

Church History Literacy

The Restoration Movement Churches of Christ and Christian Church - Part 1

Lesson 87

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Famous Preachers

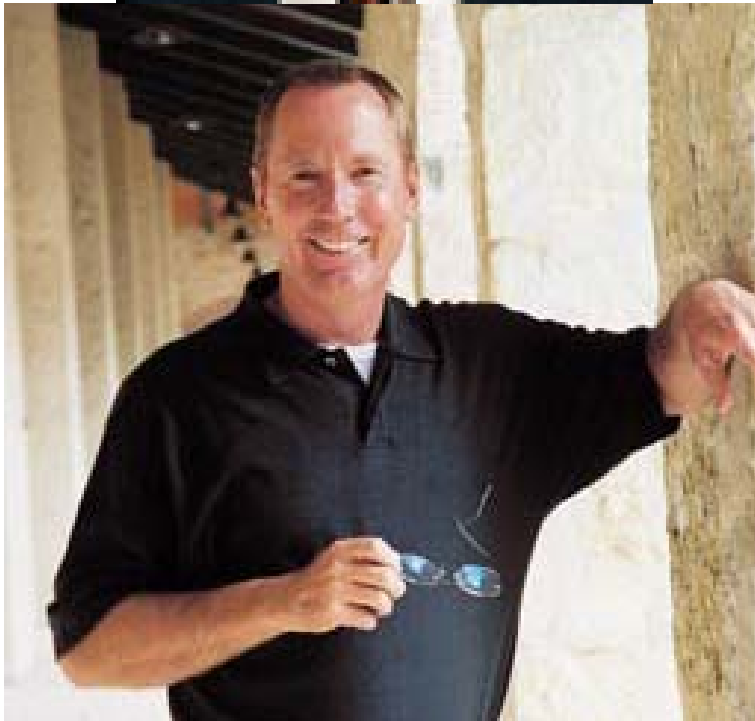
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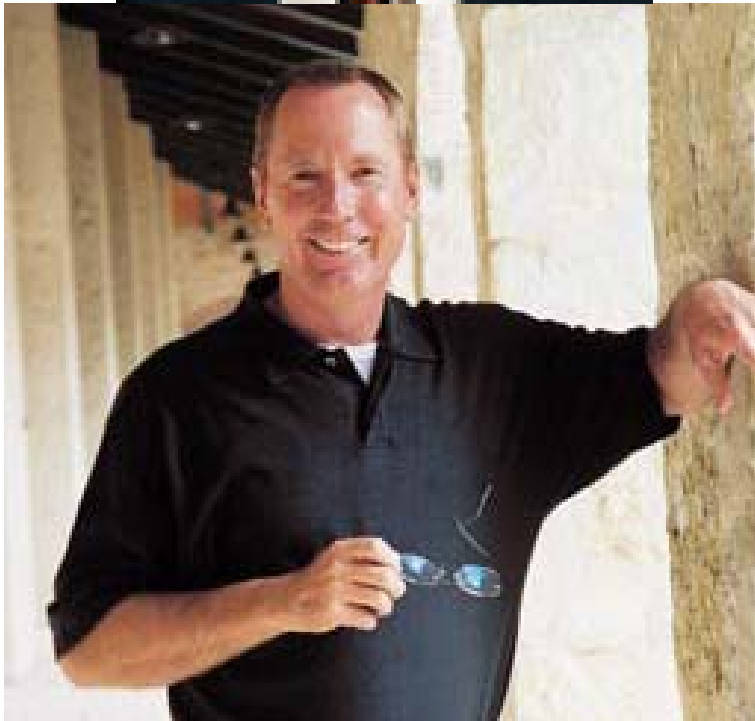


