

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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**"Howbeit the firm foundation of God standeth, having this seal, the Lord knoweth them that are His: and, let everyone that nameth the name of the Lord depart from unrighteousness. Now in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and of silver, but also of wood and of earth; and some unto honour, and some unto dishonour. If a man therefore purge himself from these, he shall be a vessel unto honour, sanctified, mete for the Master's use, prepared unto every good work".... 2 Timothy 2:19-21*

God has a foundation to His house that cannot be moved. Many of God's children, as they go on, become less and less clear concerning the light which they once had. They grow more and more careless about their actions, life and faith. When you look at them and think of their beginnings, of their fervent, bright and fruitful early years, and then see how they have changed, you feel afraid concerning your own future and wonder what you can hope for. But there is One - even the Lord - who cannot and will not ever change. There is also something else that will not change, and that is the work of God. What He himself does will never be moved. It will never change.

"The Lord knoweth them that are His" - "The firm foundation of God standeth." We may be disappointed in many fellow-Christians; we may wonder who we can really trust, who will really stand and not fall, who is really born-again, and who is really true and will go through with the Lord. Nevertheless, let us ever keep in mind that one of the foundations of God's house is: "The Lord knoweth them that are His."