Scriptural Selection

Rom. 7:22 I, 25 (to ;)

- 22 I delight in the law of God after the inward man:
- 25 I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord. So then with the mind I myself serve the law of God;

Luke 8:43-48 a

- ⁴³ a woman having an issue of blood twelve years, which had spent all her living upon physicians, neither could be healed of any,
- 44 Came behind *him*, and touched the border of his garment: and immediately her issue of blood stanched.
- ⁴⁵ And Jesus said, Who touched me? When all denied, Peter and they that were with him said, Master, the multitude throng thee and press *thee*, and sayest thou, Who touched me?
- 46 And Jesus said, Somebody hath touched me: for I perceive that virtue is gone out of me.
- 47 And when the woman saw that she was not hid, she came trembling, and falling down before him, she declared unto him before all the people for what cause she had touched him, and how she was healed immediately.
- 48 And he said unto her, Daughter, be of good comfort: thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace.

II Cor. 10:4 1st the, 5

- 4 the weapons of our warfare *are* not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds;)
- ⁵ Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

Hymns: 527, 464, 431

<u>527</u>

"Lord, open his eyes, that he may see," The mighty prophet prayed. Send not armies great and strong, Neither strength to battle wrong, But lift his vision to behold Your truth already here, The legions of omnipotence, The hosts of Your deliverance. Awake, O man, and know Love's all-embracing sphere. Lord, open my eyes that I may see Your presence everywhere, My dwelling circled by Your might, My mountaintop aflame with light, The shining sentinels of Your love Triumphant in this hour. For You with me are greater far Than all the seeming evils are. Be still, O heart, and trust God's Omnipresent power. Be still, O heart, and trust God's Omnipresent power.

<u>464</u>

Dear Master, may I follow thee With holy, deep sincerity, Forming each thought to Christly mold, Feeling your peace my heart enfold.

Lead me to worship God aright, In truth, in spirit, seek the light; Loving pure good with heart and soul, Loving each neighbor, perfect, whole.

May I perceive all being one, Perfect Father, perfect son; Let me hold fast this heavenly view, Finding each day my life made new.

May I see mortal self dissolve, Take up the cross with firm resolve, Seeking the victor's crown each day, Humble and loving all the way.

<u>431</u>

A holy air is breathing round, A fragrance from above: Be every thought from sense unbound, Be every action love.

O God, unite us heart to heart, In sympathy divine, That we be never drawn apart, To love not Thee nor Thine;

But by the life of Jesus taught, And all his gracious word, Be nearer to each other brought, And nearer Thee, O Lord.

SOLO: Christ My Refuge By Mary Baker Eddy

O'er waiting harpstrings of the mind

There sweeps a strain, Low, sad, and sweet, whose measures bind The power of pain,

And wake a white-winged angel throng Of thoughts, illumed By faith, and breathed in raptured song, With love perfumed.

Then His unveiled, sweet mercies show Life's burdens light. I kiss the cross, and wake to know A world more bright.

And o'er earth's troubled, angry sea I see Christ walk, And come to me, and tenderly, Divinely talk.

Thus Truth engrounds me on the rock, Upon Life's shore, 'Gainst which the winds and waves can shock, Oh, nevermore!

From tired joy and grief afar, And nearer Thee,— Father, where Thine own children are, I love to be.

My prayer, some daily good to do To Thine, for Thee; An offering pure of Love, whereto God leadeth me.

Benediction

JB Phillips - Romns 15:5-7

May the God who inspires men to endure, and gives them a Father's care, give you a mind united towards one another because of your common loyalty to Jesus Christ. And then, as one man, you will sing from the heart the praises of God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. So open your hearts to one another as Christ has opened his heart to you, and God will be glorified. AMEN

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