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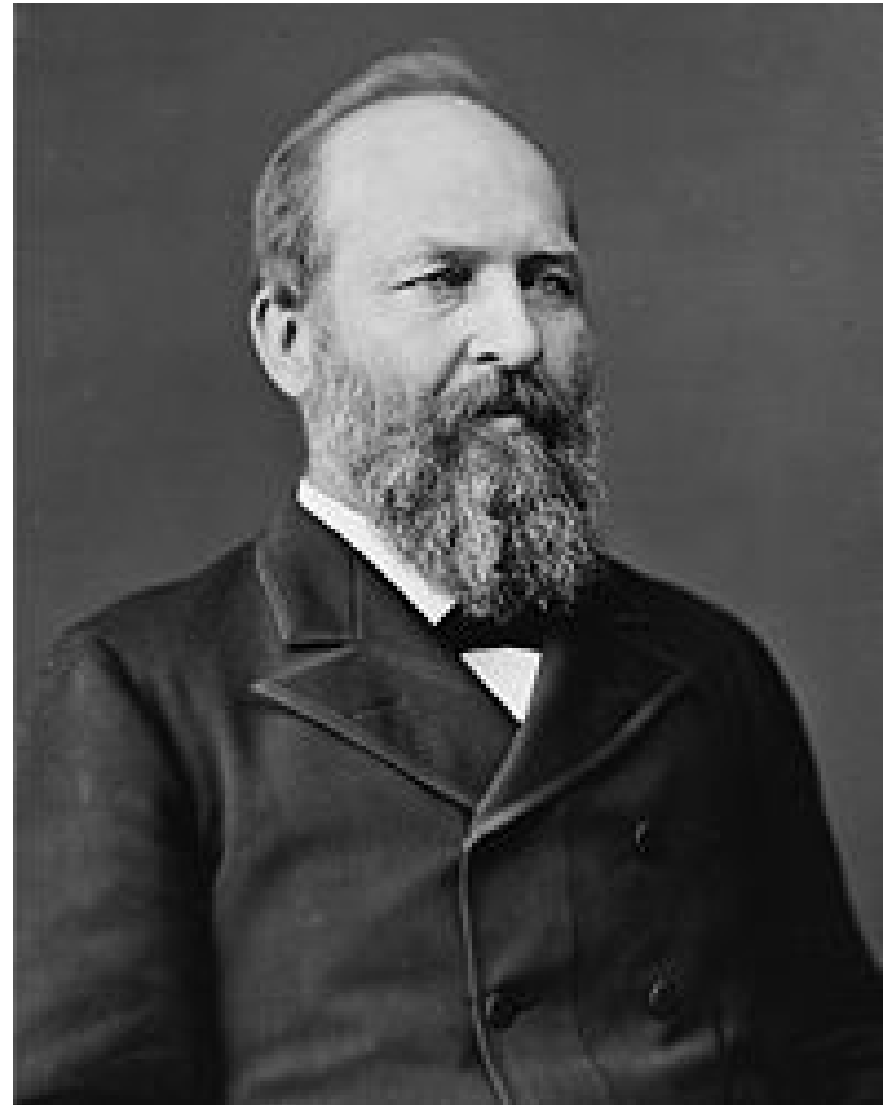


