

# The Pillar OF Fire



"And what if the Angel of the Lord was standing here now, circling, and every one of your eyes would be visualized to see It. That would be pretty good. But to **look** at the **PICTURE** of It, is **FAR MORE PROOF** than what if you was **looking at It with your eyes**"

Bro. Bumham

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"Did you ever see that picture out there of the Angel of the Lord? Oh, you have one? All right. Now, do you believe that's the same

that led the children of Israel? See? It was a

. And when Jesus was here on earth, He said, "I come from God, and I go back to God."

And when He was here on earth, He said He was that **PILLAR OF FIRE**. He said that. He said, "I

AM THAT I AM. Before Moses was, I AM." He was the

that was in the burning bush. He said... Now, He's here in flesh, "I've come from God

(the ); I go back to God, the

. And when Paul met Him on the road to Damascus, He was that again. Paul fell down. Them people by him didn't see it, but it—

it put his eyes out. He said, "Who are You, Lord?"

that great **PILLAR OF FIRE**. He said, "I am Jesus, Who you persecute." And here's His picture

on paper. By the FBI fingerprint and document, it's true. George J. Lacy said, "The Light struck the lens, Mr. Branham. This mechanical eye of this

camera won't take psychology."

*Bro Branham*

58-0302

I came forth from the Father, and am come into the world: again, I leave the world, and go to the Father.

John 16:28

# ADAM AND EVE

“ And perhaps, that the Logos that went out of God, let's say it was in the form of a **Halo**. I can just see It hanging in the bushes yonder, and the streaks from It shining down when Adam and Eve knelt before the Creator to worship.

Brother Branham  
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*“Has My children enjoyed their stay today upon the earth that the Lord Thy God has given thee?”*



“Yes, Father, it's been wonderful.”



**BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:**

**“He said, “I AM THAT I AM.  
Before Moses was, I AM.” He  
was the  that was in  
the burning bush. He said...  
Now, He’s here in flesh, “I’ve  
come from God (the Pillar of  
Fire); I go back to God, the**

**Pillar Of Fire.””**

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• *Bro Branham*  
• 58-0302  
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# MOSES AND THE **BURNING** BUSH



BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:

“And this Pillar of Fire led the children of Israel, which was the same Angel that was in the burning bush; that was the same  that was in that burning bush.”

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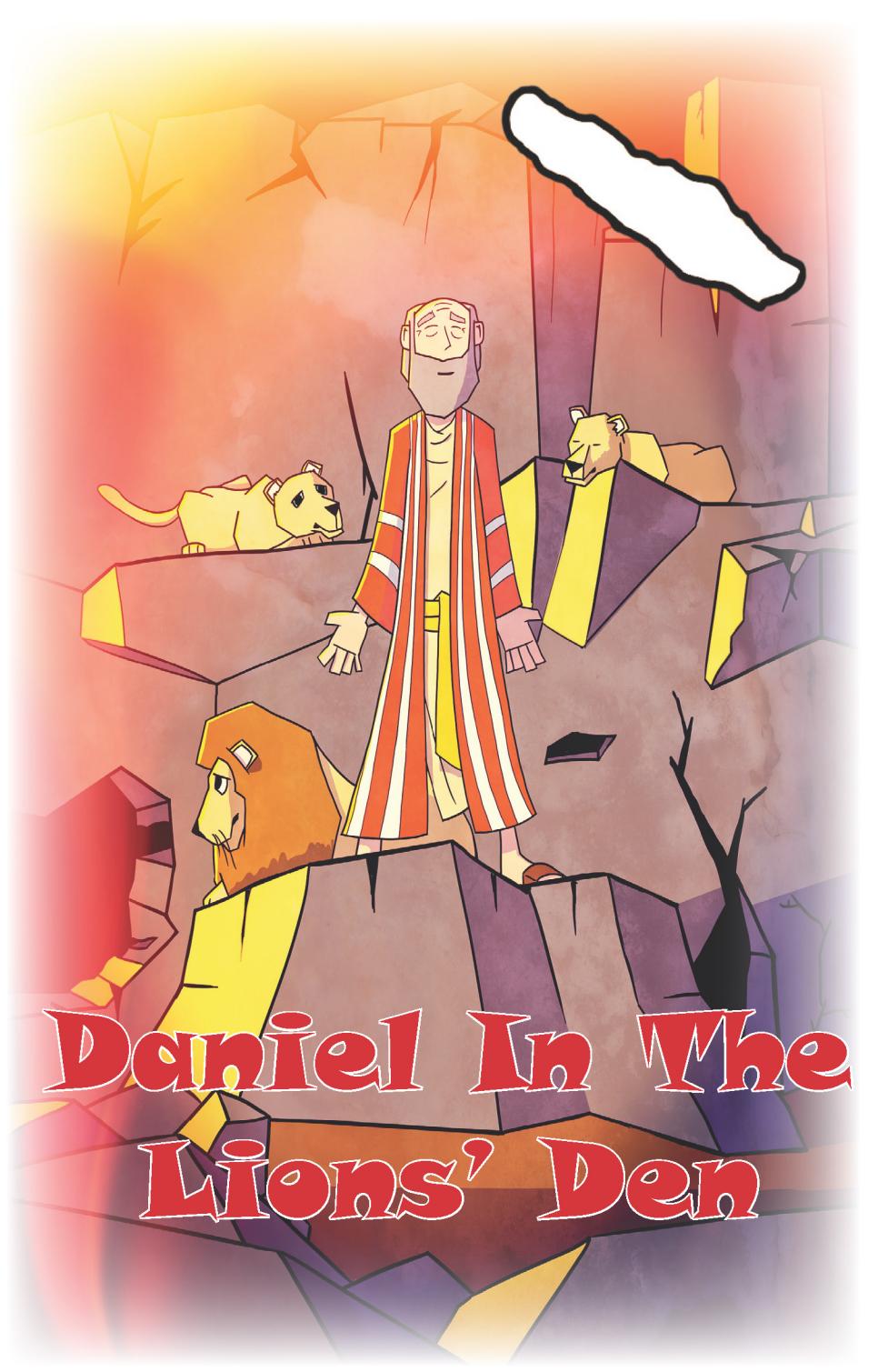
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“When that  
Pillar of Fire  
stood between  
Daniel and the  
lions, the lions went  
off and meowed  
like kittens and laid  
down.”

