

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 LAW OF PROSPERITY

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* Then Colossians 1:9, 10 tells us,

"That ye may be filled with the exact knowledge of His will, in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, in order that ye may walk worthy of the Lord according to your understanding" (Literal translation).

Now we can understand that we have not only become partakers of the Divine Nature, but that Divine Nature can so absorb our intellectual processes that we have knowledge beyond anything that the natural senses can teach. We will have a knowledge greater than can be gained in any school or university. Natural processes cannot touch us, because God has become the source of a new type of knowledge.

Let me illustrate: A friend of mine had been very anxious to find a certain alloy that would react upon metals and produce a certain result. The metallurgical world had been searching for that alloy for two generations. Some of the big companies had spent millions of dollars in research. This friend is a very devout man. One day he was up in the Rockies prospecting, as he always does when he has a few days off; and he cried: "Lord, won't You show me where that alloy is?" And a voice said, "It is in that rock."

He took it for granted that it was the Lord and he said, "No, it isn't in that rock." The voice said again, "It is in that rock."

He took it and put it in the smelter, but nothing came of it. However, as he kept trying, he discovered a secret. He put another metal with it, and, lo and behold, he discovered a new alloy. He discovered that that rock was eighty per

cent a new alloy. How did he do it? His mind had become attuned to God's mind. God could talk to him. After years of experimentation, he produced the metal that the world had been looking for. No one could believe it until they saw the demonstration. He had arrived because he walked with God. That is the secret.