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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SENSE KNOWLEDGE

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"sense knowledge" - that which is perceived by what one feels, hears, sees or thinks based on their outward circumstances; that which is perceived [and expressed] through the soul [mind, will, emotions] - apart from "revelation" [the Holy Spirit - Who is the Spirit of wisdom and revelation];

Then I ask my Sense Knowledge friend if he can see love.

He must acknowledge that he cannot.

He can see the effect of love, but he cannot see love.

Love is of the spirit.

Love does not belong to the Reason Realm.

Love did not come through the avenues of the Senses.

Love is not produced by feeling, by hearing, by seeing. (I am talking about divine Love. What we ofttime call physical love or Sense Knowledge love is nothing but creative passion. We are dealing now with spirit things.)

Love is of your spirit.

You cannot see hatred.

You cannot feel it, nor hear it.

Yet it is one of the most powerful forces in the world.

You cannot see, nor hear, nor feel thought, but you know it is a reality.

You cannot see the imagination, yet it can take the pictures of Sense Knowledge and throw them upon a canvas, or can translate them into the most beautiful harmony.

You cannot see some of what we call natural phenomena.

You cannot see the wind, but you can see the effect of it.

You cannot see gravitation. You can feel the effect of it.

You cannot see conscience, the voice of your spirit, but you can feel the effect of it.

You see there are very few of the greater things of life that the Senses register.

They register the effect but they cannot grasp the fact, the reality.

God is a spirit. Man is a spirit.

They belong to the same class of being.

Man's spirit is the real man.

His Senses are but the servants of this real man.

His reasoning faculties are servants of this real man, the spirit.

The scripture calls it, "The inward man of the heart."

My physical body contacts physical things.

My mind contacts thoughts.

My spirit can contact God.

Reason is the light that is shed by the oil of the Senses.

Conscience is the voice of the spirit.

Science is but arranged facts that the Senses have discovered.

Science has become the god of the scholastic world.

Ages ago the Senses built gods of wood, and of stone, and of gold, because they were God hungry.

Man is still God hungry and now instead of building idols out of wood, and stone, and metal, he builds them out of Sense Knowledge.

He is worshipping still the work of his hands.

He can't help it.

His Science does not explain the reason for Creation, nor the Reason for man, and Science cannot discover spirit, nor can it find life.

He can see the effect of the spirit, the effect of life.

Science cannot answer the why of man's being nor where he is going.

Science cannot answer this age-long hunger after God, nor of man's unconscious faith in a life beyond the grave.

Science, as we know it today, is the blind child of the Senses.