

"Happy are thy men, Happy Are These Thy Servants, which stand continually before thee, and that hear thy wisdom." *1 Kings 10:8 KJV*



The Queen of Sheba exclaimed to Solomon, "I believed not the words, until I came, and mine eyes had seen it: and, behold, the half was not told me." Jesus Said of Himself, "The queen of the south shall rise up in the judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it: for she came from the uttermost parts of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and, behold, A Greater than Solomon Is Here." Those who literally heard the "Voice of God" from the Lips of Christ lived in a singular era. The Word Made Flesh" Walked among them, Healed them, Taught them, and Rebuked them, but after all that they still crucified Him! Somehow we see ourselves as better, thinking, "I would never do that!" But the truth is, we view in hindsight what comes naturally from men, unbelief! We watch magicians with a similar tongue-in-cheek attitude, "I don't know how they did it, but it's only a trick." Let me bring it full circle – we say we believe God's Word, but our lives expose our words as lies. Jesus Said before He Left, "And I Will Pray The Father, and He Shall Give you another Comforter, that He May Abide with you for ever; Even the Spirit of Truth; Whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth Him not, neither knoweth Him: but ye know Him; for He Dwelleth with you, and Shall Be In you." In the upper room at Pentecost, "Suddenly There Came A Sound From Heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. And there appeared unto them Cloven Tongues like as of fire, and It sat upon each of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as The Spirit Gave them utterance." My question is, "What has happened between then and now?" Unbelief! Sure, many claim to "speak with other tongues," but their lives prove that it is not the Holy Spirit giving them utterance. Beware of those who mouth belief, who live in unbelief! Believers Are Indwelt by the Spirit of the Living God who by Virtue of His Presence Heals them of the fatal infirmity of death. His Voice Guides And Teaches them. They are "continually before" Him. Many say they believe, but they act as if God is nonexistent. Why? Unbelief! Disobedience is unbelief! If we continue to ignore His Presence, we will, like Peter, deny Him before men or worse yet, end up with crowd that yelled, "Crucify Him! Crucify Him!"

Jehovah God, indwelling men,  
Quickens dead men from within,  
He walks beside them ev'ry day,  
And talks with them along the way. –CGP

Did you walk away from God today to your own affairs rather than sit "continually before Him" with meditation and unceasing prayer? That is, keeping the Truth of God' Word continually in thought. Nothing stops you, but you. You alone decide what occupies your thoughts! Believers, today, have the same opportunity the multitudes had in Christ's day. We need but kneel to be before Him for He Is "Continually" with us! Ignoring God leaves a man in faithless unbelief! You can't see God, but you can hear Him. You have to listen to Truth to hear God! Are you listening?

"But they have not all obeyed The Gospel. For Esaias saith, 'Lord, who hath believed our report?' So then Faith Cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God." *Romans 10:16-17 KJV*