



“The LORD is the portion of my inheritance and my cup; You maintain my lot. The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a godly heritage.” (Psalm 16:5-6)

Are you pleased with your “lot in life”? Can you say as the psalmist did, “my lot in life is pleasant”? The man or woman who is hard to satisfy is never happy. Life is one disappointment after another for them. No one can meet their high expectations or unreasonable demands. Life is a constant struggle for them and joy is rarely evident in their lives.

There is a secret to enjoying life and yet it is no real secret, rather it is simply hidden from those who complain and don’t praise, for those whose view is down and not up! It is the Lord Who is my inheritance and my cup. He has chosen and maintains my lot in life. So, if I am dissatisfied with life, on some level, I am revealing my hidden dissatisfaction with the Lord. Selah.

Let us settle this issue now. The Lord choose you and your specific lot in life because He intends two things – first, He intends and desires for you a pleasant and productive life. (John 10:10b, John 15:1-8; Genesis 9:1b). Secondly, He intends for you to bring His goodness into your situation. You are to be His light and life in the midst of bad situations so that other people may experience Him as their portion and inheritance.

Yes, your lines have fallen in pleasant places!

“Lord God, thank You for the situations that I am in today. I believe that You are the Sovereign Lord and that you have ordered my “lines.” In Jesus’ name, thank You for the enablement and the empowerment to overcome any and every situation and while I am overcoming, turning these dark and hard situations into bright spots of Your love, Your goodness, Your blessing! Yes, Lord, You have caused my life to fall in pleasant places! Alleluia!”

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