

Severmore 2-6-94

Our All Sufficent God

Ph. 4:19 But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in Glory by Christ Jesus.

Intro. We have many needs in this life. Some things we think are needs, are only wants.

New car, New clothes, Lots of money, etc.

There are certain basic needs that everyone has.

Love. God is love he can supply that need.

Home. *not good for man to be alone* Where we can feel there are those who care for us. The home that prays together stays together.

True Friends - Jesus never fails. Closer than a brother
Peace of mind: The peace of God that passes

Understanding comes from a right relation with God and others. The wicked are like the troubled sea which cannot rest but casteth up mire and dirt. Great peace have they that love thy law.

in the Satisfaction: We need to be satisfied with the knowlede that what we are doing is the best long run.

Security: We need to know that no matter what hapens to us everything will turn out all right. For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have everlasting life.

Rom. 8:28 For we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to those that are called acording to his purpose.

Jesus said: verily I say unto you There is no man that hath left house, or parents, or brethern, or wife, or children, for the kingdom of God's sake. who shall not receive manifold more in this present time, and in the world to come life everlasting.

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8-10-88 I Love God's House MT. 5-30-82
text ps. 122: 1 308
I was glad when they said
unto me, let us go into the house
of the lord."

Intro. The house of the lord is
called by different names sometimes
the temple, the synagogue, Tabernacle,
the church house, the meeting
house. But anyway the house
of the lord has had a special
place in the lives of His people.
~~Chapel in New Jersey~~
Gave and a gift offered to the
lord on an altar.
So did, Aroah, Abraham
1st house of the lord was a
tent. "The tabernacle in the
wilderness

Then was built the temple
in Jerusalem. Made of stone
cedar and lined with gold.
a rich beautiful place.
Destroyed because of the sins
of the people

Dawn through the ages, great
men and women have loved God's
House.

Ps 27: 4 "One thing have I desired
of the Lord, that will I seek after;
that I may dwell in the house
of the Lord all the days of my life,
to behold the beauty of the Lord, and
to inquire in his temple.

Ps 84: 10 "To be a day in thy courts
is better than a thousand. I had
rather be a doorkeeper in the
house of my God, than to dwell
in the tents of wickedness."
Ps 23: "And I will dwell in the house of
Immanuel the Lord ever abiding with us."
Isaiah received his call in

the temple 6 ch.
Ezekiel. Spoke the letter before the
Lord. Sennacherib

Hannah prayed in the temple

God gave her Samuel.

She gave him back to God

He heard God's voice there.

Jesus custom was to attend
the synagogue on the Sabbath
day.

He went to the Temple
and said. My house shall
be called the House of
prayer, but ye have made
it a den of thieves.

Widow giving to the
treasury, Commended by
Jesus: the prophet in the temple.
Anna: the prophet in the temple.
a house of the Lord that
is well kept, clean and
neat and beautiful is showing
respect and honor and love
to God. One that is shabby
and in a run down condition
tells the world we don't
have much love for God
and His house.

ps. 81:4 'Blessed are they that
dwell in thy house: they will
be still praising thee!

PS 100:4

Let us come before His presence
with singing and enter His
Coorts with praise.
be thankful unto Him and
bless His name.

Enter into his gates with
thanksgiving, and into his
Coorts with praise: be
thankful unto him, and bless
his name.

What does God's
house mean to you?

live more
7-29-78 I Love God's House. M.T. 11-80
Wesleyan Hour Change after Big snow 2-5-78
Scripture text of psalms. 122:1

"I was glad when they said
unto me, let us go into the
house of the Lord"

psalms 84:2 "My soul longeth,
yea, even fainteth for the Courts
of the Lord: my heart and
my flesh crieth out for
the living God."

V10 To or a day in thy Courts
is better than a thousand.
I had rather be a doorkeeper
in the house of my God, than
to dwell in the tents of
wickedness. China not free

~~Intro. after all the snow
and bad weather it's good
to be back in God's house.~~
Let's look a little at the
history of God's house.

made by the people.
I A. The Tabernacle in the wilderness
1st Kings 1st dedication of the temple
B. The Temple. Very beautiful
8 C. Early Christian Synagogues.
Dedicated and set apart for
worship.

