

THE SEEN AND UNSEEN REALMS

Daily Meditation – Sunday January 4, 2026

I visited South Texas College, some time ago, with my wife to obtain some information my wife was in need of. I mentioned to a woman that I had a master's degree in theology. Her reply was, "That's a whole different world." When I returned home I thought, for a long while, about how correct and powerful her statement was.

An unbeliever, who is not born-again, is limited to see, touch, feel, smell, and taste. They do not have access into the realm of the Spirit world, God's kingdom.

However, for the born-again believer, we can access both realms; the natural and the spiritual realms. Much of the time we are in the seen realm. Faith takes us into the unseen realm, praying in the Spirit will take us into the unseen realm in the realm of the Spirit. Also, meditating on God's Word builds our faith which allows you to see with your spiritual eyes in the realm of the Spirit.

The Bible says, "Be renewed in the spirit of your mind, and put on the new self, which in the likeness of God has been created in righteousness and holiness of the truth" (Eph. 4:23-24).¹

The writing prophet, Isaiah, wrote, "For My thoughts are not your thoughts, nor are your ways My ways" declares the Lord" (55:8). Isaiah is talking about our natural minds. God is supernatural. His thoughts and ways are not natural.

When you pray in the Holy Spirit your natural mind will fight you because it is losing control. Satan will also fight you because he is losing control. Just keep seeking the things of the Spirit. Meditate on the Word and pray in the Holy Spirit.

The Apostle Paul told us, "And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, so that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and acceptable and perfect" (Ro. 12:2).

¹ All Scripture quotations, unless otherwise noted, are from the *New American Standard Bible*.

PRAYER FOR SALVATION – Father God, I repent of all my sins, and I believe You raised Jesus from the dead. I confess that Jesus Christ is the Lord of my life. Jesus, wash me with your holy blood. Holy Spirit fill me so I can be a mighty witness for King Jesus!