In Tune With God

"And if God is for us, who can be against us?" Rom. 8:31.

Paul knew of this working of God as he went from place to place in his journey, "Whereunto I labor also, striving according to his working," Col. 1:29. This was an energizing power of God in his life, and all his interests are directed toward the things of God. In a spiritual sense, he lived in that light and faith which now live in the flesh, in the faith, the faith which is the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself up for me. 6:5, 10.

Paul was "striving according to his working." In other words, he was living out God's will. Living in tune with God means living in tune, or in harmony, with the Lord. God is working through His Word and if we are to live in accord with His plan and heart, we must be living in the walking of the Word, as the children of light. Eph. 5:8.

It is our attitude toward the Word of God that determines our growth and the blessings we enjoy from day to day. We should be in tune with God so that we act upon the Word and allow it to govern our lives. What we are is strictly what God has made us by the Word. That means we must accept the Word and be "in tune" with it. Our actions must correspond with our faith, or with the Word. What we believe is what we are. If a man professes to have faith, but does not conform to what he professes about the Word, he is not "in tune," and if he is not on the Word, he is not "in tune" with the Lord, or as real as real.

But this seems to be the stumbling block and it is the trouble that many do not realize that what is right eithers in the Word or not in the Word.

What they think is faith is only "Mental Assent," it contains no action and to God cannot please Him because it does not correspond with the Word. James 2:14 (Weymouth's translation).

Then in Phil. 2:12, we read this, "You notice that his faith was cooperating with his actions, and that by his actions his faith was perfected."

Our faith is dead unless it contains corresponding actions, for it is these corresponding actions that bring us in tune with God and enable Him to work out His purpose in our lives. Now, we read Phil. 2:12, "... work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who worketh in you..." God is working in us, but we must "work it out" by living in tune with that working. We may limit Him, or limit his operation by our cooperation with Him. How are we to believe and how are we to act?

We quote a familiar Scripture, Matt. 6:33, the first condition truths for our faith walk, "Blessed are the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly places in Christ." Eph. 1:3.

This verse declares that God "hath blessed us with every spiritual blessing in Christ." This is why we are to believe and what we are to act upon.

New Year's Wishes

What shall I wish thee? Treasures of earth and glory? Song of the springtime, pleasures and mirth? Flowers in thy pathway, skies as a covering? Would this insure thee a happy New Year? Would this bless thee? What could be found bringing thee sunshine all the year round? Where is the treasure, lasting and dear? Could this bring thee a happy New Year? Faith that increases, walking in the light of God.

Hope that abounds, happy and bright. May love be perfect, casting out fear. Those shall insure thee a happy New Year.

Peace in the Saviour, rest at His feet. Smile of His countenance, radiant and sweet.

Joy in His presence, Christ, ever near. This will insure thee a happy New Year.

Frances Ridley Havgaval

We believe that the work is done, that redemption is in the past and that Satan, our only enemy and to God cannot please Him in any way, is now so far off and has no place in what we are.

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How our spirits need the water of the Word. How we need to drink deep of His love and wisdom.

The prophet tells us in Jer. 17:17, "Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved; for You are the one that doeth salvation." The prophet's healing is typified in Jehovah, and what Jehovah is for us. For He shall be as a fountain of waters, whose waters spreadeth out its roots over the earth, and all the trees of the field shall fear when heat cometh, but its leaf shall be green; and shall not be confounded in the year of drought, neither shall cease from yielding fruit.

That which drinks deep, that has its roots spread out into the Word of God does not fear when the time of drought comes, it draws its sustenance from the Word. In these days of doubt and unrest, when men's souls are full of fear, and we see the great needs on every hand, we feel the urgency as never before to bring this Water of Life to hurt and thirsty hearts.

We see what the water will do to the thistledowns around seeds that have been lying there dormant spring into new life. What was dry, and arid, barren of vegetables.

The Law of Faith is that we confess, and when we confess it is manifested to the physical senses, and then God begins the performance of it.

This is walking in obedience to the Word and in harmony with it. It is obeying the Word of God that is at work within us. We enter into and enjoy our share of the inheritance of the saints in light for we are living and walking in tune with God.
E. W. Kenyon

How many times we spend years seeking for a thing we actually possess in our mighty and glorious inheritance.

Eternal Life

You have a right to Eternal Life.

One of the great days of my life was when I discovered that there was the very nature of the Father God, and that I had become a Christian because I received Eternal Life.

