## **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

## **December 29th**

## THE CREATIVE ABILITY OF THE RECREATED SPIRIT

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\* How little we have appreciated Colossians 2:2-3, "That their hearts may be comforted, they being knit together in love, and unto all riches of the full assurance of understanding, that they may know the mystery of God, even Christ, in whom are all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge hidden."

Now we have it: Christ came out from the Father, bringing the secret of a new civilization, made up of a new type of men.... New Creation men.

When man accepts Christ as Saviour, and confesses Him as Lord, God imparts to him a new nature, making him a new self. "Wherefore if any man is in Christ, he is a new creation, a new self." 2 Cor. 5:17. Notice the rest of that verse, "the old things are passed away." The old things that have governed Japan, India, Mongolia, Arabia and Egypt, and all of the other non-Christian nations.... these old things have passed away.

"All things are now of God." What things? The New Creation things, the new ability things, the creative energy of God. All man needs is to have Eternal Life, then give his children an opportunity to develop.

Now you can understand what Jesus meant when He said,

"He that followeth me shall not walk in the darkness, but shall have the light of life." Also His statement, "He that believeth on me passes out of death into life."

There are two kinds of death taught in the Word. There is physical death

and spiritual death. "You hath He made alive when you were dead in your trespasses and sins." Physical death is in the realm of the grave. Spiritual death is in the realm of Satan's nature. In Eternal Life, we are made alive from the nature of spiritual death.

"We know that we have passed out of death into life (that means from the death realm into the life realm), because we love the brethren." 1 John 3:13.

Now notice the next verse, "Whosoever hateth his brother is a murderer: and ye know that no murderer bath eternal life abiding in him." No one has ever known a man or woman, who possessed Eternal Life and was dominated by it, to commit murder. Murder grows out of spiritual death, the nature of Satan; he was a murderer from the beginning. When this new kind of life comes into the human heart, it is God's nature coming into man.