

THE ANCIENT OF DAYS

[Jeremiah 6:16; Matthew 11:28-30; Daniel 7:22]

Thus said the LORD, “Stand by My ways;
search out the path of the Ancient of Days.
Follow My lead; tread in My tracks:
you’ll find the rest that your weary soul lacks.”

When Son of God—made Son of man—
came as that Path, He restated His plan:
“Come unto Me. Let faith begin.
I’ll take the burdensome weight of your sin.

“Follow Me now, yoked by My Cross.
Learn of its gain in the strength of its loss.
Lowly am I—Meekest of meek—
but I’m the Way to the freedom you seek.”

Some heed His call, others delay,
saying. “We choose not to walk in His way.”
Only the truly hungry for rest
join with the Ancient of Days and are blessed.

— *David L. Hatton, 7/30/2021*