

Session 1 Intro to Bob Jones, Paul Cain, and End-Time Revival

I. INTRODUCTION

- A. We are not to base our ministry on prophetic words, but on our relationship with Jesus and His Word. However, prophetic promises are given to inspire us to persevere in prayer, holiness, and serving. Prophetic promises are given to strengthen our resolve to obey God, to be faithful in prayer, and to help us keep focused on the specific ministry assignment that God gives us.

¹⁸This charge I commit to you, son Timothy, according to the prophecies previously made concerning you, that by them you may wage the good warfare... (1 Tim. 1:18)

- B. Prophecy is not a guarantee, but an invitation from God to participate with Him in prayer, faith, and obedience. Prophetic promises fuel the prayer life of the Church.
- C. The Father has a vast and glorious storyline for the whole Body of Christ in this generation. The Holy Spirit is orchestrating **one great move of God** in this generation, comprised of **many smaller ministry movements** that each have a specific ministry assignment. Each has a small yet significant part to play in His global plans. God wants His people to love the whole Church.
- D. IHOPKC is one small movement in the midst of the global end-time move of God. In telling this prophetic history, our prayer is that the IHOPKC community be strengthened in our resolve to obey our specific ministry assignment. We share this story, hoping that part of our story will encourage others to believe God for His fullness in their ministry assignment.

II. A BRIEF BACKGROUND ON BOB JONES

- A. Bob Jones was born on Feb. 4, 1930 and grew up in an alcoholic home in the hills of Arkansas. He had two angelic experiences: the first was when he was 9-years old (his website says 7-years old), and the second when he was 15-years old. He met Jesus at age 39 (1969). Until 1988, his occupation was spraying and trimming trees. He went to be with the Lord on Feb. 14, 2014.
- B. Bob spoke of having over 100 prophetic revelations (1975-1983) concerning a youth movement rising up in Kansas City. Bob served the Lord with me in Kansas City for ten years (1983-1992). The most significant prophetic words from Bob were given to us in 1983-84.
- C. I met Bob on March 7, 1983. He said, “You are an intercessor and youth pastor. You will lead a worldwide youth movement of singers and musicians who will be used in power evangelism that will mobilize prayer for Israel and receive abundant grace in the prophetic and intercession.”
- D. “The Lord will place you next to Harry Truman’s property in Grandview as a sign and wonder. Truman was a political intercessor for Israel (God used him in Israel becoming a nation in 1948). This youth movement will be spiritual intercessors for Israel.”
- E. Bob told me we would have a great connection with believers throughout all Asia. On unplugged TV sets (smart phones), they would see our singers worshipping on Harry Truman’s property.

