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Beyond the cursing and shouting, the Reverend's consistent subtext is to end oppression and injustice, to help the needy, and to stop corruption amongst the powerful in government, in corporations, and in church. Below is the unedited transcript of one of his episodes:

Rev X: ... Just give a little bit. Give what? What you feel like to God, huh?

[Isaiah 29:21] "That make a man an offender [for a] word, and lay a snare ..."

You know, they try to trip a nigga up like me, you know, 'cause I ain't – I ain't following whiteys' rules! You know.

"... For him that reproveth in the gate, and turn aside the just for a thing of nothingness."

[Isaiah 29:24] "They also that erred in spirit shall come to understanding, and they that murmured shall learn [*sound*] doctrine."

Is what I'm about. Next caller, state your name.

Terry: Am I on the air?

Rev X: Yeah, state your name; your first and your last name. You in court!

Terry: My name's Terry.

Rev X: Okay, Terry.

Terry: Great job.

Rev X: Say what?!

Terry: I said you're doing a great job, and you deserve a pat on the back. You know, it's great to see something positive on TV for a change, and for that I respect you.

Rev X: Respect, but this is business that needs to be taken care of. So, uh – um – a slap on the back is all fine and dandy, but it needs, um, promotin' – needs promotion. It needs –

Terry: Yeah, and I wanted to say –

Rev X: Yeah! Speak to me!

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Terry: I wanted to say, um – *you're so funny!* [Bursts into laughter.]

Rev X: Are ya laughing, beeyotch?! Ha! You find it funny? You find it funny? Huh?! So wait! You ain't – you ain't calling – you ain't hearing me, huh? You did it again, I'll conversate it again: I come in the name of Jesus – repeat it after me, bitch! I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit. God Almighty, you know, Ruler of Heaven and Earth, and every goddamn thing in between! You understand me now?

Reverend X! Speak to me! State your name – your name – first and last name. Talk to me. Correct God! Correct God! Ain't none of y'all correct me by My Words, huh? I give you some Scriptures.

Wanna read some Scriptures on Vengeance?

Isaiah chapter 34:8-10.

Isaiah 35:4 – 4 and 5.

Jeremiah 51:6 and 11.

Want some Judgment – want some Judgment Scriptures?

Isaiah 34:5 and 6.

Isaiah 28:15-18.

I – Isaiah 26:7-14.

Isaiah chapter 30, verse 18.

Isaiah 41, verse 1.

John! This is New Testament.

John – um – chapter 5:22 through – uh – verse 47.

John chapter 8:16-18.

John 9-39.

Uh, chapter 12:47 and 48.

Revelations chapter 16:5 and 7.

Revelations 15:4.

Ezekiel chapter 5, verse 15.

Caller! Caller, you on the line! Charles!

Charles: Am I on?

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Rev X: Yeah!

Charles: Oh, um – I can relate to what you're doing, and wanted you to join my cult.

Rev X: Say what?!

Charles: Join my cult.

Rev X: Mothafucka! I ain't looking for you! You – you – you probably looking for a cult member, mothafucka. You – catch Heaven's Gate and travel the hell up outta here!

Charles: Wait, no, look –

Rev X: Look what? What you know about the Lord? What do you know about the Lord? What you know about the Lord?

Charles: It's just that –

Rev X: No tell me! I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit. Let's stay focused: You wanna see your own flesh! You wanna – 'cause you see flesh and shit! You know whitey always told you, uhh – "A man can't be God!" Huh? What you calling me for? I told you what I'm about: It's about getting lawyers training them up in the Words and Scriptures and we're going to help the poor, the fatherless that – that can't afford – that can't afford them – um, legality – legality fee! They can't – they can't afford justice! I know you all in for justice, huh, just like white supremacists, huh? White supremacists picture judgment for your asses swinging from a noose, black man!

Next caller, John! John, go 'head!

John: Hey, what's up?

Rev X: Hey, wuz hattenin'?

John: You trust in the devil, don't you?

Rev X: Say what?