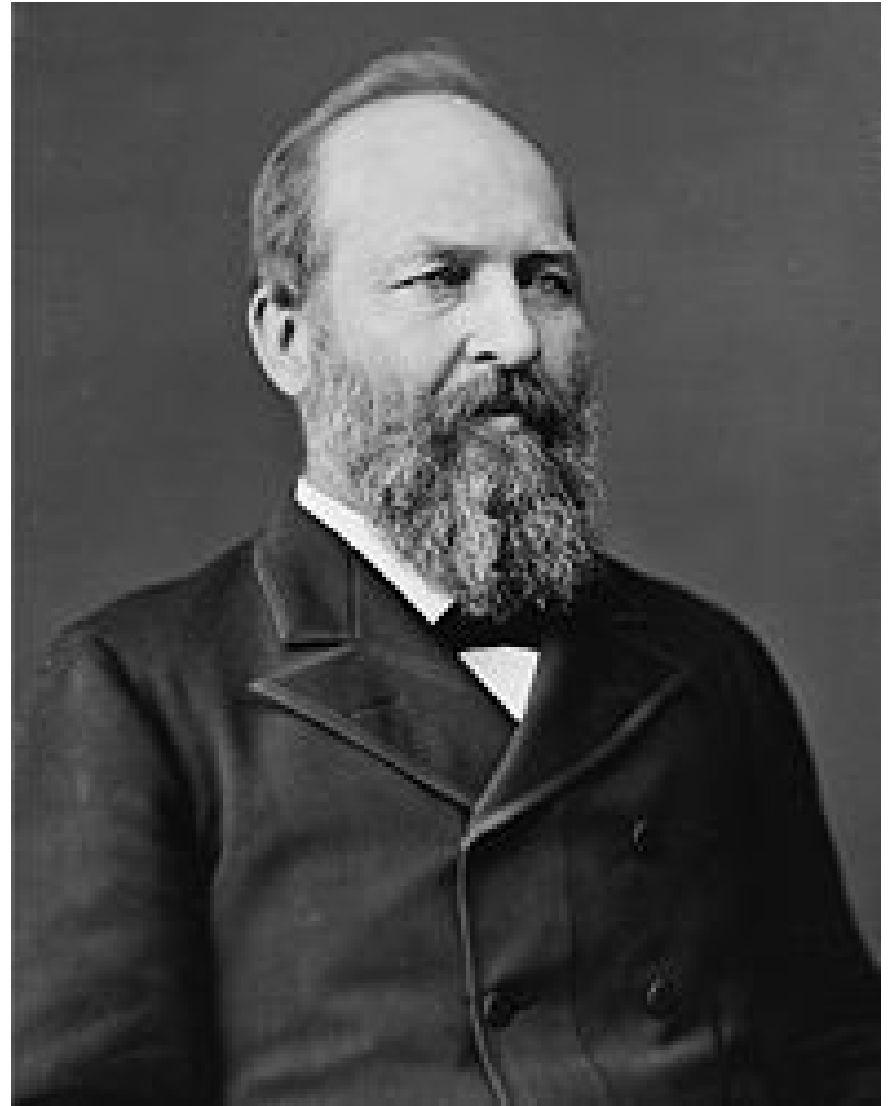
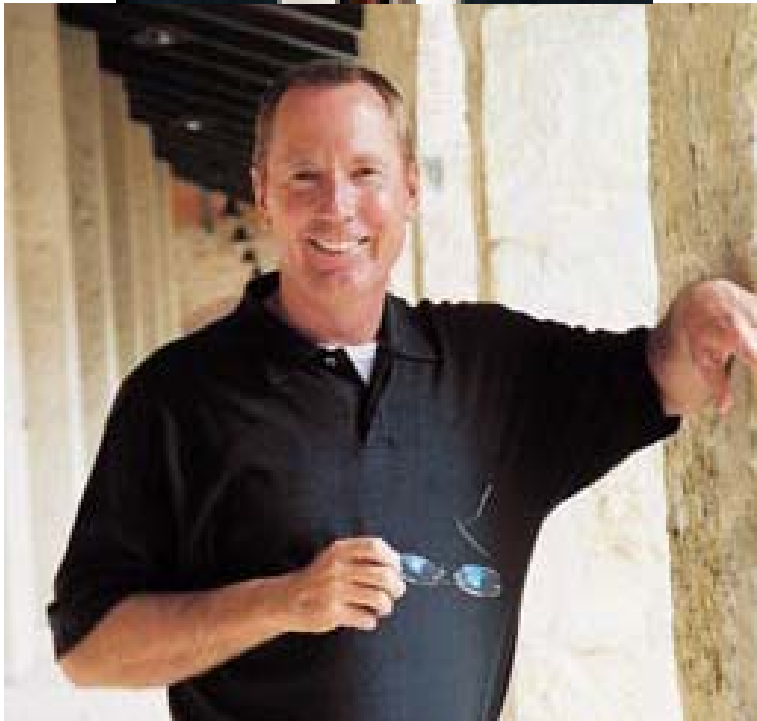


