

# ADVENT BOOKS

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Dear Friend

By now you should have wondered what is Advent Books. Like all ministries its aim is to help people find the truth or at least give them the chance to. To make it simple Advent Books operates in the following way. Leaflets which advertise the Great Controversy (G.C) are delivered to peoples letter boxes, when they reple we send them a G.C with a letter and another leaflet advertising more books by Mrs White. The Great Controversy and the other books are offered totally free. Both the Great Controversy leaflet and the leaflet advertisng more books contain the option for free postal Bible studies.

Now you know who I am, I can begin.

I would urge that everyone should use all of their God given talents for the lord. Whatever you feel led to do, do it. We need to hasten his Second coming by however small deed we do. Whether it is giving out religious leaflets or talking to a friend then we should do it to our best. While we can we should use all of our God given resources to power evangelistic work. Whether it is giving out leaflets, giving money to help forward His work or be praying for his work to go forwards. Whatever we need to do do it now!

Below are a few quotes by Mrs White and I hope it gives you some encouragement.

## **It is our duty to help those who are proclaiming the truth and to proclaim the message ourselves (9T P62)**

Our publications should go everywhere. Let them be issued in many languages. The third angel's message is to be given through this medium and through the Living Teacher. You who believe the truth for this time, wake up. It is our duty now to bring in all the means possible to help those who understand the truth to proclain it. Part of the money that comes in from the sale of our publications should be used to increase our facilities for the production of more literature that will open blind eyes and break up the fallow ground of the heart.

As a people we are to be reconverted, our lives santified to declare the truth as it is in Jesus. In the work of scattering our publications, we can speak our saviour's love from a warm and throbbing heart. God alone has the power to forgive sins; if we do not speak this message to the unconverted, our neglect may prove their ruin. Blessed, soul-saving Bible truths are published in our papers. There are many who can help in the work of selling our periodicals. The Lord calls upon all of us toto seek to save persihing souls. Satan is at work to deceive the very elect, and now is our time4 to work with vigilance. Our books and papers are to be brought before the notice of the people; the gospel of present truthis to be given to our cities without delay. Shal we not arouse to our duties.

## **Our lay members have much work to do and should do all they can to bring people to the Lord (8T P244)**

Christ declares: "Herin is My Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit." John 15:8. God has edowed us with faculties and has entrusted us with talents in order that we may use them for him. To every man is given his work--not merely work in his fields of corn and wheat, but earns, persevering work for the salvation of souls. Every stone in God's tem,ple must be a living stone, a stone that shines, reflecting light to the world. Let the laymen do all they can; and as they use the talents they already have, God will give them more grace and increaed ability. Many of our missionary enterprisesare crippled because there are so many who refuse

to enter the doors of usefulness that are opened before them. Let all who believe the truth begin to work. Do the work that lies nearest you; do anything, however humble, rather than be like the men of Meroz, do-nothings.

**Every Church member has a part to play in the distribution of truth filled literature (PM 369-70)**

My soul was agonised as I saw the indifference of our people who make so high a profession. was shown that the blood of souls will be on the garments of very many who now feel at ease and irresponsible for souls that are perishing around them for want of light and knowledge. They have come in contact with them, but have never warned them, never prayed with or for them, and never made earnest efforts to present the truth to them. I was shown that there has been a wonderful negligence on this point. Ministers are not doing one half of what they might do to educate the people for whom they labour upon all points of truth and duty, and as a consequence, the people are spiritless and inactive. The stake and scaffold are not appointed for this time to test the people of God, and for this very reason the love of many have waxed cold. When trials arise, grace is proportional for the emergency. We must individually consecrate ourselves on the very spot where God has said He would meet us.--4T 391-393.

In the past, a large work has been accomplished in the distribution of the printed page. This is a line of service in which every church member can have some part. All cannot go out canvassers for our large books; but there is a field of usefulness open before many of our bretheren and sisters in the placing of truth-filled publications