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Grandpa's Big Barn

Upon going to bed on March 4, 2002, the Holy Spirit brought to the forefront of my mind a big barn that was located at my Grandpa Kropf's farm. The barn built in the late 1800's. It was a huge barn designed to take care of the farm animals of that era. It had three huge stalls for horses, two granaries for feed, a corn crib, large tack room, and a large milking area across one end of the barn. There was a center hallway down the middle of the barn to the milking area. Located along the hallway there were two ladders separated equally along the hallway that led to the hayloft. The hayloft area covered the same square footage as the ground floor. Like most barns constructed in that era, the volume of the loft was tremendous. The walls of the loft were high and the roof line had two slopes on each side of the peak to allow for maximum volume of hay storage. The hay in that era was stored loosely and not baled. There was a track attached to the inside peak of the roof. Tongs ran on the track coming out of a large hay loft door at the end of the barn opposite from the milking area. The tongs dropped down into the hay wagons to remove the hay. The hay was lifted up by the tongs on pulleys and ropes into the barn, moved along the track in the barn. Then the hay was dropped at the location desired in the loft.

Growing up on the farm in the 1950's, I never saw the barn used as it was designed. Tractors had replaced the horses. The hayloft had bales of hay stacked in it. The milk stalls and the horse stalls were unused except for a hog or two. The corn crib was unused and the tack room was in disarray with old broken tack. The two granaries were used for awhile, then they were abandoned. With time and aging the barn lost its beauty and became an icon of the past. With each passing year it decayed more. Finally the Army Corps of Engineers purchased all of the land in that area to make a lake. The barn was demolished and the site is now underwater.

I write this description as commanded by the Holy Spirit. Later that night in

a dream or vision, I was going inside the barn. I entered in the door that was below the hay loft door. When I opened the door, my dog charged in ahead of me. I said sic 'em' get them out of there. The dog seemed to sense something in the barn and he charged into the hallway. I looked inside the barn and to the left of the hallway where the horse stalls were, instead of being wood partitions between the stalls, there were solid stained glass windows. One was orange in color and one was red in color. About that time, I saw movement in the hayloft. There were three persons that came down the ladder into the hallway and ran out the door past me. I caught one of the persons and I wrestled him to the ground. I was speaking and trying to convince him something about the Word of God. About that time I heard a voice saying "let him go, he will not listen to the truth. He has made his choice and he will go to hell".

Today the Holy Spirit said—"The barn, as it is was in your day, is the way I see Churches, the Body of Christ today. It does not matter if they look religious in new clothes and they meet in new buildings, like the barn when it was new, they are in a state of decay. They are incomplete because they deny the Holy Ghost in their mist. They are incompetent because they deny the knowledge of My Word. They are incompatible because they will not accept My Holiness, only their doctrines. When they were born again, their spirit was complete and new as the barn was new.. But their soul has not been transformed. They have defiled their bodies, the temple of the Holy Spirit. They listen only to the doctrines of the denominational church they attend. They will not obey all of My Word and become the priests of the new covenant. They are religious, but deny the power that could make them Godly. They are an unholy people and dead in the Spirit. They are decaying and their stench is an abomination to me. They have not repented of their sins and are on the board highway to hell. **Don't try to minister to them, until I make them ready, for I will open their eyes and their ears to hear the truth of My Word and even then many will still chose hell.** I tell you again this day, I will open the doors and I will send you out. **Wait for My instructions, otherwise it will be a wrestling match and you will wear yourself out and could get hurt. Their decaying bodies may fall on you and crush you.** As the barn became outdated and finally demolished, the doctrines of man's denominations will be demolished and covered with My Word in the days ahead. Their time is up."

This date (08-20-02) the Holy Spirit spoke this—"Man can dress up a building with stained glass, pictures and crosses, but if my Spirit is not present by invitation, the building is the place of the dead. If they claim spiritual life, it is of religious spirits. Don't let looks deceive you."

Proverbs 9:7-12 ⁷ *Anyone who rebukes a mocker will get a smart retort. Anyone*

*who rebukes the wicked will get hurt. **8** So don't bother rebuking mockers; they will only hate you. But the wise, when rebuked, will love you all the more. **9** Teach the wise, and they will be wiser. Teach the righteous, and they will learn more. **10** Fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom. Knowledge of the Holy One results in understanding. **11** Wisdom will multiply your days and add years to your life. **12** If you become wise, you will be the one to benefit. If you scorn wisdom, you will be the one to suffer. (NLT) Added 06-09-02.*