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Max Lucado





Pres. James Garfield

Famous Politicians





Pres. L. B. Johnson



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Pres. Ronald Reagan



Famous Actors



John Stamos



John Stamos



Tom Selleck

Famous Singers



Pat Boone



Pat Boone



Glenn Campbell



Famous Foods





Famous Athletes



Byron Nelson



Byron Nelson



Colt McCoy





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A tale of two men:

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Barton W. Stone

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Alexander Campbell



Barton W. Stone

- Born Dec. 24,
1772 in Maryland



Barton W. Stone



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- Baptized into the Church of England

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- Born Dec. 24, 1772 in Maryland
- Baptized into the Church of England
- Early loss of his father

Barton W. Stone



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Barton W. Stone

Baptist

Anglican



Barton W. Stone



Barton W. Stone



Then off to a
Presbyterian
school!

Barton W. Stone

At school, Stone found the
“distress of the law”



“The truth I heard, ‘God is love’ I yielded and sunk at his feet a willing subject”



“The truth I heard, ‘God is love’ I yielded and sunk at his feet a willing subject”



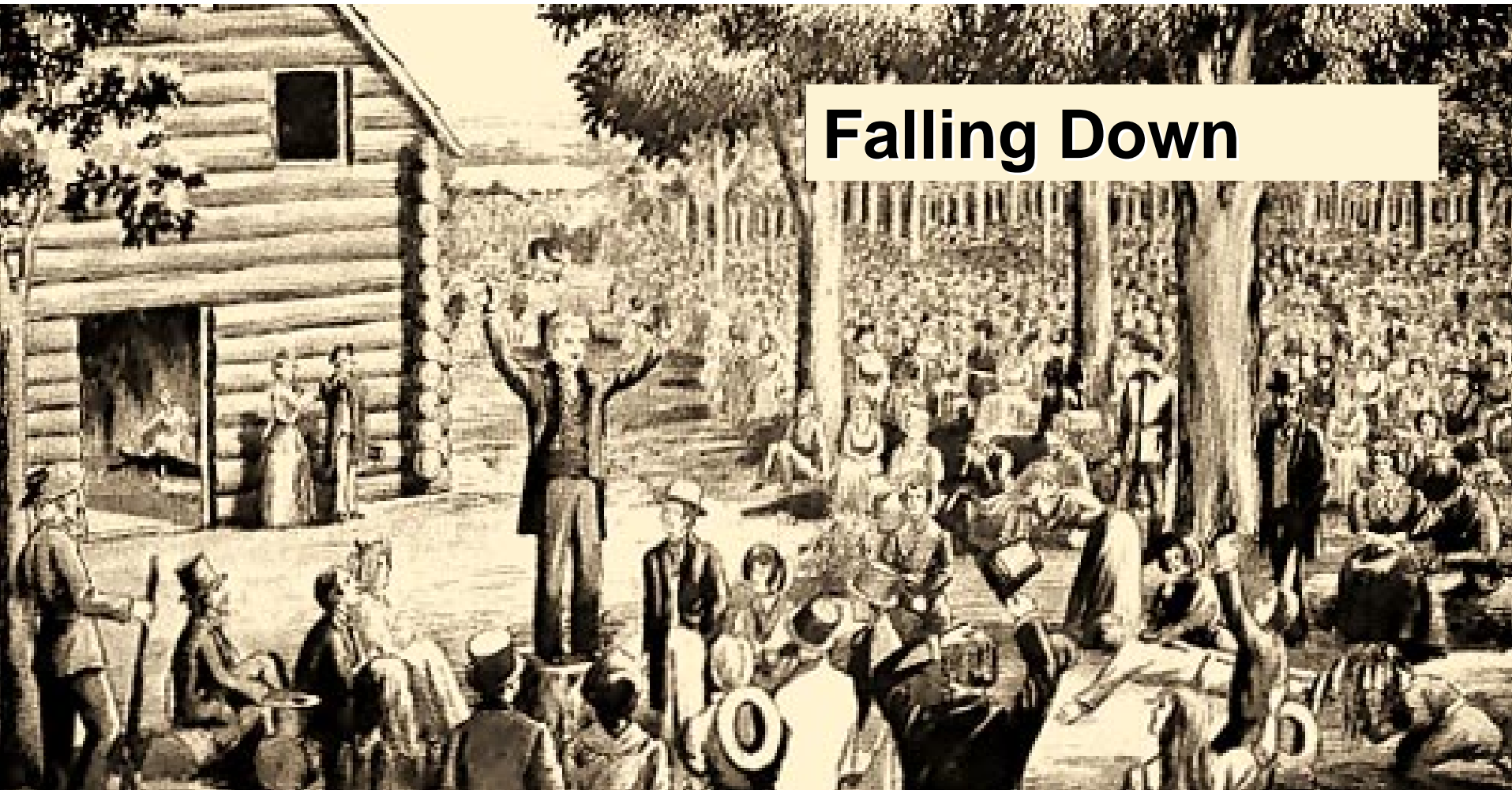


Stone's
theology was
a bit fractured

Revival breaks out at the Cane Ridge Camp Meetings



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Falling Down

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Falling Down

**Sudden
Conversion**

Stone saw preaching the
gospel as the key to
conviction of sin and faith



This Clears
things up!



The presbytery
was going to
suspend Stone
and 4 others



The new
Presbytery
lasted only 9
months



Dissolve “from a principle of love to Christians of every name, the precious cause of Jesus, and dying sinners who are kept from the Lord by the existence of sects and parties in the church.”



Unity was
thought
necessary for
the millennial
kingdom



From here we
shall simply be
called
“Christians”



Three years
later, Stone is
immersed
(1807)



By the 1830's
there are 16,000
“Christians” in
Kentucky,
Tennessee,
Alabama and
Ohio

