

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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THE FATHER-GOD CONSCIOUSNESS

[part 2 of 2]

* He is my Father.

Now I know what Jesus meant when He said:

"My Father who hath given them to me is greater than all."

He is no longer God to me. He may be God to my neighbors, but to me He is my Father, my own Father.

He had been my Father God ever since I received Eternal Life, but I did not know it. I did not know I had Eternal Life until I had been a Bible teacher for years. I knew that I had my sins pardoned. I knew that I had been justified. I had been converted, but knew nothing about Eternal Life, the Nature of God, that was in me. How it thrilled me when I knew I had Eternal Life.

I had received Eternal Life but didn't know it. He was my Father, and I didn't know it. I didn't know Him in reality. Christianity was a religion to me that was made up of marvelous experiences.

Now it became a Holy Family affair, a relationship. I was God's very own child. He became my very own Father.

Oh, the thrill and wonder of it Now I could say, "Good night, Father" as I closed my eyes in slumber. In the morning I could whisper, "Good morning, Father dear, I've another beautiful day to walk with Thee."

Life was changed. Christianity was no longer a religion but a Family affair, a Holy, wonderful family affair.