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without seeing any change wrought in their hearers. Of the
 sermons of some men it has been said, "They may be correctly
 and correctly dull; falsily faultless; icily regular; splendidly
 null ? ? But the man who has a Scriptural view of the token? ? poken ?? pulpit ?
 of the Gospel will desire to preach like Richard Baxter, as an express from
 another world, or like MacCheyne (sp?) MacCheyne who, as one
 of his hearers said, preached as though he was almost dying to have you converted.
 Wherever preaching has ceased to require an individual response, and wherever
 hearers are left with the impression that there is no divine command requiring
 their repentance and true faith, ~~Christ~~ Christianity has withered away. The
 presentation of Christianity as a rehearsal of fact without any attempt to apply
 these facts to the conscience, and without any call to trust in Jesus as a
 mighty Saviour, falls far short of ~~apostolic~~ apostolic preaching." And at the
 top of the next pages he says, "In the following pages then there is no discussion
 about whether it is right to invite men to come to Christ. That issue should be
 indisputable to those who believe Scripture. Nor is it an open question whether
 man's responsibility to repent and believe ~~should~~ should be emphasized in
 evangelism." I think those are tremendous statements in this human writing
 on the importance we do not preach simply to inform people. We do not preach
 simply to give them understanding, to give them ideas. We preach to change
 them; we preach to reach their hearts. We preach to have an effect upon them
 that will last. All true preaching must be an ~~infi~~ invitation. It should
 start with invitation. And it certainly should end with ~~infi~~ invitation.
 Now this little ~~booklet~~ booklet from which I read you this page is called
The Invitation System. Somebody showed it to me a short time ago, and as I
 read that first page I said, "My, this is tremendous." ~~It~~ The Invitation
System. Is this man trying to say there's some particular system of
 invitation that's more effective than others? and going to explain to us what
 it is? Because he says it's so ~~tremendous~~ tremendously important we be
 constantly giving invitations? And when I read on I was disappointed. And
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