

“The **greatest want of the world** is the
want of MEN—men who will not be bought or sold,
men who in their **inmost souls** are *true and honest*,
men who do not fear to **call sin by its right name**,
men whose *conscience* is as **true to duty**
as the needle to the pole,
men who will **stand for the right**
though the heavens fall.

But such a *character* is not the result of accident;
it is not due to special favors or endowments of Providence.
A noble character is the result of *self-discipline*,
of the **subjection** of the lower to the higher nature—
the **surrender of self** for the **service** of
LOVE to God and man.”

- E.G. White, *Education*, p. 57