

Lent.

The following quaint poem on Lent is one of the productions of George Herbert, the religious poet of the seventeenth century.

The humble soul composed of love and fear Begins at Home and lays the burden there

When doctrines disagree; He says in things which use hath justly got

The Christian should be glad of an occasion To use their temperance seeking no occasion

Yet Lord, instruct us to improve our fast By starving sin and taking such repast

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One lady said to another: "Have you been at church to-day? We had a most beautiful sermon on training children."

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