

say to us about it; but if after careful search we are not able to distinguish the voice of God from that of the enemy, the only thing we can do is to commit the whole matter to the Lord in an absolute surrender. Say "Yes, Lord, yes, only show me Thy will. I am eager and willing to follow wherever Thou dost lead." Then trust Him absolutely to guide. He will surely do it. Take, for instance, John 10: 3: "He calleth His own sheep by name and leadeth them out"; or, John xiv. 26: "The Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in My name, He shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you"; or, Jas. i. 5-6: "If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him." As soon as the world ceases to quench the Holy Spirit of God, that moment she will become reconciled to God. The sinner in his desperate state is busy every moment quenching the Spirit of God. For God's Holy Spirit is busy every moment reproving the world of sin, of righteousness, and of judgment. It is very hard to make men and women believe that as long as they stand aloof from the religion of Christ, they are fighting against God.

Reader, are you converted? If not, you are continually raising your puny arm of rebellion against the Most High. Oh! "We pray you, in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God"; "For our God is a consuming fire."