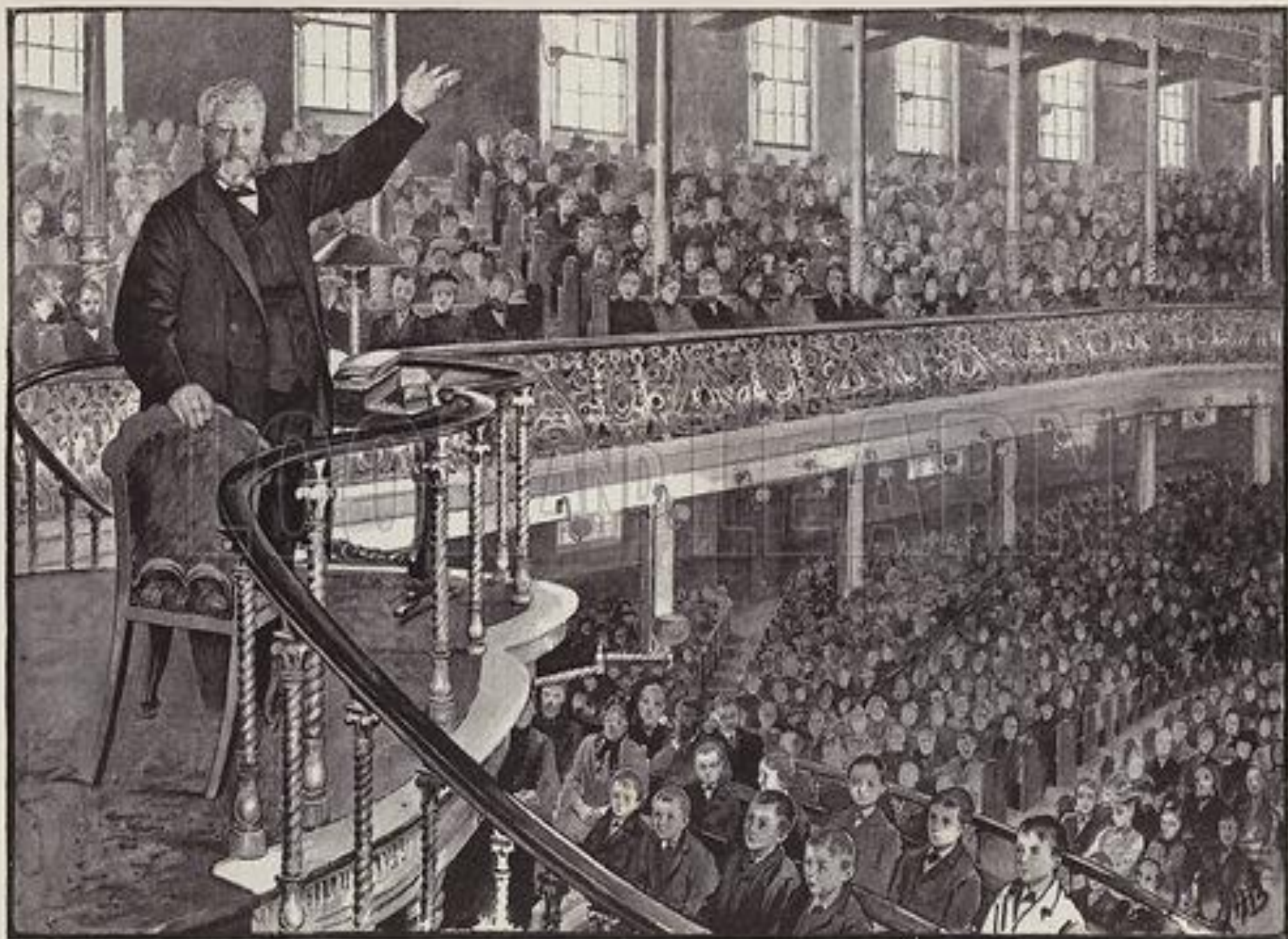




PSALM 23
THE GOOD SHEPHERD





THE LATE MR. C. H. SPURGEON PREACHING IN THE METROPOLITAN TABERNACLE.



- ▣ “God's mercy is so great that you may sooner drain the sea of its water, or deprive the sun of its light, or make space too narrow, than diminish the great mercy of God.”



Psalm 23

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want.

²He makes me lie down in green pastures.

He leads me beside still waters. ³He restores my soul.

He leads me in paths of righteousness-for his name's sake.



⁴ Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy^[e] shall follow me all the days of my life, and I shall dwell in the house of the LORD forever.



Main Point is:

Trust in the Lord

with all your heart.

