

# SNACK FOOD FOR THE SOUL

LIFE ENHANCING DEVOTIONALS INSPIRED BY  
THE BOOK, *THE POWER OF PERSPECTIVE*.

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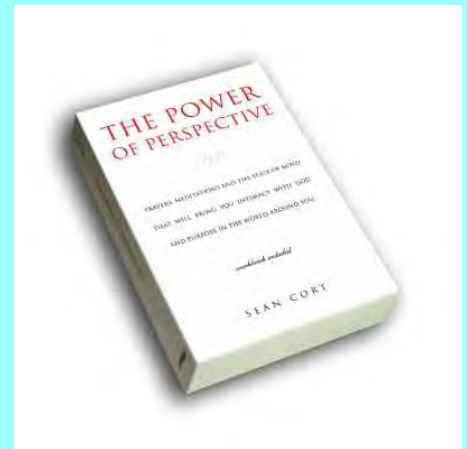
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## PLAY YOUR POSITION

For the sports enthusiast, the athlete or the coach this phrase is key for the over all benefit of the team. If the consistency and accountability of maintaining your planned objective is not met then chaos will quickly ensue as each player seeks the glory of another. In the corporate world, playing your position can be applied to many circumstances. In the corporate world playing your position may entail adhering to the letter of your job description or **giving account** to strict compliance guidelines.

In regard to life in general, playing your position takes on a whole different connotation. Playing your position can mean waiting your turn as everyone around you seemingly gets their blessing and their time in the glory light of **opportunity** and eventual success. Playing your position may mean not paying attention to what is being said about you or who is taking advantage of you. These may be mere attempts of spiritual wickedness in high places throwing distractions to get you off your God intended path to your destiny.

Deep in the marrow of your existence you know that God has allowed circumstances to occur in your life to get the product from you that is key to redeeming your value. When gold is initially mined from the ground it does not nearly look as attractive and desirable to wear around your neck or on you body. After a process of filtration and refinement of pre-planned and specific criteria the impurities are



discarded and the true essence of the element can be redeemed. If something occurs during the refining process such as the introduction of another alloy or a prolonged change in the process then the **redeeming qualities** of the gold have been compromised.

**Imagine** if John the Baptist suddenly got the urge to move out of position due to jealousy of Christ's impending ministry and tried to sabotage Him before He got started? What if John the Baptist went before the Sanhedrin court and warned them of the one who would claim to be the Christ. What if Silas chose to over shadow Paul in Acts 16 because he wanted top billing where ever they brought forth the word? How different would Christian history be if Moses never slew the Egyptian slave master in Genesis 46 and decided to live a life of luxury as a rival to Pharaoh's throne? Where would modern U.S. social consciousness be if the late Rev. Martin Luther King cowered instead of answered the call to lead the Montgomery Bus Boycott in 1955.

All these noted history makers played their position because they knew their value to the overall game plan; **God's game plan**. By determining your value as a piece, rather than the sum total of the whole, then you will soon realize the redemptive nature of knowing your place. Simply put, when you seek the face of God early in the day or early in your present season you will be comforted by the peace that lies in not being concerned by the distracting alloys that are placed in your refining process. The words and feeble attempt of others cannot undermine what you know as your definition. When you look up the meaning of a word it may have a few **different applications** but only those apply.

The meaning of water is true and definitive and no one can change it. The application of the word "fast" may be relative but its meaning is still definitive. Only God can determine that the word death can be turned around to mean **eternal life**. Once you know who you are and from whom you come and then to where you are sent, then your value cannot be undermined or redefined. Seek the rewards that lie in the impervious and unparalleled determination of knowing your value from the top of the throne room down to the souls of your feet. Play your position, the quarterback is looking for uplifted hands and a consistent heart that is reliable when needed.

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*Have an indescribably blessed week!*

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