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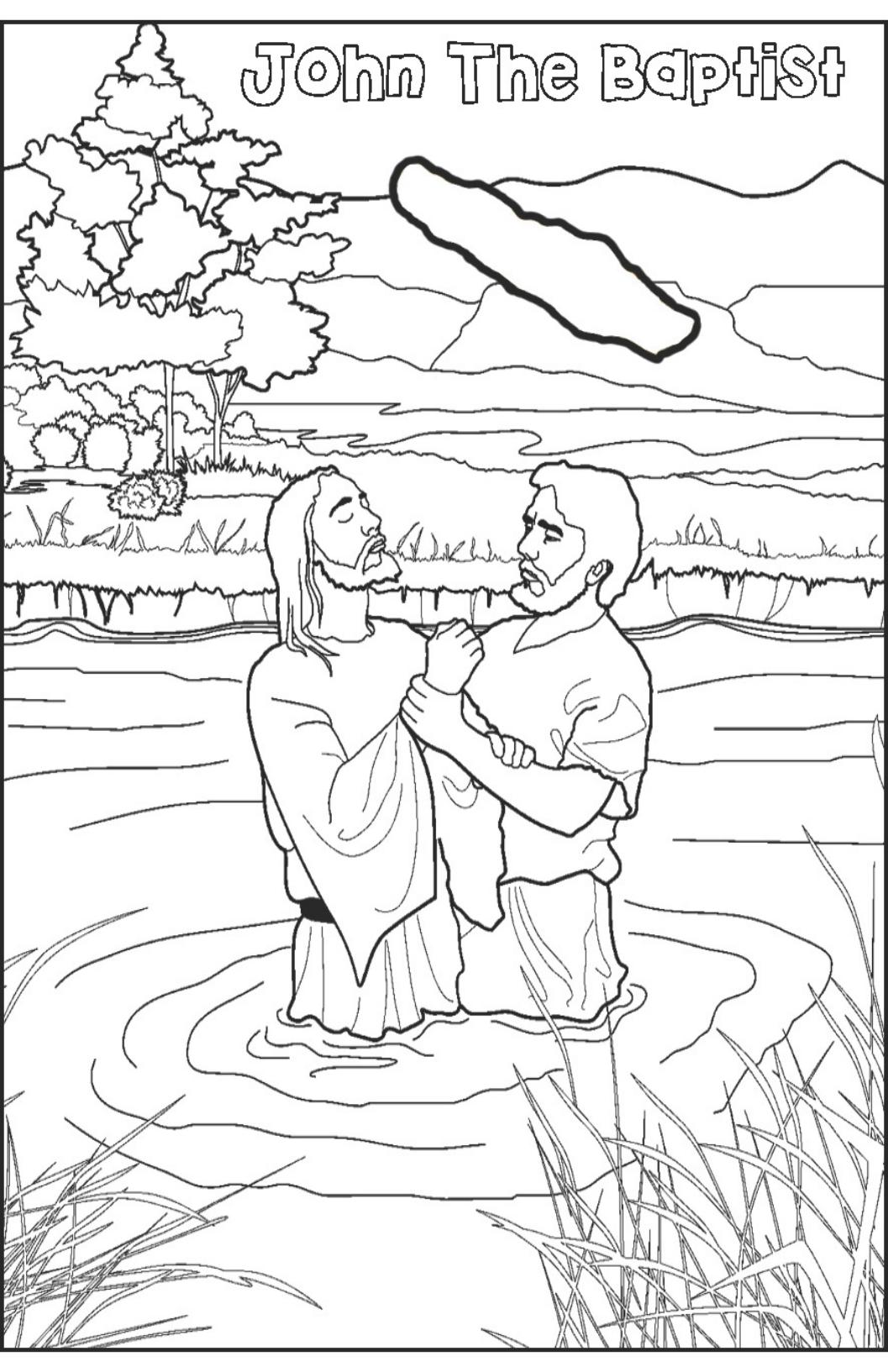
# Daniel In The Lions' Den

BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:

“I was standing at the river, when I seen a young Man walking down to the bank (in His thirties), and walked out into the river, and was baptized by John. And when He come up out of the water, I saw a light like a  coming down from the heavens. It looked to me like that same **Pillar Of Fire** that our people followed through the wilderness to this land.”