*“The LORD is my shepherd; I shall
not want.”*

**“But my God shall supply your need according to
his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.” Philippians
4:19**

**1Peter 5:7 says; “Cast all your care upon him for he
cares for you.”**



“He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside the still water.”

Psalm 103:2-5 “Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:

Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases; Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with loving-kindness and tender mercies; Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's.”



**He restores my soul. He leads me in the
paths of righteousness,
for His name sake.**

- ▣ **Matthew 6:33 “But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.”**
- ▣ **Romans 15:13 “May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, so that by the power of the Holy Spirit, you may abound in hope.”**

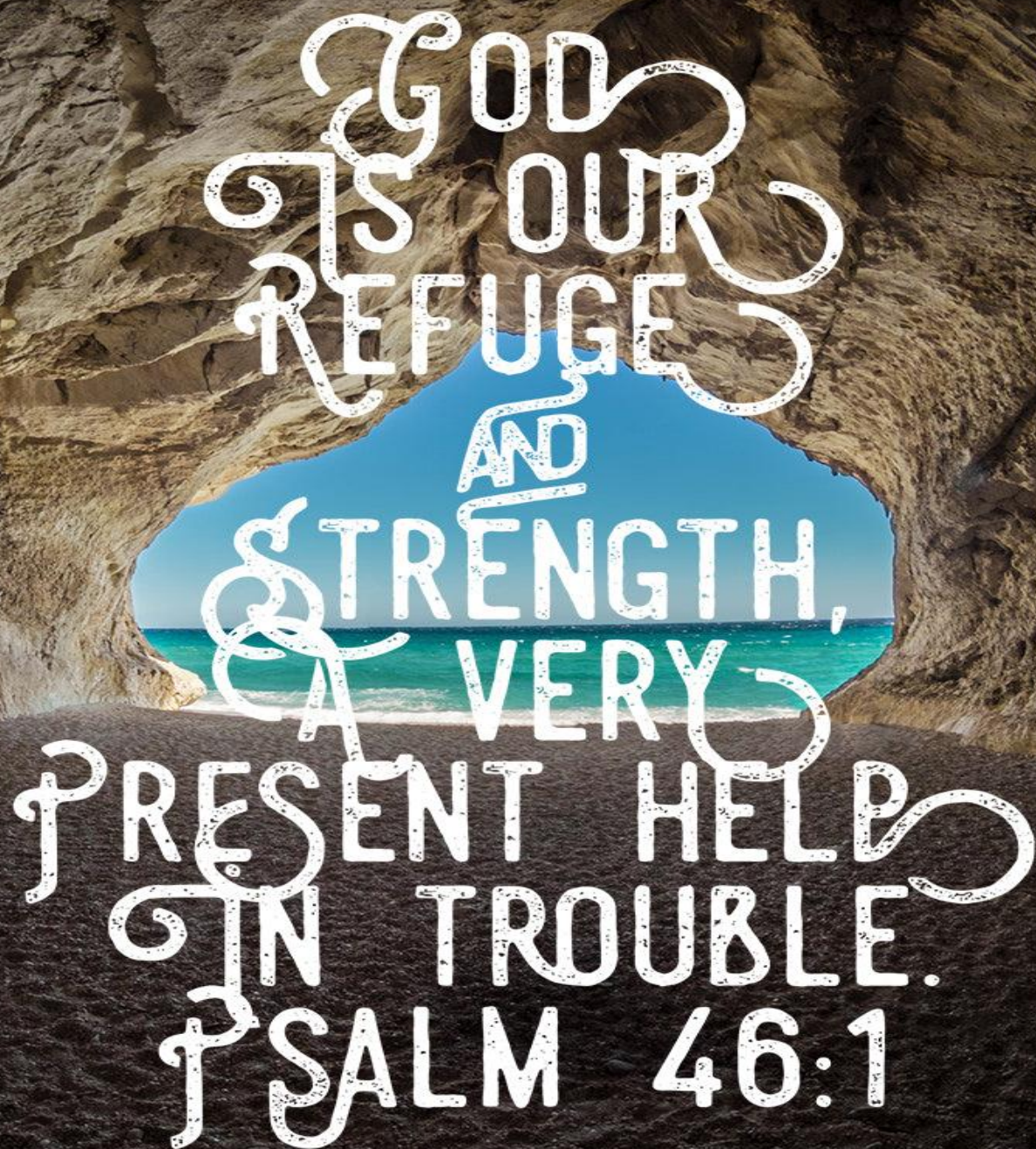


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of the shadow of death, I will fear no
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your staff, they comfort me.**



