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## THE WORD OF GOD;

By Cardinal Gibbons

Cardinal Gibbons preached in the Cathedral, Brooklyn, Sunday his monthly sermon. His subject was "The Word of God." The Cardinal said in the course of his sermon:

Let us suppose that one of those brave soldiers now fighting in the trenches in Europe was to receive a personal letter from his King or Emperor, in which His Majesty commended the soldier's heroism, sympathized with him on account of the wounds he bore for his country's sake and promised, when the war was over, to proclaim and reward his valor. With what delight and exultation would the soldier treasure up the letter in his breast; with what complacency would he contemplate his scars as so many trophies of victory and with what eagerness would he renew the conflict for his country's honor.

Now, brethren, each of you is a soldier fighting in the trenches. You are all engaged in fierce conflict. The inspired declaration of Job is not required to convince you that "the life of man upon earth is a warfare." Your own experience confirms it. And you have wounds as well as the brave soldier who has been wounded in the wounds of physical suffering. You have the hidden wounds of some secret sorrow. You have the wounds of bereavement for the loss of a cherished relative or friend. You have the glorious scar of a transgression that has healed by repentance and confession—an honorable scar, which ennobles your soul just as the scars on Christ's hands and feet ennobled His sacred humanity. And as a soldier in the trenches had a message from his King, so have you a message from His Imperial Majesty, Christ the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords. Every word of comfort or of promise that Christ spoke in His gospels contains a message for you or has an application to you. He had you in His mind when He said, "Learn of me that I am meek and humble of heart; and you shall not be persecuted and you shall say all that is evil against you. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven." He thought of you when He said, "If any man love me, he shall be loved by my father, and we will come and make our abode with him. He who loveth me when He said, "In my father's house there are many mansions. I go to prepare a place for you, that when I am you also may be." And He sends you this message of good cheer while you are still fighting in the trenches: that is, while you are still in the life of "To him that overcometh I will give to eat of the tree of life which is the paradise of God."

Now, my brethren, if we seriously and soberly believe that God speaks to us through the gospel, why is it that the perusal and the hearing of it Sunday after Sunday makes no salutary impression on so many of us? The first obstacle to the salutary influence of a sermon may arise from an unconscious prejudice against the preacher himself. He may be regarded as uncleanly in manner; he may be criticized for want of plainness of speech, or he may be despised because of his youth and inexperience; or what is worse, his sacred character may be overlooked in his humble exterior. In fact, Christ Himself did not escape the shaft of adverse criticism. He was despised by some of His hearers on account of His lowly origin and vocation, and because He was not regarded as a man of letters. He had not studied in the chief schools of the Jewish rabbis. "Is not this the carpenter," they said, "the son of Mary, and the brother of James and Joseph?" And if the Master was scorned, we need not be surprised that St. Paul was treated with contempt. Some of the Corinthians said of him that he was diminutive in stature and contemptible in speech. And yet this is the same Paul that swayed multitudes converted to his faith, and made rulers tremble on their thrones.

Your first duty then when you come to hear the word of God, is to put yourself in touch with the speaker and to be in harmony and sympathy with him, and to regard him as he really is—the minister of Christ and the dispenser of the mysteries of God. Provided the wine is good, you should not care whether it is presented to you in a golden or pewter goblet. The wine which St. Paul miraculously made from water at the marriage feast of Cana was carried and served in stone jars. The hungry pilgrim gratefully receives the food offered whether presented by a coarse or refined hand. The Holy Scripture tells us that the Prophet Elias was nourished in the desert with food by an angel. And Church history informs us that St. Paul, the first hermit, was fed by a raven in the wilderness of Egypt. Now, though there is an immense distance between an angel and a bird, the bread which the raven supplied to Paul was as nutritious as the food the angel served to Elias. The food of the word of God is as nutritive to your soul when furnished by the humblest of God's servants as if it were offered by an angel.

Now, my brethren, the words of Christ are your treasures, far more precious than gold or silver or precious stones; we are but the pack-horses that carry it to you. "We bear this treasure in earthen vessels," Christ the Lord is the living fountain of grace; He is the delicious wine that cheers your hearts. We are but the channels by which it is conveyed to your souls. He is "the Bread of life that cometh down from Heaven." We are the ministers that serve the food to you. He is the Shepherd of your souls. We are but the shepherds that call His sheep together. Our words sounding in the pulpit are but the feeble echo of the voice of the Spirit of God that purified the apostle on the day of Pentecost.

