

A LETTER.

(To a person who is seriously seeking the Saviour.)

YOU say that you do not know if you will ever go to heaven. If you were an *unbeliever* I could understand your doubt as to this. But you say that you believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as Saviour. Now He, Himself says: "Him that cometh to Me I will in no wise cast out." Well, if that is true, you should be saved and, consequently, you should *go to heaven*.

You say furthermore, that you will not go to heaven, because you do not feel that you love the Lord *as you ought*. I believe you are right as to the last words. But do you hope ever to be, while in this world, in such a state that you can say: Now I love Jesus *as I ought*." Ah! I would question your love at all for Him, if you could be satisfied with any degree of it.

Again in agony of soul you ask, "How shall I then, be saved? What should I *do* to inherit eternal life?" Listen to the voice of Jesus which says to you: "Come unto Me and I will give you rest." Believe in Me and I will give you eternal life. What then have you to do when the Saviour speaks thus, but to leap with joy, and like Thomas to cry out, "My Lord and my God!" I was lost, but Thou hast saved me? Do you not understand that Jesus has finished all the *work*; and that your work is only to BELIEVE?

But you say, "I do not *feel* that I am saved." Ah!