

# 67 HOW SHALL WE STAND IN THAT GREAT DAY?

*"For God will bring every work into judgment,  
including every secret thing,  
whether good or evil."  
(Ecclesiastes 12:14)*

How shall we stand in that great day  
When secrets are revealed,  
When thoughts and motives are laid bare  
And nothing is concealed?

Our only hope when that day comes:  
That Christ died in our place;  
He bore Himself the wrath of God  
That we might know His grace.

On that great day when God will judge  
Our every word and deed,  
Without excuse, our mouths will close,  
For guilty we must plead.

O sinner, come before that day,  
Come look to Christ and live!  
Take refuge in His righteousness;  
Your sins He will forgive.

The deeds we do, the thoughts we think  
Will matter on that day;  
Each sinful act, each secret thought,  
Each careless word we say.

With certainty that day draws near,  
O why would you delay?  
Tomorrow is not guaranteed,  
Come trust in Christ today!

O sinner, if you face that day  
Alone, you will not stand.  
The Law will charge and you will fall,  
Condemned by just command.

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