



Thursday, December 4, 2025
Foundations for the Believer to Live the Spiritual Life.

The Assured Life: Thanksgiving Special

4. Assurance of God's Daily Provision; Will God really care for me?

III. The Promise of Provision for All Our Needs.

Being the Children of God, He has promised us that He will provide for all our needs and that we are not be anxious about any of them. God is absolutely concerned about our basic daily needs, but not our greed, **Phil 4:19**, cf. **Prov 11:6; Luke 12:15; Rom 1:29; Eph 5:3; Col 3:5; James 4:3**.

Phil 4:19, "And my God will supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus."

Luke 12:15, "Then He said to them, "Beware, and be on your guard against every form of greed; for not *even* when one has an abundance does his life consist of his possessions"."

Eph 5:3, "But immorality or any impurity or greed must not even be named among you, as is proper among saints."

James 4:3, "You ask and do not receive, because you ask with wrong motives, so that you may spend *it* on your pleasures."

In **Phil 4:19**, through the Divine inspiration of the Holy Spirit, Paul made this declaration, as in the verses prior he is thanking and exalting God for using them to supply all his needs for his missionary ministry. He was assuring them that their giving would never cause them to lack for what they need in this life. Unfortunately, too many believers are fearful that they will lack, or worse not have what the Jones have, (i.e., the superfluous material things their neighbors have), if they give to others.

So, Paul is reminding them of God's promises that He would supply all their needs, (especially when they have a giving heart), and the reason for this is **"according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus."** That refers to God's unlimited resources and abilities to provide you (the child of God in Christ) with everything you need.

Jesus Himself, exhorted believers against having fears, worries, and anxiety about our daily provisions in **Mat 6:25-34**. He mentions "do not be anxious" three times (Divine Perfection) in this message, **vs. 25, 31, 34**, using the Present, Active, Imperative in the first verse, and the Aorist, Active, Subjunctive (which is used as an Imperative) in the last two. Therefore, this is a command and exhortation to not be anxious about our daily provisions, because God will supply all your needs.

Mat 6:25-34, "For this reason I say to you, do not be worried about your life, *as to* what you will eat or what you will drink; nor for your body, *as to* what you will put on. **Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? ²⁶Look at the birds of the air, that they do not sow, nor reap nor gather into barns, and *yet* your heavenly Father feeds them. **Are you not worth much more than they?** ²⁷And **who of you by being worried can add a *single* hour to his life?** ²⁸And **why are you worried about clothing?** Observe how the lilies of the field grow; they do not toil nor do they spin, ²⁹yet I say to you that not even Solomon in all his glory clothed himself like one of these. ³⁰But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is *alive* today and tomorrow is thrown into the furnace, ***will He not much more clothe you?*** You of little faith! ³¹**Do not worry****

then, saying, 'What will we eat?' or 'What will we drink?' or 'What will we wear for clothing?' ³²For the Gentiles eagerly seek all these things; for your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. ³³But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. ³⁴So do not worry about tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own."

Highlighted in red are five times (the number of grace) Jesus asked questions designed to show the foolishness of anxiety, **vs. 25, 26, 27, 28, 30.**

Therefore, why is anxiety foolish? It is foolish because it is futile in view of the Father's loving care and knowledge of our needs. It is foolish to think we can do a better job of providing for ourselves than God can. As such, He teaches us such worry is the product of being people of **"little faith," vs. 30.**

Worry is the product of failing to reflect on the Fatherly care God must have for us as His people/children since He shows such wonderful care for the birds of the air and the lilies of the field. He shows that due to God's loving care in light of the temporary and evil nature of this world, our greatest priority and concern must be our relationship with Him and the spiritual life He has given to us and provided for us, versus the humanistic / physical life we could live inside of Satan's Cosmic System, cf. **vs. 33-34.**

IV. God's Daily Provisions (logistical grace blessings) includes six categories of support.

The Biblical definition of God's daily provisions of logistical grace is found in 2 Cor 9:8.

2 Cor 9:8, "And God is able to make all grace abound to you, so that always having all sufficiency in everything, you may have an abundance for every good deed."