There are many found, in our days, who regularly attend the House of God, who listen with attention any sensible, holy joy to the sacred truths that are announced. They admit that the solemn declarations of Christ's ambassador against dishonesty, intemperance, immorality are strictly true and cannot be denied, and under the influence of these convictions they occasionally make some efforts to confront their lives to the standard of the Gospel. But, unfortunately, the words they had heard did not take deep root in their hearts. The seed of the Gospel was choked by the cares and riches of pleasures of life. The evil Spirit, the Father of lies, is on the alert, ready to seize the first opportunity to snatch like a bird of prey, the newly planted seed from the souls of his victims. He insinuates to them that the exhortation they heard in applicable only to persons advanced in life; that it is too soon for them to renounce the pleasures of sin; that they must enjoy life for some time longer; that they must pluck some more flowers from the garden of sensual delights, and that later on they will have ample leisure for repentance and moral reformation. While you are young and vigorous, suck the orange and throw the rind in the face of God in your old age.

The apostle St. James, in the Epistle of today, describes by an admirable comparison those persons who do not profit by the sermons they hear. "Be ye doers of the Word," he says, "and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves: for if a man be a hearer of the Word and not a doer, he is like to a man beholding his natural countenance in a glass. For he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, but forgetteth what manner of man he was."

Are not these some of you present to whom these words of the apostle can justly apply? Do you not admit that the description which the apostle gives to the sinner exactly fits yourselves? Do you not acknowledge that the picture is well drawn, and that every scene is a stroke portraying some feature in your character? And yet you have not the courage or the resolution to remove the deformity it points out in your conscience nor to wash away the stain from your soul. Now can you imagine, my brethren, that God will be satisfied finding that, after having heard so many exhortations, you manifest as yet so slight a moral improvement; that, after so much seed is sown in your hearts, He discovers so little fruit of sanctification; that, after so much grace is lavished on you, there is so small progress in your spiritual life? For, remember that every sermon you hear is a special grace, and that every grace abused is a crime. God will not be content with so scanty a harvest, for He declares to us by the prophet Isaiah that His seed shall not return to Him void, but as the grain of blingeth forth seed to the sower so shall His word bring forth fruit in our hearts.

Some enter the Church of God as they walk into a theatre and listen to the sermon as they would hear the declamation of an actor on the stage. The preacher tickles their ears, excites their imaginations, or indulges their hearts, they express themselves as highly entertained. But if, on the contrary, he tells them some wholesome, unpalatable truths, if he puts them in mind of their faults with a view to correcting them, they grow uneasy and chafe under the ordeal, and they say of themselves, "I hate him, for he doth not prophesy good to me, but evil."

That sermon, my brethren, is the most profitable, indeed, that sermon is alone worthy of the name, which enlightens our minds and warms our hearts on spiritual things, which arouses in us the love of God and of our neighbor and which inspires us with a hatred and contempt of ourselves. King Louis XIV of France had listened to a great many discourses from courtier prelates. But there was one man, Massillon, Bishop of Clermont. He always spoke to the King with the freedom and authority with which Nathan spoke to David. One day Louis remarked: "When I hear some other preacher, I am pleased with the speaker; but when I listen to Massillon I am displeased with myself."

Oh that the Holy Spirit would burn my lips with His sacred fire as He burned the mouth of Isaiah with a burning coal, that I might brand on your hearts the saving gospel of Christ. Would to God that the Lord would inspire me so to speak, and inspire you to hear, that you should all be filled with a compunction of the multitude that listened to John the Baptist in the desert, and cry out with them: "What shall I do to be saved?" Pilgrims will visit the Holy Land once sanctified by the footprints of Our Blessed Redeemer. They will carry away with them some little particles of the clay of that city and preserve them as precious relics. Carry home with you from the temple, which is more holy than Judea, for the Lord is here, carry with you some of the words spoken here which are more efficacious to quicken your devotion than the lifeless clay of Jerusalem.

Perhaps you will complain in your hearts that we are habitually talking to you of a future life and of the kingdom of heaven which you have never seen. Why don't you speak to us, you will say, of the things of this world with which we are familiar? Now, brethren, are you not talking every day about Europe, about the Balkan provinces, about Russia and Poland, of Germany and Austria, of England and France, and Belgium—do you expect to see? Don't you study the maps of these countries during the progress of the present war? And if it is not out of place for you to talk of countries that you have never seen or will see, is it not reasonable for us to discourse to you on heaven, which you hope to see and to make your permanent abode? Is it not proper that we should dilate on its geography, as far as it has been revealed to us; of its glorious city, its life-giving rivers, its citizens and its perennial joys?

When the children of Israel were exiles in captivity in Babylon, they were constantly thinking of their beloved Jerusalem. "Upon the rivers of Babylon we wept when we remembered Zion," Borch the prophet was sent to them to read to them the law of God. And when they heard the law they wept and fasted and prayed before the Lord. You study the children of Israel, you are still separated from your heavenly Jerusalem and exiles in the Babylon of this world. And God sends you an apostle in the person of His minister to communicate to you the glad tidings of redemption.

Listened to with compunction, and an increased yearning for your true home. And I pray that God who refreshes the earth with the early and latter rains may enrich your souls with the dew of heavenly grace, so that you may hear the word of God in patience and bring forth fruit an hundredfold.

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Baby Bate.

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Baby Martin.

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