

Andrew Jukes

(1815-1901)

Andrew John Jukes was born in Bombay in 1815, the eldest child of a doctor. In 1827, he was sent to school at Harrow. He left in 1832 and received a commission in the army of the East India Company and was posted to Poona. He returned to England to enter Trinity College, Cambridge, in 1838, and in 1840 won the important Hulsean Prize. In 1842, he was made Deacon to serve in St. John's Church, Hull. At that time he began to have scruples about Infant Baptism, and after discussion with his Vicar and Bishop left the Church of England.

He then gave himself to independent study of the Scriptures, and in 1847 the first of some thirty titles listed in the British library catalogue was published. At the time he was ministering to a house church in Hull that eventually built him a chapel, opened in 1866. The next year, he published *The Second Death and the Restitution of All Things*. It caused bitter controversy in his congregation and led to a breakdown in the author's health. He left Hull in 1868 and eventually settled near his son in Highgate in 1869. His teaching and writing ministry continued until his death in 1901.

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