I had not received Eternal Life before I received the Eternal Life of the Son of God.

I had thought that all there was to becoming a Christian was to be filled with experiences and blessings.

Then there burst upon my Being the Fullness of the Eternal Life.

In John 5:13 these things have I written unto you, that ye might know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.

The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary that Jesus Christ is Lord of the body.

The head of the church is Christ who gave His life for the church.

Our second course—PERSONAL EVANGELISM consists of 22 lessons. (With Diploma.)

Our third course—ADVANCED PREACHING consists of 40 lessons. (With Diploma.)

Our fourth course—CHILD EVANGELISM consists of 28 lessons. (With Diploma.)

The Father is blessing our work and Christ is revealing to us His hidden treasures in the kingdom of His Father through His Spirit and by His word.

Correspondence Courses

We have four excellent Bible Courses which we are happy to offer. These courses are designed to give the student a thorough study of the Bible, and if you roll your mind and grow in the Word, then these Courses are for you.

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Living Testimonies

ANOTHER DAY FROM OUR STUDENTS

D.P.S., Tucson, Arizona
I have just completed my last lesson in the Course, "The Bible in the Light of Redemption." This Course has become a friend to me and I have truly been blessed by it and have studied it and looked up the passages that were referred to. I am thankful that I shall apply all that I have learned more fully in my work. May God bless you all.

S.A.W., Kambo, Canal Zone
Only the dear Lord can adequately tell you how much your Living Bible has meant to me. They have certainly strengthened my faith in the Lord Jesus Christ for which I am very grateful.

Mrs. E.S., Odessa, Texas
This Course has meant much to me because I have found out what God says in His Word. They are in Christ. I have also learned why many people have failed to grow in their spiritual lives. It is because their minds are not renewed. I would like to tell you how to change this and give me your answer. Thank you so much for sending me this Course and for being so helpful at various times.

D.M.M., Pocomo, Calif.
I feel that I should write to you and tell you how this Course has opened my eyes to Spiritual things. I have been tremendously blessed. I had a deep spiritual hunger that was not satisfied. I had a mental, physical and spiritual block and my neighbor requested prayer for me and it was in this way it was met. I was also sent to Bible study where I was the beginning of deliverance for me. I became acquainted with the "NEW LOVE" when I began attending a Bible Class and it has saved my life and brought me into peace with my God.

Miss V.F., Antigua, B.W.I.
I cannot express in words what this Course has meant to me. It has been a great help to me and I have been led to understand the deeper things of God and has caused me to realize that Satan has no dominion over me. My soul has been blessed and many times when everything seemed impossible I was lifted into His fullness and in truthfulness lie.

S.W.F., England
To me, this Course has been an oasis to my soul in that it has proved to be a blessing beyond description. I have seen a new light on the great biblical truths and now I know what I am living for. I feel I am so blessed as to act upon the Word and to live by it and I know God's ability is more than adequate.

D.A.R. India
Your book "The New Evangelist" was a great help to me. Now, I have a new zeal for Child Evangelism and I am helping to bring children to Christ. I have learned how to win a child and how to instruct him and have been enabled to you thousands of children through this Course.

A Testimony from Our Students

HEARD
Mrs. C.J.S., Panama, City, Fla.
Mary and I, we worked for prayer for my husband and that he might find the Name of Jesus. He then answered and answered. Isn't He wonderful? My husband is 72 years of age and has had one eye operated on and could not see very well. He had a hemmorage and went blind. His only chance was to be operated on the other eye. He was operated on and it was successful. He can now see and the Lord has answered to me. May God bless you all.

Miss V.F., Antigua, B.W.I.
I want to thank you for sending me your book, "The New Evangelist." I have received much blessing and help from this book. I am learning to use the "Herald of Life" and the foot was improved.

Mrs. D., Slisbee, Texas
Your father's books have helped me to understand the great love of God the Son of Heaven in a greater way. I am acquainted with the "Hidden Man of the Heart," and it has been a great blessing and help in over­ coming my sin nature. I have been the answer to my prayer for strength and now I know that God can't let us down.

Mrs. F.M.S., Orange Cove, Calif.
Please continue to send these books as I need them. Please without it something would be impossible for me. When things would happen to hinder our faith, I would read these books, and my strength would be renewed. They are really God's words. I continue to pray for strength and to carry on this great work.

