

## 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 first characteristic of a good student is receptiveness and a willingness to be taught. What does this imply? That there is something you do not know, and that you are ready to give up your own thinking or doing and look at things from the t[**T**]eacher's viewpoint.

It is under the personal teaching of our Lord Jesus *[the Spirit of Christ]*, and through the gentleness of the meek and lowly heart, which daily waits for and receives and follows that teaching, that we can truly find rest for our souls. All that weariness and burden of strain and failure and disappointment then gives way to that divine Peace which knows that all is being cared for by Christ, Himself. The attitude of our whole life, every day and all day, is to take Christ's yoke and learn His disposition. In so doing, we shall become teachable and refuse to act in our own wisdom.

It is especially in the morning hour that this is to be cultivated. While occupied there with the words of God and of Christ and of the Holy Spirit, we will realize that the only profit in them is when Christ teaches us personally through them.

....*"Take My yoke upon you and learn of Me, for I am gentle (meek) and humble (lowly) in heart, and you will find rest (relief and ease and refreshment and recreation and blessed quiet) for your souls".... Matthew 11:29 The Amplified Translation*