to God! Oh, if I could get the world to see that. And then the Word moves on down into the Body from the Head. Nothing can be added or taken from it. So that same Word moves from the Head as the day comes close, down into the Body, vindicating that they are One. Notice the vindicated Word in His Body is His very victory and the reason of His death. He is the Word. And the Church becomes the Word by Him making Her a part of Him, and that's the Word again.

Personality identified by Him. His property alone. Christ is the Mystery of God Revealed p. 74, 76,77,78,84,85,86,87

And the pyramid being those foundations, up into the kings chamber. But the Headstone was rejected. But that's the stone that caps the whole thing, that makes it the pyramid through the complete seven church ages. Add grace, add this, add this. there's seven adds, the last one is Christ. Add this to your charity, add grace to your grace, add something else and something else, till it gets up to Christ is the Headstone, "And I am the door."

You're a creation of the Word. Because the foundation stone was laid in you before the foundation of the world, predestinated to be sons and daughters of God. And upon this come stone upon stone, in each age, to vindicate that Word that's coming up, just exactly as Jesus did in His age, which is the Capstone of it all. In Him laid every age. The Headstone crying what? Grace, Grace! Passed from death and creed, into a living Word of the living God. God's only provided plan for His age. His sons in the Word age quickened by the Spirit like a spark that's lit off of something to make it alive. Notice Enoch, God's perfect reflector in type. When God was through with him, He just translated him, took him up. The mechanics that he had reflected be come dynamics with the Spirit, and took him up. God's only Provided Place p. 33,38,39,40

Then He started rising see, and from the feet He begin to build the Church, the Bride, coming back, on back, and now coming out into the Headstone, where it alt joins together and makes the one great transfigured Body of Jesus Christ. Now, there isn't one moving faculty beyond the eye. Is that right? The next is the intelligence, which is Christ, Itself, who controls the whole body. Christ is Revealed in His Own Word p.37,39

Enoch, before the antediluvian destruction, when justification was coming in, he brought forth a sign. And in this pyramid is Seven steps going to the king's chamber. Watch, on the seventh step what comes out to take the oncomer to introduce to the king. Watch, whose station that is standing there, and you'll see the day you're living, in the pyramid. And in this pyramid was seven steps and then the king's chamber. And we are in-the seventh church age before the King takes His Throne. And remember the pyramid never did have a capstone on it. There was a pyramid after that (Enoch) which testified exactly, just exactly, just exactly draws the dimension of the hour we're living. Yes, become a part of the Word, a part of the Word today. You can't be a part of the Word of Moses' day. That part's done made up; that was the feet. We're at the Head now. This is Christ. Not the arms time back in Luther; no, this is the Head time, Christ, the Headstone comes to the Body, He commissioned us that we would live this part of the Word for our ages. Just a little while and we'll be summoned; then the Rapture will come. Just a little bitty

group, like Enoch, will be taken up. Then the remnant of the woman's seed that keep the commandments of God (Jews), have the testimony of Jesus Christ (Gentiles), will be hunted down like dogs and shall give their life for their testimony. The Future Home p. 51, 69, 70

Organization died out, and Christ has again centered Himself like that Cap of the pyramid. First line, Justification, Sanctification. Baptism of the Holy Ghost, then coming of the Cap. What is it? That Holy Ghost bunch being honed out, so that it can fit with the same kind of ministry that he had when He went away; that when He comes back it'll catch the whole thing in the Rapture, where they're justified, sanctified, and the Baptism of the Holy Ghost. That pyramid will stand again! The house of God will live again. The tree of Life is growing again! Restoration of the Bride Tree p.76

Raise up mighty man. Raise up mighty warriors of the Faith. Open this year. Lord, that hidden manna, that Rock beneath the Rock, that we might see the program of God. Cap off the Pyramids of our life. Lord, put the Capstone, Christ Jesus, upon each and everyone of us. May His great magnificent Holy blessings be upon us all. May the fire of the Holy Ghost come upon us. May the power of the resurrection be manifested. God, how we thank you tonight. We are yours. We give ourselves fully to you, Lord! The Contest p. 9

