## A WORD TO TRUE CHRISTIANS.

## BLESSED ARE THEY THAT HUNGER AND THIRST AFTER RIGHTEOUSNESS [TRUTH IN THOUGHT, WORD AND DEED]; FOR THEY SHALL BE FILLED.

Overcharged, as many Christian people are, with cares of this life, and intoxicated, as some others are, with its fleeting pleasures, it is quite possible that a very large majority fail to discern the peculiar signs of these times, which the Scriptures show to be the transition period, closing the gospel age and ushering in the Millennium.

We live in a day when many, even in the pulpits, as well as out of it, are boldly contradicting the Bible and denying its divine authorship, in whole or in part; and never in the history of the Church have so many conflicting voices confused the truths of the Gospel. We are told that the prophets and the apostles, though honest, were mistaken or fanatical men who made serious errors in what they said and wrote: that even our Lord Jesus was mistaken in much that he said,—as, for instance, in his references to Jonah and the great fish, to Noah and the deluge, etc. (Matt. 12:40; 24:37-39; Luke 17:26, 27).

What is termed the higher criticism of the Bible rejects all such statements, including miracles and prophecies, as generally absurdities, unworthy of the credence of thinking men; and it accepts merely the moral precepts, whatever of the historical portions suits convenience, etc., as from any other book. This great "falling away" was predicted for the end of this age, and it therefore becomes another sign of the times. Note carefully the following Scriptures, which indicate that a thousand will thus fall (into unbelief), to the one who will stand faithful. Let all who would stand seek quickly and put on "the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day".—Psa. 91:7, 11, 12; Luke 18:8; 2 Tim. 3:1; Eph. 6:13.

Yet, in the midst of all the confusing voices of this "evil day", the Lord's sheep will hear the voice of the Good Shepherd, and, following him, will not be left in the outer darkness of doubt and unbelief, but will be guided into all truth now due to the household of faith. Such was his promise; and such should be the expectation of his people, especially now, when "the whole armour of God",—the full understanding and clear appreciation of the divine plan—is needed as never before.

Write to us at once, if you feel a hunger and thirst for the bread of life and the living water; for Luke 12:37 is now being fulfilled.

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