

"In All Thy Ways Acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." Proverbs 3:6 KJV

We wonder sometimes, why God doesn't give us better understanding of His will for our lives. You want to know? It's in the Book; read the Book! Our lack of understanding is often due to the fact that we don't study God's Word enough. Terminology is best understood by those who have paid attention in class. The pilot doesn't see the person in the tower, but the terms used in the tower radio transmissions are familiar to him because he studied and practiced until they became second nature to him. He trusts the unseen voice, because it uses terms he knows. Classroom instruction, study, and practice have



taught him unseen air currents will lift him safely in the air. He can fly because he spent hours studying and flying with the instructor. He can trust the tower because they both speak the same language. If we spend time learning to obey, then perhaps God's Words won't be such a mystery to us. The guidance is there if we just tune into the Tower's frequency. God's Word is very specific. *"Wherewithal shall a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed thereto according to Thy Word."* We just need to learn and obey. When practice becomes habit, we will soar above the petty limitations of human reason and understanding on the wings of faith borne upward with the unseen Power of God! We cannot see the forces that hold the plane in the air, but whether we understand how or not, we know they do! The unseen wind shakes the tree and our obedience of God's Word verifies the unseen Spirit of God! The more we fly the more we will trust the Book and rejoice in the Liberty of faith! We will not be earthbound by care and worry. We will be tuned to, and listening to, a different frequency altogether. If we try to do things our own way, and disregard the manual, we will tumble down to earth. The only way we can fly is "by the Book." Disregard of the laws of aerodynamics will end flight abruptly with disastrous results! We have to trust the unseen Holy Spirit who directs us, because He wrote the Manual. If we heed His instructions, we will not fail. You do not fly without practice and study! *"STUDY to show thyself approved unto God. Without faith it is impossible to please Him, for those who come to Him, must believe that He is and that He is a rewarder of them that DILIGENTLY seek Him."* It doesn't just magically happen that one becomes a pilot. It takes diligent work and study, and many hours of flight with an instructor. When one learns the rules, he can then fly, "by the Book." Not all pilots are equally trained. Some have the ability to fly anything, while others are limited to their specific field of experience. We all have different fields of operation, but we must all follow the same "operations manual." To make sure we stay coordinated, we must all pay heed to the "Tower" to avoid crashing into one another.

In ALL thy ways acknowledge Him,
Through Faith alone we enter in,
To doubt His Grace is mortal sin,
He guides our soul from place within. –CGP

The "Tower" sees where everyone is, and knows of dangers we cannot see. *"O LORD, Thou hast searched me, and known me. Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising, thou understandest my thought afar off. Thou compassest my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways. For there is not a word in my tongue, but, lo, O LORD, Thou knowest it altogether."* If God's word says there's danger, it exists! If it says you're safe, trust it! Follow the flight plan assigned to you, obey the Tower, and you will arrive, safely!

"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 40:31 KJV