

**Outline  
of  
A Cooperating Word  
for the Blending Conference**

May 27-29, 1994

**Section 2:  
THE NEED OF THE BLENDING**

**I. The regular procedures of the church work in the Lord's up-to-date recovery:**

- A. Begetting—to have sinners saved and regenerated to become the members of Christ—1 Cor. 4:15b; Matt. 28:19.
- B. Nourishing—to feed the new believers for their growth in the divine life—1 Thes. 2:7; John 21:15, 17.
- C. Teaching—to perfect the saints that they may mature to be built—Matt. 28:20a; Eph. 4:12-16:
  - 1. In the local churches—Rev. 1:4a, 11.
  - 2. For the building up of the Body of Christ—Eph. 4:12b, 16.

**II. The need of the blending for the building-up of the Body of Christ:**

- A. To blend all the local churches together as one, as many as possible, in the processed Triune God, the pneumatic Christ, and the consummated Spirit.
- B. The Lord blending the seven churches in Asia by writing them one epistle composed of seven epistles to each of them respectively—Rev. 1—3.
- C. The apostle blending the churches in Colosse and Laodicea by writing one epistle to each of the two churches respectively and asking them to read the two epistles reciprocally—Col. 4:16.