

then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me; for that they hated knowledge, and did not choose the fear of the Lord, they would none of my counsel, they despised all my reproof, therefore shall they eat of the fruit of their own way, and be filled with their own devices."

But it is probable that the greater number of those who are lost are not those who sin away the day of grace while here, nor those who are guilty of enormous sins, but those who simply "neglect the great salvation." The way to eternal life is still narrow and the gate strait, and they who would enter therein must make a strenuous effort to do so, while it is easy to float with the multitude down the broad way. "He that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God." But "believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." "If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thy heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, **THOU SHALT BE SAVED.**"