II How to come to God's
house. walk, run, ride, donkey, horse
Ps 100: Come before His presence
with singing. Enter up to His
gates with thanksgiving, and
into His courts with praise.
Be thankful unto Him, and
bless His name.
when the tribes came

III What to do in Gods
House. High priest made atonement
A Jesus said: My House
shall be called a house
of prayer. ^{Illust. Hannah}
^{Samuel's mother}

B. Ps 96: 9 I worship
the Lord in the beauty of
holiness;

Goliness becometh their
house O Lord forever.

Reading and teaching of the word

C. 1 Chr. 16: 20 Praising in word and song
the Lord the glory due
unto his name; bring on
offering, and come before him;

Ps. 95: 6 "O come let us
worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the
Lord our maker."

Repentance and confession
of sins. find pardon
and forgiveness

O place to serve.

David said: I had rather
be a door-keeper in the house
of my God:

wood carriers, water carriers
repairers, janitors. S.S. teachers
invitors. Friendly, caring

E Blessing a place of blessing

Ps 84:4 Blessed are they
that dwell in thy house:
they will be still praising
thee. Go on your way rejoicing
victorious at the altar

Ps 23:6 Surely goodness
and mercy shall follow
me all the days of my
life and I will dwell
in the house of the Lord
forever.

God's house should be
a very precious place
to each of us. Let's be faithful
to do our best for His house

THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

Text : Math. 5:14-16

Livermore
Gen. 1:3 Is. 9:2 1-4-98

M. 66
M.T. 7-73

Intro. Light is one of the most essential things upon this earth. "God said, Let there be light and there was light."

I. Light is necessary for life.

A without light we could not enjoy beautiful snow fall, flowers, colors of the rainbow and the beautiful things all around us.

The christian is a light to the world that sets in spiritual darkness. sin has brought blackness and dispare, hopelessness. and disapointment.

II. Light are used in many ways.

A. To give diraction.

Car lights at night.

search light on the mountain in New Guinea

Harbor lights

Christians let there light shine out to show others the way. by example by teaching and preaching.

Witnessing
Ixample. song: Jesus bids us shine with a clear pure light, Like a little candle burning in the night. In this world of darkness, we must shine, You in your corner, and I in Mine

B. For Beautification

Ruby falls in Tennessee in the heart of a mountain lit with colored light.

The Christmas lights

No beauty to equal the raidence of a life lit by the glory of God. Moses face did shine.

C. a guide.

Illus. Beacon lights for planes.

D. to search out.

Someone is lost at sea. the search light sweep out.

The christian searches out the lost.

E. As a warning

Signals along the railroad track.

Light houses.

Illust. Girl and mother who stoped the train by using their furniture to start a fire because the bridge was out.

We must stop the wicked before they go to sudden distruction.

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Conclusion: The light of christians must be found every^{where} in the home in the school, in the factory, in the military service or in a place of business. If the light goes out sudden destruction awaits. "YE ARE THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD"

Song 362 The Light of the World is Jesus.

The certainty of Heaven ^{MT 9-81}
Next Luke 23: 43. "And Jesus
said unto him, Verily I say
unto thee, Today shalt
thou be with me in
paradise."

Paul said, "to be absent
from the body is to be
present with the Lord."
Jesus said, I go to prepare
a place for you. I will
receive you unto myself
that where I am there ye
may be also."

Rev 21 John saw a vision
of the New Jerusalem.
Descending out of heaven from
God. V 11 Having the glory of
God: and her light was
like unto a stone most precious
even like a jasper stone clear
as crystal.

12 gates every several gate of fine
walls made of precious
stones. Streets
gold.

✓ 16 four square, 12,000 furlongs
10 furlongs = 1 mile 1,200 miles
No sun, no moon, no
night. 17,280,000 cubic miles

Paul speaks of being caught
up into the 3rd heaven and
into paradise "Cor: 12 & 4
Steven said: 'I see heaven open and
Jesus standing at the right hand of the Father'
D. J. Moody said when
death approached, "Is this
death? this is glorious!
fater, he said, "This is my
inauguration day.

John Wesley said as he
was dying, "Best of all,
God is with us."

