

Has God laid down this mean attitude? Has He forbidden you to enjoy these good things? She was defending the honor of God. When she was defending the honor of God, she neglected to be sure that what she was defending was what God had really said. "Yea, hath God said?"

There is quite a group nowadays that has a Christian background, perhaps has a great desire to defend the Scripture, the great truths of the Scripture, but thinks that science today has proven that we cannot take every word of Scripture literally. And therefore we must pick and choose, and therefore what we find here that is spiritual that's true. The Bible is infallible, but it is not inerrant. But when you take that stand ~~there~~ very soon you precede to the point where you don't believe it is infallible in anything!

There was a woman I talked to this summer. She had belonged to a church, she was brought up in it, she loved it. She loved the people in it. They had a new minister the people thought was grand. She went to a S.S. meeting and he said, Oh, don't have the children say Jesus loves me this I know for the Bible tells me so. He said, That's doesn't prove anything-- what the Bible says. You must not build on that!" Well, she left that particular church, but I fear many others were carried along by this attitude toward the Scripture.

Now some real Christians are saying, The Bible is true, it is true in what it says about spiritual things, but we can't trust it in history or science. We don't want to treat such people as enemies, if they truly believe in God, in Jesus Christ. If they are truly saved, they are our brothers in Christ. And we don't want to treat them as enemies because God has made a sharp