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What an opportunity we have to witness to the Lord, and how far short we fall. A man was talking to me about an English gentleman. He said this man was a man of considerable means and he had lived a rather indifferent life, not a wicked life but a rather indifferent life, and he said as various of his sons died he began to think about eternal things and wonder whether he was headed for torment or headed for glory. And so he called his <sup>Episcopal</sup> ~~assistant-~~ ~~director~~ and he asked him, what shall I do to make sure of eternal life...

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...the man said do you come to Holy Communion, have you come to Holy Communion? Yes, I regularly go to Holy Communion. Well, you don't need to worry, you've been to Communion. Well, that didn't satisfy him. There was a Baptist Church just down the road, he called in the Baptist minister and said I'm bothered, I'm bothered about eternal life, he said. Well, the man said, you need to be baptized by immersion, that's what you need. Well, he said that didn't satisfy him. There was a Quaker faith near and he got in touch with the Quakers and he told the man about it. Well, the man said, have you got the inner light, has God spoken to your soul? And this man had to try this and that, and that, and that, and every one of those people had heard the way of salvation, every one of them perhaps used forms in the service that presented it. But his interest was in some secondary point instead of in the vital thing of how the man could be saved, and finally he found someone who could direct him to the Word of Life and show him that <sup>through</sup> in simple faith in Christ he could be saved and ~~only~~ all these other things might help to him or they might not, but the vital thing was that he is saved through simple faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

If they hear not Moses and the prophets neither will they be persuaded though one rise from the dead. Yes, one has risen from ~~the~~ the dead, Jesus Christ ~~wa-~~ was risen from the dead. He has come, he has told us how to be saved, he has