

stress on the types in the Old Testaments to the great stress on the Gospel of Grace in the New Testament, on the fact that in this age no one can possibly be saved in any other way except ^fthrough the death of the Lord Jesus Christ, and ^fthrough grace in Him, has done impalpable good in the Christian church in the nearly fifty years, I guess it is nearly fifty years that the Scofield Bible has been out. Fifty years ago there was many a minister preaching good works, believing the gospel, sign the creed,⁹/₁₁....., but not ~~bringing out~~ bringing out the clear stress on the fact that salvation is only through the grace of Christ, and that to my mind is the great contribution of the Scofield Bible. Now the ~~Sc~~/₁₁ Scofield Bible made clear in its footnotes that Salvation has never in any age been in any other way except through the grace of Christ, but there are some of the notes which can be so interpreted as to give the impression that people have been saved in another way, at other times. I think any such impression is extremely unfortunate. I am sure no one ever has been saved in any other way, except through the grace of God. But I cannot see how anybody can see that it is one hundredth as important how people were saved in Old Testament times for us today, as it is to know how people are saved today. That is the thing that is stressed in the notes. Now there notes which I say can be interpreted to give an unfortunate impression about Old Testament times. If those notes are not changed, any of them, if the book remains as it is, the good that it has done in the last fifty years, the great good that it has done, would in my opinion justify me in doing the best I can ^{to help} in seeing its influence extended to another fifty years by making such improvements and such notes as ~~may~~ may continue its life and extend it through another fifty years. Whether those notes with which I disagree will be changed or not is something which I cannot say, of course, because I am only one of the committee of nine, but I want to say that I have been so happy with the attitude of the committee. I have been extremely happy, I --- Some of the men I didn't know very well before, but as we have come together in the discussion, it has been evident in the attitude of the committee that the notes should represent what the Bible teaches, and even if members of the committee feel that something is right, if they do not have definite clear evidence in the Scripture that it is, they do not