A.E.S., Bridgeport, Conn.
The Lord has led the way for us to place my Mother in a Home where she has excellent care. We have learned again of His marvelous leading and for those who walk with God He has blessed our work and taken care of the financial end in a wonderful way. I am glad of the experiences so far which praise to our Heavenly Father.

Mrs. A.M.B., Plymouth, Mich.
I have received a copy of this little book, "Signposts on the Road to Success" and have sent many copies among my friends. Business has increased as a result of this order. This order will make a total of about 70 or 80 that I have ordered.

B.U.E., Nigeria
As I stated before, I have been able to use the teachings in my Prayer Meetings and also in my church. It makes it possible for me to quote the Scriptures in my preaching and I have learned to study the Bible and to live pleasing to the Lord. I am the answer of my sirs and am now praising God.

Mrs. J.R.H., Toledo, Ohio
I have some of your Father's books and have beneficially used more than any other publication outside of the Bible. I pick them up at random like so many times with the Bible. Since reading your books, the Bible has become alive to me and I get so much more out of it. May God richly bless you.

N. and G.P., Ethiopia
People here often speak of you and your work and of the writings of your Father, Bro. Ken­ yon. I have received the book, "The Hid­ den Man of the Heart," has revo­ lutionized my life. Others are studying it, too. It is a joy to write to you from here. God bless you richly.

I.F.A., St. Petersburg, Fla.
I wish to tell you, if I can, of one girl who has been helped. In "The Hidden Man of the Heart," she has seen the Name of Jesus and it has been a great blessing and help in over­ coming the daily battle for me. I must have had a very wonderful insight into spiritual things. I would like to read all of your books.

Mrs. A.M.S., Topoka, Kansas
I received your book today and it has had the privilege of reading Praise God for the furnishing of the knowledge of God through His Word.

P.W., Nichols, N.Y.
Thank you for sending me the "Herald of Life" so regularly and for your books. I read every word of all of your books with great blessing and with the "Herald of Life," "In His Presence," I cherish most. I don't know why, but it seems there is a book that introduced me to your Father's writings.

Mrs. V.M., Chicago, Illinois
I have read your book, "In His Presence," and it changed my way of thinking. That book really set me free. I am now ordering one for a friend for I know it will uplift her. May God ever continue to bless this wonderful work of yours.

Rev. S., Spokane, Wash.
I wish that I could adequately put into words the Spiritual ad­ vancement I have made since first reading, "Identification," the first of your books to be put be­ fore me. You can rest assured that we here at the "Community Church of the Bible" are putting their teachings into practice as fast as we can.

Mrs. J.E., Port Albert, V.I., Can.
We were never explained the Scriptures as you have in your book. I have read the Bible three times and have memorized quite a bit of it, but never had the sense realm, trying to hold on and to obey. I didn't know there was a freedom and this has been a great peace when we live in the Spirit realm.

Mrs. I.S., Australia
Recently, I received a copy of the Bible Study Course you so kindly sent me and I must say thank you so much. It is indeed a great source of inspiration and bless­ ing to me. Our Pastor has been teaching us of our position of victory in Christ and it is very wonderful to know. It truly really sinks into our spirits. The differ­ ences are obvious and your "Herald of Life and Revelation Knowledge" is so amazing and yet so simple. As God said, "I have taken so long for us to come to it. To really believe that we can do things, is to believe God is a wonderful and staggering revelation and that He has the Kingdom of God is really breath taking. I have been reared in a very strict church and used to only read the Bible all my life, but just now at fifty years of age I believe that I have come to know my Saviour and the meaning of Re­ demption.

God grant that we may grasp these truths more fully day by day to the Glory of your wonderful Name. I thank you for bringing us into this wonderful knowledge of God and I recommend your Father. His name is used quite a lot in our midst and we often do speak of the "Herald of Life" as "Kenyon's Teaching".

K.R.W., South Africa
I have received much blessing from studying this Course and have benefited greatly from the lessons. God has become my great God and I have experienced a new awakening to spiritual realities. This Course has made me realize the great love our Father God has for the sick and for those who are in the sense realm or in the spiritual dark­ ness. It has explained so clearly the beauty of the Bible and has helped me to understand the true meaning of Redemption.

