

should have made sufficient progress such that he would be able to write in a way that would impress a publisher enough to lead him to feel that he would not be throwing away his money if he should go the expense of publishing it.

The writer went on to say that if one begins with writing magazine articles and sends them to publishers, the publishers soon become so accustomed to thinking of him as a poor writer such that after he develops a good style it will be extremely difficult for him to get a publisher even to look at his work.

My own experience has been mostly in lecturing and it is only lately that I have been trying to develop myself as a writer. I have been working intensively at this for a number of years, as I feel that the Lord has given me a considerable amount of material that should be put into a form that can be of value to His people.

I understand that several organizations have held seminars for Christian writers and that these are often advertised in Christian magazines or other publications. If one of these is held in your area you might find it useful to attend it.

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PERSONAL PROBLEMS

We live in a world of woe. There are miseries and troubles on every hand. God does not expect any one of us to change this world into a world of complete goodness and happiness. That will be done by our Lord Jesus Christ when He returns and sets up His wonderful kingdom of peace and happiness. During the present period He wants us to be His witnesses, to point others to the wonderful Saviour.