

A HUMAN-FRIENDLY FAITH

Death invaded a perfect world
when human trespass ruined it.
The best a God of love could do
to heal the world of human error
would be to become a human Himself.
If not, then let the skeptics lead us!
If so, then let all critics plead mercy!
They'd owe Him more than apologies
They'd owe Him lives and allegiance.

Only one faith is really human-friendly.
Only one story tells of God becoming human
to undo human bondage and defeat death.
In that faith, God came and died and left behind
an empty tomb to prove His victory.
If sharing that victory is His offer,
if that's how a destiny of eternal happiness
comes to us from the hand of a loving God,
then I can wait patiently for resurrection
during these few years of earthly time
before death meets its final destruction
at the return of the God-Man.

No other faith is worthy of human trust.
Skepticism can preach, "Too good to be true!"
Faith in a loving God says, "Too good not to."

— *David L. Hatton, 9/29/2007*