

ye believe not me, believe the works ; that yemay know and believe that the Father is in me, and I in Him." Moreover, if modern critics and sceptics fancy,—and it is only a delusive and unsupported fancy,—that they can by the discoveries of science explain away not a few of those mighty works, here is one upon which they must in vain expend their skill and evil ingenuity,—“ All things were made by him, and without him was there not any thing made that was made.” And as in his creating all things he manifests his eternal power and Godhead, so in his giving eternal life to as many as believe in him, he even more fully displays the divine perfections,—the divine justice, and mercy, and love,—and draws from our grateful souls the adoring sentiment of the apostle Thomas, who, upon having all his obstinate scruples removed, exclaimed, addressing the Saviour, “ my Lord and my God.” So much for what Jesus Christ implies in the text concerning himself.

But, let it not be supposed that his word in this respect is unsustained by other evidence. And yet, what stronger evidence do we require ? A single word from a perfectly truthful man is just as sure as the testimony of ten thousand witnesses. But if it will strengthen your faith in the great fundamental truth under discussion, let me add in a sentence, that the whole Bible teems with proofs and illustrations of the divinity of Jesus. Moses, David, Daniel Isaiah, Malachi, and all the Prophets and Apostles,