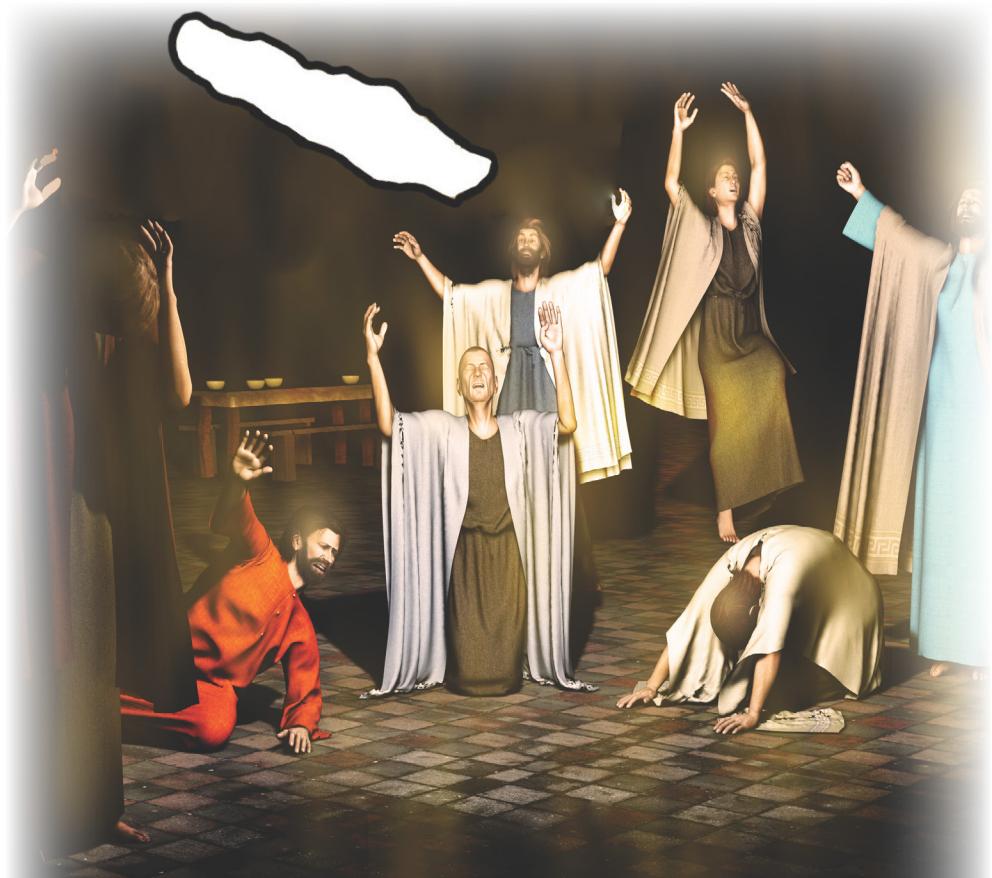
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# John The Baptist



“And when God on the day of Pentecost, when He come down like a rushing wind, did you notice He was a , but did you notice He separated Himself from that **PILLAR OF FIRE**, divided Himself amongst His people, and cloven tongues of fire set upon each of them: God separating Himself to His Church.”

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:: Bro. Burkam ::  
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# DAY OF PENTECOST

BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:

"AND--AND SAUL OF TARSUS, ON HIS ROAD DOWN TO DAMASCUS, HE WAS STRICKEN DOWN BY A LIGHT. AND WHEN HE DID, HE LOOKED UP. AND THAT JEW WOULD HAVE NEVER CALLED ANYTHING "LORD" IF IT HADN'T HAVE BEEN THAT **PILLAR OF FIRE**."

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Bro Branham  
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Help Paul find his  
way to Damascus!



**BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:**

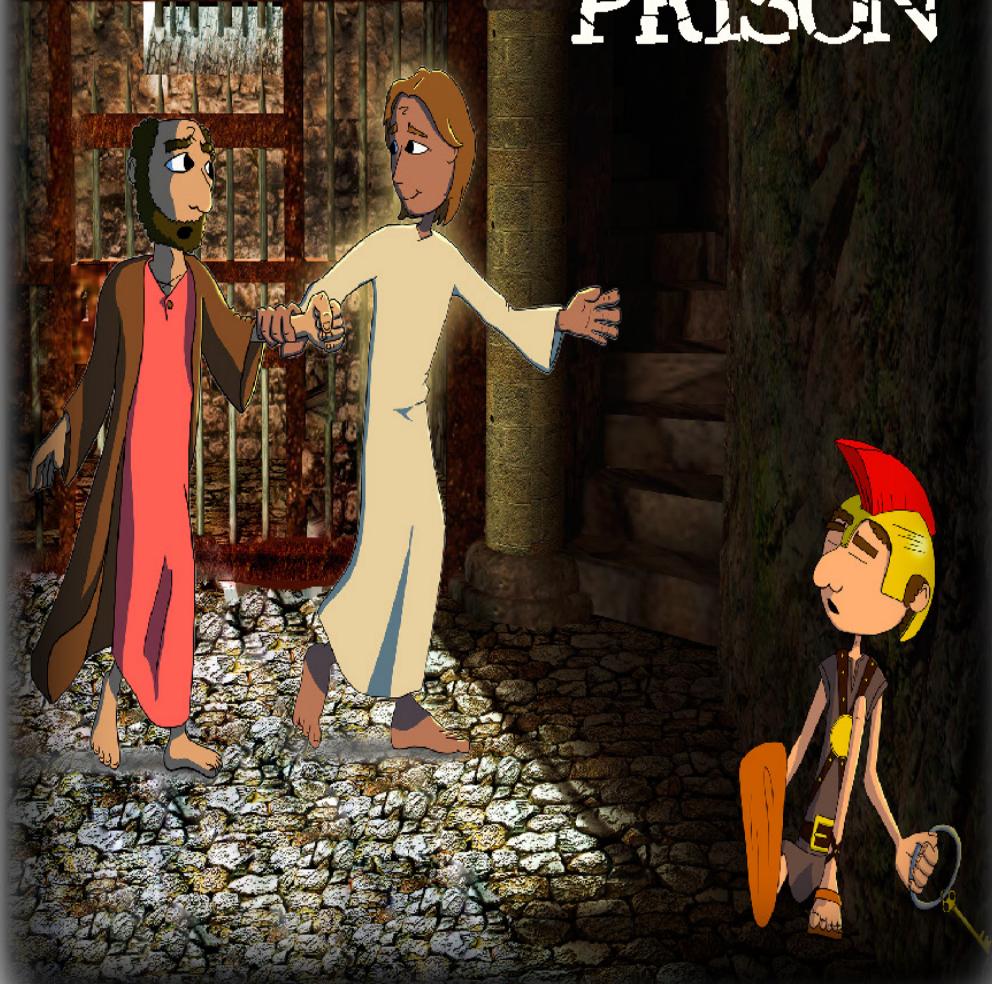


**"PAUL** was called Saul  
until he met the Holy Spirit in the form  
of a Light that shined down upon him, his  
name was changed from Saul to "**PAUL**."

"And we realize that when the Apostle Peter, to who the  was given to build the Church, we find out that he was in prison, and this same  came through the bars, opened the doors of the prison, and took Peter out, mysteriously, without even disturbing the guard. To me, It's Jesus Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever."

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# PETER FREED FROM PRISON



BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:

“In the very morning when I was born, three minutes old, when they opened a little old window (not the kind you have here in Phoenix, no), a little wooden door, just pushed it open. This Pillar Of Fire that you see here, come right in and hung over where I was laying at.”

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Bro Branham

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# Brother Branham's Birth



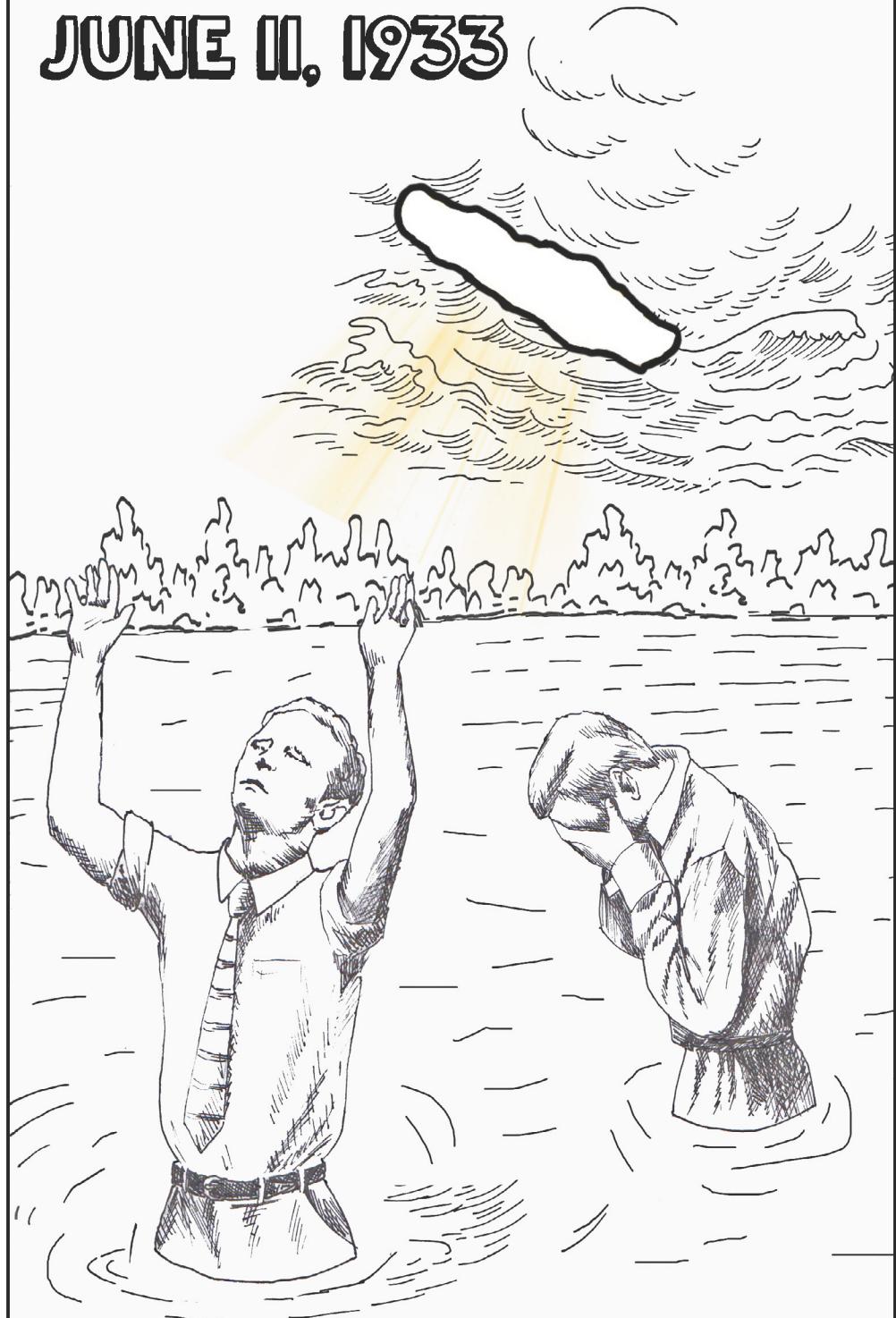
BROTHER BRANHAM SAID:

“The seventeenth person I baptized, all at once I heard Something say, “Look up.” And I looked, and here come that  circling down out of the heaven. Stood right over where I was at and said, “As John the Baptist was sent to forerun the first coming of Christ, your message will forerun the second coming of Christ.””

