

# **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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## **Faith in "Experiences"**

Perhaps the most delusive of all the different kinds of faith is faith in Experiences.

Men tell what they have felt, what they have heard or seen.

Someone said to me recently, "I am not healed, I have not been able to demonstrate my faith."

Such people have Sense Knowledge Faith.

They must have physical evidence or they do not believe.

No delusion that has grasped the modern church is more deadly than this.

Some do not believe that they have received the Holy Spirit until they have had a physical manifestation.

They do not believe they are healed until the pain has left their body.

They do not believe God has heard their prayer until they can see some physical evidence of it.

We have seen in this type of faith that Sense Knowledge and Sense Evidence hold the place that the Word of God should hold.

In Revelation Faith the Word holds the first place. It is not dependent upon physical evidence. Revelation Faith believes that no Word from God is void of power, and rests in quiet confidence in what God has stated.

It accepts the Word as final without any other evidence.

If the Word declares it, that is enough.

The sick one reads, "Surely lie hath borne my sicknesses and carried my diseases," and lie cries, "Thank you, Father. Then I am healed."

This is New Covenant or Revelation Faith.