

Monday, 9 February 2015

Ephesians 2:19-22 So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone, in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord. In him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.

What a comparison, Lord, between Solomon's temple and the temple you are constructing. Solomon's was built of stones, carefully quarried and shaped to fit precisely into a particular spot in the edifice. You have taken rough, ugly stones and set them in their selected place while shaping them into gems that fit precisely into Your temple; creating a magnificent structure that far surpasses Solomon's. Praise You that I am part of that dwelling that is suitable for the Most High God.

Tuesday, 10 February 2015

Psalms 138:1-8 Of David. I give you thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise; I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness, for you have exalted above all things your name and your word. On the day I called, you answered me; my strength of soul you increased.

On the day I called, Your steadfast love and faithfulness came to me; on each day since then, Your steadfast love and faithfulness continue to strengthen me. I bow towards that holy temple that is Your Body and praise You.

Wednesday, 11 February 2015

Psalm 138:4-6

All the kings of the earth shall give you thanks, O LORD, for they have heard the words of your mouth, and they shall sing of the ways of the LORD, for great is the glory of the LORD. For though the LORD is high, he regards the lowly, but the haughty he knows from afar.

What a day that will be when all the high and haughty bow to You and confess Your Magnificence. Finally all will see the truth of Your dictum, "The last will be first and the first will be Last."

Thursday, 12 February 2015

Psalm 137:7-8

Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you preserve my life; you stretch out your hand against the wrath of my enemies, and your right hand delivers me. The LORD will fulfill his purpose for me; your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever. Do not forsake the work of your hands.

What a promise, LORD, that You will fulfill Your purpose for me. Another place where that implied, "**trust Me**" thunders from the script. Lord, that I would not waver but always trust You.

Friday, 13 February 2015

John 14:16-17, 26 And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you... But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you.

John 16:7, 12-13 Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you. ..."I still have many things to say to you, but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth, for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come.

2 Corinthians 1:21-22 And it is God who establishes us with you in Christ, and has anointed us, and who has also put his seal on us and given us his Spirit in our hearts as a guarantee.

The Holy Spirit, the Counselor, the Comforter, the Helper, the Guide, the Reminder, the Guarantee, the Truth Teller,

the Indwelling Presence of the Trinity. The Fore-speaker, the One who declares the Word of God. The great gift from the Father and the Son to their family, the Body. Praise You, the LORD God Almighty.

Saturday, 14 February 2015

Psalm 139:1-6

To the choirmaster. A Psalm of David. O LORD, you have searched me and known me! You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from afar. You search out my path and my lying down and are acquainted with all my ways. Even before a word is on my tongue, behold, O LORD, you know it altogether. You hem me in, behind and before, and lay your hand upon me. (6) Such knowledge is too wonderful for me; it is high; I cannot attain it.

Lord, I am with David here. I know You know me entirely, every aspect of my life and being but I cannot fully comprehend the totality of Your knowledge. I know, I obey, I trust, but all in faith that You have promised and cannot lie or break Your promises. It all comes down to, "OK, Lord, I don't know how you are going to do this but You promised and I am proceeding on the basis of that promise." You are truly and great and awesome God!

Lord's Day, 15 February 2015

Psalm 119:157

Many are my persecutors and my adversaries, but I do not swerve from your testimonies.

My persecutors and adversaries are all part of the psyche of the old man, still kicking against Your grace. Help me to adhere to the Word in order to subdue those affections that would destroy my relationship with You. You are my Lord!

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