

what a Dreadful Tormentor is an accusing Conscience,
when Professors fall into open scandalous Sins, when
they lose the Fear of God, their Pride increases continually,
after their Fall until they become a Terror to themselves
and those connected with them. Mr. Kendall appeared
to me to be as full of Pride, wrath and bitterness;
as if he had never known any thing of Christianity.

He manifested all the violent Passions of an Heedless
when Professors of Religion fall into the Snare
of the Devil, how dreadfully does the Prince of
Darkness work in their Hearts? He seems to glory
in scourging them in every possible way, and
inflames their Pride to the utmost, while at the
same time he furnishes them with Arguments
to vindicate their wicked Conduct, either from the
Example of living, or the departed Saints - If
Drunkness is his Sin, he appeals to the Example
of Noah; if Fornication & Adultery, are his Crimes,
he will tell you the man after God's own Heart
was guilty of the same. The sorrow which a
man in this state may occasionally express for
his misconduct, Springs more from Pride, and
Self-love than humility - He is sorry that he has
injured his Reputation, his temporal Interest, and lost
his Rank in Society, but this is only the sorrow of
the world - His Pride is greater ^{his} haughty Spirit
is more captious, and he is more vindictive than
a man who has never known any thing of
Divine things - He seems to be wholly under Satanic
Influence, and his last state is worse than his first.