III. A GREAT EXPLOSION OF GOD’S LIGHT (AUGUST 8, 1975)

- A. On August 8, 1975, Bob Jones had his first prophetic experience that indicated that he would be connected to a young adult prayer and worship movement that would start in Kansas City.
- B. **From Bob Jones’ words:** “The Lord said, ‘I want you to go back to touch a few young leaders of a coming movement in Kansas City who will reveal Me to the nations. Many of My servants have sold out My glory for sin. I will raise up many young people across the nations who will be faithful to Me to the end. There is coming a **third world war** that will wake up many. I will bring over a billion souls to Myself at this time.’” Bob said, “At that time, I had an open vision of a **great explosion of God’s light and glory** coming from Kansas City. It was like crystal light traveling at the speed of light to the nations. An angel prophesied, ‘A great move of the Spirit will come... but you won’t be in Kansas City when it happens.’ An angel said, ‘The Lord will bring the first leaders of this movement to you, Bob. The anointing will be on **prophetic singers and musicians**. Many will come to Kansas City, because it will be a house of prophecy, called *the house of prayer*.’”
1. Bob said, “An angel showed me that **God will send great finances to Kansas City**, and that it will be a city where people will form a partnership with God and let Him do with His money as He chooses. Great famines will be seen around the earth. Kansas City will be a **world shipping center** for grain. It will export both natural and spiritual bread.”
 2. Bob asked the Lord how this could be, and He said, “It will be because those that pray will receive from My hand. Intercession will release rain in times of drought and great mercy.”
 3. Bob saw a banner over Kansas City and the Midwest that said “**prophetic and intercession.**” It spoke of abundant grace being released for prophetic ministry and intercession.
 4. The Lord showed Bob that at the time this happens men would perfect an abortion pill sold over the counter and that homosexuals will come out of the closet and parade in the streets with support of governments around the world. He said that this movement would have a strong connection with believers throughout Asia. Multitudes in the rice paddies would see our singers worshipping on Harry Truman’s property via unplugged TV sets (smart phones).
- C. On August 8, 1982, in a vision, Bob saw a white horse in the middle of a riverbed that had four inches of water in it, with rabid dogs on both sides. In this parable, Bob knew that the white horse symbolized the young leaders of a future prayer movement. The dogs in this parable spoke of leaders who considered things like persevering prayer and living a simple lifestyle in order to give more to missions to be extreme, unnecessary, and even wrong.
1. Bob was told to stand behind the “white horse” (the young leaders of the movement) to help it stay in the middle of the stream as they were preparing for a coming flood of the Spirit. (*The preparation was connected to upholding the four heart standards later given in Cairo*).
 2. Bob said, “The Lord said, ‘I will release the spirit of prophecy to keep this white horse in the middle of the stream, because one day the rains will surely come.’ God gave me whatever revelation was needed to keep them in the middle of the stream—to get them back in faith with expectancy and to keep them looking to Jesus for answers.” Bob said, “A rabid dog is one that is mad. Mad dogs are symbolic of religious people who are led by human wisdom that is contrary to God’s word. If a mad dog bites you, it imparts madness to you.

IV. A BRIEF BACKGROUND ON PAUL CAIN

- A. Paul was born on June 16, 1929 in Texas. He went to be with the Lord on February 21, 2019.
- B. An angel visited Paul when he was 8-years old. Afterwards he began to receive many words of knowledge of words. In his early 20s, he had a 12,000-seat tent.
- C. When Paul was about 30 years old, the Lord called him to pull aside. For the next nearly 25 years he lived in Phoenix, Arizona. He referred to these as his “near silent years.”
- D. I first heard of Paul Cain in June 1984 and met his assistant, Reed Grafke, at a McDonalds.
- E. The Lord told Paul over and over, “I am raising up Joel’s army.” In other words, people across the earth who are committed to fasting and prayer and the principles in Joel 2:12-15.
¹²“Now, therefore,” says the LORD, “Turn to Me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning.” ¹³So rend your heart...return to the LORD your God, for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness; and He relents from doing harm...¹⁵Blow the trumpet in Zion, consecrate a fast, call a sacred assembly...” (Joel 2:12-15)
²⁸“It shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions...²⁹I will pour out My Spirit in those days...³¹before the coming of the...day of the LORD.” (Joel 2:28-31)
- F. In April 1987, our pastoral team went on a 21-day fast based on Joel 2:12-17 as we contended for an increase of the prophetic ministry with dreams and visions as promised in Joel 2:28-31.
1. The next day, I met Paul in Birmingham, Alabama (April 1987).
 2. Soon after this, Paul made his first visit to our church in Kansas City where he saw a vision of a “banner” over our building saying, “*Joel’s army in training.*”
 3. He told me about his many visions of seeing stadiums filled with the glory of God and that one day the Lord would open the door for us to meet in Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City
- G. He said, “I saw it like a movie screen in front of me. The anchorman on TV said, ‘We have no news tonight but good news. No sporting events to announce.’” Paul described the stadium, saying maybe there were 100,000 on the inside and 100,000 on the outside. He noticed worship teams on the stage along with the preachers. He heard an anchorman say, “Those on the stage are almost nameless and faceless people that seemingly nobody knows. They are sustained supernaturally as they minister for three days and nights without food, water, or change of clothing as great miracles are occurring.” The anchorman said, “This is happening all over the earth.”
- H. While visiting Kansas City, he said, “I heard the Lord’s voice. It went through me like thunder, saying, ‘*To the church without mixture, I will give the Spirit without measure.*’ The Lord showed me that the ministry in the stadiums will be led by humble people embracing the Joel 2 lifestyle.”