Bro Branham

61-0316

# JUNE 11, 1933



Come and See!

## Brother Bosworth

Brother Branham's minister friend who stood for him and for divine healing in the debate. Brother Branham said he could go as long as there was, "no fussing!".

## Brother Branham

Brother Branham's wife and his brother Howard did not want him to go to the meeting. He said "I just feel like I ought to go. I will go way up in the balcony, and pull my coat up over my ears, and set up there."

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SAM \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ , TEXAS

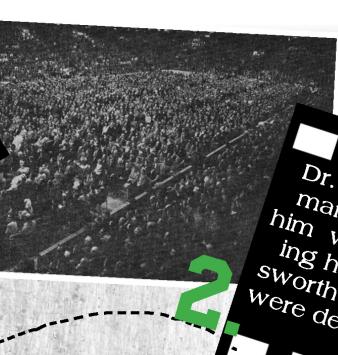
# COLISEUM

*Dr. Best*  
The Baptist minister  
who wanted to challenge  
Brother Branham in a  
debate. When he found out  
Brother Bosworth was standing  
for Brother Branham he said he  
would, "skin the old man".  
He even wanted pictures  
of it.



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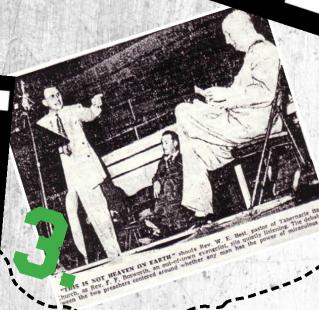
30,000 people came to the Sam Houston Coliseum to support Divine healing.



2.

Dr. Best wanted the camera man to take 6 "glossies" of him waving his fist and pointing his finger in Brother Bosworth's face. But when they were developed they all came out BLANK!

Brother Bosworth asked Brother Branham to come to the platform to dismiss the audience.



3.

Brother Branham heard a, "Whew!", and he knew the Lord was there. The people began screaming.

4.



Once to the platform Brother Branham began to testify of the Pillar of Fire from his birth to his commission on the river. He heard another, "whew!".

5.

"There He come dropping down in the building, right over where I was at. Kipperman standing there snapped the picture, the one that taken the six pictures of Mr. Best."

Brother Branham 52-0713A

6.

January \_\_\_, 1950

7.

When the  
photographer had  
processed the film he  
pulled it out and each of  
the first six were blank!  
Only this photo of the  
**PILLAR OF FIRE** with  
Brother Branham was  
captured.



January 29, 1950

REPORT AND OPINION

Re: Questioned Negative

On January 28, 1950 at the request of Reverend Gordon Lindsay, who was representing Reverend William Marrion Branham, I received a negative received from the Dogleg Studio of 1610 Ruth Avenue in this city. This 35 mm. exposed and developed photographic film. This film was taken by the Dogleg Studio on January 27, 1950, during the visit of Reverend William Branham at the Sam Houston Coliseum in this city, during his visit here the latter part of January, 1950.

REQUEST

Reverend Lindsay requested that I make a scientific examination of the aforesaid negative. He requested that I determine, if possible, whether or not in my opinion the negative had been re-touched or "doctorized" in any way, should there be any evidence of such treatment, and to determine a streak of light to appear in the position of a halo above the head of Reverend Branham.

EXAMINATION

A macroscopic and microscopic examination and study was made of the entire surface of both sides of the film, while the negative was held up to the light. Both sides of the film were examined under filtered ultra-violet light and infra-red photographs were made of the film.

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The microscopic examination failed to reveal retouching of the film at any place whenever by any of the processes used in commercial retouching. Also, the microscopic examination failed to reveal any disturbance of the emulsion in or around the area of the question.

The ultra-violet light examination failed to reveal any foreign matter, or the result of any chemical reaction on either side of the negative, which might have caused the light streak, subsequent to the processing of the negative.

The infra-red photograph also failed to disclose any thing that would indicate that any retouching had been done to the film.

The examination also failed to reveal anything that would indicate that the negative in question was a composite negative or a double exposure.

There was nothing found which would indicate that the light streak in the negative had been made during the processing development. Neither was there anything found which would indicate that it was not developed in a regular and recognized process. There was nothing found which comparative densities of the highlights that was not in harmony.

OPINION

Based upon the above detailed examination and study I am of the definite opinion that the negative submitted for examination, was not touched nor was it a composite or double exposed negative.

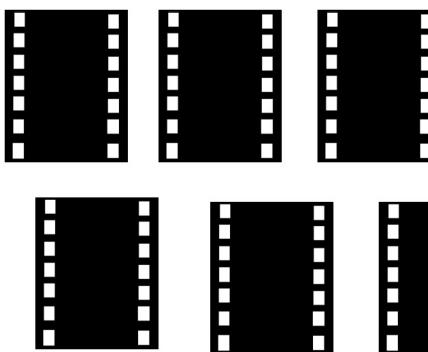
Further, I am of the definite opinion that the light streak appearing above the head in a halo position was caused by light striking the negative.

Respectfully submitted,



He pulled out the next one:  
negative. He pulled out all six  
of them, and every one of them  
was blank. And when he pulled  
out the other one, there was the  
Angel of God on the picture."

