



WHEN THE SOUL DREAMS

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THE CHURCH AT ELLERSLIE

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WELCOME TO THE CHURCH AT ELLERSLIE!

We are a family of believers that cling tightly to the Word of Scripture and enjoy the heritage of a faith centered upon the majesty of Jesus Christ and His work upon the Cross. If you love the words of Scripture, worship Jesus Christ, and prefer Truth spoken with thunderous straightforwardness, then you will probably enjoy it here.

Discover why we focus so much on the centrality of Jesus Christ and learn more about the Church at Ellerslie, our Ellerslie Discipleship Training, and what we believe ... at [Ellerslie.com/church](https://www.ellerslie.com/church) or scan the QR code below with your phone.



ANNOUNCEMENTS + SCHEDULE:

- **Daily Thunder** – join us in the chapel M-F this week at 8:15am for teaching, prayer, and worship
- **Wednesday Night Prayer** – 7:00pm

PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR:

- The Alumni Summit (starting tonight)
- The Fall graduates returning home

WHEN THE SOUL DREAMS

FRESHLY FIXING OURSELVES TO THE ROCK

There be four things which are little upon the earth, but they are exceeding wise . . . The conies are but a feeble folk, yet they make their houses in the rocks.

Proverbs 30:24, 26

WHEN THE SOUL DREAMS, IT IS . . .

- Unshakable
- Immovable
- Undisturbable
- Unfrettable
- Fearless
- Impervious to Anxiety
- Untouchable
- Impenetrable
- Immune to Foreboding
- Resistant to Anxiety
- Indifferent to Evil Tidings
- Unruffled by Criticism
- Heedless to False Accusation
- Oblivious to Public Opinion Polls

WHEN THE SOUL DREAMS, IT DREAMS OF A HOUSE IN THE ROCKS

ARE YOU BUILT ON ROCK?

. . . I was physically ill from anxiety and fear for three days after (hearing this news of extreme lockdowns on unvaccinated Canadians). I've been waiting for the hammer to drop for the last couple weeks. The fear tries to

sneak in still but I've been ultra focused on my little family, taking care of them and the home, enjoying the outdoors day by day, praying, reading the Word and exercising. It's also made us so grateful for our training of reckoning God's promises ours, and not fearing. But I'm really struggling. I've really been wrestling with my fight or flight. There's things I want to fight, and I wanted to pack up, cross the mountains on foot with my family and hitch-hike to Windsor or Texas haha.

Canadian friend

TESTING THE FOUNDATION

Therefore whosoever hears these sayings of mine, and does them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock: And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell not: for it was founded upon a rock. And every one that hears these sayings of mine, and does them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.

Matthew 7:24-27

THE WINDS AND RAINS REVEAL

THE NATURE OF ROCK

. . . with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.

James 1:17b

Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and today, and for ever.

Hebrews 13:8

IS THIS THE NATURE OF YOUR SOUL?

. . . (my soul has) no variableness, neither shadow of turning?

Good Questions 1:17b

(my soul) the same yesterday, and today, and for ever?

Good Questions 13:8

THE IMMOVEABLE SOUL

Fixed, Fastened, and Firm

Surely he shall not be moved for ever: the righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not be afraid of evil tidings: his heart is fixed, trusting in the LORD. His heart is established, he shall not be afraid, until he see his desire upon his enemies.

Psalm 112:6-8

- He shall not be moved for ever
- He shall not be afraid of evil tidings
- His heart is fixed, trusting in the LORD (to be fastened, stable, secured, firm, and resolute)
- His heart is established (to be braced, sustained, upheld, undergirded and supported)
- He shall not be afraid

Psalm 112:6-8

THE GOSPEL

when the soul's dreams come true

- Entering the Unshakable, Immovable Rock
- Having the Unshakable, Immovable Rock Enter You

THE TRIUMPHANT JESUS IS . . .

The Rock (Matthew 16:18), My Strong Rock (Psalm 31:2), The Rock of Ages (Isaiah 26:4), The Rock that is higher than I (Psalm 61:2), My Rock and my Fortress (Psalm 31:3), The Rock of my Strength (Psalm 62:7), The Rock of my Refuge (Psalm 94:22), A Rock of Habitation (Psalm 71:3), The Rock of my Heart (Psalm 73:26), The Rock of my Salvation (2 Samuel 22:47), My Rock and my Redeemer (Psalm 19:14), That Spiritual Rock (1 Corinthians 10:4), A Shadow from the Heat (Isaiah 25:4), A Stone (Isaiah 28:16), A Living Stone (1 Peter 2:4), A Tried Stone (Isaiah 28:16), A Chief Cornerstone (1 Peter 2:6), A Precious Stone (1 Peter 2:6)

THE MAKINGS OF THE TRIUMPHANT HEART

hidden in the Unbreakable Rock

KATAISCHYNŌ - [KA-TICE-K-HOO-NO]

To be put to shame, to be disgraced, to have hope meet with failure

NO KATAISCHYNŌ!

Never to be put to shame, never to be disgraced, and never to have hope meet with failure

Wherefore also it is contained in the scripture, Behold, I lay in Zion a chief corner stone, elect, precious: and he that believes on Him shall not be **confounded (kataischynō)**.

1 Peter 2:6

MOWT - [MŌTE]

to be moved, shaken, overthrown, dislodged

NO MOWT!

Never to be moved, never to be shaken, never to be overthrown, and never to be dislodged

I have set the LORD always before me: because He is at my right hand, **I shall not be moved (mowt)**.

Psalm 16:8

Cast thy burden upon the LORD, and He shall sustain thee: **He shall never suffer the righteous to be moved (mowt)**.

Psalm 55:22

My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation is from Him. He only is my rock and my salvation: He is my defense; **I shall not be moved (mowt)**. In God is my salvation and my glory: the rock of my strength, and my refuge, is in God. Trust in Him at all times; you people, pour out your heart before him: God is a refuge for us. Selah.

Psalm 62:5-8

FOREVER SURROUNDED

As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the LORD is round about his people from henceforth even for ever.

Psalm 125:2

LORD, OPEN OUR EYES

Therefore he (the King of Syria) sent horses and chariots and a great army there, and they came by night and surrounded the city. And when the servant of the man of God arose early and went out, there was an army, surrounding the city with horses and chariots. And his servant said to him, "Alas, my master! What shall we do?" So he answered, "Do not fear, for those who are with us are more than those who are with them." And Elisha prayed, and said, "LORD, I pray, open his eyes that he may see." Then the LORD opened the eyes of the young man, and he saw. And behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.

2 Kings 6:14-17

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