

These Are My Confessions

"Have you realized that most of your unhappiness in life is due to the fact that you are listening to yourself instead of talking to yourself? Take those thoughts that come to you the moment you wake up in the morning. You have not originated them but they are talking to you, they bring back the problems of yesterday, etc. Somebody is talking. Who is talking to you? Your self is talking to you... Stand up and talk to yourself, rather than listen to yourself."

[Martyn Lloyd-Jones]

1. I will be a rejoicer again and again.

"Always be full of joy in the Lord. I will say it again - rejoice."

[Philippians 4:4]

"Revive us again, O God! I know You will! Give us a fresh start! Then all Your people will taste Your joy and gladness."

[Psalm 85:6]

"Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God, and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

[Philippians 4:6-7 (NKJV)]

2. I will be ruled by peace.

"And let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which you also were called in one body."

[Colossians 3:15]

"At the first light of dawn, the king got up and hurried to the lions' den. When he came near the den, he called to Daniel in an anguished voice, "Daniel, servant of the living God, has your God, whom you serve continually, been able to rescue you from lions?"

[Daniel 6:19-20]

"Daniel answered, "May the king live forever! My God sent His angel, and he shut the mouths of the lions. They have not hurt me, because I was found innocent in His sight. Nor have I ever done any wrong before you, Your Majesty." The king was overjoyed and gave orders to lift Daniel out of the den. And when Daniel was lifted from the den, no wound was found on him, because he had trust in His God."

[Daniel 6:21-23]

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

[Philippians 4:13]

3. I will believe in all things, not just some things.

"And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

[Philippians 4:19]

4. I will be a receiver of God's very best.

I wouldn't have chosen it, but God is using it.