

to take our stand for God and truth and the well-being of man. "There is an heirloom of stimulus to a whole race in the heroic acts of those who have bequeathed them a name among the nations of the world." And none have better reason to feel that stimulus than the sons and daughters of the martyr heroes of Scotland. And so while cherishing in our inmost hearts the memory of our native land, and glorying in its heroic history, let us remember that our heritage of liberty and truth is the birthright of all. And so live and labour as to lift up others and make them free to be co-workers with God in striving for perfect manhood. There is nothing narrow or national in the gospel. Its blessings, its salvation are free to all. And there is nothing narrow in the heroic martyr-spirit of our forefathers. For the dying Covenanter, as he sank among the heather of his native hills, saw not only a vision of the splendour and glories of the new Jerusalem, his eternal home, but also the vision of a righteous and holy Scotland, radiant with the light of God's favor, and beyond that the world redeemed and won to Christ, and filled with his glory, and the earthly scene was scarcely less enrapturing to his passing and triumphing spirit than the heavenly. So let our eyes dwell upon the vision of the promised time, for which the martyr heroes of Scotland and the good and true of every land and age have laboured and longed, when the knowledge of God, and of his estimate of man shall fill the earth, when all men shall seek to be like Christ, and all men shall be linked together in the bonds of a loving brotherhood.

"Then let us pray that come it may,
 As come it will for a' that,
 That sense and worth, o'er a' the earth,
 May bear the gree, and a' that ;
 For a' that, and a' that,
 It's coming yet, for a' that,
 When man to man, the world o'er
 Shall brothers be for a' that."

"Until we all come * * * unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ."