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Need Spiritual Rebirth

"Everybody is looking for security. We speak in our land, America, about Social Security and we're wondering how we will keep the program solvent so that by the year 2000 some of us might be able to draw a little bit...there is no real Social Security on this earth, except in Christ...The only security this world offers is that which is offered through a relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ."

"That's [spiritual birth] all you'll really ever need."

God's Understanding

"There are many times when I can say only to the person whose heart's broken and who is weeping 'I don't understand.' But God does, and God is too loving and too good to do anything to hurt us, and he's too wise to make a mistake."

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Problems in America

"What is wrong in America today? We're not hearing."

"We have a 40% divorce rate in this country...We have a drug epidemic in America that is wiping out the minds and bodies of our children...The homosexual revolution. Whenever you call homosexuality moral perversion today media people say 'hey, that's a bigoted point of view...We look at the heterosexual problems in our country. The promiscuity. The infidelity...we have a pornographic explosion...A majority of the persons in prisons today who are there for having committed sex crimes did so after having an experience with pornography...thirteen million little babies in America have been murdered since January 1973 legally by abortion...the Larry Flynts."

Public Education

"Besides the violence in the schools...they're not learning anything. I'm not trying to put down school teachers...But the NEA is not willing to admit, that academically, children are graduating today with an inferior education. The graduates of 40 and 50 years ago far surpass the academic achievements of graduates of today although we have all the facilities to do twice as well as they did."

Labor Unions

"Wouldn't it be great if the union instead of demanding more

money demanded time to read the Bible and pray..."

"When people get right with God, they are better workers."

Problems in America

"Vital moral issues have now moved front and center...We will select leaders this year, from the White House to county supervisors, who believe in traditions and moral values or we will elect the opposite and ruin the country...Do it right this time or lose it."

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Spiritual Gifts

"God saved me and gifted me to preach the gospel...God gives gifts to men, first of all to glorify Him...Secondly, God gives gifts that we might edify the church"

"The gift of wisdom...that is given to some, like Francis Schaeffer...the gift of knowledge...Some are given the gift of faith...The gift of healing...Then the gift of miracles...Then the gift of prophecy or telling forth...The gift of discerning of spirits..."

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Love

"The most well known and also the misunderstood of all these words is the word 'love.' As it is done with many, many different words, Hollywood has taken this beautiful word 'love' and distorted it and twisted it and perverted it that in the minds of millions love means lust. Or at the very best, some head-in-the-clouds romantic kick rather than the agape love that is spoken about in the love chapter [Corinthians, Chapter 13]."

"[The Biblical meaning of] love is unselfish concern for the welfare of others...love is that act of seeking the highest good for another person..."

"All the gifts that God gives can be thought of as the bricks in God's building, whereas love is the mortar that holds those bricks together."

"I've in 27 1/2 years, nearly 28 years, refused to allow anybody to stand in this pulpit who criticized another man of God...love is patient, kind and never jealous...love isn't pessimistic, love perseveres."

"The only person in the world I hate is the devil...I pray for Yuri Andropov. God can save him...I pray for Fidel Castro. I don't like anything he does, but I pray for his soul. All he needs is a good dose of Bible salvation and he'd repudiate Marxism, Leninism, and he'll stop his exportation of revolution all over the world and stop killing people and he'll join the human race."