

## 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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\* It is of the utmost importance for the child of God to learn to walk after the Spirit, lest they fail to co-operate with the Holy Spirit and give opportunity to the deceiving spirits of Satan to ensnare them with counterfeits of the "true" spirit-life, produced in the realm of the soul which they do not recognize as "spurious". For their object is to draw them to walk "unknowingly" in the soul-sphere again. They need to be able to recognize and deal with the attacks of evil spirits upon their spirit, to hinder fellowship with God; or to press it down "under" the soul, paralyzing its action and causing "passivity" of spirit. Failing this, they will seek to drive their spirit beyond a "sober activity" - the entire object being to prevent or hinder "continuous resistance" to their attacks.

....*"Submit therefore to God [in obedience]. Resist the devil [from the position of faith in a revelation of the Father's Word/Will] and he will flee from you".... James 4:7 NASB*

....*"We are destroying speculations and every lofty thing raised up against the true knowledge of God [and who we ALREADY are, in Christ], and we are taking every thought captive [through proclamation] to the obedience of Christ [a revelation of the Father's Will]".... 2 Corinthians 10:5 NASB*