

For the Argus

"At the age of seventy-five, one must, of course, think frequently of death. But this thought never gives me the least uneasiness; am so fully convinced that the soul is indestructible, and that its activity will continue through eternity. It is like the sun, which seems, to our earthly eyes, to set in night, but in reality goes to diffuse its light elsewhere. Even while sinking it remains the same sun!"—*Grotius*.

"We know that if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens."—*David*.

"What is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul, or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?"—*Jesus*.

"When the soul leaves its dwelling here,

Be gentle with this no longer housed;

What then of transmigrated souls?

May they be in abeyance less?"

Can hardly sleep that thus pass away,

Through thy Out-patients inspired;

The soul's God's messenger to be,

Now with high aspirations drifts;

What all the world impels to perish,

With the mortal moment of day?

God's word and doctrine may be,

But "Soul's God's messenger to be."

What all is needful to final state,

When the soul's God's messenger to be free?

Shall it flee to the Infinite,

Add in a place, never lost?

If here it has been born again,

Known here the love of perfect sin,

Learnt to suppose its wrong desires,

To Calvary with Christ hath been,

Then in Heaven it shall ascend,

Like always near the Source of Life,

Learn to understand His laws,

No longer vexed by earthly strife.

Those with angel and archangel,

Rejoice in gladness, it shall shine,

With their shall be there thy Throne,

Most light ineffable divine.

But Death summons it away,

Wholly unprepared to God,

Then from His presence it will shrink,

If only to escape His nod,

All death deferred for its doom,

A death that cannot not die,

Death that admits of no reprieve,

That has no right of hope even to.

Lord, help me now my heart to search,

Do thou now in my soul set fire;

Against the day of final doom

To Jesus I for refuge flee.

ZALMONA.

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