Michael T. Oradog

Pilly Grahams mother.

There must be a
heaven somewhere.
all nations of Earth
believe in life after death.

Margaret Prior - "bid!"

The choir has come, and
I am ready to step in.

Jordan Antioch - "Eternity
rolls up before me like a
sea of glory."

months ago Crocker - "How
bright the room! How full
of angels!"

S. B. Bangs. "The sun is
setting; mine is rising.
I go from this bed to a
crown. Farewell."

John Arthur Lyth
"Can this be death?"

why, it is better than
living! Tell them I did
happy in Jesus."

miss Mary Terence "Oh,
that I could tell you
what joy I possess! I am
full of rapture. The Lord
dath shine with such
power upon my soul.
He is come! He is come!"

The Heart is the Key 41

Pr. 3: 1-15

Nazorene Mt. 76

Pr. 4: 23

Ch 3-21-85 92

nos. 6-25-89

Lincoln 1-1892

1-83

Text V. 23 Keep thy heart with

all diligence; for out of it are
the issues of life."

Pr 23: 7 "For as he thinketh
in his heart so is he."

Intr. all of the actions
of a person whether good or
bad are controlled by the
central control system
the center of the thoughts
affections and emotions.

which is the ^{sovereign} mind
out of the abundance of the heart ^{the mouth} speaketh."

The writer of the Psalms
said: My heart is fixed
on God. played and sang
for God.

In order to keep from
losing your way you

must be like the captain
of a ship following the
degrees of a compass and
keeping the ship on a
straight course. It takes
diligence often times especially
when storms come. Holding
fast to the Pilot wheel.

Some captains have even
lashed themselves to the
mast so that they would
not be swept away.

^{Ill. Driving cars on highway}
In order to keep the heart
free on definite things
God says is good for our
soul.

<sup>nothing between my soul
and the sovereign</sup>
I. Make a clean break
with the sins of the world.
^{Put the wicked to rest his way.}

A. In conversation, in action,
in dress, in the TV shows
you watch, the books you
read. Things that war against
Jesus said have not the world. ^{the soul}

II Pray. Prayer keeps you
in touch. Keeps us in
right perspective. They do not want
Jesus said Watch and pray
lest ye ^{enter} fall into temptation.
The spirit is willing but the flesh
is weak.

III Study the word.
Paul to Timothy: Study
to show thyself approved
unto God.

Thy word have I hid in
my heart. Ps 119:11
teach to children on door posts
in the house, walking by the way.

IV Congregational worship.

Old testament.
New testament. Not
forsaking. Revivals, camp
meetings. Social fellowship
in worship. Songs and hymns.

V Testimonies.

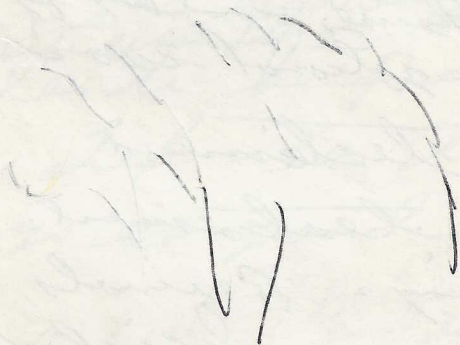
We overcome by the
blood of the Lamb and
the word of our testimony.

Witnessing is God will
for us & for my witnesses.

Let your light so shine.

I Be strong in faith
Without faith it is impossible
to please God.

Conclusion. Keep your heart
fixed on God. and you will
not be sorry when you reach
the end of the way.



M.T. Moz. Prayer meeting.
10-25-87

Matt 5:13

"ye are the salt of the earth
all that salt is in the natural
the lord Jesus wants the
Christian to be in a spiritual
sense.

1. Salt makes food taste good
a community without
Christians is terrible
2. Salt permeates food very quickly
Christians influence the
society around them
3. Salt has healing properties
used as an antiseptic
heals sore throat. Relieves swelling
the Christian heals many
quarrels and misunderstanding
4. Salt is a preservative
Keeps meat from spoiling
Before refrigeration. Hams.
fish. salt herring.

Christian is one who preserves
peace and tranquility
as much as they are
allowed to.

