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## Religion and Life

By Very Rev. George C. Pidgeon, D.D., L.L.D.  
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"Calvary Day and Easter Day. Earth's saddest day and gladdest day are just one day apart."

St. Paul writes: "If when we were enemies, we were reconciled to God by the death of His Son, much more, being reconciled, shall we be saved by His life." (Romans 5:10) "By His life!" Then Jesus is alive. He was crucified; He was buried in a rock-hewn tomb and its entrance sealed and guarded by armed soldiers; but He rose from the dead. The stone which closed the tomb, the swords of the guards, even the grave-clothes which bound His body could no longer imprison the risen and glorified conqueror of Death. Peter, in commenting on this fact, said in one breath that Death could not hold Him down and in the next breath that God could not let Him be held down and raised Him from the dead. We have just been singing the Easter hymns and joining in the Easter gladness, but under all that Easter means to the modern world is this solid fact that Jesus, the representative of our race, broke the bonds of sin and death on our behalf.

What a stupendous conception it is—life, not death is the ultimate destiny of men! What a stupendous realization it is as it comes home to us one by one that we are involved in His victory! Back of this foundation fact of the victory of the Lord of Life is the rock on which it rests—God and man reconciled through His death. The basis of the new life is the new relationship established by Christ's sacrifice for us. Do not let us here get into any discussion of the How and Why of the Atonement. Enough for us here that the Son of God identified Himself with men in their struggle Godward, going the full length with us in bearing our sins, with the result that we may be identified with Him in His victory. This implies a living Saviour who both delivers us from the evil we have brought on ourselves and gives us eternal life.

Often we hear people laughing at those zealous ones who ask those whom they meet, "are you saved?" Nevertheless there is a sublime reality behind the simple query: it implies that there is One standing by who is ready to do everything for you and in you that is necessary for your salvation. He is ready to act now and what He does now stands forever.

There is always an element of rescue in that idea of "saving" men. A missionary was once trying to bring this idea home to the hearts

of an African tribe, but for weeks he could not find in their language a word to express it. No amount of inquiry could get that word out of them. One night he was sitting with a group of natives around a camp-fire, when an old hunter began to tell of the way he had once rescued a boy from a lion. The missionary was on the alert at once, watching for the word he wanted, but the story ended without it. He was just sinking back into his usual discouragement, when the old man added reflectively: "Yes, I saved him." The missionary sprang to his feet, exclaiming: "This is what I have been trying to tell you all these weeks—Jesus has saved us. Just as this man saved the lad from the lion of the Son of God has saved us from sin and death."

The New Testament doctrine of salvation is broader and deeper far than any such illustration, and yet there is in it the truth that Christ takes our part, and, by getting into the conflict on our side, uses His might on our behalf. He does deliver all who trust Him from every evil that can threaten them. He is waiting at this moment to do for each what He has made possible for all.

This fact bears directly on the needs that we feel personally. A reader of this column has just written us to tell of complete emancipation through Christ from the slavery of evil habit. There is nothing more direct and forceful in the New Testament than Christ's offer of effective help in our fight against temptation, whether the temptation is in our own desires or from the outside. He is the mighty to save. But this same deliverance reaches out to death, sin's hateful progeny. With many of us the death of some close friend has changed the whole world for us. Death had previously taken many others from our sight without making any deep impression, but when this companion was taken, a connection there was formed which changed radically our outlook on both the present and the future. At this point the Easter message comes home to our hearts. Because Christ lives our friend lives in Him. We too shall live in Him. Did not Jesus say, "Because I live, ye shall live also?"

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## Island Odds And Ends

Though winter may be lingering in the lap of spring, the business horizon looks clear and sunny, according to the forecast of Messrs. Paul Gallant and Art Peters who operate the Eastern Packers plant in Souris.

The Souris Company packs lobsters, chicken haddie, clams, beef, chicken, strawberries, all in their season, and so say the partners, there is a market for everything they pack either in Upper Canada or Newfoundland. They have at times shipped to South America. Buying power for their products has not diminished in the slightest. Mr. Gallant states, and the company could easily have sold much more of all types of food than it packed last year. The demand indeed, was excellent and the trend looks every bit as good this year. Even chicken haddie, which because of poor quality brands dumped into Ontario several years ago by careless packers, suffered a black eye, was again in demand in 1949 and Eastern Packers sold many hundreds of cases of it.

The partners are strong on strawberries for which they found a market in Newfoundland for all they could pack. They believe that any farmer who cuts his potato average a bit and puts some land in strawberries would be making a wise and profitable venture. Mr. Peters explained that our strawberries are the last to ripen and can be sold in the American market at their best, after other berries have been harvested. The Island crop can be transported in refrigerator trucks to New England in prime condition where they are building a good reputation for quality and flavor. The left-over strawberries can be canned say Messrs. Gallant and Peters and sold without any trouble. They are confident there is a future in the berry trade, and that if the Island acreage is built up and good market relations established, Island farmers will not be so dependent on the fluctuations in the price of a bushel of potatoes.

