

JUNE 11, 1922 — GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN

Subject: GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN.

The Golden Text: Isaiah 31:5. As birds flying, so will the Lord of hosts defend Jerusalem; defending also he will deliver it; and passing over he will preserve it.

Responsive Reading:— Ezekiel 34:1, 2, 4, 7, 15, 23, 25, 30, 31.

1 And the word of the Lord came unto me, saying,

2 Son of man, prophesy against the shepherds of Israel, prophesy, and say unto them, Thus saith the Lord God unto the shepherds; Woe be to the shepherds of Israel that do feed themselves! should not the shepherds feed the flocks?

4 The diseased have ye not strengthened, neither have ye healed that which was sick, neither have ye bound up that which was broken, neither have ye brought again that which was driven away, neither have ye sought that which was lost; but with force and with cruelty have ye ruled them.

7 Therefore, ye shepherds, hear the word of the Lord;

15 I will feed my flock, and I will cause them to lie down, saith the Lord God.

23 And I will set up one shepherd over them, and he shall feed them, even my servant David; he shall feed them, and he shall be their shepherd.

25 And I will make with them a covenant of peace, and will cause the evil beasts to cease out of the land: and they shall dwell safely in the wilderness, and sleep in the woods.

30 Thus shall they know that I the Lord their God am with them, and that they, even the house of Israel, are my people, saith the Lord God.

31 And ye my flock, the flock of my pasture, are men, and I am your God, saith the Lord God.

The following Citations comprise our Sermon

I	
The Bible	Science and Health
(1) Ps. 27:1, 5	(1) 321:8
(2) Ps. 34:4	(2) 133:8
(3) Ex. 3:14	(3) 410:15-20
(4) Ex. 4:1-4	(4) 442:25-28
II	
(5) Isa. 40:28-31	(5) 519:25 (only)
(6) Matt. 11:28-30	(6) 183:16-18
	(7) 385:1-11
	(8) 426:9-11
	(9) 218:7, 27-2
III	
(7) Nah. 1:7	(10) 10:6-8
(8) Ps. 147:3	(11) 66:1, 30-14
(9) Jer. 31:16, 23, 25	(12) 215:12-21
(10) John 16:20	
IV	
(11) Ps. 25:8, 15, 21	(13) 480:2-5, 20
(12) Zech. 3:1-4	(14) 555:23-27
(13) II Pet. 2:9	(15) 387:27
(14) II Tim. 4:18	(16) 458:20-24
	(17) 473:4-10
V	
(15) Matt. 12:10-13, 22, 24-28	(18) 134:31-8
	(19) 149:3
	(20) 116:11
VI	
(16) I Kings 17:1, 8-14, 17-19, 22-24	(21) 203:31-1
	(22) 493:28
	(23) 427:26
	(24) 323:24
	(25) 598:23-30