

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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MADE WELL IN CHRIST

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* Revelation 20:14, "And death and Hades were cast into the lake of fire."

Revelation 21:4, "And He shall wipe away every tear from their eyes; and death shall be no more; neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain, anymore."

It will be the end of death. This promise of the final destruction of death has in it a suggestion that there is in the plan of Redemption, something to give us assurance of a sickless life, until our bodies wear out and mortality wins without a struggle.

"He was despised, and rejected of men; a man of pains, and acquainted with sickness: and as one from whom men hide their face He was despised; and we esteemed Him not.

"Surely He hath borne our diseases, and carried our sicknesses; yet we did esteem Him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and with His stripes we are healed."

10th verse, "Yet it pleased Jehovah to bruise Him; He hath put Him to grief," or "made Him sick."

12th verse, "Because He poured out His soul unto death, and was numbered with the transgressors: Yet He bare the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors."

That is His High Priestly ministry now at the right hand of the Father.

We can see in this whole program that heads up in these words: “With His stripes we are healed,” that the sin and disease problems have been settled.

As surely as Jesus was our sin substitute as described in 2 Corinthians 5:21, so surely have we become the Righteousness of God in Him.

The object of His being made sick with our diseases was that we might be perfectly healed with His Life.

There is no escaping the fact that as surely as He dealt with the sin problem, He dealt with the disease problem.