P.W.K., Natal, South Africa
I have just finished your book and would like to express my thanks for the wonderful work you are doing. May the Lord bless your work and in the power of the Holy Spirit. I can express the full meaning of the help I have received from this book of the Bible. The background of that state of darkness but now am in a place of peace and light of the Spirit. For a long time I could not understand the Spirit's work of light. It is with the light of "The Two Kinds of Knowledge" I can understand it. May the Lord bless you and give you encouragement to carry on your work until He comes.
**Faith**

Rev. Jack Mitchell

Faith that does not result in a genuine New Birth defeats its own purpose. It becomes a snare to the soul instead of the means of Salvation.

 Eph. 2:8, "For by grace have we been saved through faith. There is a difference between merely saying, "I believe in Christ as my Saviour" and in really receiving Him into the heart and life as Lord.

 John 14:6, "He that believeth on Me, as the Scripture saith, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water."

 It is really a turning point in life when one receives Him as Lord. Life is going to be lived in a different manner.

 Math. 12:33, "For the tree is known by its fruit.

 It might be well to consider what some of the things are that result from real faith and a real New Birth.

 James 2:17, "Even so, faith, if it hath not works (corresponding actions) is dead in itself."

 Faith has to do with actions and life. Faith produces actions of faith in the same way that love produces actions of love.

 The New Birth is the receiving of Life and comes from one's turning to God to receive Spiritual Life.

 Adam turned to Satan in the Garden of Eden and received Spiritual Death. In this, he turned the whole human race into the hands of the enemy, as shown by our turning to God and away from Satan, and by the preaching of the Gospel to this end, to turn men to God.

 Acts 26:18, "...if it be possible that I may turn from the power of Satan unto God."

 The Bible is God's message to His children. As one turns to Him he will want to hear what He has to say and listen to Him by reading His Word. The Bible becomes a fascinating book as one realizes that it is a means of the Heavenly Father revealing Himself to His children. As one desires to read the Bible is one indication of the New Birth.

 John 1:3, " ...ye have seen and heard declare unto you that ye may have fellowship with us. ...and fellowship is with the Father and with His Son Jesus Christ."

 One who turns to God will certainly want to be identified with Christian people. He will not want to be surrounded and swallowed up with people of the world and their ways. He will feel out of place in such a position.

 1 John 3:14, "We know that we are children of God, yet the whole world doth not know that we are children of God."

 Those who feel at home with the living may be sure that they are alive. Those who are spiritually dead do not feel at ease in the company of those who are spiritually alive. A true believer will find that there is a bond between himself and other true believers. The Father has just one family. Those who are united in it are brethren and have a love in their heart for each other.

 Acts 1:8, "...and ye shall be my witnesses."

 As soon as a person receives Jesus as his Saviour there is a desire in his heart to tell others about Him. There is something alive and bubbling up within him, a joy that he wants to share with others. There is something real in Him that he wants to talk about. He has a love in his heart for Him and an impelling desire to tell his friends and loved ones about Him.

 Eph. 3:14, "For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father."

 The heart to heart communion of a Christian with his Heavenly Father makes prayer one of the sweetest things of all. He is very real to His children.

 Eph. 5:16, "...in whom we have boldness and access in confidence through our faith in Him."

 There is love producing action in the heart, and freedom in prayer that comes to one after he receives Eternal Life. He, no longer, just says his prayers, but he talks with his Heavenly Father. He is conscious, that the Father is listening to him and is interested in what he says.

 **True Victory**

 1 John 5:4, "For whatsoever is begotten of God overcometh the world, and this is the victory that hath overcome the world even our faith."

 "...is, through faith in Jesus Christ that one becomes a child of God and is set free from the world forces that hold men and women in bondage to sin, sickness and death..." 1 Pet. 1:5, "...Who by the power of God are guarded through faith."

 There is an invisible protecting power to those who walk by faith with the Lord Jesus Christ. Jude 1:2, "...Kept yourselves from falling by the grace that is given unto us through faith, which is the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ."

 The love of God is the strongest and most powerful force in the world. One who submits to it and lets it rule him is safe and secure. There is peace in the heart that is ruled by love, a peace that the world cannot take away.

 Rom. 5:5, "...the love of God hath shed abroad in our hearts through the Holy Spirit, by Whom the Spirit, the Lord pours forth its love in the hearts of His children. They, in turn, are to let His love fill their words and life because we love the brethren."

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 "And God is able to make all grace abound unto you; that ye, having always all sufficiency in everything, may abound unto every good work." 2 Cor. 9:8.