

"Seek the Lord while He may be found, call ye upon him while He is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts, and let him return unto the Lord and He will have mercy upon him, and to our God for He will abundantly pardon."*

Christian believers! there is a message for you: "Be ye also ready: for in such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh."† To us, who as ministers, are placed on the watch towers of Zion, he "being dead yet speaketh:" "Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with *thy might*."‡ "Take heed unto thyself and unto the doctrine; continue in them: for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee."||

Sunday School Teachers! "Let us not be weary in well-doing, for in due season we shall reap if we faint not."§ And you, lambs of the flock, turn to Him who said, "Suffer little children, and forbid them not to come unto me, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."¶

It was the oft expressed wish of our dear friend that *the poor* should be invited to attend his funeral. To you, beloved, we say, cherish the remembrance of one who so faithfully

* Is. lv. 7.

† Matt. xxiv. 44.

‡ Ecc. ix. 10.

|| 1 Tim. iv. 16.

§ Gal. vi. 9.

¶ Matt. xix. 14.