

Devotions 2022: August 29 to September 4

For daily devotions I am going to start using My Utmost for His Highest by Oswald Chambers.

Monday: The Unsurpassed Intimacy of Tested Faith

John 11:40 - Jesus said to her, "Did I not say to you that if you would believe you would see the glory of God?"

The Ultimate thing is confidence in Jesus. Believer steadfastly on Him and everything that challenges you will strengthen your faith. Faith is absolute trust in God; trust that could never imagine that He would forsake us.

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Tuesday: Usefulness of Relationship?

Luke 10:20 - Do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rather rejoice because your names are written in heaven.

You will never be able to measure fully what God will do through you if you have a right-standing relationship with Jesus Christ.

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Wednesday: Destined to be Holy

1 Peter 1:16 - ...it is written, "Be holy, for I am holy."

God has only one intended destiny for mankind; holiness. He came to save us because He created us to be holy.

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Thursday: Perfect Oneness

Romans 8:39 - Nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Atonement through the Cross of Christ means that God can put me back into perfect oneness with Himself through the death of Jesus Christ, without a trace of anything coming between us any longer.

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Friday: A Life of Purpose

John 7:38 - He who believes in Me...out of his heart will flow...

If we believe in Jesus, it is not what we gain but what He pours through us that really counts. God's purpose is not simply to make us beautiful, plump grapes, but to make us grapes so the He may squeeze the sweetness out of us.

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Saturday: Pouring Out the Water of Satisfaction

2 Samuel 23:16 - ...he would not drink it, but poured it out to the Lord.

If you are always keeping blessings to yourself and never learning to pour out anything "to the Lord," other people will never have their vision of God expanded through you.

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Sunday: His!

John 17:6 - They were Yours, You gave them to me...

To say, "I am not my own," is to have reached a high point in my spiritual stature. The desire that comes into a disciple is not one of doing anything for Jesus, but being a perfect delight to Him. Be entirely His!

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