


## **Matthew 5:16**

**In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in Heaven.**



*Unending  
Thanks*  
for an  
**Unshakeable  
Kingdom**

**Hebrews  
12:18-29**



# Mystery Windshield Damage Spreads In Seattle And County

A mysterious outbreak of damaged windshields engulfed Seattle and other parts of King County today.

There were many suppositions as to the cause, but no definite answers.

Police blamed an unexplained chemical reaction rather than hoodlumism for the widespread damage.

Black or gray particles resembling soot or graphite have been found on windshields and car hoods. They are believed to have been eating into certain types of windshield glass.

Police Chief H. J. Lawrence said the damage "is assuming a pretty definite pattern which precludes almost without any

doubt the possibility of vandalism."

As the day wore on, more and more persons reported seeing pits develop before their eyes, many of them coincidental with the appearance of the sooty material.

Lawrence said police chiefs of Western Washington cities hit by the windshield plague would meet in Everett at 11:30 o'clock tomorrow to co-ordinate efforts in finding the damage cause.

Some persons blamed hoodlums, but Lawrence said it would take a small army of hoodlums to inflict all the damage reported.

Some said mass hysteria figured heavily in the reports.

Others, ready to back their views with eyewitness testi-

mony, said some mysterious natural phenomenon was to blame.

A University of Washington professor said he knew of no substance present in the air in sufficient quantity to cause damage.

## Only Windshields Damaged

Except in isolated cases, only windshield glass was damaged.

Yet reports continued to flood the Police Department and sheriff's office. Police assigned extra men to answer telephones, but six men were unable at times to handle all the reports of windshield damage.

Along with these reports were a growing number from persons who said they saw pits develop in windshields where no human

agency possible could be involved.

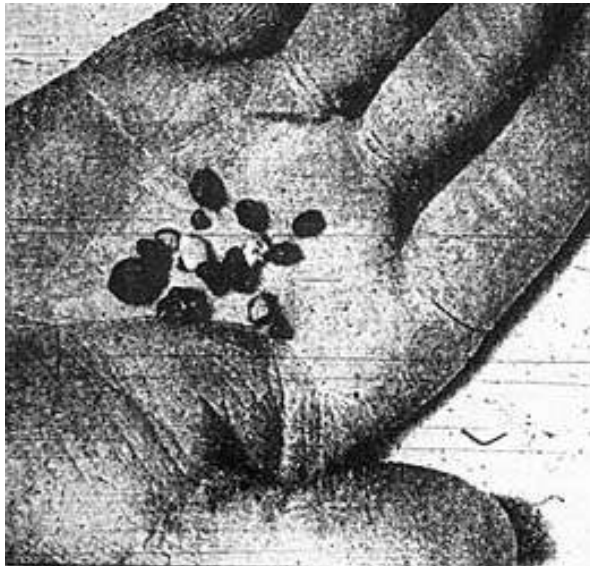
In general, these persons said they had seen bubbles form within the glass, expand to the bursting point and leave the glass pitted, much as though it had been hit by a B-B or shotgun pellet.

A spokesman for an automobile-glass company said his investigation had convinced him the damage was being caused by something in the atmosphere.

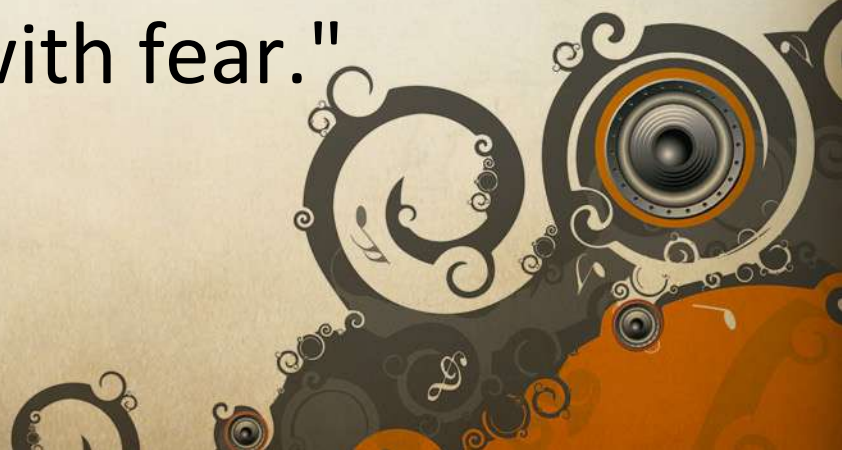
"We are finding small gray or black balls of some substance on windshields which apparently eat into them if left long enough," he said.

"It's affecting the windshields because the sloped surfaces

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**Hebrews 12:18** For you have not come to what may be touched, a blazing fire and darkness and gloom and a tempest **19** and the sound of a trumpet and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that no further messages be spoken to them. **20** For they could not endure the order that was given, "If even a beast touches the mountain, it shall be stoned." **21** Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, "I tremble with fear."





**22** But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, **23** and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, **24** and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel.





