

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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A LIFE DEVOTED TO THE WILL OF GOD ALONE

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* Our will cannot be disconnected from the fact of our living union with the Father nor the living presence of His Son. Only by divine guidance given through the Holy Spirit can the Will of God truly be known in its beauty, in its application to daily life, and its ever growing revelation. Again, it will only be given to those with childlike attitudes, who are willing to wait for and depend on what is given them.

Our secret communion with God is the place where we repeat and learn these great lessons. The God Whom I worship asks me to unite perfectly with His Will [*Word*]. My worship means: "I delight to do Thy Will, O God." It is in the morning hour, in the inner chamber, that I can learn God's Will and surrender myself joyfully to do ALL His Will. THEN my study of God's Word and my prayer will bear fruit in full blessing.

....*"He who has My commandments [gained a revelation of the Father's Will] and keeps [remembers, exalts, honors, magnifies, does] them is the one who loves Me; and he who loves Me will be loved by My Father, and I will love him and will disclose Myself to him"If anyone loves Me, he will keep [remember, exalt, honor, magnify, do] My word; and My Father will love him, and We will come to him and make Our abode [having living communion] with him".... John 14:21, 23 NASB*