

THE CROWNING TEST.

Was in the future.

*Adam.* Eva, also these  
Will honor The Great King with awful rite;  
Will keep in memory his marvellous love,  
When he sold all, yes stript himself of all,  
Even of his life for us.

*Eve.* Adam, scoffs yet,  
That Dragon who beguiled us in the Garden,  
The wily serpent, who has built him towers  
On many hills; and viewless palaces  
Of mimic splendor—do you see him, Adam?

*Adam.*  
He must have been outcasted—all are gone.  
The splendor and the mimicry have vanished.  
But Eva, a great glory from the Temple  
Fills the whole earth. See, resurrected Martyrs  
In glorious companies, now come and go,  
Through all the earth.

*Eve.* They are exalted, perfect  
Lifted above us. Saints who have arisen  
From the lost dust of death, have come forth high  
With marvellous bodies, as we see in Enoch.  
Adam, will these glad companies be hidden,