

grace." (Eph. i. 7). It is on account of the infinite value of the sacrifice of Christ that God can say to us: "I have blotted out, as a thick cloud, thy transgressions, and, as a cloud, thy sins (Is. xliv. 22.) Furthermore, we read: "He will subdue our iniquities; and thou wilt cast all their sins into the depths of the sea" (Micah vii. 19). For that, the intervention of God is clearly necessary, and His divine power, but that power cannot be in exercise at the expense of His righteousness; but because of the redemption which is in Christ Jesus. God manifests His righteousness in favor of believers when He declares: "Their sins and iniquities will I remember no more" (Heb. x. 17).

Dear reader, the epoch in which we live is in every respect a serious one. Time is rapidly slipping away, and God says to us: "The end of all things is at hand." Are you at peace with God as to your sins? Has He spoken to you and have you responded? He speaks to you at this moment, listen to Him. Have you received Christ as your Saviour? Have you been placed by faith under the benefits of His expiatory work? If not, see to it at once, for to-morrow is not yours. And when you have believed in Jesus the Saviour of sinners, you will be able to sing, with all the redeemed:

Now, I can call the Saviour mine,
Though all unworthy still:
I'm sheltered by His precious blood
Beyond the reach of ill.