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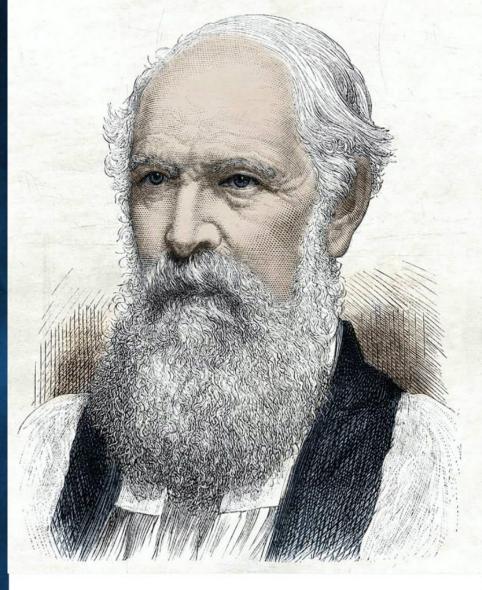
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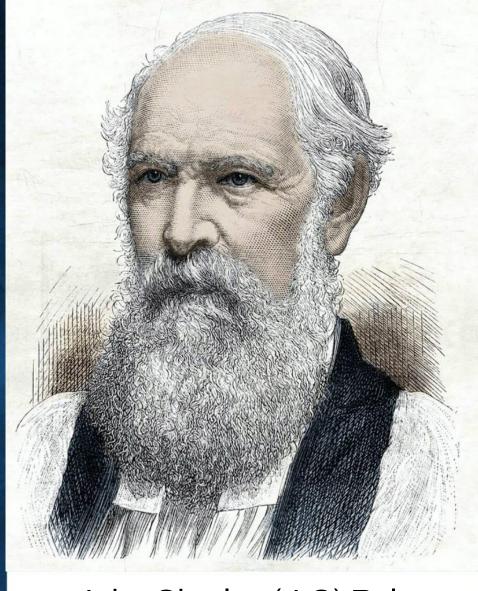
Job 19 & Psalm 16, 49, 71

"If there is no salvation except by Christ we should not be too surprised if ministers of the gospel preach much about Him. They cannot tell us too much about the name which is above every name.



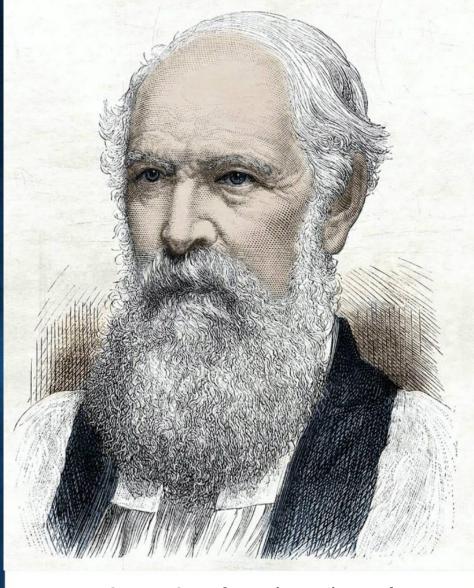
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We cannot hear of Him too much. We may hear too much about controversy in sermons, we may hear too much of works and duties, of forms and ceremonies, of sacraments and ordinances,



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but there is one subject which we never hear too much of, we can never hear too much of Christ."



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²⁵ Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live,

John 11:25

²⁴ And the woman said to Elijah, "Now I know that you are a man of God, and that the word of the LORD in your mouth is truth."

I Kings 17:24

She came and fell at his feet, bowing to the ground.
 Then she picked up her son and went out.

II Kings 4:37

Resurrection Power Is Divine Power



* KEY POINT (last week)

A. Job 19:25-27 B. Psalm 16:8-11

² Count it all joy, my brothers, when you meet trials of various kinds, ³ for you know that the testing of your faith produces steadfastness.

⁴ And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing.

James 1:2-4

²¹ And he said, "Naked I came from my mother's womb, and naked shall I return. The Lord gave, and the Lord has taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

Job 1:21

⁴² So is it with the resurrection of the dead. What is sown is perishable; what is raised is imperishable. 43 It is sown in dishonor; it is raised in glory. It is sown in weakness; it is raised in power. 44 It is sown a natural body; it is raised a spiritual body. If there is a natural body, there is also a spiritual body.

I Corinthians 15:42-49

⁴⁵ Thus it is written, "The first man Adam became a living being"; the last Adam became a life-giving spirit. 46 But it is not the spiritual that is first but the natural, and then the spiritual. 47 The first man was from the earth, a man of dust; the second man is from heaven.

