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time; and He says to him, "I have so loved you that I gave my Son to bear the judgment of sin; and in Him is manifested the eternal life which He has with Me, so everyone that believes in Him shall share it with Him."

In fine, I would lay stress on this important point of our subject, that the essence of the old nature being unbelief, the soul that has a particle of faith in God has entered on a new existence. That existence is re-generation; the characteristics and essential properties of which are faith and eternal life.

"ALL HAVE SINNED."-(Rom. iii. 23).

"THE WAGES OF SIN IS DEATH."-(Rom. vi. 23).

"CHRIST JESUS CAME INTO THE WORLD TO SAVE SINNERS."-(1 Tim. i. 15).

"What must I do to be saved?"

"BELIEVE ON THE LORD JESUS CHRIST, AND THOU SHALT BE SAVED, AND THY HOUSE.— (Acts xvi. 31).

"WHOSOEVER LIVETH AND BELIEVETH IN ME SHALL NEVER DIE.-(John xi, 26).

" Believest thou this ?"

"YEA, LORD: 1 BELIEVE THAT THOU ART THE CHRIST, THE SON OF GOD.—(John xi, 27).

CHRIST SAID, "VERILY, VERILY, I SAY UNTO YOU, HE THAT HEAKETH MY WORD, AND BELIEVETH ON HIM THAT SENT ME, HATH EVERLASTING LIFE, AND SHALL NOT COME INTO JUDGMENT; BUT IS PASSED FROM DEATH INTO LIFE.

"DO ye now believe?"

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