

Amillennialism — Geerhardus Vos

“To the explicit statements of Old Testament prophecy. But it should be noted that Old Testament prophecy speaks in Old Testament terms, which we may not interpret literally. The Israel spoken of repeatedly is spiritual Israel. And when it is said that it shall return to its land, that the temple will be rebuilt, the office of priest restored, the sacrifices reintroduced, the entire Mosaic ritual renewed in detail, then one should either take all of this literally or, if one cannot or dare not do that, should also understand the return to the Holy Land less literally and more spiritually. All too literal interpretation here would undermine the perfect and final character of the work of the Mediator.”

—— Vos, Geerhardus, and Richard Gaffin. *Reformed Dogmatics: Ecclesiology, the Means of Grace, Eschatology* – e-book, (Lexham Press, 2014), 1136.