

Religion and Life

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THE SUPREME EXPERIENCE

A generation ago there was an English scholar who could not bow to his church's decrees. As a consequence he was subject to severe criticism for both his attitude and his conclusions. After one such barrage of criticism he wrote to a friend: "What a relief it is that strange man upon His Cross who drives one back again and again."

Twelve, confessed that Jesus was the Messiah. To this Jesus gave two answers. First if this be so, it means the Cross for me. The greatest word ever spoken followed. "The Son of Man must suffer."

Strange because of the difference between Him and others who shared His fate. They were men of violence and enemies of men. Strange because that society could not have been forced upon Him. What He said the world knows to have been true: "No man takes (my life) from me, but I lay it down of my own accord."

Jesus added a second saying to this effect: If I am the Messiah, for my followers it means the crucified life. As His illustration He used the Roman custom of compelling the condemned to carry his own cross to the place of execution. He said: "If any man would come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it; and whoever loses his life for my sake and the Gospels will save it."

Jesus made this requirement definite and binding. In the Gospel of Mark, chapter 8 and verses 27-31 there are sayings of incomparable significance. At Caesarea Philippi, Peter, in the name of the

Here each person's cross is the instrument of self-cultivation. In Christ's service self must no longer be the centre and object of one's interest and endeavor; Christ must be all in all. Further, this investment of self in Christ's cause is the only way to one's own self-development. The man who lives for self dwarts his own soul.

CATTLE JUDGE

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