**I have a great
need for Christ;
I have a great
Christ for
my need.**

Charles Spurgeon



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PSALM 46:1

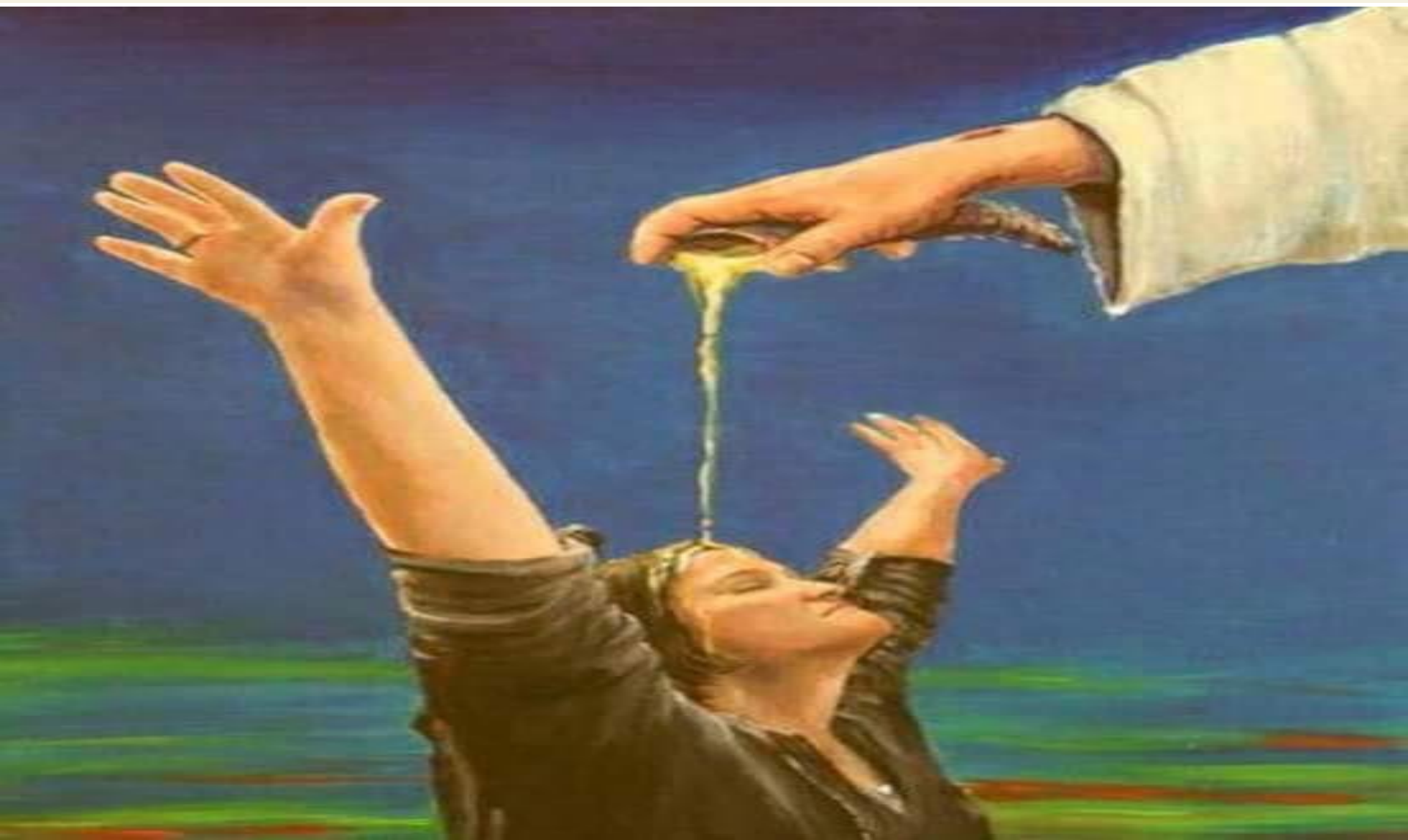
You prepare a table before me
in the presence of my enemies;



“But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law.” (Galatians 5:22-23)



you anoint my head with oil



my cup overflows



Surely goodness and mercy shall
follow me all the days of my life,



the
goodness
of God

- ▣ **“How great is the goodness you have stored up for those who fear you. You lavish it on those who come to you for protection, blessing them before the watching world.” Psalm 31:19**

and I shall dwell in the house of
the LORD forever

WE ARE THE
TEMPLE OF THE
living God

2 CORINTHIANS 6:16



Application:
A Shepherd will care for the sheep
If the sheep have faith in the
Shepherd.



Isaiah 58:11(ESV) says:

“And the LORD will guide you continually and satisfy your desire in scorched places and make your bones strong; and you shall be like a watered garden, like a spring of water, whose waters do not fail.”





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