

Notes

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should receive the benefit of the doubt that he defended the truth in the best ways that he could in his context. The issues of the Down-Grade Controversy needed to be raised and Spurgeon was faithful to wield the sword. Others, who should have been willing to do the same, opted not to rock the denominational boat.

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