John: I said, you trust in the devil!

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Rev X: Say what?! You trust in the devil, huh? Well, if God's in the devil in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit, then, mothafucka, you fucked up, huh? You fucked up, huh? You know yo' ass is doomed! What you got to speak? If you don't know shit to speak on this, um, topic I'm bringing up, shut yo' goddamn ass up!

John: [Yelling.] *You trust in hell!*

Rev X: Haha! Damn! *You trust in hell, mothafucka!* And you already in hell! Just like I trust in Heaven, and I'm already there, mothafucka! You the one going, you believe in death, huh?! Goddamn murderers!

Crucify my Blessed Brother but when I find them I'm gonna get them mothafuckas! They be the ones that's always layin' law, talkin' war just 'cause they fucking bored. Fuck that, I got that Glock locked back.

Giving you mo' what you hopin' fo'! Yeah, hopin' in the Lord, huh? You hopin' in vain, material, superficial shit. That's why you can't see me, house niggas. Exactly who I say I am. It's Scriptures like this that say – I – who I am.

Go to Galatians [2:21]: See "Now that you have been baptized, it is no longer you who lives, but Christ who lives in you."

I know you wanna put Christ in a little box, like you formed Christ up from – brought His Ass up from the earth, and breathed life into Him. Nah! I – I'm God, mothafucka, and I'm *not* who you thought I was, mothafuckas! Not even how you thought. Nigga, it's checkup time! Time to pay the piper! But you don't have to, huh? You gotta right to believe however you wanna, huh? There's only one God. There's only one blood covenant book that's – that's floatin' around here – of God Almighty. Not a covenant of a man who makes – mo' – who makes house niggas, Ku Klux Klan members, and – and everyone who feel like they can just – um – shuffle their foot about – gettin' about the business I'm talking about.

Churches: You think if Christ come back that He would have the right to sue churches for breach of contract for His monies, huh? So He can get about His Father's business? You think He has the right to do that? Do you think – uh – He have the right to anything? Or, or He has to get Him a job, huh?

Next caller, John! Speak to the Spirit of Truth – your daddy even.

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John, the Satanist: Is this the Reverend?

Rev X: Yeah. What's your – yeah – state your name.

John, the Satanist: [My name is John and I'm] a Satanist. I love what you're doing. I love all your cussing and carrying on. Is dope, brah!

Rev X: You the devil! Haha! You the devil! You a Satanist! Huh?

John, the Satanist: [Yeah, I love what you're doing] and we gonna have a *party!*

Rev X: Hey, hey! Then you wrote a book, too, then, right? You got a book with blood on it, huh? You Satan, huh? Who created yo' ass, Satan? Who created yo' ass! I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit.

John, the Satanist: I want you to read me some of your goddamn Scriptures.

Rev X: I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit.

John, the Satanist: [You ain't God!] I'm the devil! And I'm gonna fuck yo' ass up!

Rev X: The devil is a motherfucking liar! So you know I ain't worried, beeyotch!

John, the Satanist: [... and I'm gonna] do all the people a favor.

Rev X: Stupid bitch.

John, the Satanist: Stupid bitch.

Rev X: Look at that! I'm provoking that, huh? I'm making mothafucka just hate God more. I'm provoking that, huh? Haha! You goddamn devil worshipper, you ain't got no excuse. Mothafucka, you ain't – you ain't come in no – you come in the name of Satan. I guess if you like a house nigga who wanna go competitive, if I say I'm God then I guess you have to take the side of Satan, huh, mothafucka? Stupid bitch. Not a, it – it's not a competition, is a cooperation, stupid ass house nigga!

John, the Satanist: Die, motherfucker!

Rev X: I can't see you, though, bitch! You see me! I'm all out! I'm all out! I make my ass very

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available.

Tom, next caller! You don't like it? Kiss my *ass* you don't like it! It's my house!

Tom: Hey, what's up, man. How're you doing?

Rev X: Wuz hattenin'?

Tom: I wanna talk to you. What's up?

