

have entirely ceased to practice infant baptism. Presbyterian churches have now more than forty per cent. fewer infant baptisms, in proportion to their numbers, than they had eighteen years ago. And Methodists and Episcopians have gone even farther in the same direction. And there are no Pedobaptist churches in the Province which *dare* discipline their members for not having their children baptized. That is, they dare not discipline their members for neglecting a positive command of God, if infant baptism be such. And, on the other hand, if it be not a command of God, why do they not give up the practice? Who hath required it at their hand? Reader, weigh well the foregoing admissions, arguments, and questions! What has God required of you? To believe and be baptized—to follow the example of the blessed Saviour, who went down into the water to “fulfill all righteousness”—to walk in the ordinances of God blameless. May the Lord Jesus direct you at every step to the great increase of your joy and peace in believing.