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GETTING AQUAINTED WITH CHRIST

“My determined purpose is that I may know Him—that I may progressively become more deeply and intimately acquainted with Him.” PHILIPPIANS 3:10, AMP

Like the great apostle Paul, let’s make this our “determined purpose.” **Let’s deliberately embrace this aim: to “become more intimately acquainted with Christ.”** Not intimately acquainted with theology, as important as theology may be. Not intimately acquainted with the church, as valuable as the church may be. Not with sharing Christ with others, as stimulating and significant as evangelism may be. No, none of the above!

With Christ. With Him and Him alone! From this time forward, our goal in life is to become intimately acquainted with Him. I believe this is precisely what Jesus had in mind when He commanded, **“Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness . . .”** (Matt. 6:33, NKJV) There is nothing—absolutely nothing—of greater importance than knowing Christ intensely and intimately. **Amen.**

Intimacy with the Almighty

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Wisdom for the Way

“And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth. Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.” Matthew 28:18 – 20

