

Australia, but in five continents we have our graduates today presenting the Word of God, standing for Christ, and often being the nucleus which gathers up those around them to stand against the forces of unbelievers and of ~~hypocrisy~~ ^{hypocrisy} and to raise a banner that is effective in protecting those who are presenting the Word of Christ and opposing the forces of infidelity. Many give protection throughout the world. Now that's a brief summary of some of the

brief summary of our history and just a brief stress on some

. But our testimony here is not a defensive testimony. It's not, "Here's the Word of God and I can stand for it and don't you bother me. I believe it's true." It is, "Here's the Word of God. It's God's message.

Here's the Word of God. It is the hammer that breaks the rock

Here's the Word of God that if we go out with the spirit of God

God will use us to win souls

and to stand for the Word of God

those great movements of a couple of hundred years ago

wonderfully for the Word of God but which have been taken over by

hypocrisy

We believe in

the sword and the trowel. We must have the trowel, we must build,

Just use the sword to build and you'll accomplish nothing. But we must have the sword as

well as the trowel to just build

We stand here upon the Word of God. We believe

in development of the spiritual life, the development

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do not invite you to come here and sit through some classes and if you sat around long enough

There are plenty of people who do that. A fellow

came here three years ago and he said to me, "You know I was in the navy and they put me in the V-12 corps and they sent me to Yale Divinity School. How long will it take now for me

to graduate from Faith Seminary." And I said, "Well Yale Divinity School modernists.

Some things would be of value. I think in two and a half years, if you work hard, you can

graduate, maybe a year less." He said, "This school" - he named another school - "they said

I could graduate in a year and a half after having a year at Yale Divinity School." "Well",

I said, "that's up to you

But he had a close