

who will become discouraged and disheartened and fall by the way, if you don't bring them the message of how they can grow in grace and in the knowledge of the Lord. God chooses to use us to lead souls to Christ, to help them grow in grace. Paul says, Woe is me if I preach not the gospel. How many of us say the same thing? How many of us feel the same way? We certainly should. God gives us a part in His work.

Now the part He gives us is not an attempt to build a perfect world. We are here to do good along the way all we can. But when Christians instead of devoting themselves to the Christian duties the Lord has called them to, devote their primary significance to trying to make a perfect world, they are wasting their time and energy and not doing the work that God called them to do. Oh it is easy for any of us to sit down and think if we were in Washington what we would do! How perfectly we would administer the country or the world if we had control of it! But it doesn't work that way. This country has developed the highest standard of living that has been every seen anywhere in the world, and the reason that has been is because individuals were free to use their brains and effort to try ot get ahead. To build corporations, to build organizations to compete with one another and could establish a life in which there was freedom. But it is being taught in all of our colleges today and many of our high schools that what we need is for the government to take care of everybody and to do it and do everything, and once the government does it economic conditions will improve and everything will be fine! It is u-ter nonsense. The idea is all around that the government should do this and that, and yet the same people who feel