The context for this verse, as in **Phil 4:19**, is giving. If your attitude is right, God will provide for you to give. In fact, we are really God's stewards with the money he entrusts to us, **2 Cor 9:6-12.**

Remember, logistical grace is defined as Divine planning, support, provision, and blessing for the execution of the Plan of God by the Royal Family for the fulfillment of God's will, purpose, and plan for your life (i.e., the life of every believer). God is infinite, eternal, and absolute holiness, which is classified as Divine integrity or absolute unchangeable Divine virtue. The basis of logistical grace is Divine integrity, as experienced by the believer in six ways, because we have the righteousness of God in us from the moment of our salvation that God is able to bless.

1. Life-Sustaining Support is provided by God. God sustains the life of every believer on earth. No believer can depart from life apart from God's will. Therefore, all the forces of hell cannot remove one believer apart from God's permission. God also provides all that it takes to support life.

Psa 48:14, "This God is our God forever and ever; He will be our guide even unto death." See also **Lam 3:20-25.**

2. Temporal Needs such as food, shelter, clothing, transportation, environment, time, a job, etc., are provided by God, **Mat 6:25-33; Phil 4:19.**

3. Security Provision is taught in the doctrine of Eternal Security, as noted above. Your security is from God. This includes the assignment of guardian angels, **Job 1:10; Psa 91:7-14; Mat 18:10; Heb 1:14**, and the provision of the laws of Divine establishment for freedom to advance to spiritual maturity. If positive to Bible doctrine, God provides the security for you to make that advance, as in the wall of fire, **1 Peter 1:5; Zech 2:5.**

Zech 2:5, "'For I', declares the LORD, 'will be a wall of fire around her, and I will be the glory in her midst'."

Mat 18:10, "See that you do not despise one of these little ones, for I say to you that their angels in heaven continually see the face of My Father who is in heaven."

Heb 1:14, “Are they not all ministering spirits, sent out to render service for the sake of those who will inherit salvation?”

1 Peter 1:5, “We are kept by the power of God.”

4. Spiritual Riches are provided by God, such as our Portfolio of Invisible Assets, the Eleven Problem Solving Devices, and the unique factors of the Church Age. It also includes the provision of doctrinal teaching from your right Pastor, privacy and security necessary to maintain positive volition, the Royal Family Honor Code, and discernment to see distractions and set them aside. The spiritual provisions of an Evangelist, a Pastor, the privacy of your priesthood, the canon, and a local church are all provided for you by God.

Eph 1:3, “Who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing.”

5. Equal Privilege and Equal Opportunity. These blessings are given to every believer, both winners and losers. These are not to be confused with escrow blessings which are far greater. It means we all have the same privilege and opportunity to grow and advance in the spiritual life, based on the spiritual assets God has provided to each of us in His plan for our lives, **Rom 2:10-11; 10:12; 1 Cor 15:10; Gal 3:28; Col 3:11.**

Rom 10:12, “For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; for the same *Lord* is Lord of all, abounding in riches for all who call on Him.”

1 Cor 15:10, “But by the grace of God I am what I am, and His grace toward me did not prove vain; but I labored even more than all of them, yet not I, but the grace of God with me.”

Gal 3:28, “There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither slave nor free man, there is neither male nor female; for you are all one in Christ Jesus. ²⁹And if you belong to Christ, then you are Abraham’s descendants, heirs according to promise.”

Rom 2:10-11, “But glory and honor and peace to everyone who does (*Divine*) good, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. ¹¹For there is no partiality with God.”

6. God preserves us from death. **Heb 2:14; Psalms 33:18; 56:13; 116:8.**

Psalms 33:18, “Behold, the eye of the Lord is on those who fear (*respect*) Him, on those who wait for His lovingkindness (*grace*) to deliver their soul from death, and to keep alive in famine (*depression*).”

Psalms 56:13, “For you have delivered my soul from death, indeed my feet from stumbling, that I may walk with God in the light of life.”

To walk with God in the light of life means you know about God’s Divine provisions, so that you appreciate them and therefore utilize them in the faith-rest life.

Psalms 116:8, “You have rescued my soul from death.”

A lot of church members who sing “Standing on the Promises” are just sitting on the premises.

Do not let your worries get the best of you; remember, Moses started out as a basket case.

When you get to your wit’s end, you will find God lives there too.

The Will of God never takes you to where the Grace of God will not protect you.