Salt is powerful.

Egg in water

Christian lift up the
fallen through the
power of Christ.

^{Salt}
Sodium Chloride
first reference 300 B.C.

Job 6:6

"Can any ^{unfl}avoring thing be
eaten, that is not seasoned
with salt?"

Hebrews rubbed newborn babies
with salt.

Elisha threw salt into a spring
to make pure water.

Salt was once so scarce
and precious it was used
for money. Caesar's soldiers
received part of their pay
in salt. called Salarium from
which the word salary is
derived.

North American Indians
called salt the magic
sand. Many wars were
fought over salt springs.

Heart purity M.T. 6 80
Livermore 2-21-93
Scripture Reading Matt. 5:1-12 with the Song 473

Text: V 8 "Blessed are the pure
in heart for they shall see
God."

Intro. We love to see things
that are pure.

The clear blue sky.

The moon lit sky.

a pure white daisy

The pure clear raindrops by the sun.

The pure white snow.

I God wants a pure people
Ex. 5:17 Wash me and I shall be white, then
Example: Children of Israel

not to mix or take up customs
of nations around them.

A God says Be ye holy for

I am holy. Illustr L.A. Rist
Jesus takes

B. 9th. 12:14, 15 Follow peace.

with all men, and holiness
without which no man
shall see the Lord."

15. Looking diligently lest any
man fail of the grace of God;
lest on root of bitterness
springing up trouble you, and
thereby many be defiled. Rattlesnake

psalms. 24: 3, 4, 5 Who shall ascend
into the hill of the Lord? or
who shall stand in his holy
place?

4. He that hath clean hands
and a pure heart; who hath not
lifted up his soul unto vanity,
nor sworn deceitfully. He
shall receive the blessing
from the Lord, and righteous-
ness from the God of his
salvation!!

B. The Lord demands clean hands.
Coin and a bel both brought
an offering unto the Lord,
but one was accepted and the
other rejected.

It is the giver who determines
the worth or worthlessness of
the gift.

The shining glass on the linen
is an offence if the dirt shows
through!

Who cares for food if presented
by unclean hands?

Every gift is welcome to the
Lord if offered with clean hands,
a mite, or a cup of cold water,
or our daily labour, or the first-
fruits of garden or field.

So it is with everything we
offer to the Lord, a song
of praise makes sweet
music in the hearing of
our God if it comes from
pure lips. purity, as
Thomas a Kempis says, gives
the wings which carry
everything into the Father's
presence.

II If God wants a pure people
How can we be pure,
we were born in sin,

A, Sin must be confessed.

David said, "I acknowledge
my transgression; and my
sin is ever before me.

Sin that is unconfessed shuts
out the energies of grace.
Wash me and I shall be white as snow

When I acknowledge my sin I begin to enter into the knowledge of "order, joy and peace, But if I hide my sin I also hide myself from the Unsearchable riches of Christ. 1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness."

Satan strengthens his awful chains when he can induce me to keep silence concerning my sin. All his plans are thrown into confusion as soon as I pour out my soul before the Lord."

Ec 5:18

Be not drunk with wine wherein is excess but be filled with the Spirit

Silvermore
5-31-92

THE WAY OF HOLINESS

Mt 72

Proportion
9-67-68

Script. Read Isa. 35:8

"And an Highway shall be there and a way, and it shall be called the way of Holiness."

4-19-70 69

I. God is a holy God, he expects holiness of His people Lev. 20:7,8 "Be ye holy: for I am the Lord your God. and ye shall keep my statutes, and do them: I am the Lord which sanctify you."

Lev. 11:45 "For I am the Lord that bringeth you up out of the land of Egypt, to be your God: ye shall therefore be holy, for I am holy."

IICor. 7:1 "Having therefore these promises, dearly beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God."

Heb. 12:14 "Follow peace with all men, and holiness, without which no man shall see the Lord:

I Pet. 1:16 "Because it is written, Be ye holy; for I am holy."

II Pet. 3:11 Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness."

II In the N.T. began the outpouring of the Holy Spirit.

Spoken of by John the Baptist

Mt. 3:11. I indeed baptize you with water unto repentance: but he that cometh after me is mightier than I, whose shoes I am not worthy to bear: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost and with fire. Pentecost.

