

## 039 The Significance of Christmas

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And I say good evening to you one and all. Well it is indeed a pleasure for me to have this opportunity once again of manifesting in this manner. And I am Dr. Carlos Blair and it seems that we have quite a few new ones here for the first time, and I wish to welcome of course all of you, and I can assure you that you can be most comfortable because you aren't going to see anything differently that what you're seeing right at this moment. And this isn't a place where you're going to as it were, see ghosts. And so I just thought I'd tell you that to make you feel a little better.

It seems that I would at this time like to speak on a subject that we feel here in spirit is very fitting, as it were, not only for the time that it is of the year, but more importantly, for the conditions which are found in your world at this time.

As most of you realize this is the time of year in your world where man is more open and more receptive and more aware than at any other time, of his brotherhood of man, of his need for his awareness and involvement and evolvment where his fellow man is concerned. And it is indeed that that I wish to speak upon. It would not behoove me, I don't believe, it would merely be a waste of time rather to go into the story, as it were, leading up to this point in the life of Christ into this period which you are now coming. I think that would be redundant as most of you are very aware of it.

It is indeed a celebration that is of much greater importance than merely the life of Christ and his birth, because it is a time when even those in your world who are of varying religious denominations and backgrounds have a tendency to set aside all differences and to focus in on the importance of loving his fellow man. Those who are of the varying faiths that do not celebrate this occasion at least do respect it. They reach out to their fellow man and realize that in his time it is very important for him. And through that there is a closer a-one-ness among mankind as a whole in your world than at any other time of the year.

If we in spirit could bring about that type of feeling for all of mankind throughout all of time, then we would indeed have accomplished a great deal towards man finding his own peace on earth and good will to all mankind.

It seem that this is the time of year when man's thoughts have a tendency to turn away from himself, as I have said, and turn to his fellow man. However, many times, he has the tendency as it were, to overlook the real significance of that which is taking place. And I'm not speaking now of the significance of the story as it is related in your Bible of the birth of Christ and the times leading up to it. But rather to the significance of this

man's having entered a physical body, from the stand point of what was accomplished by his teachings and example, not by his birth. It seems that too often times, man has a tendency to set aside the importance of the teachings and replace them with the importance of the man.

In your modern churches of Christianity, as it were, there is indeed the constant reiterating of the fact of placing Jesus the Christ, as it were, as being God, one and the same. When in reality in his own teachings, in his own language, in his own words, he, not on one occasion but on many occasions, repeated time and again, that it was indeed the God was the father of all mankind not just of himself, that God indeed was dwelling within each and every individual, as the parental father would dwell in his son, as you know it to be.

Still there are those who, as I say, set the man Jesus into this place of worship, worshiping, as it were, the man Jesus, rather than the Godhead itself. I'm not here to say that the man should not be looked up on, looked upon with great respect, with great admiration, because without exception he was one of the greatest teachers that has ever been in a physical body. He, in all positiveness, came the nearest of anyone, to reaching total perfection while yet in a physical body. He indeed understood his a-one-ness in his relationship with God, and even when he spoke of God in the very prayer that he taught to man, as an example of how to pray, he indeed said, "our father" not my father. He separated himself by speaking of the Father and the Son and the Holy Ghost. He separated himself when he said, "that no man shall go unto the Father, but by me". On many, many occasions he spoke as the Father being that of a separate entity. This man should indeed be revered, this man indeed should be looked up to, because this man's life and the manner in which he lived it, has brought more people in the world into their own a-one-ness with God that any other single individual who has ever been in a physical body. It is not the birth of Christ that should be celebrated, it is indeed the life of Christ that should be celebrated in its totalness, not just that instant that took place there in the manger.

If man could realize that this is the time of year when he can indeed, because of the vibratory levels of all of mankind around and about him, come more easily into finding and feeling and knowing his a-one-ness with God, then he would realize why he has the upliftment that is there at this time of the year. You are indeed each of you individually being affected by the vibratory levels that are being put out by all individuals. It is indeed in your world, a beautiful, a happy, uplifting and loving time. It is one that we in spirit like to see come into being because it is a time when spirit also can draw closer to man.

It is indeed very important for man to realize his own complete relationship, as it were, in an a-one-ness with each other, including an a-one-ness with Christ, as well as his a-one-ness with God.

If you can but realize that that which you have in terms of the material in your world at this time, that in reality it has merely been placed within your reach, within your control for indeed a limited period of time because in reality everything belongs to God. So regardless of how great your abundance that man looks upon with great pride and says look what I've acquired, this belongs to me, this is mine, as it were, he has lost sight of the reality that it is only his in the form of stewardship. That indeed there is no portion of it in a material sense that man can keep for eternity. It has merely been placed in his hands by God Almighty for his good, for his use, and if he chooses and uses it wisely in the upliftment of his fellow man, then it will bring great rewards. However the responsibility that is placed there at the same time can indeed inflict upon that individual the negative aspects, if, all of a sudden, that becomes his God. It is not what man has that's important, rather is how he utilizes that which God entrusts to him. This indeed as I said is a time of giving. It is a time of looking at your fellow man who has lesser than self, and sharing to whatever extent you can, not only that of the material but that of the spiritual, the emotional, the encouragement, and all the other varying aspects which God has given you the abilities to utilize.