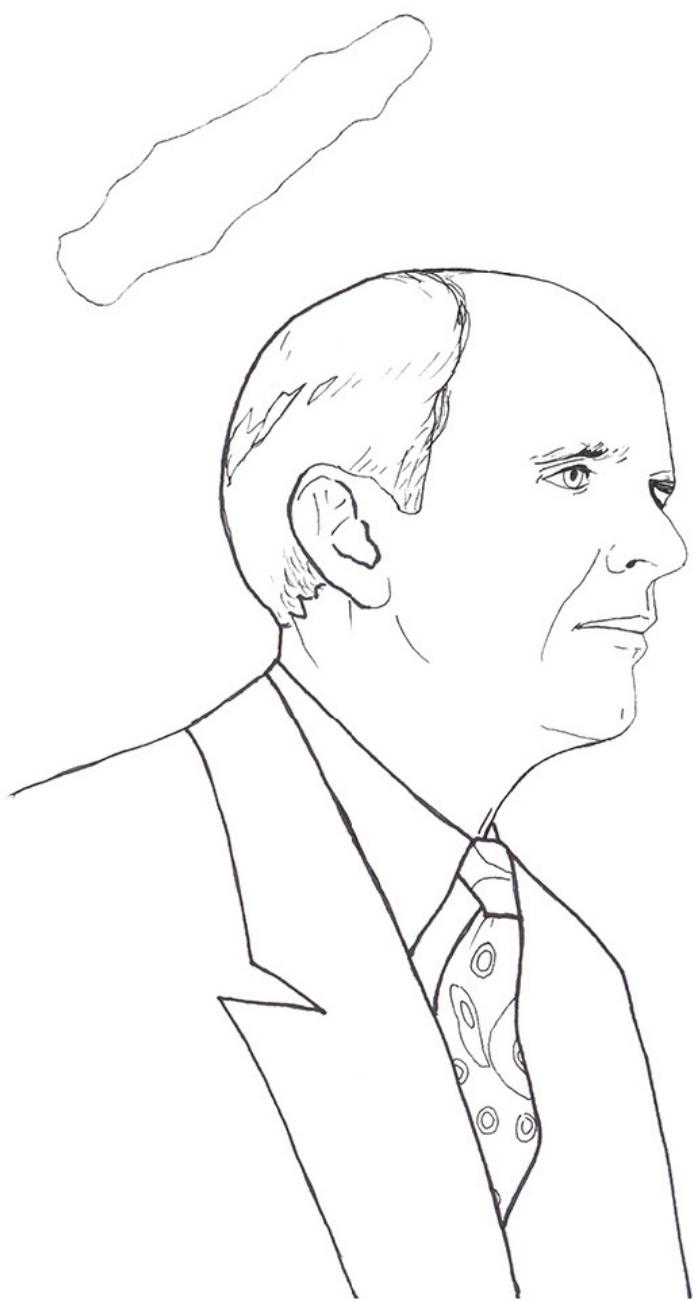
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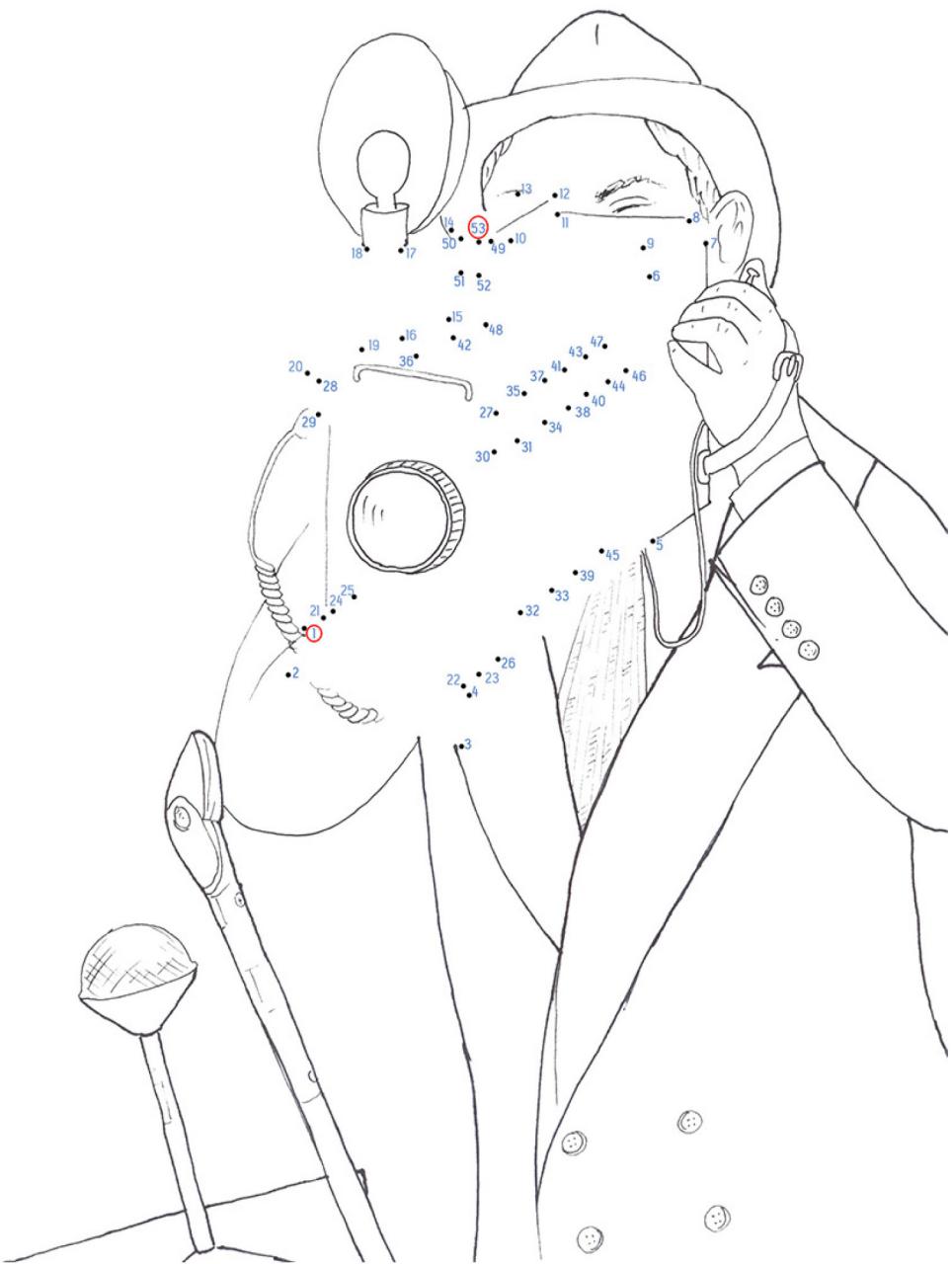


