

# **Senator Grassley's True Agenda *EXPOSED!***

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Now the truth can finally be told. There is little room for doubt. Benny Hinn appeared recently on the 700 Club and exposed the shocking facts about Charles Grassley's investigation.

He said that the investigation was winding down, and that "Senator Grassley and his people have been nothing but kind." Brother Hinn said that when the investigation started, his attorneys advised him to fight the investigation and refuse to cooperate. But when he prayed about it, the Lord said, "Cooperate--if you do not, you will not have a ministry in 12 months." Hinn told Pat, "God said, 'Prove things honest not only in the sight of God, but in the sight of all men.'" So he instructed his attorneys and accountants to give the Senator "everything he asks for and more." Grassley's office acknowledges receiving "full cooperation" from Benny Hinn and Joyce Meyer.

Concerning Hinn and Meyer, known by many as "prosperity preachers," the investigation seems to have wound down without extreme actions and without hindering in any way Hinn and Meyer from preaching their Prosperity Gospel. In fact, a few days ago on Benny Hinn's TV program, Hinn was offering special anointing oil, a book, and a prayer scarf to anyone who would send in a \$100.00 offering.

Wait a minute . . .

I've watched Christian TV broadcasts in which some of those under investigation have claimed that Grassley was investigating them because he was a Baptist who hated the Prosperity Message and had an agenda to destroy prosperity preachers. I've heard Grassley called an unwitting tool of the Devil. Some argued that this was a matter of a man trying to take away our religious freedom.

Now by Grassley accepting the confirming paperwork from Hinn and Meyer and taking no punitive actions against them, his real agenda has been exposed: He was just doing what he was elected to do--serve on the Senate Finance Committee which has jurisdiction over non-profit organizations, and ensuring that laws were adequate and were being complied with. There was no conspiracy to bring down the Prosperity Preachers or to limit religious freedom.

To date, Senator Grassley has asked questions of many, but leveled accusations against no one. With all of the persecution we Word of Faith people have endured, we should be far more careful not to copy our critics and exaggerate, misrepresent, and accuse others with no proof. Remember that the Word says, "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor."

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