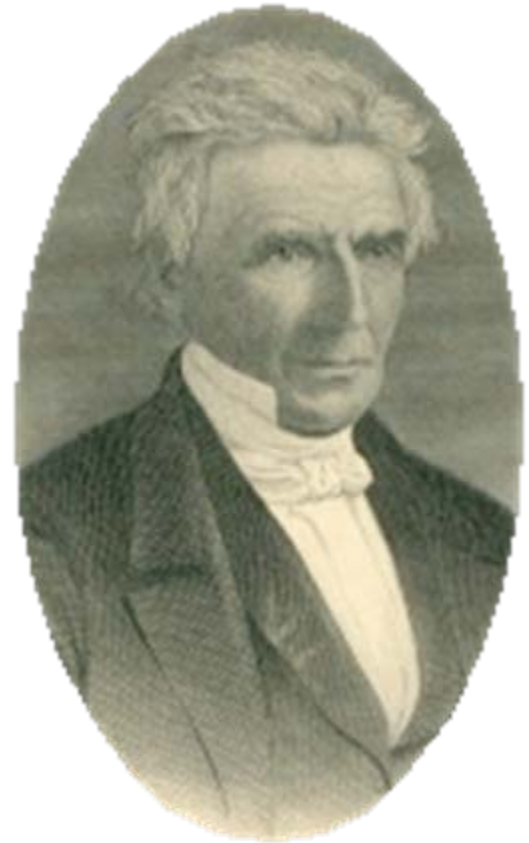
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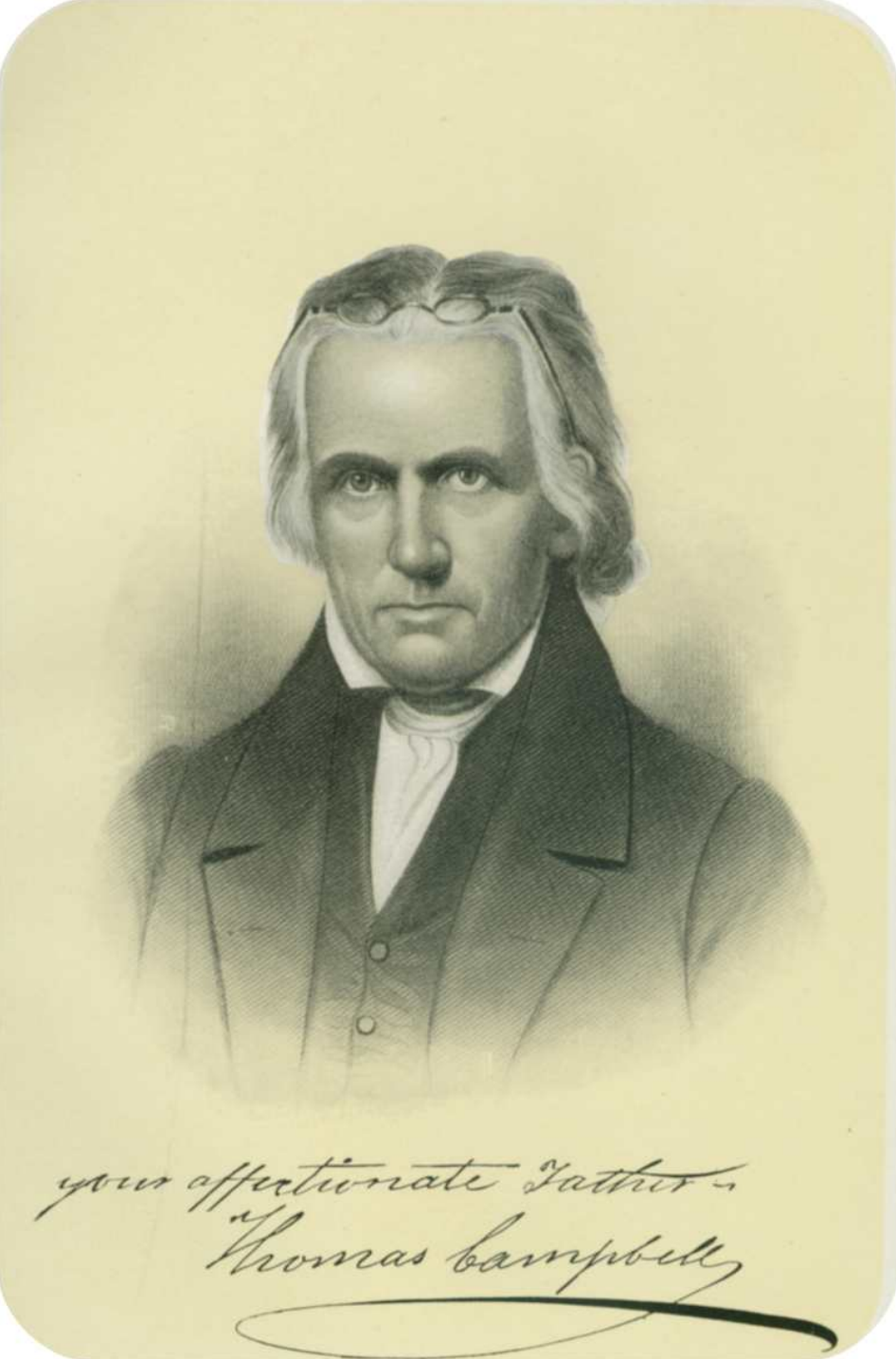
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Alexander
meets and
marries
Margaret



To baptize or
not to
baptize?

