

Him." The object heaven could look down upon, is the object we can look up to. Here is the meeting point for God and man. In Him there is for man true fellowship with God.

The great discovery for the soul of man is, "God was in Christ," "God was manifest in the flesh." His unclothed excellence it was not possible for man to see, to look upon; but yet, to faith, the Lord walked here as the bright shining sun, illuminating all around, and the path before. As He passed among men, the question raised was, "Who has eyes to see Me?" I do not believe that His Glory would ever dazzle or put the believing soul at a distance from Him: but to be at ease in the presence of His Glory,—of His Person,—we must know the grace of His heart. We may walk about in the joy and comfort of the light which He sheds upon us, not regarding often the *source*, from which it comes. If we would contemplate the source, we must stop and look upon Him. "Behold the Lamb of God!" "Consider the Apostle and High Priest of our profession, Christ Jesus." "A great High Priest!"

The Lord was always the perfect Servant; and as the perfect Servant He was the lover of the saints,—the people of His God. "Now Jesus loved Martha, and her sister, and Lazarus." How familiar He was with those who knew Him, He calls them by their names: He called Philip by his name,—“He calleth His own sheep by name.” Are you prepared to be called by name? What nearness,—and what