It is a time in the year when man is more open to being a good receiver and being receptive, and I'm here to tell you, many of you are very poor at it the rest of the time. Oh, Yes, you're all good givers, everyone loves giving. It's like my medium, he still has difficulty with it. Oh, he loves to give but when it's time to receive, then he feels awkward about it, as it were. But you indeed must be good receivers because if you were not, then no one else could be givers. It is equally as important to be a good receiver as giver. This is a time of year when man concentrates on giving, and in reality he would be more properly within his thinking to concentrate upon being a good receiver, to allow others the upliftment of the giving and sharing. It is a time to give and receive love, it is time to give and receive upliftment and direction. It is a time to give and receive your own a-one-ness with God and sharing it with others.

It is indeed important that mankind realize the indepthness of the importance and the purpose of, not just this time you celebrate as I said, as the life of this one Jesus Christ of Nazareth, but rather not only the birth but the life, because it was indeed the life that was the example. None here among you, I would dare say have emulated his birth, but you can indeed emulate his life.

So as you go forth at this time of year in your world, it should be with a light heart, with a great openness for receiving, as well as giving and sharing, and it should be a time of being in total awareness and a-one-ness with your God, in whatever form you see your God as being. God Bless you all.

And now I believe I should have created a few questions pertaining to the subject I have spoken on. So I'll allow you to ask whatever you like, in that sense.

**Question:** The soul of Jesus Christ must have come from a very high plateau and sort of handpicked one if you, sort of handpicked to be able to live on earth and maintain the life that he did, is this in fact how his spirit maintained itself so well on the earth?

**Dr. Blair:** Well of course, it is in relationship to his own level of progression at the time that he reentered the physical body. And he was indeed a very high spirit and one that was indeed entering the physical body into the flesh as a young child, as a babe, as what we would refer to as the higher fifth level or fifth plane as it were, of evolvment. Yes.

**Response:** It must have a voluntary movement for him.

**Dr. Blair:** Oh of course, he chose to come into the body, he chose to serve in this manner. And realized fully in advance of his coming what his responsibilities were, and that's why he had such keen awareness of it in the entirety of his life. On those many occasions when those around him said, "you mustn't do this", but he said, "oh, but I must, I have to fulfill the prophecies, I have to go forth in riding into Jerusalem, as it were, as the king" rather than worrying for his life, yes.

(pause)

My goodness I just figured I'd stir up all kinds of things when I separated Christ, as it were, a little bit from God the Father.

**Question:** You told us very well about the peace involved that pervades the earth at this time of year, but we also experience and hear about the madness and the chaos that goes on at the same time of year too, like in the shopping centers. Do you feel from your perspective that this love and peace will overcome the other?

**Dr. Blair:** Oh, by far it does, yes of course because in reality the madness that is going on is the man being caught up in the material aspects of it, not being caught up into the spiritual. And when he has awareness that what he is doing is of a spiritual nature where his fellow man is concerned, then he isn't bothered by the madness, as it were. And yes indeed there's plenty of it. But the spiritual by far offsets it, yes of course.

How's the time David? You know even the countries of your world, when they are indeed in times of conflict, in times of war, and this great day comes, they even stop the fighting for it, out of respect, they have in the past had what you refer to as cease fires for the purpose of recognizing the birth of this great teacher. That should give you some insight to the impact it has in your world.

(pause)

My goodness you mean I haven't any other questions at all? Well, then I'll open it for a moment for a few of the personal nature, while the time lasts.

Question: How do you let someone in spirit know that you truly do not hold something they did in the physical body, against them?

Dr. Blair: Merely by what you've just done. Having the thought, the moment you have released it and had that thought or verbalized it, as it were, into the ether, then they immediately are aware, yes.

Response: Thank you, I appreciate that.

Dr. Blair: Certainly. And of course the bigger concern there is the frustration that they have on the spirit side when they wish to communicate like thoughts and don't have the means. Do you understand what I'm saying? Yes.

Response: \_\_\_\_\_ cause a great deal of concern for me.

Dr. Blair: Yes, that's part of the hell that you have in spirit when you look back and see someone there with hurts that you feel responsible for, and you have no way of communicating to them your concern for having been responsible for those hurts, then that is hell.

How's the time David, we must be there, the Rock's nervous. I believe now I have held the body long enough and besides that the medium gets a little bit upset if I go too long and then the Rock, he gets upset also. And so I believe I best take leave. And as I do I ask only that God pour forth his richest of all blessings upon each and every one of you. May you ever walk in his light and especially this time of the year be in full awareness of his love. But most of all share in, totally, his peace. God Bless you one and all.