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1 Kings 7:21-22

“And he set up the pillars in the porch of the temple; and he set up the right pillar, and call the name of it Jachin (he shall establish); and he set up the left pillar, and called the name of it Boaz (in him is strength). And upon the top of the pillars was lily work; so was the work of the pillars finished.” 1 King 7:21-22

If the Lord is not the strength of our lives, then surely, our strength will be small. And if we are not established in Christ Himself how can there be any security in our hearts?

It is the presence of the Spirit of God in our lives that supplies and sustains us with a quiet strength that enables you to endure and persevere when all others around us may be failing. It is the quiet strength that others are watching and hoping to find in those who call themselves believers. “Is what they espouse real, or should I look elsewhere?” “You will keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on You, because he trusts in You.” (Isaiah 26:3)

It may be the silent beauty of the “lily work” on your life that initially attracts others, but it will be Christ’s strength flowing through you during the difficulties of life that persuades others to make your Jesus, their Lord and Saviour!

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