

RISE ON EAGLES' WINGS

“Thus shalt thou say to the house of Jacob, and tell the children of Israel; Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and **how I bare you on eagles' wings**, and **brought you unto myself**. Now therefore, **if ye will obey my voice indeed**, and **keep my covenant**, then **ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people**: for all the earth is mine: and ye shall be unto me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation.”

Exodus 19:3b-6a



Eagle's Wings

When God Pushes You
To The Edge Of
Difficulty
Trust Him Fully
Because Two Things
Can Happen
Either He'll Catch
You When You Fall,
Or
He Will Teach You
How To Fly

Here I am waiting;
Abide in me, I pray.
Here I am longing for You.

Hide me in Your love;
Bring me to my knees.
May I know Jesus more and more.

Come live in me – all my life, take
over.

Come breathe in me
and I will rise on eagle's wings.

Just as the eagle is ever ready to catch her young and bare them up on her wings when they are unsuccessful in their initial attempts to fly, so our Father is ever ready to catch us before we fall – and teach us how to soar with Him.

The eagle doesn't allow her young ones to rest comfortably in the safety of the nest for an unreasonable amount of time. She knows when to stop feeding those “kids” and allow them to “learn to fly”. So it is with God – He knows when His “kids” must “learn to fly”. Where once we feasted on the “milk of The Word”, there comes a day when we must learn to “eat the meat of The Word”. God won't spoon-feed us forever. He expects us to start doing things on our own through obeying His commands and following His guidelines. That's *tough*, but *genuine*, love.

Once those eaglets have learned to fly, mama eagle gets rid of the nest – *no going back!* So it is with God – going “back” is not an option. If we try going back, it will never be the same. The “nest” has already been removed. We must keep moving forward. We must become strong soldiers, ever ready for spiritual battle. That doesn't happen by remaining in spiritual immaturity. We must get into God's Word and really study it – allow His Word to come alive in us. We must share our faith with others. We must stand strong in the face of persecution. Every moment of our lives, we must *strive to know Jesus more and more*, allowing *Him to take over our entire life*. Only then can we *rise on eagle's wings*.