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[excerpt]

Ripened scholars, many of national and even international renown, have given me great encouragement. Giants like the late Dr. W.W. Sweet of the University of Chicago was one. His evaluations I treasured -- and I never disclosed some of his highest tributes. The same is true of his successor Dr. Sidney E. Mead. I mention these because they were both of Chicago.

In England Dr. H.H. Rowley, still keeps in touch with me, though he is now suffering from terminal cancer. Dr. Martyn Lloyd-Jones is another. Had a letter from him a short while ago. The same was true of the late Dr. Andrew W. Blackwood of Princeton, and Dr. Lous Ginsberg of the Jewish Theological Seminary. These men have scholarly stature...

I am persuaded that one does not have to strive to appear sophisticated to win the recognition of some of the world's great scholars.

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