MEDITATIONS ON THE TRUE CHRISTIAN LIFE

...."This book of the law [the Word of God] shall not depart from [always be in] your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful [take heed] to do according to all that is written in it; for THEN you will make your way prosperous, and THEN you will have success".... Joshua 1:8 NASB

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*The form of the fourth man is like the Son of God!".... Daniel 3:25

From Genesis through Revelation, the Bible describes who the "fourth man" is. The fourth man is God, our source, in whatever form we need Him to be:

In Genesis He is the Seed of the woman.

In Exodus He is the Passover Lamb.

In Leviticus He is our High Priest.

In Numbers He is the Pillar of Cloud by day and the Pillar of Fire by night.

In Deuteronomy He is the Prophet like unto Moses.

In Joshua He is the Captain of our Salvation.

In Judges He is our Judge and Lawgiver.

In Ruth He is our Kinsman Redeemer.

In 1 and 2 Samuel He is our Trusted Prophet.

In 1 and 2 Kings and 1 and 2 Chronicles He is our reigning King.

In Ezra He is our Faithful Scribe.

In Nehemiah He is the Rebuilder of the broken down walls of human life.

In Esther He is our Mordecai.

In Job He is our ever-living Redeemer.

Who is this "Fourth Man"?

In Psalms He is our Shepherd.

In Proverbs and Ecclesiastes He is our Wisdom.

In the Song of Solomon He is our Lover and Bridegroom.

In Isaiah He is the Prince of Peace.

In Jeremiah He is the Righteous Branch.

In Lamentations He is our Weeping Prophet.

In Ezekiel He is the wonderful Four-faced Man.

In Daniel He is the "fourth man" in life's fiery furnace.

Who is this "Fourth Man"?

In Hosea He is the Faithful Husband, forever married to the backslider.

In Joel He is the Baptizer with the Holy Ghost and fire.

In Amos He is our Burden-bearer.

In Obadiah He is the "mighty to save".

In Jonah He is our Great Foreign Missionary.

In Micah He is the Messenger with Beautiful Feet.

In Nahum He is the Avenger of God's Elect.

In Habakkuk He is God's Evangelist.

In Zephaniah He is our Saviour.

In Haggai He is the Restorer of God's lost heritage.

In Zechariah He is the Fountain opened in the House of David for sin and uncleaness.

In Malachi He is the "sun of righteousness", rising with healing in His wings.

Who is this "Fourth Man"?

In Matthew He is the Messiah. In Mark He is the Wonder-worker. In Luke He is the Son of Man. In John He is the Son of God. In Acts He is the Holy Ghost. In Romans He is our Justifier. In 1 and 2 Corinthians He is our Sanctifier. In Galatians He is the Redeemer from the "curse of the Law". In Ephesians He is the Redeemer from the "curse of the Law". In Ephesians He is the Christ of unsearchable riches. In Philippians He is the God who supplies all our needs. In Colossians He the fulness of the Godhead bodily. In 1 and 2 Thessalonians He is our soon-coming King. In 1 and 2 Timothy He is our Mediator between God and man. In Titus He is our faithful Pastor. In Philemon He is the Friend that "sticketh closer than a brother.

Who is this "Fourth Man"?

In Hebrews He is the Blood of the Everlasting Covenant. In James He is our Great Physician. In 1 and 2 Peter He is our Chief Shepherd.In 1 and 2 and 3 John He is love.In Jude He is the Lord coming with ten thousands of His saints.In Revelation He is the King of Kings and Lord of Lords!

Who is this "Fourth Man"? He is Jesus of Nazareth, the Son of the Living God! Your Saviour! Your companion! Your Lord and King! Make Him your physical source. Make Him your financial source and, above all, make Him your spiritual source. The source of your "total supply".