Thirty-five people are employed at present, all of them busy as beavers canning chicken. Under the registered trade name "Eastpak" several thousand cases of the young birds are rapidly being put up before the lobster season arrives. The chicken are brought here from Western Canada and every lot is looked over very carefully by a government inspector who never leaves the plant while canning is underway. This is not only a protection for the public but also to the plant operators, who realize the necessity of proper inspection.

By May 10th when lobster fishermen start hauling traps, the present staff of thirty-five at Eastern Packers will have jumped to eighty, and the well-equipped plant will bustle with activity. A good proportion of these will be women, but whether women or men, all are clad in clean smocks or aprons, and the canning rooms are kept extremely clean and wholesome. Large cold storage rooms make it easy to maintain the highest standards of sanitation. Until recently the offices of Eastern Packers were maintained in a building separate from the plant but a short while ago rookey quarters were built on the second floor of the packing establishment, rounding out an efficient lay-out.

Another Island product which the partners believe will compete successfully in New England markets, thanks to refrigerated motor trucks is fresh cod filets. These filets are quickly absorbed by New Englanders always provided they reach the States fresh and well-prepared. The only obstacle in sight is trucking regulations which might cut the profits as to kill the initiative of shippers. Given the right incentive however, the filet trade has bright prospects, the opinion of these two experienced shippers. If draggers become common, fishing out of Island harbors such as Souris, the fish they bring to port will be grist for the machines which turn out Eastpak canned goods. Neither Mr. Gallant nor Mr. Peters have any fear that their introduction will be anything but beneficial to the Island fishing industry.

They have noted cannily that three or four draggers were placed in service at Caraquez, New Brunswick, a few years ago, and by 1949 nineteen were in commission, and this year the number will be twenty-four. If the New Brunswick fishing centre thinks enough of draggers to build such a fleet, the Souris men figure that the financial returns must justify the large outlay of money.

As to depleting the fishing grounds, the partners scoffed at the suggestion as absurd. There are banks in the Gulf of St. Lawrence they say which have never been fished and even the famous Grand Banks off Newfoundland have been worked over for more than a hundred years by scores of vessels of all types without making much dent in the yearly yield. Nor did they believe there was much danger to inshore fishing tackle since no one with a thirty-thousand dollar fishing boat is going to risk her pattering around inshore, and take chances of lo-

## THE CENTRAL GUARDIAN

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**THE PUBLIC** are cordially invited by the P. E. I. Teachers' Federation to attend the lecture by Dr. M. M. Goady, and the musical program by Stan Lancaster's Male Chorus, this Tuesday evening in Prince of Wales College auditorium at 8.00.

### Personals

Mrs. Charles Gavin has returned to her home after spending the past week in Charlottetown Hospital.

Birthdays congratulations to Dr. J. D. MacGuigan, M.D., Charlottetown, P.E.I., who was 71 on Good Friday.

Mrs. Leigh Kennedy is convalescing in the Prince Edward Island Hospital after undergoing a serious operation last Tuesday.

ling her, when it is safer and more profitable to fish farther out to sea.

Brimful of optimism as they are, Messrs. Gallant and Peters believe that a small fish-meal plant would be a paying enterprise for anyone with the initiative to establish one. There are many fish around Island coasts which would go into this kind of animal and chicken food which at present go to waste. They mentioned the millions of Silversides as one species of high protein content which could be utilized in fish meal.

It is not hard to realize what an asset the Eastern Packing Company is to a town like Souris and to the whole of Eastern Kings. The company not only gives employment to many people practically the year round, it buys the catch of large numbers of fishermen, gives extra employment to truckers, is a large buyer of fishing and other supplies, and in general tones up the whole community through its push and drive.

Some of its ventures have struck a snag once in a while but reverses have been overcome and the company carries on confidently profiting from lessons learned. Any Islander who tends to be gloomy about the future sale of island products will lose his pessimism after a visit to Eastern Packers. To prove that they have faith in their own convictions they go right on canning foods, day-in, day-out, certain that a market is ready to take anything they offer for sale. Their optimism is inspiring.

Tignish is said to be in need of a doctor and it is understood one is available in Europe if his entry to Canada is approved. The medico in question is a Yugo-Slav, who will not return to his native land because of Communism and Tito.

For about five years Dr. Danilo has been working for the International Relief Organization in various hospitals operated by that body. He is a dentist as well as a qualified medical practitioner. Following his graduation from Zagreb University in Yugo-Slavia, he spent several years in a dental college and acquired an extra degree. He has also taken further medical studies in Italy. He has a close personal friend in this province, in Mr. Dusan Rozman, a former commander in the Yugo-Slav navy, a graduate civil engineer, and now employed in the Dominion Public Works Dept., Charlottetown, in the office of Superintendent W. H. Miller.

