

# 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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## CORRESPONDING ACTIONS

**[part 1 of 2]**

\* WEYMOUTH gives us a striking expression in James 2:14:

"What good is it my brethren, if a man professes to have faith, and yet his actions do not correspond?.,

18th verse,

"You notice that his faith was cooperating with his actions, and that by his actions his faith was perfected."

One of the gravest mistakes that many believers make is to confess their faith in the Word, and at the same time contradict their confession by wrong actions.

A woman said to me, "I cannot understand why I did not get my healing. I have prayed and prayed. I know the Bible is true."

I asked her, "Are you still taking medicine?"

"Oh, yes," she said.

Then I read her this scripture that I have just quoted. Her actions did not correspond with her confession. She said she was trusting the Lord and yet her trust was in medicine and not in His Word.

We say we trust the Father for our finances, and at the same time we are

worrying and fretting how we are going to pay our bills.

One minute we confess that no Word from God can ever be forfeited, that He must keep His Word with us, and that we know that He will, and the next moment we are repudiating all that we have confessed.

James tells us there must be corresponding action.

"Be ye doers of the Word, and not hearers only deluding your own selves."

The actions of a "doer of the Word" coincide with his confession.