I Corinthians 15:42-49

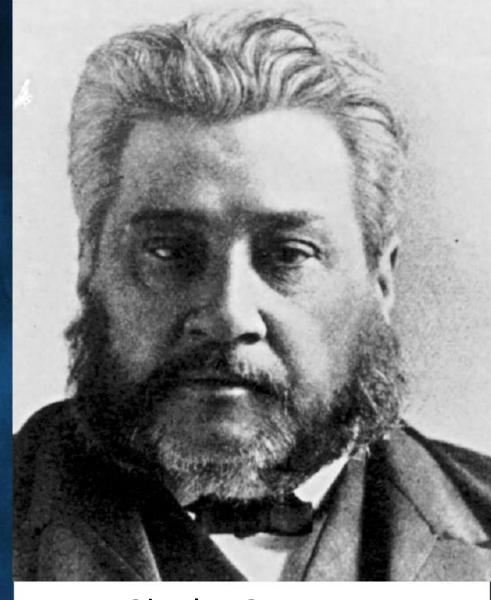
48 As was the man of dust, so also are those who are of the dust, and as is the man of heaven, so also are those who are of heaven. 49 Just as we have borne the image of the man of dust, we shall also bear the image of the man of heaven.

I Corinthians 15:42-49

"Ifs and buts are sure murderers of peace and comfort.

Doubts are dreary things

in time of sorrow."



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- 1. Redeeming a relatives property after death (Lev 25:23-25)
 - 2. Avenging a slain relative (Num 35:19-27)
 - 3. Marrying a slain relative's widow (Ruth 3:10)
 - 4. Redeeming a relative out of slavery (Lev 25:47-55)

Redemption Imagery in the OT

8 "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Matthew 5:8

⁴⁸ You therefore must be perfect, as your heavenly Father is perfect.

Matthew 5:48

²¹ who will transform our lowly body to be like His glorious body, by the power that enables Him even to subject all things to Himself.

Philippians 3:21

² Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when He appears we shall be like Him, because we shall see Him as He is. ³ And everyone who thus hopes in Him purifies himself as He is pure.

I John 3:2-3

Resurrection Power Brings HOPE



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36 For David, after he had served the purpose of God in his own generation, fell asleep and was laid with his fathers and saw corruption, ³⁷ but He whom God raised up did not see corruption.

Acts 13:36-37

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A. Job 19:25-27 B. Psalm 16:8-11 C. Psalm 49:13-15

18 knowing that you were ransomed from the futile ways inherited from your forefathers, not with perishable things such as silver or gold, ¹⁹ but with the precious blood of Christ, like that of a lamb without blemish or spot.

I Peter 1:18-19

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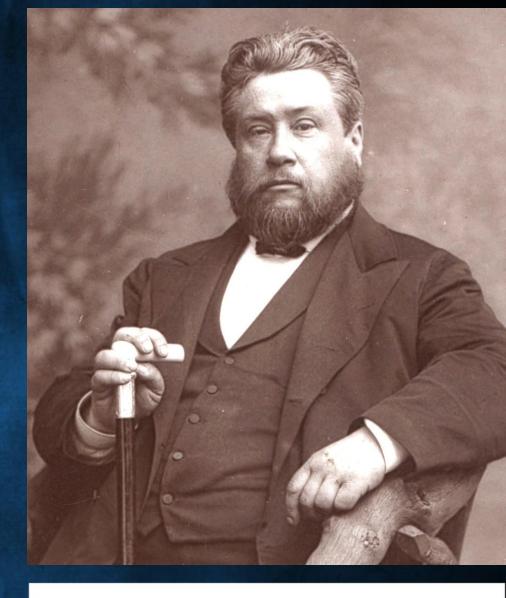


A. Job 19:25-27 B. Psalm 16:8-11 C. Psalm 49:13-15 D. Psalm 71:20

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"Here is faith's inference from the infinite greatness of the Lord. He has been strong to smite; He will also be strong to save. He has shown me many heavy and severe trials,



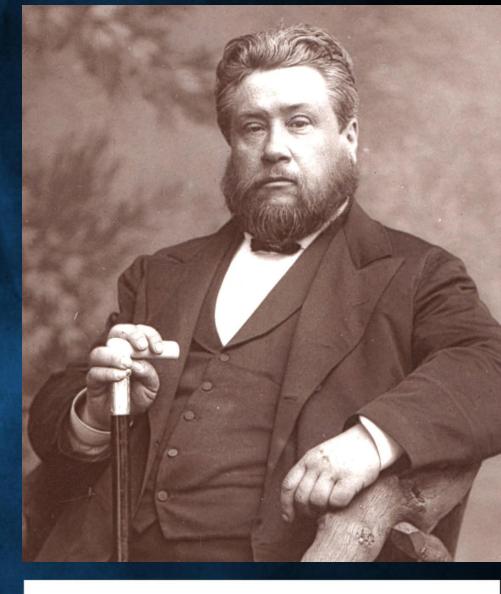
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and He will also show me many and precious mercies. He has almost killed me, He will speedily revive me; and though I have been almost dead and buried,



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He will give me a resurrection 'bring me up again from the depths of the earth.' However low the Lord may permit us to sink, He will fix a limit to the descent, and in due time will bring us up again."



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