Acts 2:4 And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost.

Peter and John sent to the samaritans.

Acts 8:15-17 Who, when they were come down, prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Ghost: For as yet he was fallen upon none of them: only they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. Then laid they their hands on them, and they received the Holy Ghost.

Ephesians had not heard there was a Holy Ghost.

Acts 19:6. And when Paul had laid his hands on them the Holy Ghost came on them.

III. What is the result. POWER AND CLEANSING

and Guidance

Jesus said tarry untill

Acts. 1:8 But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and in Samaria and unto the uttermost part of the earth.

Death to the carnal mind and sin.

B. The Fruit of the spirit.

Gal 5:22. "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, Meekness, temperance, against such there is no law, And they that are Christs have crucified the flesh with the affections and lusts.

C. Guidance

Jn. 14:26 "But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you.

IV. How Received

Yield yourself to God, in prayer.

Lu. 11:13

If ye then, being evil know how to give good gifts unto your children how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him."

*Die out to self and your
own way.*

Rom: 6:6,7 "Knowing this, that our old man is crucified with him, that the body of sin might be destroyed, that henceforth we should not serve sin. For he that is dead is freed from sin."

"IF", For Christians
(with apologies to Rudy and Kipling)

If through the years each following day can find you
More consecrated than you were before:
If you can leave the things of self behind you,
And pray, and love, and serve the savior more;
If in the cross you keep your own self hidden
And through your life let that of Jesus shine;
If you count best the things that he has hidden;
And say, submissive, "Not my will, but Thine"
If you can bear the cross that he has given,
Nor once complain when heavy grows the load;
If you can keep ahead with eyes on Heaven,
And not strike back when others play the good;
If you can follow in the path He leads you,
And be ~~not~~ contented ~~so~~ when 'tis His will.
If you can trust and pasture where he feeds you,
And though the way seem dark you follow still,
If you can tell of hope to the despairing
And to the friendless be a faithful friend,
If you can claim the blessing found in sharing
Your all to save one from a bitter end;
If you can lift up Christ, the Risen Savior,
In all you do and ev'ry word you say,
Regarding not the censure nor the favor
Of those who daily turn the Lord away;
If you can see the world's lost millions dying,
And truly say that you have done your best,
To give salvation unto those now crying
For God, for hope, for life, and love and rest;
If you have listened to His word and done it,
If you can faithful be unto the end.
Then take the victor's crown, for you have won it,
And, what is more, you'll be like Him, my friend.

--Louise Veter Walker

The Way of Holiness ^{the journey} 18-14-94

Isaiah 35

M.T. 7-77 8243

text V. 8 'and on highway shall
be there, and a way, and it
shall be called The way of
holiness; ^{Ex 19:6 ye shall therefore}
^{be holy for I am holy.}

Intro. Prov. 14:12 "There is
a way that seemeth right
unto a man, but the end thereof
on the ways of death.

Prov. 16:18 "The path of the just
is as a shining light, that
shineth more and more unto
the perfect day."

Heb. 12:14 "Follow peace with
all men, and holiness, without
which no man shall see
the Lord."

Ps. 93:5 "Holiness becometh
thine house O Lord, forever
1 Chronicles 16:29 worship the
Lord in the beauty of holiness

Holiness, a word much mis-
understood. ^{means purity, godly} Righteous Sanctified
not speaking in Tongues
not Handling Snakes
not just healing of the body.
not just shouting
a holy living man tho a fool need
Holiness means.

I Rom. 12:1 Present your
bodies a living sacrifice.
Complete surrender.
Nothing between your soul
and the Lord Jesus
yield completely.
Time talent, plans
Put your all on the altar.

II Daily walk.

Of sin from the very
appearing of evil.

Clean hands and a pure
heart.

III Humbleness
God resisteth the proud
but giveth grace to the
humble.

Take lowest place.

Don't be desirous of vain
glory.

Lifting up holy hands
without wrath and
doubting.

IV Faithfulness

Be thou faithful unto
death and I will give
thee a crown of life.

1. Dependable.

on the job
at school
in prayer and giving
Love and Compassion.