

groanings, it is our groanings. We have groanings we cannot express. We cannot utter them. We don't know what they are. But the Spirit knows. The Spirit who searches the heart knows. The Spirit searches our hearts and sees those groanings down there ~~and~~ that we can't utter. Those emotions suppressed down there, those frustrations we have, the Spirit understands them, He searches the hearts and makes intercession for them. Isn't it wonderful a Christian can have the H.S. for his psychoanalyst. He can have the H.S. to search his heart, and see that which is underneath and can cause him all kinds of trouble if he doesn't bring it to the surface. See what's wrong in it, bring it to the cross of Christ and get rid of it. If he can just do that and keep the Spirit searching our hearts, it's unlikely we'll reach the point where we'll have to go to a human expert to try to bring the things to the surface that are giving us trouble. But God knew this long before Freud ever dreamed of it and here it is in the Bible, the very foundation of modern psychology.

But people are so busy discussing things that don't particularly matter and they don't take time to get in and get the exact words and get the ideas that are there and do -- and see what tremendous importance they can have for our lives.

I don't know how much Paul knew about psychology. I know Paul had many erroneous ideas the same as every man living does, but God did not let those ideas get in here. God may have given Paul the understanding of this particular point, or He may simply have led him along to use words that would express it even though Paul did not fully understand it. But what we have here is God's Word. It is not dictated, but it is just as true as if it was dictated, and if we want to know anything beyond the things we can taste and touch, beyond those there is one way to find it. God a revelation from One who knows and the only One who knows is God the creator of the Universe.