"And the LORD God Planted A Garden eastward in Eden; and there He Put the man whom He Had Formed. And out of the ground Made the LORD God To Grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food; the Tree of Life also in the midst of the Garden, and the Tree of Knowledge of good and evil. And A River Went Out Of Eden to water the Garden; and from thence it was parted, and became into four heads." Genesis 2:8-10 KJV

Water is life and Eden was well watered! God Knew every nuance of history before it began! From thought to deed, twas all perceived! From the beginning man had a choice: The Tree of Knowledge in Eden exposed sin; by man's own choice. God Knew every wickedness, Revealed it, Condemned it,



and redeemed it; before it began! "In hope of eternal life, which God, that cannot lie, promised before the world began." Before the beginning God Planned His Own Death To Save wicked men! If you think yourself guiltless, think this: "ALL our righteousnesses are as filthy rags! There is NONE righteous, no, NOT ONE: There is NONE that understandeth, there is NONE that seeketh after God. They are ALL gone out of the way, they are together become unprofitable; there is NONE that doeth good, no, NOT ONE! For by Grace are ye Saved, Through Faith; and That not of yourselves; It Is The Gift of God." Jesus Christ is the "River of Eden," LIFE, for all who believe! Temptation reveals sin, so we may realize our need for the Cleansing Word, Jesus Christ! "Now, Ye Are Clean Through The Word Which I Have Spoken unto you." David wrote, "Thy Word have I hid in my heart that I might not sin against Thee!" You will sin against God, because, just like Adam, it is your nature! Your own desires condemn you! "Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither Tempteth He any man: But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death." Death is the absence of life, and while men walk and talk, they are eternally separated from the Holiness of Eternal Life by their own sin! But God! In His Infinite Love And Wisdom Made A Way Of Escape: HIMSELF! "Who HIS OWN SELF Bare our sins in His Own Body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto Righteousness: by Whose Stripes ye Were Healed. For ye were as sheep going astray; but are now returned unto the Shepherd and Bishop of your souls." Believers, Through Faith in God's Word, Are Transformed from blind staggering dead men into creatures of Heavenly Light! "Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a New Creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new. The night is far spent, The Day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the Armour of Light. For ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye the Children of Light, and the Children of The Day!" As long as you remain in unbelief, you will never see the Light of Eternal Day! Jesus is Life from Paradise!

> Condemned to thirst eternally, Without God's Word all man will be, But hid in Christ a man will be, A river-watered fruitful tree! –CGP

Water is inseparable from life and Jesus Christ Is Inseparable From Eternal Life! He IS man's Immortality!

"Jesus Saith unto him, 'I Am The Way, The Truth, And The Life: no man cometh unto the Father, but By Me. – I Am The Vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth In Me, And I In Him, the same bringeth forth much Fruit: for without Me ye can do nothing." John 14:6 – John 15:5 KJV