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3. When in exceeding difficult, perplext and dangerous Cases which look almost desperate, and much more which seem in a Manner lost, there opens at once a great Deliverance, beyond our Power and Thought: And much more still, when the Deliverance opens with Success, and the very Means of our Difficulties and Danger are made subservient to our Prosperity and greater Safety.

4. and lastly, When in this Conjunction, the sovereign God is more than usually acknowledged; looked to and trusted in; an extraordinary Spirit of Prayer is raised up in many; and all these surprizing Incidents and Means, with all our wonderful Salvations, Success and Happiness, come on in punctual Answers to many fervent and fiducial Addresses to Him. I might mention other Cases and illustrate these; but the Hour would fail me: And to make the larger Room for the Application, we must be also short on our.

III. General Head; which is to represent the pious Admiration which these extraordinary Appearances and Works of God should raise up in us; and which they happily raise if we are duly disposed. Admiration is one of the sublimest Actions of a created Spirit. It is the rising up of the Mind in a respectful View of Something it sees and owns to be superiour to it. And when it rises to the reverent View of God, it rises to the highest and most worthy Object, and pays him some of the Honour in the highest Measure eternally due to his transcendent Excellencies and Operations. And as this allwise CREATOR has made us capable of this noble Action, and in our very Make infused a Disposition to