

I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVETH

Easter has changed death from the Warden of a darla dungeon, to the Porter at the gateway of life, by changing the grave to which we pass to destruction to a portal throuch which we pass to immortality.
To die is not deteat but victory, not destruction but coronation. So death is not a skeleton with a scythe, but an angel with a crown.

Jesus awoke a new world into being when He rose from the lead. He showed that death was not an aecident nor an end, but part of the wellordered plan of God. Life passes to higher levels by transitions which we call death. The seed, the buch, the flower, the fruit and back to seed again, throngh many deaths of form, but not of essence, is God's eycle of hatural life.
But spiritnal life, not the life we have, but the life we are, has no cycles like the seed. There is to it one grand, straight, upivard, outward leap to God. The first Easter was spring time for the soul. The long winter of the race which looked and hoped for better things forever passed when Jesus rose from the tomb with dieath conquered and transfigured and its keys hanging from His girdle.
"Man, thon shart revor die," became a universal sonm; for Jesus, who is Himself the resurrection and the life, said, "Becanse I live ye slatl live also." Paul says, "For if we be planted in the likeness of his death, we shall be also in the likeness of his resurrection . . for if we be dead with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him."
But Easter means more than the mere victory over death.

It means a higher citizenship in a roomier miverse. We are now the citizens of this little earth, loat the higher citizenship in the kingdom of spirit is undomed and mhorizoned. There the unfettered soul can forever spread itself on boundless good, without the dead weight of mortality to hinder it. The soul will no longer be combered with small ideas and tiresome activities. Money, fame, pleasure, place, power will give way to truth, virtue, righteonsness and love,
those master graces and powers which the household. Nothing that is here are the characteristics of Got. Faster is the pledge of these for us.
Caster means a living, reigning Christ. We are not under the sentiment of Sin's Victim on Calvary, but under the dominion of Sin's Conqueror, who died, but is alive forever more.


He is with us now and we shatl be with Him, after earth's life is done, foreres:
A New Kingdom and a New King, ${ }^{a}$ Spiritual Citizenslip and a Living Christ come to us as the pledge of Easter:

## MOTHERS' VILTUES PUT ON RECORD

No finer tribute to fembine graces is contanined in the Bible than that recorled in the thirty-first chapter of
 ing that of those fumbanental ing tribute to wifehood and mother- things that constitnte the strength amm hood. "The heart of her lusband doth sanctity of home life. It is demonstrasately trust in her; she will do him ble that the homes of a mation hare goon and not evil all the days of her the power of making or mamaking it. life." Of her mufailing derotion to They either exalt its standards on deher household the writer says: "Her base them. They either contribute t" candle goeth not ont by night; she the wholesomeness of onr social life stretcheth ont her hand to the poor: or thy gravely impair it. Indeed the yet, she reacheth forth her hand to the home stambirds affect for good or ill poor: yeat, she reacheth forth her every plase of our enrporate life. Sio himls to the neety." "She looketh home liveth to itselt. Wo are living well to the wats of her honsehold and in an age in which the duties and enteth not the bread of illeness." Lit- privileges of women have hem infinithe wonder is it that her children tely boodened. They are equal "arise up and call her blessed; her sharers with the men of the nation in hushand also, and he praiseth her." it its large concerns and opportmities. $i$ a lofty conception of the mother of They hase to do with the making of

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policies and the shaping of national ideals. All this shonh make for wreater refinment and wholesomess in all that concerns onr well-being.

