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OF

MY FORMER CONGREGATION

IN DUNDEE

AND OF

MY PRESENT CONGREGATION

IN GLASGOW

IN WHOSE FELLOWSHIP I HAVE SAT

AT THE FEET OF THE GREAT TEACHER

THIS LITTLE VOLUME IS

DEDICATED

IN GRATEFUL RECOGNITION

OF MANY KINDNESSES



PREFATORY NOTE

THE study of the teaching of Jesus in this volume is based upon the first three Gospels. The Fourth Gospel has been drawn upon only for illustration of the teaching as set forth by the Synoptists. To give an exposition of the teaching of Jesus based on the Fourth Gospel would require a volume for itself. Even with the scope of our study thus restricted, the limits of a handbook have made it necessary to treat many topics somewhat meagrely.

Among the books I have consulted, I owe most to Wendt's Lehre Jesu (translation of the second German volume by Messrs, T. & T. Clark). One or two German monographs not referred to in the text deserve special mention—such as Baldensperger's Selbstbewnsstsein Jesu (now appearing in enlarged form), Schwartzkopff's Weissagungen Jesu Christi (translated), and Haupt's Eschatologische Aussagen Jesu.

The quotations from Scripture are uniformly made from the Revised Version.



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