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Psalm 112:8

“His heart is established; he shall not be afraid...” Psalm 112:8

The times in which we are living are fearful times! Jesus said that during the Ending Days men’s hearts would fail them because of fear! (Luke 21:26). But this does not – should not – be the condition in the believer’s heart. All things around us are being shaken. “Yet once more I shake, not only the earth, but also heaven... that those things which cannot be shaken may remain. Wherefore, receiving a Kingdom which cannot be shaken, let us have grace, by which we may serve God acceptably with reverence and godly fear!” (Hebrews 12:26-28)

The purpose of the Lord is to have an established people. A people not moved by anything but the Word of God. The presence of fear in our lives is an indicator that there is something left of the old nature which is still at work within our lives. It is the Lord’s intent to replace that natural thing with the supernatural – to exchange the temporal for the eternal – to the end that we – like Him – are unshakable!

From this unshakable position then, the character of Christ may be seen in our lives – unblemished by the various holds and entanglements of the world. The established heart is able to hold wealth for it does not hold him. Evil tidings have no grip upon his heart because the established heart has seen past the temporary into the eternal purposes of God! The established heart consistently receives input from the Spirit because there is little hindrance from life’s present concerns and worries. Even the children of the man whose heart is established are blessed because of the consistency and focus demonstrated to them day in and day out. Such reliability offers the child with great and real sense of security deep within their own hearts.

“Lord, may my heart be established in Your purposes – unshakable and eternally at rest in You!”

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