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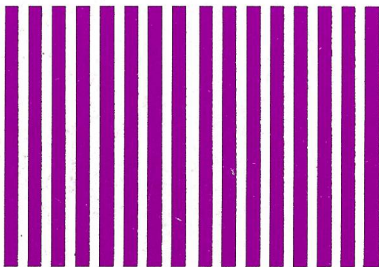
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J. M. Mathes was born in Jefferson County, Kentucky, on July 8, 1808. With no contact with anyone else he studied God's word and began to preach non-denominational Christianity. He personally baptized over 8,000 people into the body of Christ.

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We believe we are safe when we say that one careful reading of Jesse Kellems' book on **THE DEITY OF JESUS** will convince you that we have only begun in our efforts to feed the hearts of men. The expressions in this book are superb! So many sermons fail to educate the mind as well as touch the heart. Kellems has done an outstanding job in both areas.

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- 11. REMINISCENCES AND SERMONS** by Elder W. D. Frazee. (396 pages) At the beginning of our century, there lived a man in Southern California who was a personal friend of Thomas and Alexander Campbell, B. W. Stone, Walter Scott, John Smith, John Rodgers, and many others. This man was W. D. Frazee. He had a remarkably clear memory and put down in a book his recollections in a most informative and even entertaining manner. His easy style and personal insights concerning personalities we all know and love will delight you.

This is a book of real historical value, but it is much more. There are thirty-two chapters with more than half of the book devoted to sermons or lessons we all could put to use. These are written by a man with the background of first-hand experience in this century and the century past. If ever the message of the New Testament was given in the context of an effort to come out of denominational confusion, it is here. We are offering several books in this series with a style of writing anyone and everyone will enjoy reading. This is one of those books.

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## BIOGRAPHIES

- 13. AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF SAMUEL ROGERS** Edited by his son, John I. Rogers—and under the same cover—**WHERE THE LONG TRAIL BEGINS** by S. S. Lappin. (274 pages) Barton Stone prevailed on Samuel Rogers to make a record of his life (which began in 1789) Samuel Rogers says "Deeply sensible of my incompetency for so great a work, nothing but the deference of friends and their opinions permitted me to attempt it." We are very glad he did for he gives a first-hand account of his association with B. W. Stone. Both of these books are positively fascinating in style. If you can read these books and not shed a tear of gratitude we will refund your money. We believe you will be a much richer person for sharing the lives of these men who set an example for all of us.

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Isaac Errett was born in New York, January 2, 1820. He was a close associate with Alexander Campbell, Walter Scott and other leaders of the restoration. In 1866 Isaac Errett, along with Garfield and others, began **The Christian Standard** of which Errett became editor.

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Clinton Lockhart—Dr. Lockhart was for several years professor of Biblical Literature at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa. He is also author of a splendid text on Hermeneutics. His major work was done from 1890-1915.

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22. **CHRISTIAN PREACHERS' COMPANION** by Alexander Campbell. The gospel facts sustained by the testimony of unbelieving Jews and Pagans. **CHRISTIAN EVIDENCES** by James Challen. (342 pages) These two books have long been unavailable. James Challen's work was published in 1856. This printing of Alexander Campbell's grand book was done in 1891. These two publications are worth \$1,000 to the rare book collector but much more to the one who uses them for their intended purpose—to establish faith in our wonderful Lord. What did Josephus say about James the brother of Jesus? What did he say about John the Baptist? What about the testimony of Tacitus? (who was born in 61 or 62 AD) This man spoke about Christ and Christians. This is a most convincing book!



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**25. THE SPIRITUAL SIDE OF OUR PLEA** by A. B. Jones. (394 pages) A re-examination of the doctrine of the Holy Spirit and our attitude toward those who disagree with us. Over one hundred years ago the "burning issues" of today were also burning. Should every Christian have a personal encounter with the Holy Spirit? Can we "feel" the presence of the Holy Spirit? Are we in any sense baptized in or by the Holy Spirit? What about our religious neighbors who manifest more fruit of the Holy Spirit without the Holy Spirit than we do with the Holy Spirit? A. B. Jones faced and answered these questions. This book is a record of such an encounter. This is a book to provoke you to love and good works.

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**26. SYMPOSIUM ON THE HOLY SPIRIT** by A. B. Jones-G. W. Longan-T. Munnell-J. Z. Taylor-Alexander Campbell—Plus, under the same cover, **BAPTISM IN SPIRIT AND FIRE** by James Challen. (264 pages) One hundred years ago men really did some in-depth thinking and writing on the subject of the Holy Spirit and His influence in the lives of men. Can we be conscious of the personal presence of the Holy Spirit in our bodies, i.e., is there an emotional identification of the Holy Spirit within the Christian? A. B. Jones says "yes." Does the Holy Spirit bear witness or make communication to the spirit of man, i.e., do we have an inward awareness given to us by the Holy Spirit that we are children of God? J. Z. Taylor answers "no"—do you know why? What personal influence does the Holy Spirit exert in your life? Alexander Campbell says He should exert a very large influence on you. Read his discussion of this important question.

