

we all must agree that here Jesus has made a statement that He is going to build something which He calls my church. And the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. My ~~xxxxxxx~~ ecclesia. And his church, his ecclesia, certainly is one organism, that ~~it~~ is quite clear. I will build my church upon it. It doesn't mean that I am going to build a lot of churches. It is one church, I think that is very clear. And it doesn't mean that I ma going to buildone church in one generation and one church in antoher. It includes all the generations. It includes the true ~~xxxxxxx~~ people of Christ. Now youcan't get the full teaching out of this one passage, alone, it is just the introduction to it.

But there is a lot of material gathered together in these few verses her. But then we go along and we don't find much more which seems to speak of the church in such a sense ~~xxxx~~ that we can be sure that it means the church universa. In the Gospels, outside the book of Matthew, we have no other mention of it. And in the book of Acts when we come to the word church we find it used at first of the church, meaning the people in Jerusalem. Well, there wern't any true Christians thenl outside of Jerusalem, so it is hard to tell whether he is talking of the church universal or of the church in ~~xxxxxxx~~ Jerusalem., But he ~~is~~ goes on and he applies it to different places, and he uses it in the plural. The churches in Syria, then had the churches....(13)

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.....Those whom God has given Him. And He prays for these and for them al~~s~~ which shall believe on Me through the ~~xxxx~~ Word, that they all may be one, ~~xxxx~~ as thou Father are in me and I in thee, that they may also may be one in us. That the~~y~~ world may believe that the~~y~~ou hast sent me. Now the ecumenical movement quotes these verses showing their love. And they say that Jesus said that they may be one that the world may ~~xxxx~~ believe that thou has tsent me. Now ~~xxx~~ they say when we go on with a lot of separate denominations, we are destroying the thing which Jesus siad is vital that the world may believe ~~ix~~ on Him that sent me. And therefore they say that it is necessary that we have one churdh. Well now I want ~~xxx~~ you to think on that. Is that reason correct.