

I need Compassion

Isa 25:14 Ps 118:18  
" 61:1,3 " 119:67,71  
" 57:15 " 138:17

I need consistency

Ps 119:10, 11 Prov. 27:28  
" 140:12 " 17:22  
Law 3:31-36, 40  
Isa 1:19 Jas 1:19, 20

I need Continuity

Ps 66:8,9 Jer 31:16  
" 126:3 Joel 2:21  
Isa 25:14, 8, 9 II Tim 4:17  
" 26:3, 4

I find Continuity

Ruth 2:12 Lam 3:24-27  
" 3:18 Luke 9:57

Isa 58:10, 11

Jer 17:7, 8

In dedication of life

I need Courage

Ps 97:11 Isa 50:7  
" 107:8, 9 " 9:12  
" 119:125, 130 Hab 2:1  
II Tim 2:3 Hag 2:19  
Luke 9:62

I need Confidence

Ps 56:11-13 Isa 43:2, 5  
" 71:16 " 49:16  
Mic 7:8 " 62:11  
Matt 10:24 Phil 1:6

I find His Compassion

Matt 11:28-30 Ps 103:13, 14

Isa 63:9 II Cor 4:6, 7

Mic 7:18, 19 Williams Iram

Matt 6:32 Gal 6:2

I seek Consistency

Dan 1:8 Ruth 1:16, 17

Ps 106:15 Prov 4:11, 12

" 141:5 Jer 42:6

Heb 10:35, 36

When in dreams of future  
I have courage

Ps. 37:4, 5 - Jer 29:11  
" 116:1 - Isa 54:2, 4  
" 119:49 " 55:18, 9

John 16:33 " 64:5  
I can have confidence

Luke 1:45 - Ps 28:2, 3  
Zeph 3:16, 17 " 28:7  
Prov. 13:12 " 123:2

John 4:14  
I have compassion

Ps. 12:5 - Isa 32:2  
" 78:72 Mark 6:34  
" 116:6 Gal 6:1

" 142:1-3 I John 3:18

I need consistency

Gen 50:20 Matt 5:16  
Ps 34:10 Rom 13:12  
" 86:11 II Tim 1:7

Dan 6:22

Acas 3:3

I find continually -

Heb 6:3 Isa 52:12  
Job 1:21 Hos 6:3  
Ps 17:15 - Heb 13:20, 21  
Prov 11:24

Be Strong

We are not here to play  
to dream, to drift

We have hard work to  
do & loads to lift

Show not the struggle -  
face it, 'tis God's gift -

Be strong

Say not the days are evil,  
- Whop to blame & acquiesce

And fold the hands and  
O spare, in God's name!

Stand up, speak out, & brave!

Be strong

It matters not how deeply  
intrenched the wrong

How hard the battle goes  
The day how long,

Faint not! Fight on! Tomorrow  
comes the song

Be Strong.

When at devotions

I find Courage

Ps. 5:3

Let us <sup>in</sup> a few words, the  
Lord's blessing upon  
His Word & searching  
into each verse to get  
blessing. Result - Confession  
Thanksgiving & intercession  
or supplication. Thus  
also the Lord gives me  
food, which soon be-  
comes food for others  
Geo. Mueller

While praying an hour I  
had a most soft & tender  
affection toward mankind.

I longed that those who  
owe me ill will, might  
be eternally happy. Refresh-  
ing thought that I might  
meet them in heaven  
however much they had  
injured me on earth.

I find Compassion

Ps 41:11, 12

" 51:17

" 55:22

Eph 4:32

" 63:5

Isa 54:11

Lam 3:22

I find Consistency

How lovely are the faces  
of those who talk with God  
Likewise with an inner sureness  
of the path their feet have trod.  
How gentle is the manner  
of those who walk with Him!  
No strength can overcome  
them and no cloud their  
courage dim - ah yes -  
keen are the hands & feet  
of those who wait His  
will, and clear as crystal  
mirrors are the hearts  
His love can fill.