**"THE FIRST TIME IN ALL THE WORLD'S HISTORY THAT A SUPERNATURAL BEING WAS EVER PHOTOGRAPHED."**

**51-0502 - THE ANGEL OF THE LORD  
REV. WILLIAM MARRION BRANHAM**

# JANUARY 24, 1950





**MR. KIPPERMAN**  
(the photographer)

# PILLAR OF FIRE TRIVIA

1. WHAT CITY WAS THE MEETING BEING HELD WHEN BROTHER BRANHAM'S PICTURE WAS TAKEN WITH THE PILLAR OF FIRE?

- (A) DALLAS, TX
- (B) HOUSTON, TX
- (C) BEAUMONT, TX
- (D) JEFFERSONVILLE, IN

2. WHAT WAS THE DATE?

- (A) JANUARY 24, 1950
- (B) FEBRUARY 30, 1943
- (C) JUNE 11, 1945
- (D) JANUARY 15, 1965

3. DR. BEST WANTED TO CHALLENGE BROTHER BRANHAM ON

- (A) POLITICS
- (B) WATER BAPTISM
- (C) EDUCATION
- (D) DIVINE HEALING

4. BROTHER BRANHAM SAID IF THERE WILL BE NO \_\_\_\_\_ BROTHER BOSWORTH COULD GO.

- (A) FUSSING
- (B) TALKING
- (C) YELLING
- (D) CRYING

5. DR. BEST WANTED SIX \_\_\_\_\_ OF HE AND BROTHER BOSWORTH FOR A PAPER.

- (A) DOCUMENTS
- (B) INTERVIEWS
- (C) GLOSSIES
- (D) SKETCHES

6. DR. BEST SAID, "COME OVER: TAKE A HALF DOZEN PICTURES OF ME WHILE I \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) TELL HIM THE TRUTH.
- (B) SKIN THE OLD MAN.
- (C) REALLY GIVE IT TO HIM.
- (D) LISTEN TO WHAT HE HAS TO SAY.



7. THE PHOTOGRAPHER, MR. KIPPERMAN, SNAPPED SIX PICTURES; WHILE DR. BEST SHOOK HIS FIST AT BROTHER BOSWORTH AND HAD HIS FINGER POINTED \_\_\_\_\_.

- (A) TO THE CAMERA
- (B) AT THE AUDIENCE
- (C) IN THE AIR.
- (D) IN HIS FACE.

8. HOW MANY PEOPLE CAME TO THE SAM HOUSTON COLISEUM FROM EVERYWHERE TO SUPPORT DIVINE HEALING, SOME ON A "1 HUMP CAMEL" SOME ON A 2 HUMP "CAMEL"?

- (A) 50
- (B) 200
- (C) 10,000
- (D) 30,000

9. WHAT DID BROTHER BRANHAM DO SO NO ONE WOULD NOTICE HIM?

- (A) GO WAY UP IN THE BALCONY AND PULL HIS COAT UP OVER HIS EARS.
- (B) HIDE IN THE BACK.
- (C) WEAR A DISGUISE.
- (D) SPEAK IN ANOTHER LANGUAGE.

10. MR. KIPPERMAN SNAPPED THE PHOTO. BROTHER BRANHAM SAID, "HE HAS SPOKEN THAT'S ALL THAT'S NECESSARY." THAT NIGHT MR. KIPPERMAN AND HIS PARTNER MR. AYERS WENT TO THE STUDIO AND BEGAN TO DEVELOP THE NEGATIVES TO PRINT THE PHOTOGRAPH. MR. KIPPERMAN WENT UPSTAIRS TO GET SOME SLEEP AND WHEN MR. AYERS HAD PROCESSED THE FILM HE PULLED IT OUT AND EACH OF THE FIRST SIX WERE \_\_\_\_\_! ONLY THIS PHOTO OF THE \_\_\_\_\_ WITH BROTHER BRANHAM WAS CAPTURED. MR. AYERS GRABBED AT HIS CHEST; HE HAD A HEART ATTACK AT THE RESULTS!

