

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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CROWN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

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* Now we can understand 1 Corinthians 1:30, "But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who was made unto us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification, and redemption." All this is from God. All this belongs to us. "He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord."

God is satisfied with what He did in the New Creation as He was satisfied with what He did in the first Creation. He is not ashamed to be called our Father.

Jesus is not ashamed to be called our Lord and Saviour, our Redeemer and our Righteousness. They are not ashamed of what they have done. Romans 8:1, "There is therefore now no condemnation to them that are in Christ Jesus." 33rd verse, "Who shall lay anything to the charge of God's elect?" Who elected them? God did.

There is only one person in the universe that can bring a charge against us, and that is Jesus. Jesus will not bring a charge against us because it was He who died for us. Now He ever lives to make intercession for us at the Father's right hand.

Who recreated us? God did. Who gave us Eternal Life? God did. Who made us sons and daughters of God? God did. It is all of God. We are accepted in the Beloved, and the Father rejoices over it. We are His own children.