

partakers of that kingdom. I Co. vi. 9, 11. Col. iv. 11.—
See Koppe on the Kingdom of Heaven.

I have now given you a sketch of the views of your fellow Christians, who believe in the speedy coming and personal reign of our Lord Jesus Christ in the earth. In doing this I have drawn your attention to those Divine testimonies which we believe must be rejected or perverted if these views are not admitted.

Let me, then, in conclusion, urge upon you the necessity of taking heed to the *sure word of prophecy*. You will feel the want of it in the dark time of trouble which lies before us, and which already is gathering around us, and in consequence of which men's hearts are failing them for fear. That blessed word will inspire you with holy fortitude, and teach you, in your patience, to possess your soul. It will show you that, after a short tempestuous season of fiery trial to saints then living, and of judgments upon corrupt churches and a guilty world, the Saviour will appear to establish his kingdom in the world. And not only so, but it will admonish you to watch and pray always; that you may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man. That you, my dear friend, may be found by your Lord in peace, without spot and blameless, is the desire and prayer of your faithful friend,

OMICRON.