

"Blessed is that man" Psalms 1:1-3; *Rosie's WPA Ad*
Poduzak 4-7-52

- 1-Who walks not in the counsel of the ungodly.
- 2-Nor standeth in the way of sinners.
- 3-Nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful.

BLESSED IS THAT MAN WHO:

- 1-Who meditates in the law of the Lord day and night.

THAT MAN SHALL BE LIKE:

- 1-A tree planted by the rivers of water that never run dry. **THUS THERE WILL BE:**

- 1-Unfailing supplies-2-Fruit in season-3-A fadeless leaf-4-Entire success, "Whatsoever he doeth shall prosper."

- 2-Such a life has its own outlook and destiny:

- 1-As the man is now so is his uplook and outlook here and hereafter.

- 2-There is now divine approval

"The Lord knoweth the way of the righteous."

- 3-His work and way will be influential for good long after he has ceased to live below.

(Rev. 14:13) Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors; and their works do follow them.

- 4-The righteous man will be approved at the judgement day.

- 1-He will be found, "In the congregation of the righteous."

- 2-As the righteous man would not mix and mingle in the ways of the unrighteous here; so he shall not be thrown with them hereafter.

- 3-The purposes served by these verses of scripture are manifold:

- 1-They are independent of their author.
- 2-They are independent of that age.
- 3-They are independent of that land.

- 4-To parents these verses form a treasure of infinite value, as giving them an outline;

- 1-What they may well desire their children to be.

- 5-The place of honor the Bible should occupy in their children's hearts.

- 1-The rule of life: We sometimes ask our selves the question; WHAT SHOULD WE DO? SURELY THE RIGHT THING IS TO ASK COUNSEL OF GOD.

- 6-To teachers it disclose to them the life to be urged on their scholars

- 7-To children: It show them that true happiness, in the highest sense, is attained only through true goodness.

True goodness can only be attained through feeding on the truth of God.

- 8-Mark the harmonious development as shown in these verses.

- 1-This is shown under the figure of a tree, fair and flourishing.

- 2-The situation is by choice:

- 1-Planted by the waters; it stands not in the desert, but in a fit place.

- 3-Note that the inviroment is favourable:

- 1-From the heavens above, and the earth beneath nourishment is provided.

- 2-The supply is rich and sure: Though worldly supplies may cease, and the waters of earth fail,The river of God will still run free. *Here science, like all human wisdom - must pause - here science*

- 4-The progress is appropriate: *in fact to bow to God*

1-There is the power of assimilation: *the wisdom of God*
Mark 4:26-29: Teaches that life develops according to its own order. *I + how failed to find what the life was the*

- 1-The seed is pleanted; *seed is*
- 2-It springs up; *seed is*
- 3-Then the blade;

- 4-Then the ear....The full corn in the ear.

- 5-Then the harvest.....What the plant does unconsciously...subject to the law of its being...the godly man does freely and consciously....under the benign rule of Christ.

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