

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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WE ARE RECONCILED

* You have been reconciled to God through Jesus Christ. You have perfect fellowship now.

Oh, the wealth that belongs to you in this new relationship! Dare to act your part!

Ephesians 2:10, "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus."

If you are His workmanship - you are satisfactory to Him.

He is pleased with you.

We have preached condemnation and sin so long, that we do not know how to preach Righteousness and tell the people what they are in Christ.

When someone does tell them, they feel it is false teaching. They feel that anything is false teaching that does not honor sin, and lift it into the place of Christ.

You are God's new man.

Ephesians 2:15 declares He made one new man.

"Having abolished in His flesh the enmity, even the law of commandments contained in ordinances; that He might create in Himself of the two one new man, so making peace;"

Ephesians 4:24, "And put on the new man, that after God has been created

in righteousness and holiness of truth.”

The New Creation knows but one Lord.

Jesus is the Lord of the New Creation.

Colossians 2:6-7 gives us a graphic statement of fact.

“As therefore you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, rooted and built up in Him, and established in your faith, even as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.”

What a glorious truth!

No longer are you a weakling. His strength is your strength.

We are so strong that we are to abound in thanksgiving. When we stop abounding in thanksgiving we deteriorate spiritually.

Psalm 27:1, “Jehovah is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? Jehovah is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?”

Psalm 23:1, “The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.”

You swing free from the old prison house of bondage and fear and want, of hunger and cold.

You are out in the freedom of God.

Hebrews 7:25 is Jesus' present attitude toward you.

“Wherefore also He is able to save to the uttermost them that draw near unto God through Him, seeing He ever lives to make intercession for them.”

He ever lives to make intercession for you.

He is seated at the Father's right hand.

Say it over, “He ever lives for me.”

Just as that wife lives for that man whom she loves, so in a greater measure the Lord Jesus lives for you.

He has only one business. That is living for you.