

## ~DEATH~

by Adam Clarke

"With equal pace, impartial fate  
Knocks at the palace as the cottage gate."

--FRANCIS.

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP8

"One dreary night for all mankind remains,  
And once we all must tread the shadowy plains."

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP15

"Thus age and youth promiscuous crowd the tomb;  
No mortal head can shun the impending doom."

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP30

"All that tread the earth are subject to mortality; neither great nor small can avoid death. Live therefore  
conscious that your time is short."

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP35

It is painful to the pride of the great and mighty that, however decorated their tombs may be, they must  
undergo the same dissolution and corruption with the vulgar dead; for the grave is the house appointed for  
all living: man is born to die.

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP35

"For all have the same end, and are huddled together in the same narrow house."

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)

1 Kings 2:2 PP44

While some affect the sun, and some the shade;

Some flee the city, some the hermitage;

Their aims as various as the roads they take

In journeying through life; the task be mine

To paint the gloomy horrors of the tomb,

The appointed place of rendezvous, where all

These travelers meet.

(from Adam Clarke Commentary)