Rev X: Wuz hattenin'?

Tom: I wanna know – umm – where'd, where'd you learn your – uh – your, your Scriptures from?

Rev X: Mothafucka, the Book I got in my hand!

Tom: That looks like [the Yellow Pages to me!]

Rev X: You don't know'em? You don't know'em?

Tom: That looks like the Yellow Pages to me! [Looks like the Yellow Pages to me!]

Rev X: You don't know'em? Haha! "Looks like the Yellow Pages." Haha! You killing me. Next caller!

Tom: I swear!

Rev X: Like I said, I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit. This is, this ain't – I ain't playing with yo' ass, don't call up and play with me.

Next caller, Mimi.

Mimi: You know what? You are a real trip, [you know that?]

Rev X: I don't give a fuck what you think, bitch! Your thoughts ...

Mimi: [I think you're talking stuff you don't know anything about! You don't know the Scriptures ...]

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Rev X: ... Your thoughts – your thoughts ain't my thoughts!

Mimi: You need to go through it [again, and understand the true words of God! ...]

Rev X: Bitch, I'm flowing straight from the Survivor Scroll!

Mimi: [... And you need to quit messing around] while you *spit* –

Rev X: *Cut* that bitch off! Next caller!

Rey-Rey: Hey, what's up, man?

Rev X: Wuz hattenin'?

Rey-Rey: Rey-Rey. What's up, man?

Rev X: Wuz hattenin'? I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit. Who name you comin' in?

Rey-Rey: I come in the name of Jesus, man.

Rev X: By who power?

Rey-Rey: There's a little something about you that's disturbing me, man.

Rev X: Is what?

Rey-Rey: There's something about you that's disturbing me, man!

Rev X: It's the spirit of God! See, the spirit of God is omnipotent. And it works on your – it'll work on your ass, and I can be far, far away 'cause – it – it's considered a conscience, you know? Ain't nothing fillin' my conscience 'cause I'm sent – I'm sent by Jesus to do what I'm doing. It's all – and I keep it all lawful and legal. I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit.

Rey-Rey: Alright, it's not that –

Rev X: Any – anybody – anybody resistin' can goddamn my ass kiss it!

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Rey-Rey: Listen up, man: I'm not even coming at you like that, all right?

Rev X: Man, I come in the name of Jesus by the Power of the Holy Spirit. It don't matter how you comin' with me. Is you – is you down doing what I'm talkin' about doin'. Lawyers can get This Book open, trained in These Words, and get the poor, the fatherless, and the widows up out of them penitentiaries. Are you down with that? You ain't down with that, *shut yo' goddamn ass up!*

Rey-Rey: Ephesians [4:29 ...]

Rev X: Give, give me the next – next caller.

Rey-Rey: ... You "let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, [but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers.]"

Rev X: Mothafucka, ain't no corrupt communication came out of my mouth. You know what the corrupt communication is? That's when you talk about the devil: "He the devil!" Your, your motherfucking communication is corrupted.

Rey-Rey: You let *no corrupt* [communication proceed out of your mouth!]

Rev X: Whatever! Whatever! Then I'm wrong! You got me now! You got me now! You got me now! Huh, you figured me out! You fucking nincom-fucking-poop. You figured me out! You got me red-handed! You got me red-handed! God allowed me to tell me I'm God, too, huh? God a liar, huh? Now I – I don't have you – I don't see any of you asses bearing witness for me *or Jesus!* I can't see none of you publishing peace! This is the – *Jesus* is the way to peace! Fuck what you talking about!

Passion! Passion, can you see me?

Passion: Yes, I can hear you from here.

Rev X: And what you got to say?

Passion: [Recites Scriptures.]

Rev X: Goddamn! Next caller! I know my Scriptures, bitch! I'm seeing you something you ain't seeing! Next caller!

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Shit. They wanna call me up and read my Scriptures, *my Book* to me.

Don't call me now! Call two hours later! I ain't at home; I'm at the studio! Shit.

[End.]