**Two  
Mountains:  
Sinai and Zion**



# Mount Sinai





# Mount Sinai

## *Law of Israel*







# Mount Sinai

*Law of Israel*

*Former Covenant*



# Mount Zion







# Mount Zion

*City of God*





# Mount Zion

*City of God*

*Blood of Jesus*





**25** See that you do not refuse him who is speaking. For if they did not escape when they refused him who warned them on earth, much less will we escape if we reject him who warns from heaven. **26** At that time his voice shook the earth, but now he has promised, "Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heavens." **27** This phrase, "Yet once more," indicates the removal of things that are



shaken--that is, things that have been made--in order that the things that cannot be shaken may remain. **28** Therefore let us be grateful for receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, and thus let us offer to God acceptable worship, with reverence and awe, **29** for our God is a consuming fire.







**Two  
Kingdoms:**

***Earth's  
and  
God's***

# Kingdom of Earth







# Kingdom of Earth

*Visible*





# Kingdom of Earth

*Visible*

*Temporary*





# Kingdom of God





# Kingdom of God

*Invisible*







# Kingdom of God

*Invisible*

*Unshakeable*






***Two  
Mountains,  
Two  
Kingdoms,***

**One Response:  
Gratitude**





# Gratitude to God...

*...motivates us to serve.*






“Christianity is flourishing wonderfully among the poor and persecuted, while it atrophies among the rich and secure.”

**- Philip Jenkins, Historian**



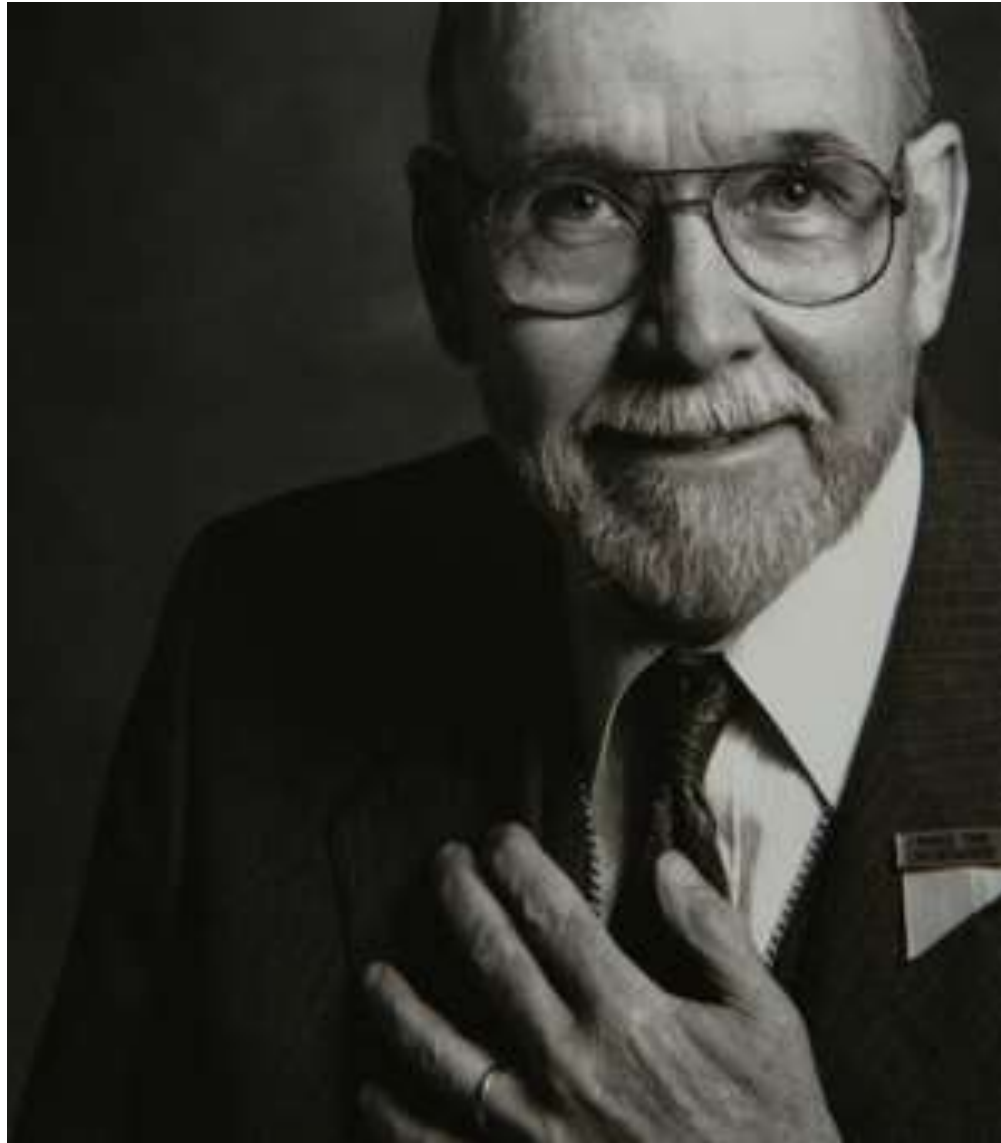


# Gratitude to God...

*...motivates us to serve.*

*...inspires reverence.*






**Benjamin Weir, held hostage for 16 months**







*Are you  
part  
of the  
Unshakeable  
Kingdom?*

**Hebrews  
12:18-29**