

NO TIME TO BE LOST.

“**H**E HAS HAD TIME FOR EVERYTHING.” Such were the few but serious words of a Christian at the funeral of one who had died suddenly.

He had reached the full limit of human life and consequently had had more than one opportunity to settle the most important of all questions affecting humanity.

He had had plenty of time to eat and drink, to buy and sell, to amuse himself and to live in the midst of abundance ; yes for all that and much more. He had had time to look into the future and to ask himself how he stood as to eternity. He had had time to repent, to believe, to be pardoned, to become a child of God, and to live for His glory. But had he done all these things ?

Reader, I am sure that you also have had the time for these questions, have you not ? I do not know your age but it is not necessary to be advanced in years to need salvation. No, it is a question which should be settled *immediately*. Every moment that passes makes it more serious and more pressing. Look the future in the face. If you are not saved, all is dark and full of uncertainty. You know that you have sinned, and do you not fear meeting God in your sins ?

Many have the thought that they will be converted before they die. They speak, to quiet their consciences, of the Master calling labourers for His vineyard at the eleventh hour—they would fain