Ps. 46:10 Ps. 68:19

Ps 85:18 Ps 139:23, 24

Jeck 4:6

I find Confidence

Job 5:17-22 Ps 5:6:3  
Ps 27:14 Ps 91:19-12  
Ps 50:15 - Prov 16:7

Open my eyes  
open my eyes, that I  
may see needings These:  
That are and that are  
Hearts that are dumb  
in sense and  
Lives that are dumb  
for whom Christ died,  
Open my eyes in sympathy  
Clear into man's deep  
soul to see; to discern  
Wise with Thy wisdom  
and with Thy heart of  
love to yearn, I pray  
Open my eyes in power  
Give me the strength  
to speak today,  
Some one to bring,  
Dear Lord to Thee;  
Use me O Lord, use  
even me. Betty Scott Stam

Ps 41:11, 12  
" 5-1:17  
" 5-5:22  
" 63:5  
" 5-4:11  
" 5-3:22  
" 5-1:17  
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" 5-1:17

I find Confidence  
Heavenly are the joys  
of those who walk with Thee  
Dik with an inner awareness  
of the host they def have met  
How gentle is the manner  
of those who walk with Him!  
No strength can overcome  
Them and no cloud their  
Gourage dim - at eye -  
feet are the hands that  
of these who walk with Thee  
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" 5-1:17  
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" 5-4:11  
" 5-3:22  
" 5-1:17  
" 5-1:17  
" 5-1:17

where on duty

I need courage

Josh 1:9 vs. 89:8, 9

Ps 125:11 Ps 143:8

Isa 35:13, 4

" 59:19 Mic 3:8

Act 28:15-

I need Confidence

Isa 12:2 Prov. 19:26

" 41:10 Ps 138:3

Nah 1:7 " 147:11

Rom 8:28 " 118:5, 6

A Quiet-mind

What room is there for  
troubled fear? It is fear.  
I know my Lord, and He,  
and He will light my candle  
so that I may see the  
way to go.

wilderness  
There need be no be-

To one who goes, where he  
is sent, night & day  
The trackless plain by  
is set with signs, but  
he should stray.

Lord grant to me a  
quiet mind,

That trusting Thee, for  
Thou art kind, I fear  
I may go on without a  
for Thou, my Lord art  
always near.

Amy Carnichael

It is always too soon  
to quit

Thou art emblem of heaven  
itself to love all the world  
with kindness, forgiveness  
& benevolence - is ever  
able to think evil of any  
man upon any occasion

when thy soul is in  
distress - Epiphany  
Think upon his faith -

Hidden by <sup>Jesus</sup> Stern Wagoner  
(1) There are joys we never dream  
of or never can we know  
Until with Christ our Saviour  
Into the depths we go.

(2) There's a path where will find peace  
And a sky of azure blue,  
Waiting for the soul who's willing  
With the Master to go through.

(3) There are answers to each problem  
We can never find alone,  
If we walk along with Jesus  
Making Him our very own

To talk with God - no breath is lost;  
Talk on! talk on! | lost  
To walk with God - no strength is  
WALK on! WALK on! | lost  
To wait on God - no time is  
Wait on! wait on! | lost  
To grind the axe - no work is  
Grind on! grind on! | done  
The work is quicker, better  
Not needing half the  
strength laid on;  
Grind on!

The wonder of  
Salvation - So  
great - Fabulous.  
"If we ever need  
it, it's there" like  
insurance.  
Forgive all these  
sins. Who counts  
it me of sin? Who  
against God's elect  
Rom 8: God has  
justified Christ  
judges believers  
for works.  
Unbelievers Rev 20  
lost in Lake of fire  
God chastens believers

we can be measured  
we are finite  
God cannot - He  
is infinite  
where are the angels  
II Cor 12:2 3rd heaven  
Heb 4:14 Christ  
passed through the  
heavens  
Eph 1:20 Christ  
above the angels  
angels in 2nd  
as ministers  
servants - minister  
to God in 3rd heaven  
II Pet 2:11 Evil angels  
have access to 3rd  
heaven - Job  
Act 16:16 natural  
ventriloquist possessed  
by a demon

Rev 9:11 chief over  
angels Abaddon or  
Apollyon -  
occupation  
I Peter 1:12 angels  
desire to look into  
the things of gospel.  
angels present -  
at creation -  
birth of Christ -  
temptation of C -  
resurrection of C -  
ascension " "  
Matt 26:15-3  
available for defense  
Matt 13:41 49  
have a part in  
separation of men  
Luke 15:10 a rejoice  
over one sinner