## Mother's Responsibilities

If thesc new privileges ated opporfunities netract in my wise from the tigh chams amb responsibilities that peculiarly belong to mother life and mother influence, they must uttimately work disaster. No social orenpations, no intulgence in those things that consom the state and the mation, may be subsituted for those holier responsibilities that have to dos wint home and samily life. The greatest trust that Gorl has committed to His chixlmon is that which is given to the mother of the hensehola. She, more thas afl sthers, determines the moral worth shat strength of our domestic ami soeial life. To her hands is given the incompanable privilege of shaping the characters of her children. The moral amb epiritual ideals of thr nation, as a whole tre hargels detmomed by its: mothers and they must contime to be the ghamian of its rhamoder


## THE CHILDREN'S CORNER

It was the usual church service. The front seats were filled by the children, wating engerly for their part of the service-a children's sermon by the pastor. As the first hymn was sung, you might have seen the children look- i ing here and there about the pulpit ming to disenver the object to he used for their message on this particular day. Yes, there were always objects of variens kinds-jars, kites, frogs, and one time a baby lion-each telling a story for the boys and girls.

But on this Sunday, not a single object conld be seen, andi as the pastor came forward, he carried no interesting object in his hands. But. he was net the kind of a pastor who would disappoint the chiddren, so he began:
Boys and girls, tolay I am going to tell yon about the Little Preacher"and his hand went into his pocket to bring ont the Little Preacher. Now is fount in His Book, the Bible some what do yen think the Little Preacher Lolk try to change this wonderful meswas? It could not be very big, to be sage by adding to it, or by taking from fonnd in the pastor's poeket, conld it? it, hut God wants messengers like the Ant you are right, the Little Proacher Little Preacher, who take the message was surely very, very small, even the exactly as it is written anywhere. He begs and girls on the frome seats conld sends, whether to Africa, China, or the hardly see it, as the pastor held ap a hometiond.
white envelope, bearing in the cormer the Little Preacher.

Now you bave all gacsode the Lit ter sor He Prather was a postage stamp. But moved away, the letter is readdressed, how condd a little postage stamp ever and the liftle postage stamp contimpes be callet a moacher? You must listen its work of locating the person. It to what has pastor robld the chibltren never stops mitil the person is found. Hath sumtiay motaing:
-This tittle postage stamp is made lope it stays put, telling us that we important, hoys and gitls. by the shomld stay in the place where it has imate it bears. This stamp boars the piensed the Lord ilesins to puif us.
image of ow first President, feorge "Surely by bow you ate convinced Washington. Jes, before this little that the postage stamp bas been called stamp was perer ready to be of ase to by its right name-the little lreachany one. it had to have inf image er. Get a postage stamp, boys and stamped on it. Then it was mally to kirls, and let it speak to your"


# Christ changeth all things . . . .men mas 

This interesting bit from the missionary journeys of Paul is a marvelous example of how Christ changes people when He comes into their lives. Pinl stayed longer in Ephesus than anywhere else in all his trasels. Two things account for this: First, it was a most important city; second, the interest. remained intense.

At first, we see Panl in the synagogne, as was his custom. "To the Jew first" was his watchword. For three months, we find him preaching boldly, but when he saw that "divers were harclened," he was wise enough to realize that it was best no longer to "cast peurls before swine." Hence, Paul set an example of wise withdrawal as well as brave pertinacity when he left the synagogne with its umblieving critical hearers. Notice, 100 , the accusation. spake evil of that way." This ex sion "the way" occurs often in the nllell Lord Jesus Christ conld so move Acts. Ohrist truly is "the way," the and compel folk to make such ont amm only "way," the "way everlasting."

It took courage to rent a school, or hire a house from a plibosopher, but this is what Paul clit, to the horror', no doubt, of the rabis. It was a complete breaking with the synagogne and a bold appeal to the heathen public.

Wonderful results followed. Special miracles were wrought. Sick were healed, and evil spirits were cast out. The best of all, thongh, is the fact stated in verse 17 , "The name of the Lord Jesus was magnified." When Christ is exalted, blessed results always follow, and transformations occur. So we are not surprised when we read: "And many that believol came, and confessed, and showed their deeds. Many of them also which used curious atts brought their books together and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, and

"It was without axceplion the mosi eurions and interesting spectacle I ever beheld. I conla not have believed how wide was the difference between savage and civilized man. Viewing such men as the Fuegian converts, one can hardly make oneself helieve that thoy are fellow creatures and inhabitants of the same word. The success of the mission is most wonderfal and chatms me, as I ulways prophosied utter fatlure. I conld mot hate believed that all the missionarles in the world conde have mate the Fuenians homest. The mission is a grand snceess."

