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 PRAYER HABIT

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The Supernatural

...."pray without ceasing [remain in constant communication with God]"....

1 Thessalonians 5:17 NASB

...."all things for which you pray and ask, believe that you have received them, and they will be granted you".... Mark 11:24 NASB

* Prayer is an excursion into the supernatural realm.

You are in the Throne Room in the Presence of God, of All Ability He has promised to hear your petition and to give you your request. You have come on the ground of His Word.

He said: "Whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my Name he will give it you."

You understand that the words that Jesus spoke were His Father's words; so you come now with the Father's words in your lips, and you are making your appeal on the ground of His own Word.

You are not a servant.

You are not a slave.

You are a son/daughter. You are taking Jesus' place, acting in His stead,

doing the Father's will.

You may know that you are the Father's will just as Jesus was the Father's will, because of His own will He begat you.

You are the fruit of His own Word. You came into being by His own power and ability. You have received Eternal Life, His very Nature.

You recognize your place in Christ. You are acting the part of a Son/Daughter.

The great unsaved world must know what He has done for them in Christ; and so you are taking His ability, doing your part in the saving of men as Jesus did His part.

You belong to a supernatural order of being whether you recognize it or not, whether you have taken your place or not. You have the ability of the indwelling presence.

You have the wisdom that Jesus had in His earth walk because Jesus has been made unto you wisdom.

You can think of yourself as linked up with Ability, linked with Omnipotence.

You remember He said: "And nothing shall be impossible to you.

I know that Sense Knowledge reasoning shrinks from this, but here is where the challenge of grace leads you.

We dare to take our place, dare confess what we are, dare confess that He made us what we are, that we can do what He says we can do because He is at work within us.

We have His Word that He is in us. The latent ability and energy within us is His Who gave it to us.

This makes the prayer life a master thing.

You are not asking for the possible. You are always praying for the impossible. You are asking for things that can't be done by any human method.