Alexander shows up at the river and his family joins him in baptism





Alexander found
a home, but not
peace in the
Baptist Church

In 1832, they unite their
movements



Barton W. Stone



Alexander Campbell

I like “Christians”
Or the “church of
Christ”



Barton W. Stone



Alexander Campbell

I like “Christians”
Or the “church of
Christ”



Barton W. Stone

Too presumptuous.
How about “disciples
of Christ?”



Alexander Campbell

Points for Home



Points for Home

“Never a harsh or
unkind word”



Points for Home



“Never a harsh or unkind word”

“Stone has done more harm by his good conduct than by all his preaching and writing”

Points for Home



“Never a harsh or unkind word”

“Stone has done more harm by his good conduct than by all his preaching and writing”

“Because he has lived so much like a Christian, people take him to be one!”

Points for Home



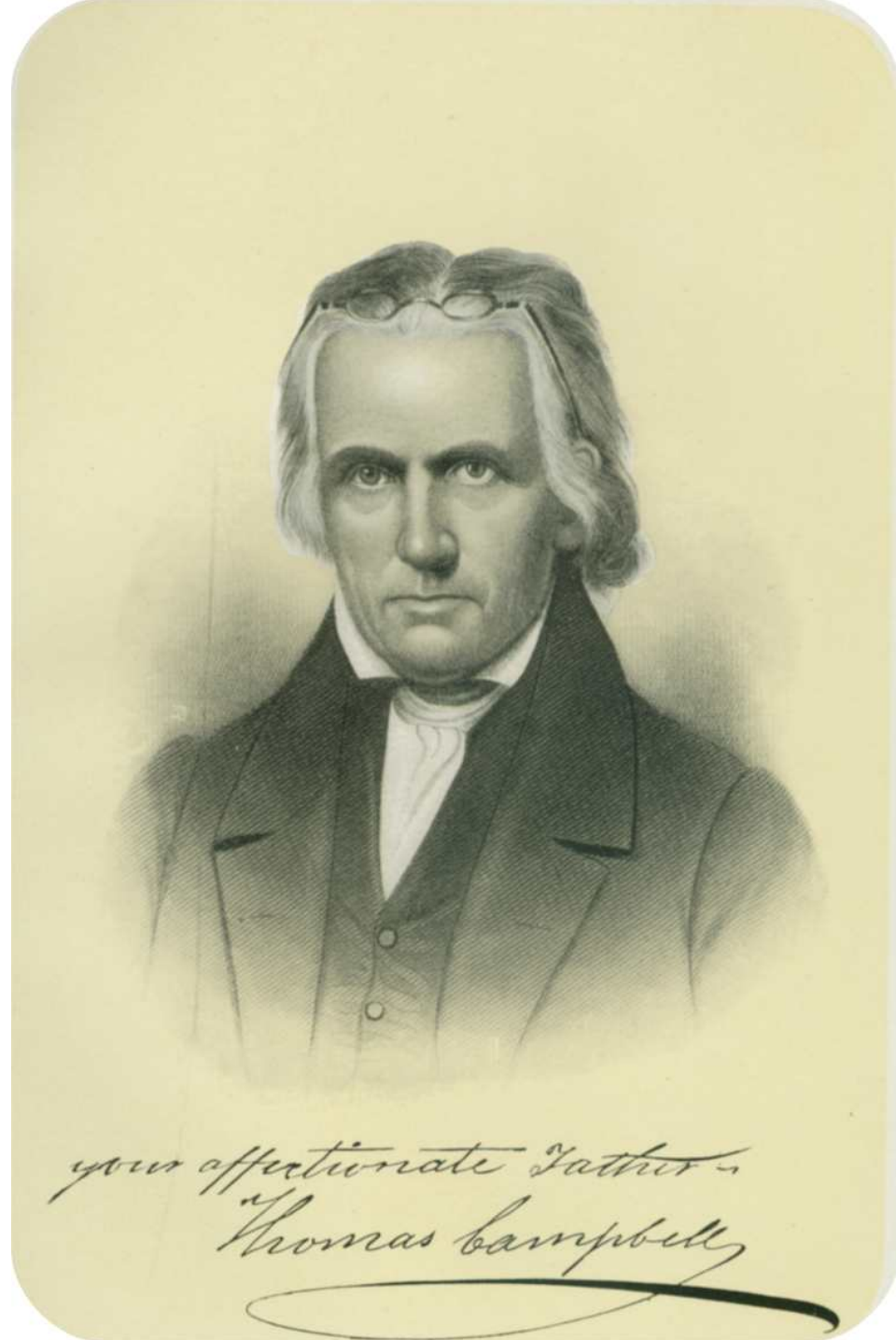
“Live as Christ would!”

