# Creations Class: Baptism – In the service of the Lord

## Introduction:

Welcome back to Creations class!! Are you excited to be here today??? Well we're excited to see YOU today, we're so excited, we're BUBBLING OVER! Did you all hear Brother Joseph's letter he sent out on Saturday about the pope? It's AMAZING! Brother Branham said exactly what was going to happen, and just last week we got to see it happen! Brother Branham said:

### (Play quote)

I believe, one of these glorious days, when this united confederation of church goes together, and the new pope is brought out of the United States and put over there according to prophecy, then they'll form an image like unto the beast. And I tell you, the true Church of God will be drove together. 54-1219E - "Acts Of The Holy Spirit" Rev. William Marrion Branham

Thank the Lord! Whenever Brother Branham says anything, it's GOT to come to pass!

The Bride around the world is bubbling over, and we're going to learn a lot more about "bubbling over" today, but before we get started, let's stand and pray.

## (call on a student to pray)

Ok, you all know what comes next!! Get those Swords out, it's time for Sword Drills!!

## Sword Drills

Hebrews 13:8

St. John 14:26

Revelation 3:20

Amos 3:7

Revelation 10:7

#### Lesson

Very good! Today we're learning all about Baptism, and being in the service of the Lord. Brother Branham tells us that there are 3 stages that a person has to go through to be put into the service of the Lord. Does anyone know what those 3 stages are?

Justification, Sanctification, and the Baptism of the Holy Ghost.

## 1. Justification

- Believing on God
- Sword Drill

#### Romans 5:1

Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ:

- Receiving God as your personal Savior
- Being baptized in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ
- We know that the Word comes to the prophet and Brother Branham has the
  mysteries that have been revealed to us. A GREAT mystery that has been revealed is
  Baptism. All through the ages man didn't know the correct way until Bro. Branham
  Revealed the truth about it.
- We know its not by sprinkling like the Catholic church does or face forward. Or in the
  Name of the Father and of the Son and in the of the Holy Ghost, because we know
  those aren't even names.... What are they? TITLES... (give the example how Bro
  Branham illustrates has a father, a husband, a brother but his name is... etc...)
- We baptize in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. We are completely submerged under water because we must die out to all the things of this world and sin just Like Jesus did... but then we are RAISED back up cleansed and renewed to a new creature in Christ.
- Sword Drill

#### Acts 2:38

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.

Pick up a dirty glass

## 2. Sanctification

#### Hebrews 13:12

Wherefore Jesus also, that he might sanctify the people with his own blood, suffered without the gate.

- God cleanses your spirit from all elements and desires of the world
- Greek meaning: "cleansed, and set aside for service"
- Cleaning the dirty glass

## 3. The Baptism of the Holy Ghost

- Fills up that sanctified vessel
- Fills the glass till it's bubbling over
- How do we fill it up??? by reading the Word and listening to the Tapes!

#### • (Play quote)

That's the way it is by the Holy Spirit. There's something bubbling in you, pushing you up to see, to make you climb to reach the...?...Bubble, bubble, bubble, bubble, bubble, bubble, bubbles a everlasting bubbling up. You see it? It's Christ in you. "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God." The Holy Spirit feasts on the Word. 56-1215 - "Hear Ye Him" Rev. William Marrion Branham

Sword Drill

#### Luke 24:49

And, behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.

Let's see what Brother Branham said about these 3 words.

## (Play video)

"The first thing, there's a glass laying out in the hog pen, chicken yard, whatever it is. You want to use it. The first thing, you pick it up. That's justification. You've got it in your hand. You can't use it yet; it needs to be cleansed. Then you take it in; you wash it,

sterilize it, boil it, and takes all the germs and the--out of it. That's what God does through sanctification: takes all the desire of sin out of your heart, cleans you up. And then you are a candidate for the filling of the Holy Spirit. See? Then the word 'sanctify' means 'to be cleansed and set aside for service.' That's the Old Testament: the altar sanctified the vessels. And cleansed and set aside for service is not 'in service.' It's 'set aside for service.' And when it's 'in service,' 'Blessed are they that hunger and thirst

after righteousness for they shall be filled.' The Holy Spirit comes in and fills up that

vessel till running over, bubbling over, and then you're 'in' the service of the Lord." Rev. William Marrion Branham 54-0404M