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2 Chronicles 26:3-5

"Uzziah was sixteen years old when he began to reign... and as long as he sought the LORD, God made him to prosper." 2 Chronicles 26:3-5

Son, it matters not the age – but that the is heart set upon God! "But seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteous man and all these things will be added unto you." (Matthew 6:33).

There is a longing within the human heart for a deep, satisfying fellowship with the Creator. We were made for such communion. The fall of Adam has warped or perverted that longing into something other than pursuit of the LORD. Whether the lust of the eyes, or the lust of the flesh, or the pride of life; these pursuits draw our heart from the one true quest of the human spirit – the quest to know God. "That I may know Him, and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His suffering, being made conformable to His death." (Philippians 3:10).

To pursue the LORD only for the blessing is just a pursuit of things. The heart is known to God. Do you know your own heart and its true motives?

"Lord, may my heart be true to You."

Cultivate your walk in the Spirit. He will quickly reveal and refocus your gaze to the beauty of the Saviour. To fix your gaze upon the lust of this world is to impair your capacity for the greater things of the Kingdom. "You ask, and receive not, because you ask amiss, that you may consume it upon your lusts." (James 4:3)

Set aside the stuff – now is the time to seek the LORD.

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