“Keep your behavior excellent among the Gentiles, so that ... they may because of your good deeds ... glorify God.” (1 Pet. 2:12)

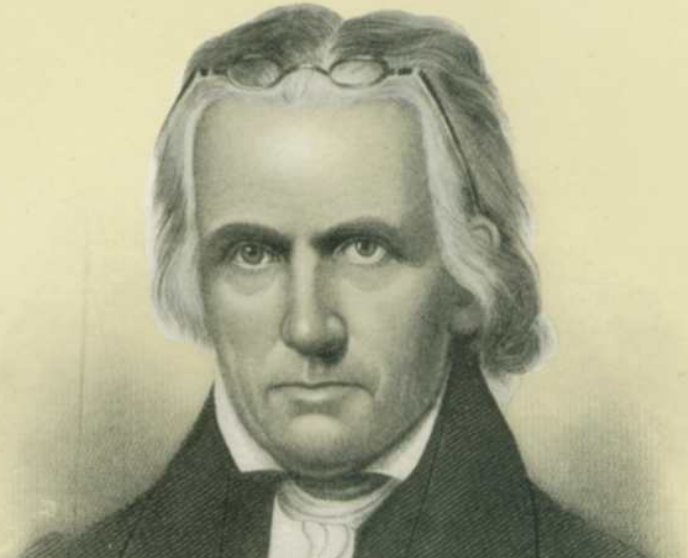
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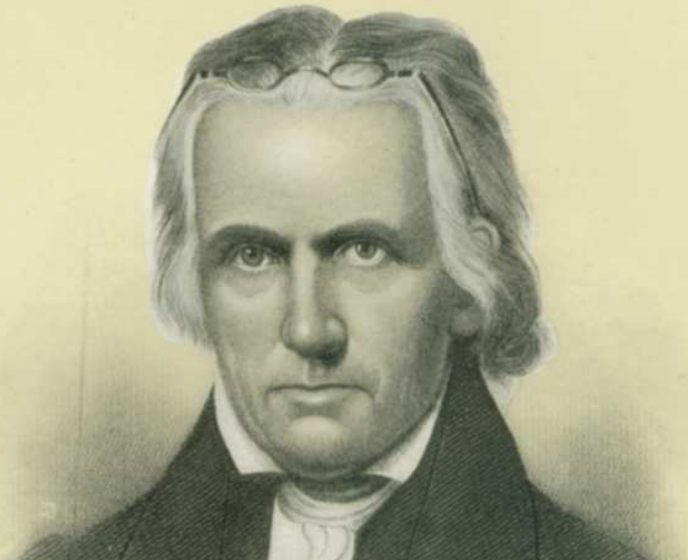
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Investing time
and energy

*your affectionate Father -
Thomas Campbell*

Points for Home



Investing time
and energy

Living holiness
at home

Points for Home

“Home is the first mission!”



“Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord.” (Eph. 6:4)

Points for Home

- Strive for unity; it is important

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“How good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity ... for there the Lord bestows his blessing, even life forevermore.” (Ps. 133)