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**Christopher Hylton**

### Selective Memory

Have you ever noticed that It seems so hard to get motivated or encouraged yet so easy to get discouraged or unmotivated? Recently I had the opportunity to preach at our home church and shared with them a thought that God shared with me a few years ago.

Selective memory!!!

Ps 77:1-3,7-12

*1 I cried out to God with my voice-- to God with my voice; and He gave ear to me. 2 In the day of my trouble I sought the Lord; my hand was stretched out in the night without ceasing; my soul refused to be comforted. 3 I remembered God, and*



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Satan instills fear in our lives from childhood through family, friends, schoolmates, teachers, etc. so that when we become adults we live in an inferior spirit, not realizing God's will in our lives. This spirit of fear is not from God, for God has not given us a spirit of fear...We must move out of the realm of fear and into the realm of Power, Love, and of sound mind, or self-control.

While driving a vehicle, you have the know-how and the ability to drive at five mile an hour or one hundred mile an hour. It is up to you at which speed you travel. Sometimes it is necessary to drive at slower speeds, while other

was troubled; I complained, and my spirit was overwhelmed. Selah  
 7 Will the Lord cast off forever? And will He be favorable no more? 8 Has His mercy ceased forever? Has His promise failed forevermore? 9 Has God forgotten to be gracious? Has He in anger shut up His tender mercies? Selah  
 10 And I said, "This is my anguish; but I will remember the years of the right hand of the Most High." 11 I will remember the works of the LORD; surely I will remember Your wonders of old. 12 I will also meditate on all Your work, and talk of Your deeds. (NKJ)

Notice how David was feeling? He was troubled, he felt unloved and and was complaining about it. I see people all the time and I fall into this category myself that are constantly complaining about their life. It doesn't matter what happens they are always looking at the dark side.

Someone might say " I'm really excited your wife got a promotion on her job." Reply: "Yeah well that just means I will have stay home more and watch the kids". You see it's always negative!! David was feeling this way too. But notice in verse 10 what he says. I will **CHOOSE** to remember the good things of God. The time I spent at His right hand. The time he delivered me from the lion and the bear and helped me kill the giant!!!

times you must drive at faster speeds. YOU have the ability to know which speed to move. Listen to what the spirit says and learn to move when God says move. Learn to slow down when you come to a curve, but don't stop...keep moving. Knowing how to operate the vehicle doesn't mean you go full steam ahead at all times. You learn to follow the road signs...you learn how to switch lanes...you learn when to put on the brakes and when to push the gas. It's the same in our lives. Learn to read the signs...learn when to slow down and when to speed up. It's all within you and you have the driver's manual (The Bible).

*My thought for the day:* Know where the trouble is before you start assessing the problem.

WIFE: "There's trouble with the car. It has water in the carburetor."

HUSBAND: "Water in the carburetor? That's ridiculous."

WIFE: "I tell you the car has water in the carburetor."

HUSBAND: "You don't even know what a carburetor is. I'll check it out. Where's the car?"

WIFE: "In the pool."

*Lynda*

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We've got to choose to remember the good things of God. DO NOT dwell on the bad things of life. If you stop complaining you will stop remaining!!  
God bless you all!!!

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