

Volume 2 Books of Poetry Psalm 130:1

"Out of the depths have I cried unto You, O LORD." Psalm 130:1

Life's troubles have a way of driving us to prayer! Yet, even then, many people don't understand or plumb the depths of prayer. We speak here not of long formal prayers, although vital prayer may be long. Neither do we speak of loud or religious sounding prayers. Praying "out of the depths" is the cry of the spirit of man to the heart of God in absolute need and in utter confidence. He holds the answers you seek! "For without Me you can do nothing." (John 15:5).

The depths of prayer are only reached when we allow the Holy Spirit to carry us out into the deep waters of God. "Likewise, the Spirit also helps our infirmities; for we know not what we should pray for as we ought; but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. And He that searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He makes intercession for the saints according to the will of God." (Romans 8:26-27)

It is in these deep waters where "eye has not seen, nor ear heart, neither entered into the heart of man, the things which God has prepared for them that love Him" that the Holy Spirit calls us that He might reveal to us the purposes, plans and desires of God." (1 Corinthians 2:10).

The Holy Spirit will always help you when the waters of life are their deepest. Yet He waits to carry you into the still deeper things of God today – whether or not you are facing life's deep water. Why wait for deep troubles to come to launch out into the deeper things of God?

Accept His invitation and jump in today!

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