

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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WALKING IN THE LIGHT OF LIFE

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The Believer's Greatest Danger

* The believer's greatest danger is to lapse from the Light of the Word to the light of the senses. Luke 11:35,36 explains this:

"Look therefore whether the light that is in thee be not darkness. If therefore thy whole body be full of light, having no part dark, it shall be wholly full of light, as when the lamp with its bright shining doth give thee light."

You have seen faces illumined with the Glory of God upon them. That is the result of Eternal Life flooding the body and of love filling the words. Joy trembles upon the lips.

Living and walking in the Light of the Word is the most beautiful and thrilling experience known, but to walk in the senses and to trust in the wisdom of the senses is dangerous.

But one is tempted to do this because everyone around him perhaps lives in the sense realm and they look upon him as fanatical because he dares walk in the Faith realm, the Love realm.

You dare practice love when everybody else practices selfishness. You live the Jesus Life while they live the self-life. You give and they criticize your giving. You deny yourself while they live in self-gratification. They cannot understand you. They didn't understand Jesus. Those most intimate with Him didn't understand. Neither did they understand Paul and Peter and John in those early days. Then don't expect them to understand you because you live the Love Life.

You are walking in the Light of the Word instead of the light of the senses. The light that is in them is darkness. They are walking in darkness. They know not where they are going, but you walk in the Light of Love.

There is no occasion of stumbling in you. You act like Jesus; you talk like Jesus.

You have the Jesus Nature in you, and that Jesus Nature is dominating your spirit.

You find joy that is unspeakable and full of glory. They have found all kinds of trouble, and they are ever advertising their trouble. You live in the Light as He is in the Light.

Now you can understand what He means when He says "I am the light of the world. He that followeth Me shall not walk in the light of the senses but shall have the Light that comes from Eternal Life."