

...for I will contend with him that contendeth with thee, and I will save thy children...All flesh shall know that I the Lord am thy Saviour, and they Redeemer, and the mighty One of Jacob." Then the Lord says, (chapter # 50) Where do you get the idea that I have cast away my people. Where did you get the idea that I have turned away, and will not carry out my work? Do you think God is help~~l~~ess, that there is nothing he can do? Or if he is great, he has cast aside His people? He says, Where is the bill of your mother's divorcement? That I have put her away. To which of my creditors do you think I have sold you? Do you think I have ~~x~~ simply turned ~~xxx~~ aside from you, and cast you aside from my own advantage in some way? He says, I haven't sold you. You have sold yourself. For your iniquities you have sold yourselves. "And for your transgressions is your mother put away." I think this is a verse we could all ~~xxx~~ think about. When we find things go wrong with us in life, when we ourselves discouraged it may be that God is going to honor himself and show him how nobly and greatly we can4 $\frac{1}{2}$ But it may be, that there is something wrong in us, that is the cause of the situation into which we have fallen, and it most usually is. And if you are careless of other people, indifferent to other people's ...4 $\frac{1}{2}$, thinking only of yourself, the spirit of selfishness, and added.....4 $\frac{3}{4}$is within you, you should not cast the blame upon other people, and blame them for what may have ~~xx~~ happened.....5.....
6..... And so he says, "Where is the bill of your mother's divorcement?... to whom have I sold you?" Why he says, You have done it yourselves, in your iniquities, and 9/10 of the trouble that comes upon us we find is our own carelessness, and our ~~x~~ own...6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Other ~~xxxxxx~~ people may not see, but God does. "Wherefore, when I came, was there no man?" God wants His work done. He called Israel to be His servant, and to do His work, but there is no man to do it. "When I called, there was ~~xxxx~~ none to answer. Is my hand ~~h~~ortened at all, that it cannot redeem? Have I no power to deliver?" Here is the creation again. God's omnipotence. "Behold, at my rebuke I dry up the sea because God dries up the wilderness. "I cloth the heavens with blackness, and I make sackcloth their covering." The Lord can do, and can accomplish