



Speech by  
Rev. Carl R. Hewitt  
at his  
Surprise Testimonial  
Picnic & Gifts of the  
Spirit Church's 25<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary

All I can say, people is thank you. I am sorry. I am speechless. I am speechless. I never expected this. There were so many times that I felt that I was not appreciated, for what I have done, what I am doing, and what I still have to do. Coming here today, and being a little bit

angered that those in the other dimension didn't tell me about this. As a rule, they always do. This is the first time this ever happened, that I was completely surprised. Usually Spirit gives me a heads-up! It has never happened that anyone could ever pulled anything like this on me. So I think they all went out to lunch!

I remember my father, poor man, read the Bible every day, and thought that everything it did not explain was the devil. He thought I was possessed by the devil. But I do remember him, very well, and how sensitive he was at something like this. He would be crying out of control. I feel his presence here today. I don't know of anything that could happen that would make me feel as good. I don't feel like I am here. I feel like I am somewhere else.

All I can say is thank you. Enjoy yourself today, as I am enjoying myself.

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To a Great Friend + student  
I fail to find the right words to say to you, yet my soul + heart cries out for the right words to say, for what you helped put together for me on Sunday June 2, 2002, I'm still reeling + rocking when I think of that event that is my wildest dreams would never dream of happening in my honour.  
To surprise me is or I should say hard to do since so many on all levels of life keep me informed -  
It was the Event of My life!  
Thank you 2 Million times.  
Carl