

## PUBLISHERS' PREFACE.

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Our attention was first called to this book by Rev. Daniel Steele, D. D., and after a careful, and, to us, profitable reading, we yielded readily to his persuasion to give it to the American Churches, being assured that its practical, burning truths, must arouse all to a clearer apprehension of their duty and privilege.

These sermons are a marvel of direct, earnest appeal to the hearts of all who seek to know the way of the Lord more perfectly. No one can read them without being profoundly stirred, and scripturally enlightened. They are suited to arouse the dormant energies of all classes to a better and more useful life.

The Introduction, by Dr. Steele, sets forth in earnest words the religious character of the author, and the excellencies of these sermons. We give them to the public with the prayer that their perusal may kindle a flame of revival in all the land by stirring up the people to seek the pentecostal baptism.

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