

Intro: The Church Within The Church

"all of the" - "a Remnant" -
Matt 7:13, 14 - not all in church are
saved - Baptized Pagans.

- millions of
church members -
but just half of them
95% never win to X -
etc.
work of X done by
small number -

I - a minority - ~~"all of the"~~ "a remnant" -

narrowing process throughout O.T., Jesus + followers -
this spirit demands - finally Jesus alone, then his followers.

Bible fully surprises = not Ephraim or Joseph, but Judah.

How many of you have really taken up cross? "I'll do it!" refuse
just one
Sinner

II - it maintains the Witness of G -

1 - By its survival - (1) wrath, G (2) Mercy, G

~~By its...~~

→ always beginning again -

III - a means of Salvation - Gen 18:32; Joel 2:32

"a great noise" - "empty it will multiply" -
Service

IV - it is marked - distinctive characteristics

1 - By its ~~separation~~ sacrifice, suffering -
out of side - sheep of Bozrah

2 - By its separation = "put together" as
in a fold

I - it exists, lives, in, thru the messiah vs 13 -

Jesus is Remnant - 1 - alone 2 - survives judgment

3 - Transmits life to others

"in X"