

# ScriptureGram

*A brief word from God's Word*

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Subject: "I Will Draw All Men Unto Me"

Allow me to share portions of an article written by William Mealand that appeared in Volume 9 of Unsearchable Riches magazine (1917). This is based upon John 12:32 – "And I, if I should be exalted out of the earth, shall be drawing all to Myself."

"I will draw all men unto Me."

Therefore, if "all men" are to be drawn to Him, His words await perfect fulfillment. The present era of grace does not exhaust the possibilities of His power, for, as the grand Executor of God's will, glorious work awaits the Son in ages yet unrolled.

Remembering, too, that God, as the Saviour of all men (1 Tim 4:9-11), wills all humanity to be saved (1 Tim 2:4) by virtue of Christ's kingly ransom for all (1 Tim 2:6), we should exult in redemption so rapturously complete.

We see then, that He who fashioned and formed, can perfect and complete. And in such sublimity, that all the marvellous minutiae of His guidance and government move with stately tread to the desired conclusion. He is the God of patience, even as He is the God of hope.

In thinking of such vastness of grace, we must distinguish between the immediate and the ultimate, between development and completion.

Now is the fragmentary, then the complete. His way is perfect, His will supreme.

May it be ours to wait patiently for Him, and, in the meanwhile of His government and grace, rest heart and intellect in His ability to bring to glad fruition the operations of His majestic will.

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