



# Before the THRONE

## The Devotional

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Psalm 119:97 – 100, 102

“Oh, how I love Your law! It is my meditation all the day. You, through Your commandments, have made me wiser than my enemies... I have more understanding than my teachers; for Your testimonies are my meditation. I understand more than the ancients, because I keep Your precepts... for You have taught me.” Psalm 119:97 – 100, 102.

You are what you think about. Your meditations, your musings, your innermost deliberations are setting the course for your life. “As a man thinks in his heart, so is he.” (Proverb 23:7).

The one who will make God’s Word his meditation is promised success on every level. “This book of the law shall not depart out of your mouth, but you shall meditate therein day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written therein; for then you shall make your way prosperous, and then you shall have good success.” (Joshua 1:8) These meditations become the text books of life that the Holy Spirit may quicken to our hearts and our understanding, making us stand out in the midst of our society and culture.

Cream always rises to the top of the milk jug. And so, the believer who has been instructed in the Word of God and who can humbly say of the Lord, “for You have taught me”, will also rise to the top of any situation. “And in all matters of wisdom and understanding that the king may inquire of them, *Daniel and his three Hebrew friends*, the king found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers that were in the realm.” (Daniel 1:20).

The Lord will instruct anyone, whose heart is open and teachable.

“Holy Spirit, teach me to meditate upon Your Word. Teach me to heed Your commands and learn Your ways. Help me to develop a love for the Word of God, that it might be my Bread.”

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