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DAILY LENTEN MEDITATIONS

VICTORY OF FAITH

By a Journalist

Christian faith is an activity of the whole personality. The truth intellectually affirmed is accepted by the will, and provides the believer with a goal at which to aim. He surrenders himself to the truth which he has embraced, and tries to live out his creed.

Faith anticipates the future and finds in present experience assurance of the ultimate triumph of goodness. For the man of faith the eternal shines through the temporal, and he endures "as seeing him who is invisible." Thus faith is a perpetual prophecy of the consummation of goodness which God will effect in His own time. There is no contradiction between faith and reason; but faith goes beyond reason, moving in spiritual realms where proof is of another kind than logical demonstration.

Faith, again, seeks to create the spiritual values in whose ultimate supremacy it believes. It tries to practise what it preaches, and to show that it is possible to live a life of active cooperation with the Divine purposes. Where faith is living there will be manifested in the life the fruits of character which flow from surrender to God.

One of these fruits is patience. For faith takes the long view, and, however dark the immediate prospect, looks beyond it, it nurtures itself on past triumphs, and remembers how often what seemed to be a misfortune proved to be a blessing. Faith is tenacious; it holds on to its convictions and to tested spiritual purposes cannot fail. Sure of the firmness of its faith, it will not let it fear change, but will see in change

proof that God is a Living God. Our Lord spoke much of the need for faith. He meant by it both confidence in God and the temper of response to the Divine initiative. Faith for Him was the spirit of filial trust; the child trusting the Father and seeking to live the life of obedience. Where such faith exists God can use men as instruments of His purpose, reinforcing their natural endowment and quickening their spiritual life.

Christian faith looks back to the historical revelation given in Jesus Christ as the primary source of its inspiration. God then openly manifested His purpose of love, showed it in concrete operation on the field of history, and released fresh spiritual power for the uplifting of human life. What Christ taught about God supplies faith with some of its material for assurance; but more important is the sequence of events in the life of Christ Himself. This provides faith with its firmest ground of confidence, for Calvary was succeeded by Easter, the Ascension, and Pentecost. In the victory of the Saviour the Christian reads the promise of final victory. The Cross, apparently the instrument of defeat, proved itself to be the symbol of triumph.

The believer makes his own the story of that historic life, and tries to reproduce in himself its spirit and principles. His fellowship with God helps him to turn loss into gain. He keeps his faith alive by the recollection that there is but one road for Master and disciple, and that he is called on to cooperate with God in the carrying out of that great redemptive purpose whose object, as St. Paul says, is the summing up of all things in Christ. Such a triumph of faith will not let it fear change, but will see in change

ALBION CROSS SCHOOL

Report for the month of February:

Grade IX-1. Sara Nicholson; 2. Beatrice MacLean.

Grade V-1. Celia Riley.

Grade IV-4. Elma MacDonald; 2. Amelia MacDonald; 3. Mildred MacLean.

Grade II-1. Florence Matthews;

Gloria MacLean; 3. Forrest Riley.

Grade I-(Sr.) 1. John Acorn; 2. Lyman Acorn.

Grade I-(Jr.) 1. Stewart MacLean.

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GETTING IT WRONG

The man who decided to attend the church social of his old parish. The new vicar greeted his predecessor tearfully. "I'm very pleased to see you again," he said. "And is this your most charming wife?"

The other man had his host with an accusing stare. "This," he said reprovingly, "is my only wife."

Dorothy Dix Says— MEN OFTEN PAY DEARLY FOR THE FOLLIES OF PASSION You Cannot Tramp A Flower Into The Mud And Keep A Clean Conscience

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am one of the boys who persuaded a girl to prove her love by giving herself to him. Now I see how wrong I was and am burdened with remorse. Marriage is impossible as she is in early high school and I have further educational plans and, anyway, I do not think we ever could be happy together. Yet she loves me and clings to me and worries about losing me and is always asking if I am tired of her, and she knows that I am. I am too fond of her to continue to take advantage of the way she proved her love for me, but I can't bear to think of letting her go because I feel that in breaking down her resistance I will be responsible if she yields to future temptations. What can I do?

A HEAVY HEART

ANSWER—You cannot undo the wrong that you have done to yourself and the girl, but you can at least salvage this good out of your mistake and avoid remorse. You can make it a matter of honor to stand up to her and tell her that you are not going to see her again. I think nothing is more unfortunate than that men are taught from their youth up that in affairs with women that they can kiss and ride away and that it is only the woman who has to pay, and pay, and pay. It is true that both God and man have laid the heaviest penalty for breaking the moral law on woman. She pays the highest price, but the man who sins does not go scot-free either. He also must pay the price.

Sometimes, as in your case, he does it with his conscience, and that is blood money. As long as you live you will be haunted by the memory of something cruel and mean that you have done. Of a young girl's trust that you betrayed. Of a love you smirched. Of a gay life across which you laid a shadow that you cannot get rid of. Of a feeling as if you had trodden a white flower into the mud, or murdered some little helpless animal that groveled at your feet.

MAN DOESN'T ALWAYS ESCAPE

Some men pay for their follies by getting in entanglements with women that wreck their lives. When they try to break the bonds that some lady love has woven about them, they find that they cannot do it. They are held fast by tears, by entreaties, by threats of suicide, by the fear of scandal.