I Cor 6:3 a judge  
by us -  
Rev. 22:8 9 angels  
must not be worshipped  
I Cor 11:10 wear hats  
Heb 1:14 angels minister  
to our needs -

individual becomes a partaker of  
the Spirit when he believes on L.C. &  
Acts 11:17. So real the believers body  
becomes very temple of H.S. 1 Cor. 6:19  
most intimate - our bodies His temple  
ment-dwelling place in us. To Jesus  
prayer & the promise of God Himself  
We are the vehicles through which God  
reveals Himself to the instruments  
through which He does His work today  
those who believe His statements that  
H.S. lives in us & recognize His presence  
become conscious that they are  
actually partakers of Spirit of God. In  
order to enjoy it as absolutely necessary  
that we thank God that the promise  
has been fulfilled that the prayer  
of the Saviour has been answered for  
each of us individually. Partakers  
in the deepest sense. He is the same  
of our inheritance Eph 1:14 receiving  
unto the day redemption Eph 4:30  
amounting unto service 2 Cor 1:21. I John  
2:27 baptizing us into the death of Christ  
& into His body. I Cor 12:13  
Seven names for the Spirit which  
signify His perfection, all who partake  
of H.S. partake of all of His perfection.  
In Rev. repeated redemptions 17 Spirits of  
Rev. 1:14; Rev 3:1; Rev 4:5; Rev. 5:6. Not  
mean 7 distinct Spirits of God so that  
one might wonder whether he had  
received the Spirit of God but He  
who lives in me is the perfect Spirit  
as indicated by His several names

Partakers nature of the Father  
" of the life of the Son  
" of Holy Spirit  
Necessity to have in communion with  
any nature of night. Heb 6:14-6 just a  
that heavenly calling as for all  
Christ lightens every man that  
comes into the world. The Holy Spirit  
witnesses to every one when the  
Word is given. The man's response  
determines whether or not he will  
become a partaker (partner) of the  
Holy Spirit (as one who has a natural  
right because he has been beotten of God  
Redemption, whole of redemption of Chicago  
men - small cups of grace. Christ's presence  
had to see that all coffee of each brand  
had exactly same flavor. One brand the  
effect it would have? I do not want the  
mine. Will Indian spit out beans &  
rice (good to me) as obnoxious to him?  
Tasted it but never became a partaker  
The Spirit of God may be received by  
an act of the will Acts 7:51 men did  
it in O.T. times when Jesus was here at  
Pentecost - & later also to day. I of the same  
again - H.S. Those who do not - the  
way of salvation in God's word & give place  
to Him become partakers because they have been  
born again. I Cor. 13:14 Communion  
Phil 2:1 fellowships. Sons of God in partake  
in this sense but not in Heb 6:4 delusion  
& tasted but turned away. God not used  
Ezek 36:27 Joel 2:29 Jesus send Comforter  
14:16 I promise. Phil 1:4 Pray

ministered to us by H.S. (He will give you  
 grace + glory) Heb 10:29  
 (7) The Spirit of Glory - I Pet 4:14. What do you  
 when something be broached for H.S. not only strength  
 upon us as Spirit of Glory -  
 Seven times against H.S. Eph 4:30  
 " I Thess 5:19  
 " Act 7:51  
 " Heb 10:29  
 " Act 8:12  
 " " 5:19  
 " Mk 3:29  
 blasphemy " "

He is the very essence of God. I Cor 2  
 (2) The Spirit of His Son, Jesus Christ the Lord  
 Gal 4:6. Of the One who "learned of the Father"  
 by the things he suffered "who loved  
 for us to enable us to do the will of God  
 from the heart." He is the yielded Servant  
 of God who said to be my Yoke Matt 11:29  
 also the Spirit of the Lord II Cor 3:17 who  
 liberates from bondage - No need of  
 striving to be free - humbly revealed  
 in us as we believe His Word & yield  
 our being daily to His leading.  
 (3) The Comforter. John 14:16 The One  
 who does for us what we are not able to  
 do for ourselves - Our Father like an  
 beloved Servant - Our Teacher "opening  
 our eyes of our understanding, enlightening  
 our minds, bringing to our remembrance  
 all things previously revealed, enables  
 us to say Father & Son to the Son &  
 strengthen us in our inner man that  
 Christ may dwell in our hearts by faith.  
 (4) The Spirit of Wisdom & Truth. Gal 1:2  
 gives us each Band of God to give wisdom  
 understanding, power, knowledge &  
 for of governing the world - Of truth to show  
 us "things to come" and the things of  
 Jesus. John 16:13  
 (5) The Spirit of Holiness shows Jesus  
 to be the - Son of God with power Rom 1:4  
 changed not to give them Eph 4:30  
 H.S. the Spirit of Preparation (Israel  
 leaving Egypt) will do same for us.  
 Rom 8:12  
 (6) Spirit of Grace. Unmerited favor

"THE WILL OF GOD; NOTHING MORE; NOTHING LESS; AND NOTHING ELSE"

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"THE GOSPEL . . . that  
 Christ died for our sins  
 according to the Scriptures;  
 and that he was buried, and  
 that he rose again the third  
 day according to the Scrip-  
 tures." - I Corinthians 15:3, 4.