James Challen has defined and discussed the crucial question of the Holy Spirit baptism in a more complete manner than any other writer of the Restoration movement.

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31. **BIBLE STUDIES**—For Christian Action Crusaders by James DeForest Murch. (216 pages) We are so pleased to be able to offer again to the public these 52 study pamphlets that meant so much and did so much for our Lord when they were first printed.

We offer an unqualified challenge to anyone using these studies. Use this material with the Bible in your hand. Read all references aloud in the meeting. After each question and answer, pause a full minute for meditation. Then if the teaching is not clear to you, check it for later discussion. If after such a procedure your class is not different, something is seriously wrong with your class—not the book! We do believe the Word of God is living and active and as sharp as a two-edged sword.

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If you are not acquainted with the writing of N. J. Aylsworth, you are in for a very pleasant discovery. Can you think of a more accurate description of conditions in our day than these words? "Those answers embracing baptism which were given by the apostles to inquirers are now no longer given to those who ask what they must do to be saved, a strange fact which calls for explanation."

Baptism is a deeply Spiritual experience. Aylsworth will open your eyes and heart to applications of scripture and areas of reasoning not at all considered by the usual learner. Do not miss this surprising and important book.

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We could not agree more fully, than with the words of the author in the preface, "I fear we are drifting away from the old landmarks that so clearly characterized the Restoration Movement in its earlier days." (This was written in 1911. What happened in the "drift" should be common knowledge to all and a strong warning against repeating it today.) "Some of the old themes that used to be handled with telling effect by the pioneers are seldom preached from some pulpits. It is, however, a noticeable fact that when 'first principles' are shunned, evangelistic results are correspondingly meager. The men who are eminently successful in bringing souls to Christ are the men who preach a full gospel; its facts, commands and promises are all declared." To this we give a hearty "amen." Here are twenty-six lessons to use for all who need our Lord and for those who need to be established in the faith. You will be delighted with the nourishing food of this book.

36. **THAT THEY MAY BE WON** by F. J. Winder—and under the same cover, **THE HARVEST IS WHITE** by Carey Morgan and E. W. Thornton. (244 pages) When you pick up this book, someone is sure to say, "you have saved the best for the last." When the editor of College Press was reached for our Lord in 1936, one of the first books he read was **That They May Be Won**. The value of teaching the basic truths in this book simply cannot be overstated. It is a veritable handbook for the soul-winner and at the same time, a source book for Restoration principles. We know personally what an encouragement and faith-establishing experience you will find in the pages of this book. Please, please get a copy and read it. Teach it. Use it—for it is written in such a manner and with such emphasis you will be glad you did. **The Harvest Is White** is a series of special lessons to prepare all Christians for revival. Thirteen lessons which are poignantly written, and full of help for revival of sinner and saint.

Many have requested that these lessons be brought back into print for use in preparing for evangelistic meetings. We are happy to be the means of fulfilling that desire.

Have the principles of evangelism changed? Are the motivations for soul-saving different today than yesterday? Here are the principles and motivations which won thousands to our Lord yesterday. The need is the same—the message is everlasting. Here is the distilled knowledge of those who carried the battle and won! How rich we are today because of those of yesterday. Is it necessary to learn all over again the methods of fishing for men? We think not. We can now build on the good foundation—but not until we understand the foundation. These books were indeed written aforetime for our use today!

## EVANGELISM

37. **EVANGELISM**—The Man—The Message—The Method, by Traverce Harrison and C. J. Sharp. (382 pages) A "how to" textbook of evangelistic methods growing out of actual experience. Evangelism is the first task of the church. So far as we know, there is no textbook comprehensively covering all phases of evangelism as every Christian's responsibility the year around. It is intended above all, that this volume be simple and practical. All 28 lessons are made up of thoroughly systematized and condensed paragraphs suited to class work. We are delighted to offer such a tool for winning the lost.

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We want to say of the second title: "You **must** read this. The year 1925 was long ago, but in that day, thousands were reached for Christ using this method. Today, like no other time since 1925, we can once again win the lost through the principle of group evangelism. It more than merits reading and it only awaits our use!

40. **HOW TO BE SAVED** by M. M. Davis. (206 pages) Every Christian should be a soul winner. Here is a series of lessons to really help in that grand purpose. Every church should have a new convert's class and a class for those who are considering salvation and membership in our Lord's Church. We are really sold on the practical value of this book for both classes. M. M. Davis was one of the most capable writers among us. He tabulates, arranges and compares Bible statements in a way to interest, instruct and inspire. This is one grand book to teach the fundamentals of the faith.



