

men preached in our pulpits, and every lesson taught in our schools. If we do this, and at the same time, "put iniquity far from our tabernacles," our confidence is, that, "the Lord will comfort Zion. He will comfort all her waste places; and He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the Lord; joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody."

We desire to reiterate with ever increasing emphasis, the truth that to secure such a result as this, there must be on the part of both ministers and people, entire personal consecration to God. Let us, under a sense of past unfaithfulness, and conscious of our deep unworthiness, cast ourselves at his feet, and let each heart say:

"If such a worm as I  
May to thy glory live,  
All my actions sanctify,  
All my thoughts and words receive;  
Claim me for thy service, claim,  
All I have and all I am."

The flight of time should lead to increased diligence. Every passing moment hastens the close of the day of labor. Soon, very soon, "the shadows of the evening will be stretched out" upon us, and in the silent night, we shall sleep as do others. Be ye, therefore, faithful in sustaining, worthily, the Christian character, and confessing, at every cost, the Master's name. Live at the very foot of the cross. Depend fully, and always on the merits of Christ for full salvation. Show your love to him by your obedience to his commands, and by your imitation of his example, "for if ye do these things, ye shall never fall, for so an entrance shall be ministered unto you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ," unto whom be glory for ever and ever.—Amen.

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### ADDRESS TO THE ENGLISH CONFERENCE.

DEAR FATHERS AND BRETHREN.—Not one of the least pleasing of the duties of our Conference, is to send you our annual greeting, and to express anew, our unwavering attachment, our grateful acknowledgements and earnest desires for your increased and constant prosperity. Some of us can look back to the time, when in our Fatherland, we stood with you, shoulder to shoulder, in the ranks of the Ministry, bore its burdens, endured its hardships, encountered its difficulties, performed its labors, and rejoiced in its triumphs. The remembrance of those

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