

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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Sin is a Spiritual Thing

* It may manifest itself in a physical act, but behind the physical act is the spirit that directed it. All that was laid on Jesus. When physical disease manifests itself in the believer's body, the believer knows that that disease was borne by Jesus. He knows that disease has been put upon him by the adversary, so he rebels against the adversary's putting the disease on him which Jesus has borne. He commands it to leave him in the name of Jesus. The disease has to go because it is there by the will of the adversary. The believer says, "Demon, in Jesus' Name, leave my body." And when the demon leaves, he takes the disease with him.

Someone says, "Mr. Kenyon, that isn't sense."

I know. We are not dealing with Sense Knowledge. We are dealing with spiritual realities. These spiritual things are just as real as sense things. 1 Corinthians 6:19,20:

"Or know ye not that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit which is in you, which ye have from God? and ye are not your own; for ye were bought with a price; glorify God therefore in your body.

You remember in Phiippians 1:20 that God is magnified in our bodies, glorified in our bodies.

"So now also Christ shall be magnified in my body."

These bodies of ours cannot glorify Him, nor magnify Him when they are full of disease. But when they are clean and shine with the presence of the Spirit, the Father is glorified. If the Church takes her place, there will no longer be any sickness in it.

Today sickness runs rampant in the church. When we recognize that we have God in us, that it is God Who is at work within us, willing and working His own good pleasure, we know that disease cannot lay its hand upon us. We are immune to colds and fevers.

No disease can fasten itself upon us or our loved ones, because we have "all authority" over them in Jesus' Name. We are clothed with God's ability [*Grace*].