And the Holy Ghost seals you, therefore, you're sealed by the Word. It's uniting time of God and His Bride, too. And I say this with reverence and respect. I believe that the Bride of Christ is called; I believe She's sealed in the Kingdom of God. I believe mechanics is there. They're waiting for the Dynamics, that'll take Her off the earth into Glory, in the Rapture. I believe it will with all my heart. Yes, sir! We don't know how He's going to do it. He is the Dynamics. We just become Members of the machine of His Body, forming ourself into His Image, and see Him uniting Himself with us in His works, with His love gifts, as He hands them to us just before the wedding supper. And we're waiting, watching for that. The Dynamics of this Church will be a refilling of the Holy Ghost, that *we* have worked in a small measure while the Headstone is coming down to unite with the Body. But when that Head and Body unites together the full power of the Holy Ghost would raise Her up just exactly like...Even the dead that's dead in Christ for hundreds of years ago, will rise in the beauty of His Holiness and take a flight through the skies. The Dynamics is the Holy Spirit. What will we do with this Jesus called Christ? They certainly don't-want nothing to do with It. So, there's only one thing to do then. Exactly what they did then. They'll crucify It. And in the last day, as we're told. as it was in the days of Sodom, the Bride will be united by the Word of God made manifest in the flesh. A Holy Spirit sealing them into God and sealing unbelief out, on the outside. Well what about the Blood of Jesus Christ then? You think you'll be excused. After it's thoroughly a vindicated; how you going to escape It? His Blood is on your hands. What Shall I do With Jesus? p. 26,29, 30.32.37

The Church is the Blood of Christ by the Spirit, because the Life is in the Blood. That's the baptism of the Holy Ghost that baptizes us into His Body, that recognizes only His Body, His Flesh. His Word. Christ is the Mystery p. 63

I thought, "Oh, my God, one day there'll come a blast from Heaven, the dead in Christ shall rise first. Them Old Testament saints back yonder who are waiting a blast forth and come out of there firsthand go into the resurrection; we'll drop right in line and going to the skies, these old mortal bodies changed and made like unto His own glorious body.

What a parade that'll be when it starts heavenward some of these days in that rapturing time that lays ahead, oh. proudly displaying the BLOOD of Jesus Christ upon their chests, the Message of God in the hour that they lived in. That's the hour that we're looking forward to, brother. The Rapture p.37

The same Word sucked up through these and come out here and come to a Head, here. And all that Life that come through there, picked up its people, and now it is forming up into a Head for the Rapture. That Germ that was in you at the beginning, found you. Your new Life is in the- Lamb's Book of Life-your marriage certificate. Hallelujah. Pull away from those shucks and get out here in the wheat where you can get ripe before the sun. I hear the coming of the combine. You are standing complete, justified tike you never did it in the first place. Hallelujah! Talk about a Thanksgiving. I feel real good. I am more thankful for that than anything I know of. You are the pure, virtuous, sinless Bride of the Son of the Living God. Every man and woman that is born of the Spirit of God, washed in the Blood of Jesus Christ, and believes every Word of God, stands as though you never sinned in the first place. You are perfect. The Blood of Jesus Christ. Invisible Union p. 32, 39

No. Nothing will be saved only those whose names were put; on the Lamb's Book of Life before the foundation of the world, Jew or Gentile. That's all; the Book holds that mystery, and the Book is only unfolding it now-not each one's name, but what the mystery of the Book is while it's calling those names. Do you understand that now? See? The Book doesn't say. Now, Lee Vayle is to be save in the time of this church age, or Orman Neville, or whoever. No, it don't say that. It just shows the mystery of what the thing is. But we, ourselves by faith believe it. That's what I said the other night. Seals? 473

Here we are in the end time, coming from the East and West, North and South. What are we doing? Getting ready for that, Rapture. Getting ready for...Holding ourselves steady for a few minutes tilt every fiber is filled with the-Holy Ghost. Then She'll go up. Oh, my! Calling His people together to Himself in the true oneness with Himself, because it's His one Holy Spirit. By One Spirit are we all, individually, baptised into one body, collectively, the Body of Jesus Christ. And Jesus Christ living with His Spirit in our flesh, is serving the church and doing the same

things He did, as a sign, as an ensign to the world, that we're in the last days, getting ready for the Rapture. Oh, I love Him, don't you? You know how I shaped in the church Ages, here not long ago, the big tower that was built, called the pyramid, but the Headstone was never put on it. Remember how the Lutherans came, the Wesleys in the minority, and then down to Pentecost. And now what He's doing, calling from that. He called out the elect to make the Lutheran; called out the elect of the Lutheran to make the Wesleyan; He called out the elect out of that to make the Pentecostals; now He's calling the Elect Pentecostals out, to make the Headstone to come into it. Oneness p.31,35

"I will praise-thee for thou hast heard me, and art become my salvation. The stone which the builders refused is become the headstone of the corner. This is The Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. God is the Lord, which hath shewed us light." Psalms 118:21 to 27

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