

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*

February 18th

THE GIFT OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

[part 3 of 3]

* 1 Corinthians 12:12, "For as the body is one, and has many members, and all the members of the body, being many, are one body; so also is Christ."

We are so one with Him that we are called "The Christ." The church is called "The Christ." He is the Vine.

You are the branch. John 15:1-8 (5th verse) "I am the vine, you are the branches; He that abides in me, and I in him, the same bears much fruit." As the branch is to the vine, so are you to the heart of Jesus. You are utterly one with Him.

All this time you have been thinking about your sin, about your weakness, and your failings. Hear Him whisper to your heart now, Rom. 8:1, "There is therefore now no condemnation to them that are in Christ Jesus."

If you are Born Again, you are in Christ. You are a conqueror. You are free from condemnation. You are the Righteousness of God in Him. You are the fullness of God in Him. You are complete in Him.

The wealth of His glory, the wealth of His riches, has never been fully expressed.

You are Righteous. There is no sinconsciousness for you. There is no inferiority complex for you.

You are now in Christ, the very Righteousness of God.

You can use the Name of Jesus without fear.

You can do as Peter did in Acts 3:5-8, “And he gave heed to them, expecting to receive something from them. But Peter said, “Silver and gold have I none; but what I have, that I give you. In the Name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, walk.” You can swing free.

John 16:23-24, “If you shall ask anything of the Father, He will give it you in my name.”

John 15:7 is yours now. “If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatsoever you will, and it shall be done unto you.”

You are in Him. He is in you.

His Word abides in you.

You are His Righteousness. You are His Life.

You are all and all in Him.

You can do His works now.

John 14:12-13, “Greater things than these shall you do - because I go unto the Father. And whatsoever you shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.”

You take your place, play the part.

Use the Name to heal the sick.

His death was not in vain. His suffering was not in vain.

You stand complete in His completeness.

You are filled with His fullness. His Grace is yours.