Bishop Lambath writes thas of the trunsforming power of the gospel in Congo, It is eyewitness testimony to the mibaculons change wrought by Christ on those who a few sThey found it: fifly thonsand pieces of sil- rears bofore were saviges and often camilals:
"A mere hamdful of white and colored . . . missionaries hare gathered abont them 8,000 earuest Christians, and ont of this number 3.000 teachers and evangelists. who, while they themselfes are monder thaning, hate daty mater instroction thomsands of chilat ren and grown people. Not one ordaned preather as pot, and 200 of the force of 300 self-sulporting! These mell we Christian selool teachers. They know God. I ramely hate heard such prayers. They hate leamed how In talk with God, and with a devourness of spitit which is marvelons they are leating the perople in the way of truth and right living. Thituk of :300 thrning ont erery morning of the yont for a six oblock praver meeting! Think of a semi-cibede of praver meetings al. Laplo every Wobllestay woming, extencling for two miles? Is there :ny wonder we feed the presence of the Lorto ?
"Go se into all the world and make disciples of all mations, bapizing them finto the wame of the Father. Son and Hols spirit, and 10 , I am with yon alway."

## Luther (0) League

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## My Pilot

My litfle eraft on stormy sea
Lost all its cargo sent by me. 1 sent it forth with joy and love, And on its bow the peaceful dove. I knew my Pilot could not err, so siffly trusted Hin with her. My little craft on stormy sea Had been to dark Gethsemane; Brought back the cup and bitter wine, And I must drink, for it was mine. My l'ilot knew, He saw the way, Abd kept from shipwreck on that day.

My little craft on stormy sea Fath lost no argo meant for me.
Eacla one hath something for my good Thongh $L$ so long misumderstood. My I'ilot knows the wind and tide And unt the rocks throngh ocean wide.

## O little craft on stormy sea,

I'll wait and watch again for thee! No donbt fll have, nor any fears; It may be weeks, it may be years. My l'ilot neer hath missed the way; Ife ll bring the dove of peace sume day.
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#### Abstract

JAPAN By Stanley Thorson, Treasurer of the Tacoma Mt. Baker District. Mr. Thorson recently returned from a trip to the Orient.


Jupan, with her incomparable scenery, aumerons spas aun health resorts, her exquisite arts and arafts, hel courteons manners and ancient enstoms, is justly famous as an ideal alltime holiday-land. Frerywhere one travels you see all the appointments of moxlern life-excellent rilibuys, splendid hotels, good motor-roads, and well-equiped hospitals. In no other country is seen so much of the Fast's fascination allied to the comforts and comreniences of the West. Jupan's natural glories-beantifinl waters, picfurespue rocks and isles, matchless mountain sceners, colorful temples and shrines-will remain fn my mind as long as L live.

Japan's grogrephieal position and wealth of mountains, rivers, lakes, gulfs, bays aud inlols, give it countless beanty spots suld as may soldom be seen elsowhere. When we set foot on the land of th kising Sinn, we were struck by the beanty of hatire minifested in endless varieties. The matjority of National Parlss visited in Japan were generally adorned with trmples, shrians and historical relics. some centuries old. which certatinly appeated to omr imaxination.

As we jonfmeyed aboal in dapath, we could readily soce that beanty of nafure and of att is the chief factor for establishing ofapan's fame as an itheal fonrist latud. We visited musemms and picture gallerios where conld bersem fremsures in porfect presefration We also visited the most popfor pipture gallery in Jipan, the Meij shrime Piclare Gallery in Tokyo. This millery contains a coblection of pietures hy famun: (antemporary panters in memory of the late bingrome Meji.

When we entered the city of Tokyo we thonght we were entering our own city of Seattle. This city looks like any other great modern beehive in the world, with its mumerous seven or eight-storied buildings, and clean, broad, well-paved arenues radiating in all directions to the outskrits of the city. Also the large department stores, with it's English speaking clerks.
As our Riksha approached the hills of Yokohama, we could describe Japan as one great natural garden. In it are fonnd, however, numerons smatler gardens, public and private, designed to produce exquisite effects. The chief characteristic of these gardens is the reproduction of natural scenery on small scales, and their attractive features are clear ponds, miniature hills, murmuring brooklets, oddly shapel trees, mosscoverel rocks, stone lantenrs and bridges, and many other designs.

As our ship pulled away from the wharf at Yokohama, we regreted our departure with deep concern. Our idea of the Orient was completely changed. As we left the harbour behind, and the country becance or beantiful memory that shall not soon fade.

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## Pastor Aecepts Call

We are advised from Moscow, Ida. that Rev. Reuben Norling of Denver, Colo., has accepted the call extenderl him by the First Lutheran Church of Moscow. He intends to be on the field the latter part of June.

## Rev. Svenson Resigns Pastorate

Faster Day was a day of joy and also of disappointment to te congregation of the First church, Tacoma. On that day the pastor, the Rev. Ernst Svenson, retmrned home from south Dikota, where he has been manager of the family estate, and a large antience had gathred at church to hear the beloved pastor preach. Atter the sermon, howerer, great gloom settled upon the andience as the pastor amomerd his resignation from the mastorate, stating that the resignation would become effective immediately. Liev. Svenson has served his congregation filthfully and successfully in its most trying period. His absence will be keenly felt in the congregation, the community and in the conference at large.

## Wedding Bells in Tacoma

A beantiful wedding ceremony was performed Faster Day in the First chnreh of Tacoma when Miss Helen Young, daughter of Mr, and Mrs. Eilward Young, was united in marriage with Mr. George H. Manke of Medford, Ore. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Ernst Srenson in the presence of a large gathering of friends. The wedding hymn was sung by mrs Henry Skramstad, accompanied by the organist, Mr. Karl Weiss. Mlsses Olivia Young and Leona Lindeman were Maids of Honor and Mr. George Gardner and Mr. Adolph Jacobson assisted the bridegroom. The new-ly-weds will make their home in Seattle.

## Festivities in Everett

The Tacoma Mount Baker District Luther League convention to be held In Zion, Ererett, May 18-19, promises much of interest to the young people of the district. According to Rev. John Billdt, pastor of the congregation, the progran inchudes a bangmet
on Saturday erening at $6: 30$, Sumblay School at $9: 30$ and Foly Commmion at10:45 sunday morning, with rally services at $2: 30$ in the afternoon and resper at $\mathbf{7}: 00$ in the evening. The banquet will be held at the Masonic remple, Wetmore and Everett, and the rally at Our Sivionr's church, 24 th st. and Hoyt. The detailed progran has not yet been reported by the presiient.

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Rev. and Mrs. Billdt will leave Seatthe at $8: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. May 29 on the Northern Pacific for Sweden and return the first part of October. Mrs. Martha OLson is learing the same time to visit relatives in Angermanland.

## Beautiful Easter Service at Bethel, <br> <br> Seattle

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Taster Day marked one of the best attender service for years at the Bethel church, Seattle. The church was beantifully decorated in Easter lillies, wild cmrant, cherry blossom and canthes. Sereral anthems were rendered by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Ralph Ostrom, director of music. Miss Evelyn Anderson played the orsan, and Miss Viola Clark the piano. Mr. Mikan von Lany offered a well rendered violin solo. The highlight of the service was the baptism of Ebbe Juhan Nathaniel, son ov Rev, and Mrs. Enoch sandeen. The pastor later referrel to the little one as a "boy dedicated to Mother's love." He has his mother's name with the exception of the last, which is his father's last name. Dr. amd Mrs John W. Chis were the witnesses.

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