In one of his brilliant and ironic novels James Branch Cabell says that any husband of real ingenuity and tolerable patience can induce his wife to divorce him, but there is no known way of a man getting rid of a woman who has given him "the best years of her life." She sticks like a leech. And often she impoverishes him by blackmail, or drags him through the humiliation of a breach of promise suit.

And millions of men pay for their sins by disease and death.

But none of the penalties for a life of deliberate wrong-doing can be assessed against you. You have merely stumbled off the straight and narrow path and through your tears of repentance have climbed back on it again. So do not let your misadventure make you morbid by dwelling on it.

Do not think that you can atone to the girl by marrying her. That would only make a bad matter worse. You do not love her. You are both too young to marry. You have no way of supporting her. And it would blight both of your lives.

It is hard enough for a man to be a good husband when he loves his wife. When he doesn't love her and marries her only from a sense of duty, it is an impossible job. So the best and kindest thing you can do for her is just to part and go your separate ways. At her age she will soon forget.

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START LIFE IN YOUR OWN HOME

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—Here is the setup. I am engaged to a young man who is 28 years old. We are very congenial. He does not drink or smoke and his morals are good. He is usually thoughtful and kind. But he has a high temper and at times is not reasonable. He cannot learn to take the consequences of his mistakes and becomes angry and mean when he is thwarted. Now this is the problem: He is buying a six room house, which is at present occupied by his sister, a young married couple, a girl boarder, a young man boarder and my fiancé. These six people live as one family. All work except the young married woman who keeps house under the detailed instruction of his sister. My fiancé wants me to live in this house when we marry without changing the setup at all. That would make seven in the six room house. He wishes me to continue working. I make \$30 a week and he makes \$60. After we have saved for a few years (very vague), then go to ourselves. He wants me to give up my comfortable apartment, where I have a peaceful happy life with my mother who caters to me, and share his room in this overcrowded house, where because of my status as his wife I would be expected to do much of the work under his sister's direction. We could amply afford a home of our own and I dread the thought of going into all of this confusion. Also, I believe that if possible a young married couple should spend their first year or two alone. What do you think about it? Do you agree with me that it would be foolish to go into this with my eyes open, or do you think I am very lucky to be offered so much by such a fine man?

A READER.

ANSWER—Perhaps your fiancé is one of the men who likes to live in crowds and to whom custom and noise and disorder mean nothing and to whom a desire for privacy is just a curious fad that some cranks have. Otherwise it is impossible to imagine him taking his bride to live in a place that is already over crowded, in which they would not have room to change their minds, to say nothing of having space in which to change their clothes, and in which everything they did and thought and said would be overheard and commented on.

Whatever other good qualities the young man has, delicacy of perception and consideration for you are lacking. And you must be overwhelmingly in love with him to even consider marrying him.

THE COOK'S CORNER

FROZEN APPLESAUCE RELISH

1 cup sieved applesauce
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon granulated gelatine
1 cup sweet cider
3-4 cup brown sugar
1-4 teaspoon cinnamon
1-8 teaspoon cloves
1-8 teaspoon nutmeg

Combine the sieved applesauce and the lemon juice. Place 1 tablespoon cider in a small dish and sprinkle the gelatine over this, allowing to stand for about 5 minutes. Add the brown sugar to the remaining cider along with the spices. Heat to the boiling point, then add the soaked gelatine and stir until this is dissolved. Add to the applesauce mixture and cool. Now pour into a freezing tray of the refrigerator and chill until firm. Freeze with cold control turned to fast freezing, and when the relish is firm, turn cold control half-way back to the usual temperature.

CARAMEL ROLLS

2 cups sifted flour
3 teaspoon baking powder
1-2 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons shortening
3-4 cup milk
Butter, brown sugar, cinnamon

Sift flour, baking powder and salt together. Cut shortening into the flour mixture to consistency of coarse meal. Add milk to make a soft dough. Turn out on pastry cloth or floured board and knead gently or fold and pat out several times. Roll out in a rectangular sheet about 1-4 inch thick. Spread with butter, brown sugar and cinnamon. Roll up jelly-roll fashion. Cut in slices 3-4 inch thick. Place each slice out side down into muffin pans that have been prepared as follows: In each muffin cup put 1 teaspoon butter 1 teaspoon brown sugar and 1-4 teaspoon water. Bake rolls in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 15 to 20 minutes. Let stand in pan 1 minutes. Makes about 16 rolls.

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Living & Leisure The Woman's Realm

ATTAINMENT

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RIBBONS AND LACES TO FRESHEN FROCKS

Freshen your frock with gathered velvet or silk ribbon. Stitch it along the shoulder seams and down the tops of the sleeves (from the wrong side). Make a "dressy" belt of wide, matching ribbon, and edge it with a gathered rill of the narrow ribbon. Laces can be easily applied on to the collar and cuffs which are shabby or to lighten a dark dress. Afterwards, cut away the underneath material.

GAY ROCK GARDEN YOU EASILY CAN MAKE

Flowers Bloom Among Rocks

A charming little rock garden—with its woody plants and miniature boulders. Make it in any corner of your yard where the sun shines half a day. Just set rocks firmly in soil as the diagram shows, tilting them slightly for drainage. If you have no suitable slope, it's easy to build one yourself with alternate layers of rocks and soil.

For an appealing natural effect in your rock garden, plant ground ivy where it will trail over tops of rocks. Let veronicas, forget-me-nots and primroses nestle in the crevices between.

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