

production of the Book and miraculously kept the writers of it from error. If we take up one of the so-called apocryphal books, whether of the Old or New Testament, we are apt to find many palpable absurdities among the statements, which perhaps did not seem ~~wrong~~ at the time they were written, but which ~~subsequent~~ knowledge has shown to be erroneous. How different is the case of the books which God has inspired. On the pages of God's Word, no demonstrable error has ever been found. It was written under God's guidance.

The subject matter of this Book is different from that of all other books. It is written to tell of God's dealings with men. In it we have the history of God's relations with the human race from creation to redemption. No other book is so important to the man who would live his life as God would have it lived. Truly this is the Word of God.

In the history of this Book we see the evidences of God's interest in it. Many attempts have been made to destroy this Book. People have been killed for having it in their possession; thousands of copies of it have been burned, but it has not been destroyed. It has been attacked by some of the greatest minds of the ages, but it has not been overthrown. The brilliant Frenchman, Voltaire assured us that twenty-five years after his death, when his books had been well read, the Bible would have been cast aside. Today very few people read Voltaire's books, and the very room in which he said these words has become a depot of the British and Foreign Bible Society and thousands of Bibles have been distributed from it.