

Desire of Ages – Chapter 5: The Dedication

Pages 50-58

(Online Questions)

1. Why is it easier for us to acknowledge “Christ in history” than “the living Christ” present in our lives today?

2. The life of Jesus is a “call to self-surrender.” What are some of the challenges you face in surrendering your life to Christ?

3. “The gift of Christ reveals the Father’s heart.” Have you ever been assured of Jesus’ love for you, yet felt that the Father had a different attitude toward you? What could be some reasons for this feeling?



(My Thoughts)

1. Was it important for Christ to be physically perfect, and why? (Page 50-51)
2. Why did Mary not fully understand the prophecies of Simeon, or did she? (Page 56)
3. On page 57 we read, "The Jews would not accept the honor that is reached through humiliation." What does that mean?

Your Thoughts:

- A. List a favorite selection from the reading.
- B. List some new thought from this reading.