## DEVOTION

41. **TEACH ME TO PRAY** by James DeForest Murch. (186 pages) Some of you will immediately recognize this book as one we reprinted in 1969. It was gone almost before we could get it from the bindery. We have determined to offer it again. As we view the lost world and the apathy of many church members, we do stand in need of much prayer. Some very practical chapters in this book are: (1) Need of Prayer. (2) Kinds of Prayer. (3) Prelude to Prayer. (4) How to Pray. (5) God's Prayer Heroes.

"Through prayer, a man can obtain power and be enabled to exercise his fullest powers. The nearer we get to God and the more intimate our companionship with him, the greater the flow of power through our lives... If we bear the name of Christ but give no other sign of Him, if we go through forms of godliness, but live powerless lives, it is a thousand reproaches to us. To be powerless when God has all power and we can have all we need and much beside is an arraignment to which we can make no answer that is not self incriminating." In the Restoration Movement, we are woefully lacking in devotional literature. We are pleased to offer this book again. It is so much needed by all of us.

42. **A TREATISE ON PRAYER** by Robert Milligan and **COMMUNINGS IN THE SANCTUARY** by Robert Richardson. Both books under one cover. (274 pages) We need all the help we can get for the practice of prayer. Here are seven studies in the development of your prayer life and through you the help of many others. Lessons on the nature and privilege of prayer, the development of secret prayer or public prayer. Who has a right to pray? And others.

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## HISTORY

44. **ORIGIN AND EARLY HISTORY OF THE DISCIPLES OF CHRIST**

by Walter Wilson Jennings. (334 pages) A knowledge of the Restoration Movement from the beginning in 1809 to 1866 is essential to an appreciation of the fundamental principles of the movement. This is a very carefully written book to trace the life and work of the men who led out of the confusion of denominationalism into the freedom of being only a Christian. This was originally a thesis for a doctorate at the University of Illinois. The author has given us a splendid popular yet exceedingly accurate view of our early beginnings. Every member of our Lord's church should read this book.

45. **THE KENTUCKY REVIVAL** by Richard McNemar. (144 pages) "A short history of the extra-ordinary out-pouring of the Spirit of God in the Western States of America—agreeable to the scriptures and promises and prophecies concerning the latter days."

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## DEBATES

46. **DISTINCTIVE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE REFORMERS AND THE BAPTISTS** by Benjamin Franklin and T. J. Fisher. (398 pages) Here

is a real adventure in reading! A debate moderated by "Raccoon" John Smith in Ghent, Kentucky, June 5-8, 1857. **This is one very important book!** Do the scriptures teach that baptism, administered as the Lord intended, to a proper subject, is for remission of past, or alien sins? Do the scriptures teach the doctrine of total, hereditary depravity? These are essential, vital, eternal questions we **must** answer. We have printed in the back of this debate a statement from the American Baptist Association to let you know the belief of Baptists has not changed since 1857.



47. **THE FORM OF BAPTISM** by J. B. Briney. (298 pages) This book grew out of novel and interesting circumstances. In 1891 Dr. R. P. Huger, Episcopalian, and Dr. E. C. Anderson, Disciple, both of Annistoc, Alabama, had some friendly conversations as to the scriptural form of baptism. The former submitted to the latter the following proposition: "I hereby offer one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for conclusive evidence that immersion is taught as Christian baptism—that is—as the only form of Christian baptism taught by the Bible. The judges shall be composed of five clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, to be chosen by me, and five men to be chosen by Dr. E. C. Anderson." Signed, R. P. Huger. This book contains the debate and the decision of the judges. You owe it to yourself to read it!

48. **DEBATE ON EVERLASTING PUNISHMENT** by Alexander Campbell and Dolphus Skinner. (436 pages) A written debate appearing in the Millennial Harbinger and Magazine and Advocate from February 1837 until July of 1839. Published separately as a book in 1840.

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This issue is as alive in our day as it was in 1836—the nature of Christ—the death of Christ—everlasting life—all these are related to this subject—do not miss reading this book!

We seldom grow by listening to or reading those persons who always agree with us. When our presuppositions are challenged—when we are "provoked to love and good works" we grow! Debates can present both sides of an issue in a clearer way than any other device. Do you know why you believe what you believe? More important is the question: do you know why some people disagree with you? Here is a learning process we have neglected. Read both sides of these issues. The truth is not hurt by careful investigation. You owe it to yourself to get the whole picture. You are not prejudiced are you? We recoil at this thought! But what is prejudice but pre-judgment of an issue *before* all the evidence has been considered? Look at the issues debated in these books. We *must* come to an understanding on these subjects. How can we unless we have all the evidence?

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