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quotes

a little "acquired" wisdom from those who have traveled our road before. enjoy and contemplate!

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“aim at heaven and you will get earth thrown in. aim at earth and you get neither.” – c. s. lewis

“there are many of us that are willing to do great things for the Lord, but few of us are willing to do little things.” – dwight l. moody

“we have to pray with our eyes on God, not on the difficulties.” – oswald chambers

“let your religion be less of a theory and more of a love affair.” – gilbert k. chesterton

“he is no fool who gives what he cannot keep, to gain what he cannot lose.” – jim elliot

“God does not give us everything we want, but He does fulfill His promises, leading us along the best and straightest paths to Himself.” – dietrich bonhoeffer

“the christian life is not a constant high. i have my moments of deep discouragement. i have to go to God in prayer with tears in my eyes, and say, ‘o God, forgive me,’ or ‘help me.’” – billy graham

“if you believe in a God who controls the big things, you have to believe in a God who controls the little things. it is we, of course, to whom things look 'little' or 'big'.” – elisabeth elliot

“worry does not empty tomorrow of its sorrows; it empties today of its strength.” – corrie ten boom

“the will of God will not take us where the grace of God cannot sustain us.” - billy graham

“the greater your knowledge of the goodness and grace of God on your life, the more likely you are to praise Him in the storm.” - matt chandler

“we may speak about a place where there are no tears, no death, no fear, no night; but those are just the benefits of heaven. the beauty of heaven is seeing God.” – max lucado,

“you contribute nothing to your salvation except the sin that made it necessary.” – jonathan edwards

“we never know how God will answer our prayers, but we can expect that He will get us involved in His plan for the answer. if we are true intercessors, we must be ready to take part in God’s work on behalf of the people for whom we pray.” – corrie ten boom

“out of 100 men, one will read the Bible, the other 99 will read the christian.” – d.l. moody

“but I will not tell you how long or short the way will be; only that it lies across a river. but do not fear

that, for I am the great bridge builder.” – c.s. lewis

“it was strictly forbidden to preach to other prisoners. it was understood that whoever was caught doing this received a severe beating. a number of us decided to pay the price for the privilege of preaching, so we accepted their [the communists' ] terms. it was a deal; we preached and they beat us. we were happy preaching. they were happy beating us, so everyone was happy.” – richard wurmbrand,

“the devil frequently fills our thoughts with great schemes, so that instead of putting our hands to what work we can do to serve our Lord, we may rest satisfied with wishing to perform impossibilities.” – santa teresa de Jesús,

“we sinned for no reason but an incomprehensible lack of love, and He saved us for no reason but an incomprehensible excess of love.” – peter kreeft

“when man is with God in awe and love, then he is praying.” – karl rahner

“when you are down to nothing, God is up to something. it is up to you to reach out to find what God is up to for you.” – robert schuler

“this is our time on the history line of God. this is it. what will we do with the one deep exhale of God on this earth? for we are but a vapor and we have to make it count. we're on. direct us, Lord, and get us on our feet.” – beth moore

“o God – please give Him back! i shall keep asking You.” – john irving

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everyday my prayers include that final quote, "o God - please give Him back!" not to suffer but to reign - to begin the new age. Father God - help us get those last few ushered in that will fill up the measure you have allotted (those who are willing to accept Your truth).

i would also quote again the next to last quote. “this is our time on the history line of God.” "He has made from one blood every nation of men to dwell on all the face of the earth, and has determined their preappointed times and the boundaries of their dwellings, so that they should seek the Lord, in the hope that they might grope for Him and find Him, though He is not far from each one of us; for in Him we live and move and have our being, as also some of your own poets have said, ‘for we are also His offspring.’" acts 17:26-28

seek Him. share Him. see Him. your redemption draws near. look up - see Him coming in the clouds with great honor and power. maranatha! any day now