Last Visit To South Africa

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1 This is one of the high moments of my life. I have waited fifteen years for this time. My heart has longed to see you again, ever since I left you. I have prayed very much to get to come back. And a few weeks ago I was under great anticipation, believing that I would get to come and have a meeting. But when I got the visa restricted, I almost had a heart attack, I wanted to come so bad. But I still believe that, through God, I will minister again, in the name of the Lord Jesus, among the people of Africa. God has promised to give us the desire of our heart, and that's one of the desires of my heart.

I can remember the great meetings, here in Johannesburg. I remember the boy with the short leg coming along, again normal; and the lady that.... The little girl was healed from a back condition, and her mother fainted and fell back on the cot [African brother says "That was my wife's cousin."] Your wife's cou.... Oh! There's so many great things. No doubt there's many of those people attended those meetings are with the Lord, now. I have gotten old, too, since then. I won't be too long till my time to go up. Then we will be together forever, no visas. I feel like bringing the message, but it is written in the scripture "Give unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's." I'm expecting to meet you here in a few moments, shake your hand, and have fellowship again together.

I appreciate all these fine men. I wish I had all my brethren in Africa here today, of all the denominations, that we could just get together and talk all evening. And I would like to hear what the Lord's been doing over here for you. And I would like to tell you what He's doing for us across the sea. Maybe He'll permit that, someday. Until that day I'll be praying for you, and you be praying for me. God bless you.