

E 3 Continued.

STARTS with evening. Our days starts with midnight, and after a while morning comes. Very clearly it is not the sort of day we have today that is spoken of here. In fact the word, "evening and morning " <sup>a</sup> is figurative, stands for beginning and ending, and most people <sup>s</sup> until now, until within the last few centuries, and all the Jews now think, consider their day, and the Jews and Mohammedans now consider their day as <sup>starting</sup> ~~stopping~~ at ~~the~~ sunset. So there is an evening at the ~~beginning~~ <sup>beginning</sup> of the day. The first created day of course could not have had an evening, it could ~~have~~ <sup>been</sup> not have ~~becoming~~ dark before there was light. Evening, ~~of course here~~ <sup>for</sup> must of course here figuratively ~~beginning and end~~ just as these terms are used throughout history until within the last century ~~years~~. How long, however, are these days? Well, we find that the word, "day" is used ~~first~~, the first occurrence ~~of the word day in the Bible~~ in the Bible of the word day, is in verse five. And God called the light day and the darkness he called the night. Here the word "day" that was first used in the Bible does not represent <sup>a</sup> ~~the~~ period which we call twenty-four hours at length. If it were at the north pole, it would be a period of six months at length. If we are in Scotland, in winter, it might be a period of six or eight hours in length. It ~~is~~ <sup>varies</sup> tremendously ~~with the~~ a light period between two periods of darkness. We turn over to Genesis 2, we find in verse four, these are the generations of the heavens ~~and~~ earth when they were created, in the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens, " Here the word, "day" is to cover to include all the six created days. Jesus said, Abraham saw my day, and was glad. He was ~~Was He~~ <sup>here</sup> referring to <sup>a</sup> ~~the~~ twenty-four hour day? Very clearly not. He is referring to the time when Jesus lived the whole of ~~his~~ <sup>is thus</sup> his life. Abraham saw his day, and <sup>is thus</sup> was glad. So the word day <sup>is thus</sup> in the Bible is ~~the~~ <sup>a</sup> period of time separate <sup>out</sup> from other