One day you shall stand  
 before the presence of the Father  
 & to day He longs to prepare  
 for that day that we may not be  
 ashamed. Will you not thank God  
 that this Holy Spirit dwells in you  
 now, thus recognizing your  
 presence? Thank God that He  
 longs to work in you all that He  
 desires for His sons.

## Saul's Conversion

- 1) The martyrdom of Stephen marked the beginning of organized persecution of followers of the Way. Stephen's body was scarcely buried than a storm of hatred broke with full force.
- 2) Saul of Tarsus was given authority to arrest & punish the followers of the Nazarene.
- 3) Filled with zeal & confident that he was defending the true faith, Saul laid waste the church, raving houses of believers had them flung into the Temple dungeons.
4. No man or woman was safe from his fanatical fury. They were given just one alternative, either recant their belief in Jesus or be beaten into insensibility.
5. His efforts drove the followers under cover. Not satisfied with weakening them, he determined to exterminate them. His spies kept him informed of their meetings.
- 6, accompanied by his lieutenant, he tracked them down relentlessly.
7. They held their meetings at night beyond the city in lonely groves. As Saul drew near he supposed he would hear his name reviled, instead he heard them praying for his salvation.
8. at Saul's signal his men closed in striking down those who sought to escape.
9. Saul was baffled by his prisoners. They would accept a beating & even death before they would deny their faith. They would not strike back but asked their Lord to have mercy on him.

10. The dungeons, that broke the spirits of hardened criminals, seemed not to affect these people - when he visited the prisons they looked on him not with hatred but pity.
11. They were ready to die for their faith but realized the importance of keeping Christianity alive - if not in J. then in areas beyond Saul's reach.
12. Many went into Judea, others into Samaria where under Philip's leadership they founded a colony of believers, the largest <sup>of any prayer group</sup> departed to the Syrian city Damascus.
13. Word of their escape came to Saul & he became <sup>more</sup> angry as he realized that instead of stamping out this doctrine he was spreading it.
14. Enraged, he stormed into the quarters of the High Priest demanding letters to the synagogues in Damascus - granting him authority to arrest any followers & bring them back in chains.
15. The <sup>entire</sup> authority <sup>company</sup> of men <sup>he needed</sup> left Jerusalem in pursuit of the fugitives <sup>hardly</sup>.
16. Damascus was a 5-day journey over a mountain range and across the scorching desert land of lower Syria.
17. Saul led his men in haste hardly stopping to eat and sleep.
18. At last his men rebelled and demanded a rest period.
19. As the men rested Saul walked ahead, determined he would not admit his own weariness.

20. As some of the men followed him they saw a great light from heaven brighter than the sun flash upon him Dazzled by it he fell to the ground and heard a voice saying Saul, Saul why persecutest thou me?

21. Saul asked who art thou Lord? I am Jesus whom thou persecutest. Then Saul seeing & believing that this hated stargazer was none other than the Son of God and his coming King said "Lord what wilt thou have me to do?" Jesus said Rise and enter the city & you will be told what to do.

22 This proud man having seen how he looked in God's sight - a sinner a murderer arose - but when his eyes were opened he could not see.

23 Led by his men he made a humble entry into Damascus.

24 For 3 days & nights he lived in darkness with out food or drink praying.

25 A certain disciple named Ananias Rise & go street called Straight home of Judas for a man of Tarsus called Saul behold he prayeth & he has seen a man named A. come in & lay hands on him to regain his sight.

26 I have heard about this man how much evil he has done to thy saints at J. & here he has authority from Jewish priests to bind all

who call upon thy name.

26. for he is a chosen vessel unto  
me to carry my name before  
Gentiles kings & sons of Israel  
for I will show him how much  
he must suffer for my sake.

27. Ananias spoke to Saul Brother  
Saul the joy of Jesus who appeared  
to you in the way has sent me  
that you may regain your  
sight & be filled with the Holy Spirit.

28. Immediately something like  
scales fell from Saul's eyes &  
his sight was restored.

29. Then he arose & was baptized  
humbly, & gladly in the name  
of Jesus. Which he had mocked  
& sworn to destroy. In whose  
name he was destined to  
carry to Gentiles kings & sons of  
Israel.