

Foolish Virgins Part 2 – Why Do They Get Eternal Life?

In part two of the Foolish Virgin study, we will discuss why the foolish virgin class goes into eternal life.

We know from Part 1 that the Foolish Virgins have eternal life. Now the question arises, what is their requirement to have it? What must they do? Let's look at scripture and a quote from the prophet Brother Branham.

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Matthew 25:31-40

*When the Son of man shall come in his glory, and all the holy angels with him, then shall he sit upon the throne of his glory:
And before him shall be gathered all nations: and he shall separate them one from another, as a shepherd divideth [his] sheep from the goats:
And he shall set the sheep on his right hand, but the goats on the left.
Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world:
For I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me in:
Naked, and ye clothed me: I was sick, and ye visited me: I was in prison, and ye came unto me.
Then shall the righteous answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee an hungered, and fed [thee]? or thirsty, and gave [thee] drink?
When saw we thee a stranger, and took [thee] in? or naked, and clothed [thee]?
Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came unto thee?
And the King shall answer and say unto them, Verily I say unto you, **In as much as ye have done [it] unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done [it] unto me.***

Matthew 25:31-40

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*The first resurrection has nothing to do with the second death. That is at the end of the thousand years when ALL THE REST of the dead live again. And in that day there will be those who come forth to eternal life and those others who are caught in the second death. Now we do not need to guess about those who in the second resurrection are given life. **We are told it is given to them on the grounds that they have been kind and good to the "Brethren"**.*

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Brother Branham and scripture teaches us that the foolish virgins have eternal life because they are good to the "Brethren." Like the scripture says, "when you have done it to the least of these you have done it unto me." When the foolish virgins give you a drink of water, it is like they are giving God a drink of water. When they feed you, it is like they are feeding God. The foolish virgins get eternal life because they treat the Bride well. I look forward to spending eternity with them.

The foolish virgin not only are receiving eternal life, but when we look at the definition of eternal life, as given to us by the scripture and Brother Branham, to have eternal life you must be a part of God which has no beginning and no end. There is only one form of eternal life, that is the very life of Christ in us.

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79 036 When you receive Eternal Life, there's only one form of Eternal Life, that's the Greek word "Zoe (Is that right, brother?), Zoe," God's own Life. So you being a son, you become part of that Life. So the Life that's in you never did begin, and it never can end. Think of it. It can't end, because that anything that's eternal never began. The Life that's in you never did begin, that--that is, if you've got Eternal Life, and that's God; for you was in His thoughts on the eternal. And now it's expressed here in a human being for His glory. Jesus came to redeem that, being the Son. The fullness of God had to come and become that. The sinless character of God did that, that He might redeem these other thoughts that's to come to Him to make a wife. See what I mean? Oh, it's a glorious story. We ain't--oughtn't to get on that anyhow. Let's go on. All right.

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For you to have eternal life, you have got to be a part of God. Even if you are the foolish virgin, you have to be a part of God and in His mind from before the foundation of the world. You have a time of manifestation which will express the thought of God at a given time, just as the Bride has a time of manifestation. But the foolish virgin is just as eternal.

There is nothing that the foolish virgins can do to get to be a part of this class. They are ordained to be here on earth to help the Bride. They will do what is in them to do, because they are ordained to manifest their scriptures just as the Bride will manifest her scriptures. They are kind to the bride, and they may not even know why they do the things that they do for the Bride. It is just in the foolish virgin to manifest a spirit of help to the Bride. They will ask according to Matthew 25 "when did we do these things?" It is not anything that was done as a requirement, but a part of them.

It is a wonderful thing to be the foolish virgin, because they have a role to play that is very important to the Bride, and they are the reason that the Bride was able to survive in this world, and God used the foolish virgin to fulfill his scripture to build his Bride body. The foolish virgin will be just as proud to be who they are, just as the Bride will be proud to be who she is. They are both eternal beings, and they both are a part of God, just delegated to represent a different part of the scriptures.