Dr. Danilo was attracted to the Island by Mr. Rozman who has made many friends in Charlottetown and likes our province and people. Mr. Rozman is a skillful chess player and an intimate friend of Mr. Charles Toombs, well-known Charlottetown wholesaler grocer and a keen student of chess.

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## IN MEMORIAM

MR. CHARLES E. AYERS

The citizens of Wellington and surrounding districts were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Charles E. Ayers, who passed away at his home in Wellington Centre on March 14 at the age of 68 years. Although in failing health for the past three years his health had somewhat improved and he was able to be about daily. His death was unexpected at this time and came as a great shock to his family.

During his illness he was frequently visited by his pastor, Rev. Leonard McDonald who administered to him the last rites of the Roman Catholic Church of which he was a faithful member. Left to mourn the passing of a kind and loving father are the following daughters and sons (Pearl), Mrs. Ralph McLellan at home; (Edwin), Mrs. Fred J. McDonald, Wellington; Rev. Leonard Ayers, parish priest at St. Charles, P. E. I.; Bertram at home; Hubert, Vancouver, B. C.; Emmett, student at St. Dunstan's University, also one sister, Mrs. Margaret Crooker, Roxbury, Mass. and one brother, Joseph, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

The funeral service which was largely attended was held at the Immaculate Conception Church, Wellington, where Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by his son Rev. Leonard Ayers, with Rev. Urban Gillis (his former pastor) as Deacon and Rev. Thomas Butler as sub-Deacon. Rev. Charles Gallant and Rev. Eugene Murray as master of ceremonies. Occupying seats in the Sanctuary were the following clergy: Rev. Martin Monaghan, Rev. Leonard McDonald, Rev. J. D. Kelly, Rev. John McLeod, Rev. W. D. McDonald, Rev. Michael Rooney, Rev. J. D. McNeill, Rev. George McDonald, Rev. John Buote, Rev. Joseph LeClair.

He was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery beside his beloved wife, the former Isabel Goodwin who predeceased him seventeen years ago. Rev. Leonard Ayers officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were: Frank I. Gallant, Emmett McNeill, Ebba Praught, Emmanuel Steele, Emile Arsenault, and James Condon.

## IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Mrs. Glenn Waddell, who passed away April 11th, 1948.

Tonight the stars are gleaming  
On a lonely silent grave,  
Where one we loved lies sleeping  
Not very far away.

Years may wipe out many things  
But this they wipe out never  
The memories of those happy days  
When we were all together

Always Remembered by -Husband  
and Daughters.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the Doctors, Nurses and Staff of the P. E. Island Hospital for the many acts of kindness shown to me while a patient there for five months. I wish also to thank the Ministers, relatives and kind friends who visited me, and brought or sent flowers, fruit, lunches, confectionery and other gifts; also the many friends from far and near who sent letters and cards. My sincere appreciation to all.

Mrs. Boswell Jenkins,  
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## Card Of Thanks

Mrs. J. E. Ready, Charlottetown, wish to thank the Charlottetown Hospital, Doctor and Nurses; also friends and neighbours and all who sent Mass Cards, Flowers, Cards of Sympathy, etc.

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## IN MEMORIAM

MRS. C. TUPPER FERGUSON

The many friends of Mrs. C. Tupper Ferguson, Marshfield, were shocked to learn of her sudden passing on February 18th, at the P. E. Island Hospital after a few days illness.

Mabel Louise Enman was born in Pownal where she lived (with the exception of two winters spent in Ottawa) until her marriage to Mr. Ferguson in June, 1949. After her brother's death she patiently and tenderly cared for her invalid mother for the several years she was spared as well as taking care of her sister Ethel, to whom she continued to minister until to within a few days previous to her own death, being a faithful attendant at her sister's bedside in the Sanatorium where Ethel is a patient.

Mabel was a valued member of Pownal United Church, the W.M.S. and Choir and was always willing to help with her talents when circumstances permitted. Mabel possessed fine qualities of mind and heart, had a keen sense of humor and was of a bright, cheery nature. It has been said by those who knew her best that a frown was never seen on Mabel's face.

The funeral at Dunstaffnage United Church was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Douglas. Many beautiful flowers paid tribute to her memory.

The pallbearers were: Almon Wood, Lorne Scott, Wylie Gibson, Ambrose MacMillan, Charles Jones and Wilbur Jones.

The heartfelt sympathy of many friends goes out to the bereaved husband as well as to her sister Ethel (Mrs. MacDonald) in the Provincial Sanatorium.

"They are not dead who live in hearts they leave behind. In those whom they have blessed They live a life again, And shall live through the years."

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