

LET US ALSO GO, THAT WE MAY DIE WITH HIM John 11:16

## APOSTLE

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## Dear Friends and Benefactors,

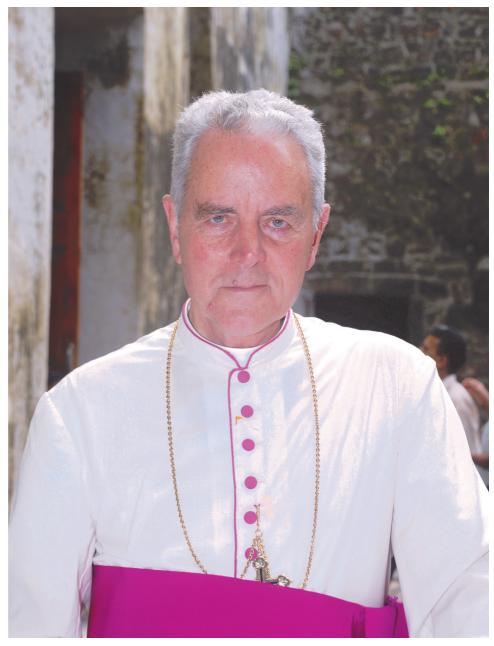
There never was anything so perilous or so exciting as orthodoxy. It was sanity: and to be sane is more dramatic than to be mad.

If G. K. Chesterton were a contemporary of His Lordship Bishop Richard Williamson, he might well have had the Bishop in mind when he wrote these lines, for His Lordship's orthodox view of the world is nothing if not dramatic. "There will be a great chastisement," His Lordship repeatedly warns, "natural or manmade, by which God will punish mankind for its infidelity to His law. He will purge the Church of its modern churchmen for they have lost the Faith."

Modern churchmen, as you might expect, are none too pleased by these calamitous prophecies, but history has reminded us time and time again: if you play fast and loose with the truth, with the sacraments and with souls, God will not be mocked; His justice will prevail.

## G.K.C. appropriately continues:

It is always easy to be a modernist; as it is easy to be a snob. ... It is always simple to fall; there are infinity of angles at which one falls, only one at which one stands. To have fallen into any one of the fads from Gnosticism to Christian Science would have indeed been obvious and tame. But to have avoided them all has been one whirling adventure; and in my vision the heavenly chariot flies thundering



His Lordship Bishop Williamson in India.

through the ages, the dull heresies sprawling and prostrate, the wild truth reeling but erect.

In Jesu et Maria, Rev.Robert Brucciani.