- (A) DEVELOPED/ MAN
- (B) DEVELOPED/ PILLAR OF FIRE
- (C) BLANK/ PILLAR OF FIRE
- (D) BLANK/ MAN

11. THEY KNEW THEY HAD SOMETHING AMAZING AND AT 11:00 THAT NIGHT THE PHOTO WAS FLOWN TO \_\_\_\_\_ TO BE COPYRIGHTED. AND THEN ON TO BE EXAMINED BY GEORGE J. LACY THE BEST OF THE FBI IN CALIFORNIA. DO YOU KNOW WHAT HE FOUND? "THE LIGHT STRUCK THE LENS!" ABSOLUTELY VINDICATED. PROVEN TO BE THE TRUTH. THE PILLAR OF FIRE WAS PHOTOGRAPHED OVER BROTHER BRANHAM'S HEAD. JESUS CHRIST IN THE FORM OF THE PILLAR OF FIRE CAME DOWN TO HAVE HIS PICTURE TAKEN WITH HIS SERVANT TO PROVE THAT HE IS WITH US!

- (A) JEFFERSONVILLE, IN
- (B) WASHINGTON, D.C.
- (C) TUCSON, AZ
- (D) LOS ANGELES, CA



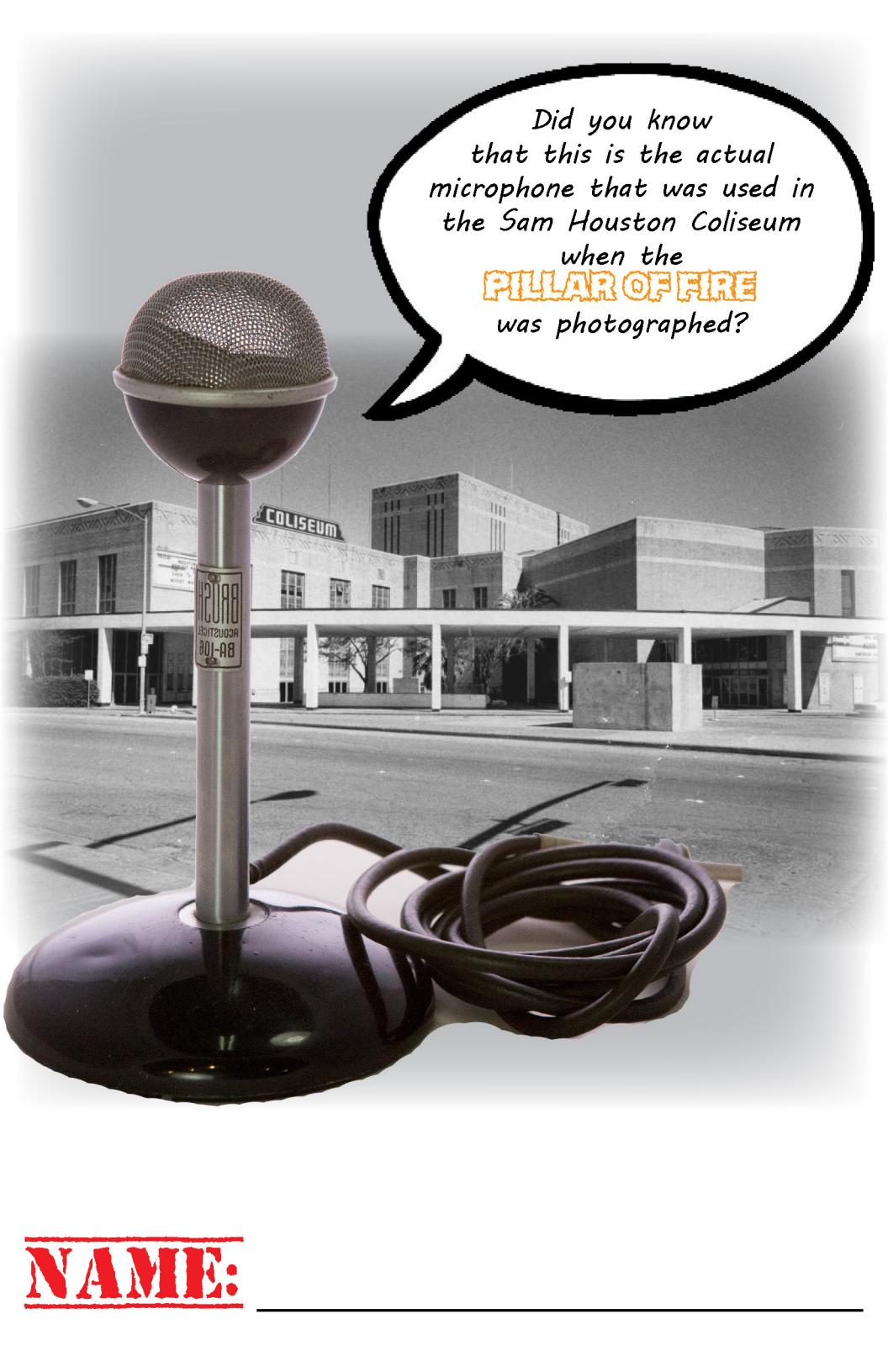
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BROTHER BRANHAM  
CABIN  
COLISEUM  
GEORGE J LACY  
HISTORY  
HOUSTON  
ISRAEL

JANUARY  
LIGHT  
LIONS DEN  
LOGOS  
MOSES  
NEGATIVE



Did you know  
that this is the actual  
microphone that was used in  
the Sam Houston Coliseum  
when the  
**PILLAR OF FIRE**  
was photographed?

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

