

*“Praise ye the LORD. Blessed is the man that feareth the LORD, that delighteth greatly in His commandments. He shall not be afraid of evil tidings: **his heart is fixed**, trusting in the LORD. The wicked shall see it, and be grieved; he shall gnash with his teeth, and melt away: the desire of the wicked shall perish.” Psalms 112:1,7,10 KJV*



The eagle is an amazing creature. It builds its nests on the highest point of the landscape. A mother eagle takes young eaglets thousands of feet in the air on her back and throws them off. The young eagle will instinctively spread its wings as it tumbles earthward, screaming in fear, but the mother can fly faster than it can fall. If it doesn't fly on the first drop, the mother catches it and the process is repeated while the father patrols the perimeter for enemies. Once it starts to fly, the father takes over. He manipulates the air currents with the primary feathers on the tip of each wing to stabilize the young eagle's flight beneath him. The youngster could not fall even if he wanted. It gives new meaning to, *“He shall cover thee with His feathers, and under His wings shalt thou trust: His Truth shall be thy shield and buckler.”* Eagles are to the sky what lions are to the land. You don't see eagles during a storm, but miles above it in the sky. It will only eat what it kills itself. A special lens can be closed over its eye to filter direct sunlight. Should an enemy dare attack, the eagle flies directly into the sun, blinding its enemy! It can dive at over 200 miles per hour! It has vision so sharp it can see a field mouse a mile away! Adult eagles weigh about 12 pounds. There's a story a boy throwing rocks at an eagle. It sank its talons into the 80 pound boy's thick hair and lifted him nearly 80 stories before the weight became too much. The eagle had to be killed when it landed, because it wouldn't let go. The eagle is master of its domain! When life's storms precipitate your fall, spread your wings of faith on the invisible, ever-present promises of God's Word, and let the Word of Life to lift you into the Son Light! We need to be meat-eaters! Paul lamented of the Corinthian believers, *“I could not speak unto you as unto spiritual, but as unto carnal, even as unto babes in Christ. I have fed you with milk, and not with meat: for hitherto ye were not able to bear it.”* We'll never gather the strength necessary to defeat sin being bottle-fed the milk of God's Word. Meat has to be chewed. Read and study God's Word for yourself!

We trust our God, we never fear,
His mighty wings are ever near,
By faith, the storm, we soar above,
Into the Son Light of His Love. ~CGP

God is omnipresent, (everywhere at once) but will only reveal Himself to the true believer with the still small Voice of Truth. God inscribes Truth in the hearts of His own,” *written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.*” Jesus prayed for believers, *“They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. Sanctify (keep) them through Thy Truth: Thy Word is Truth.”* If God's Word is not your obsession, then you have no idea who God really is and His power you lack to overcome even death itself!

“Hast thou not known? Hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? There is no searching of His understanding. He giveth power to the faint; and to them that have no might He increaseth strength. Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall: But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.” Isaiah 40:28-31 KJV