

Putting First Things First

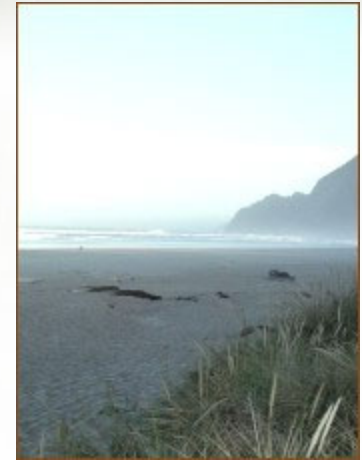
Are you feeling overwhelmed, frustrated, anxious or simply dissatisfied? Are any of these feelings related to your job, business, marriage, career, studies or other relationships?

It seems to me that when you have such feelings it means it's time to check your thoughts and get it in order. Order in thought will assure order in your experience. Perhaps you have been neglecting to take the steps that will help you see the perfect order already here in our universe to help you experience the harmony that has already been given to you.

You should feel secure to know that God is Love and that each day you can be sure that you are not alone, that you are guided, guarded and governed by God's supreme power and ever presence at home, at work, in the class room or in traffic. Putting God first and foremost in your day, each day, will bring a calmness available for you in God's presence.

To bring peace and contentment to your consciousness you need to have the time to seek God first. In Matthew 6:33, Jesus commands, "Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all these things shall be added unto you." He further states that "the Kingdom of God is in you." This means you have been given peace and harmony right where you are; you need to realize these free gifts.

Try this: Begin from today and each day start with a quiet time just knowing that God is near. You could read whatever brings you this nearness. Perhaps it's reading the Bible. Before you start ask God what you should read and ask to gain the spiritual understanding of what you are led to read. You're sincere and faithful effort to gain understanding of God and your relationship to Him will begin to change your consciousness. You will start to align your thoughts with "right thinking" (His righteousness) and this right thinking will result in right activity wherever you are. Read and think about Psalm 23 and ask to be given its spiritual meaning. This Psalm assures you of the security, provision, peace, and love you should be experiencing. I used to think that "I shall not want only meant I shall not lack money; God has promised more than that. It means you do not lack anything; be it courage, patience, ability to love, contentment, wisdom and yes money; in other words whatever the present need is, is already supplied. Right where you are you has the right idea to supply the need. Open your heart for the answer. If you keep knowing God's nearness to you, His Powerful presence, His ever knowing and all seeing might you can expect only good every moment.



Feel His Powerful presence