

answers as, "That does not appeal to my reason." Reader, do you regard the facts which God has recorded for us in the Bible as "mythical"? Can you not picture the solemn scene when God Himself interrupted by His presence that crowd of men busy in making a name for *themselves*?

God came down to Adam and Eve when the earth was younger and fairer and they *hid* themselves, but had to quit their hiding place and stand before Him to hear their doom and be driven from the garden of Eden as *sinner*s. God's presence down here *must* bring judgment, because he cannot look upon sin, and wherever man is found, there is sin.

So at Babel, when He came down for the second time to this earth, "The Lord scattered them abroad from thence upon the face of all the earth." But Babylon, (with its tower half built,) remained, and in one form or another through the succeeding ages was the pinnacle of man's glory, the great human power that held God's people captive, Satan's stronghold, a cage of every unclean and hateful bird.

Nearly two thousand four hundred years rolled by after the building of Babel, and John the beloved apostle is found alone in the Isle of Patmos for the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. (Rev. 1). He had refused to deny his Master or give up His word, and he was ready for martyrdom should it be his reward. To him the Lord revealed Himself in an especial manner and made known to him (among many other things to be found in Revelation) what the end of great Babylon would be. By divine command

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