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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* On the basis of that He calls us to do the things that Jesus began to do-set men free, break the bonds of Satan over men and women, heal the sick, break the power of demons over communities and nations.

When He said,

"All authority hath been given unto me in heaven and on earth. Go ye therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit: teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I commanded you,"

you notice they were taken into the school of Christ and taught the possibilities of all our rights and privileges in Christ, our complete Redemption from Satan, and our dominion over him.

Then He said, "And lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the age." I began to understand the Commission. He said, "In my name shall they cast out demons." And also, "Whatsoever ye shall ask in my name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son."

We can see very clearly now that we are to take Jesus' place and act within the authority that has been invested in His Name. That authority belongs to us. We can see another fact. When Adam was created, God gave him dominion over all the works of His hands, but Adam turned that dominion over into the hands of Satan and became the subject of Satan.

In Christ that Dominion is restored to the Church. It is restored in the Name

of Jesus. That lost authority was invested in Christ. When He said, "All authority bath been given unto me in heaven and on earth. Go ye therefore and use this authority. I will give you the legal right to the use of my Name. I will give you the Power of Attorney," He bids us to come boldly to the throne room, to the throne of Grace, and make our requests known. We are not to come there as slaves or as servants. We come as sons. We are the love slaves of that master love slave-Jesus.