

2019-10-13 Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?

Scriptural selection

1. John 1:1, 3

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- ¹ In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.
- ³ All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made.

2. Gen. 1:27 God, 31 (to 1st .); 2:6, 7

- ²⁷ ... God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them.
- 31 And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good. ...
- ⁶ But there went up a mist from the earth, and watered the whole face of the ground.
- ⁷ And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

3. Isa. 2:22

²² Cease ye from man, whose breath is in his nostrils: for wherein is he to be accounted of?

4. Job 32:8

⁸ But there is a spirit in man: and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding.

5. I Pet. 1:24, 25

- ²⁴ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away:
- ²⁵ But the word of the Lord endureth for ever. And this is the word which by the gospel is preached unto you.

6. Rom. 8:9 ye (to 1st .), 14

- ⁹ ... ye are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you.
- ¹⁴ For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God.

7. Matt. 5:48

⁴⁸ Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.

8. Jude 1:25

²⁵ To the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.

Benediction

Phil. 2:13

¹³ For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure.

|_≡] Hymns

1. Hymn. 154

In Thee, O Spirit true and tender, I find my life as God's own child; Within Thy light of glorious splendor I lose the earth-clouds drear and wild.

Within Thy love is safe abiding From every thought that giveth fear; Within Thy truth a perfect chiding, Should I forget that Thou art near.

In Thee I have no pain or sorrow, No anxious thought, no load of care. Thou art the same today, tomorrow; Thy love and truth are everywhere.

2. Hymn. 52

Eternal Mind the Potter is, And thought th' eternal clay: The hand that fashions is divine, His works pass not away. Man is the noblest work of God, His beauty, power and grace, Immortal; perfect as his Mind Reflected face to face.

God could not make imperfect man His model infinite; Unhallowed thought He could not plan, Love's work and Love must fit. Life, Truth and Love the pattern make, Christ is the perfect heir; The clouds of sense roll back, and show The form divinely fair.

God's will is done; His kingdom come; The Potter's work is plain. The longing to be good and true Has brought the light again. And man does stand as God's own child, The image of His love. Let gladness ring from every tongue, And heaven and earth approve.

3. Hymn. 206

O God, our Father-Mother, Love, Purge Thou our hearts from sin, That in Thy radiancy divine We may with eyes undimmed define Thy will, reality.

O God, our Father-Mother, Truth, Send forth Thy light sublime, That in its pure and cleansing rays We may, with thought attuned to praise, Behold reality.

O God, our Father-Mother, Life, Reveal in us Thy might, That henceforth we may live to Thee, In all our ways reflecting Thee, And know reality.

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