

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE EXPLAINED.

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a real, livable, demonstrable religion, wherein she finds immunity from the pangs and agonies suffered by those who turn away from the old concept of God and manifest realization of His presence.

Ever since 1889, Mrs. Eddy's life has been devoted to the revelation of the way of salvation to mankind with such a singleness of purpose, that mankind is awakening to know her work is inspired, and that Christian Science is the Spirit of the Word Jesus portrayed. Christian Scientists do not worship Mrs. Eddy, nor do they in any sense of the word deify her in their thought. The whole teaching of Christian Science leads us to put self under foot; to have no way and on will save God's way and God's will; and Mrs. Eddy says to the world, and to her followers: "Follow me only so far as I follow Christ;" and in her Christly following she has been the instrument whereby the feet of hundreds of thousands have been planted upon the rock of demonstrably proved Truth of God's promises, and against that rock, in the words of the old familiar hymn, "the gates of hell shall not prevail." We do love our Leader, but with a love that has nothing personal in it; and we give her only the allegiance and devotion to which her tireless labor in mankind's behalf entitles her.

I told you what Christian Science did for me physically. I am going to tell you more. I had heard, in going to the church with which my mother was affiliated, and in which she was an ardent worker, that just the other side of the valley of the shadow of death there was that beautiful New Jerusalem, the city with its golden streets and its pearly gates; wherein I was told there was no more suffering, no more sorrow; but strange as it may seem, I did not want to go to Heaven if I had to die to get there, for, with the story of the New Jerusalem I also heard the story of the other place, which is down, and not up, and was told that nearly all who passed through the valley went down, and not up. The degree of uncertainty was too great to be attractive, and so there had grown up in my thought, as a young man and boy, a terror and a horror of God. I heard that all things were the manifestation of His Infinite Wisdom, and the terror grew and grew in my thought as I pictured Him as located on some great throne, far above me, ready and willing to crush the very existence out of me at any instant, until I had reached

the point where I loathed the name of God.

Then Christian Science came to me and told me mentally and audibly that God is Love! That there is nothing of God in these things. That He has nothing to do with them, and it took away my disease and my suffering! It took away my horror and my loathing for God. Christian Science came to me and gave me God, and when I tell you this I am telling you the story of countless thousands spread all over this globe. Is it any wonder that we love the one who has seen so selfless and so faithful in her work that, through it, God has come to us and salvation been brought within our apprehension? We are obedient to her every teaching, gladly, willingly, joyfully, because it is through her continued teaching for over forty years, that God reigns and may not be overcome, that the mystery of the Way of salvation has been removed, and the glory of God again been made apparent to mankind.

Before I close my lecture, let me say this to those desirous of knowing God, as Spirit, Principle, Mind; do not be satisfied with any one's else statement as to what Christian Science teaches about it, but go to the fountain head and get knowledge, pure and unadulterated, by a careful, prayerful study of your Bible, with the aid of the Christian Science text-book, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," every line of which carries healing to its readers, because it is the result of Mrs. Eddy's having mankind the satisfied consciousness that it is really, demonstrably proved, that God is Love. In this consciousness or demonstrable religion, Christian Scientists have their satisfaction, their joy, their sense of harmony that can never be disturbed, and their consciousness of Love that stretches out into the universe, including all in its omniscience, turning us, weary and heavy laden, to Calvary and the cross, where we are freed from its weight and its shadow in fulfillment of the promise of Him whose word never faileth. There we find succor for our pain, our sorrow and tears, in spiritual regeneration, emerging gently out of self and away from the world, flesh and evil, into that everlasting peace which God giveth his beloved children, and toward which Mrs. Eddy, God's revelator to this age is leading us.

We ask you to investigate, not Christian Scientists, but Christian Science, and see how absolutely it reveals the Godly standard, wherein what blesses one blesses all. Every

promise shall be fulfilled, and the grand work of Christ, as exemplified in Christian Science, be universally proved that God health all our diseases, and is "Love."

My friends, Christian Science is demonstration of that great, tender, compassionate Love which Jesus Christ manifested to the world, not only in His word, but in His demonstration of its wonderful power. We want you to know that Christian Science is the revelation to mankind today that only as we live the religion of Love, making its demonstration that of doing unto others as we would be done by, are we showing any conception of that religion, pure and undiluted, which the Bible commands us to demonstrate.

Love brings no evil; Love brings no suffering to man; and the understanding of Love, as it is demonstrated in Christian Science, enables man to reach out to his brother with a tenderness, a sweetness, a sense of consideration the world knows not of until it is given to it through Christian Science.

Christian Science is the manifestation of that Love that respects no person, that knows no relationship save the universal brotherhood, bringing to acceptance. Then shall His "Will be done in earth as it is in Heaven;" then shall we realize that His "is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever," seeing the full fruition of Love, having no other gods than "Our Father which art in Heaven," who is Life, Truth and Love everlasting.

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Side Lights on Next Sunday's Lesson for Teachers and Pupils

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Oct. 25. The Joy of forgiveness. Ps. 32.

The lesson of today opens up a magnificent subject for consideration. The reason why the language of David in this Psalm is so renowned and so oft repeated, is that he expressed in fitting words the feelings of ten thousand of his fellow men and women. There is not a one of us who has not felt what it was to confess that we have done wrong and then experienced the joy of forgiveness. All may not have been ready to make this confession to their Heavenly Father but they have done so to friends here on earth.

I need not but to crudely recall the experiences of childhood when you had done something which your conscience said was wrong and which for a time you did not tell mother about. It was not a happy time which followed, for the knowledge of the wrong kept eating away at your happiness. Of course at first you denied that it was wrong and thought to brave it through, but finally you got mother at one side and told her all about it. Her loving heart was grieved but she gave the kiss of forgiveness. Then how much brighter the world seemed, the sun more beautiful, the grass greener and life the more worth living. David in his magnificent language said, "Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered; the man unto whom the Lord imputeth not iniquity." He says that while he would not confess and ask forgiveness his "bones waxed old through his roaring all the day long;" that God's hand was heavy upon him day and night. Then came the confession and words of joy and thankfulness poured from his lips.

This subject of repentance and forgiveness is terribly important and most practical for our consideration. The blessed Jesus told us how to treat our brother who offended us. He said, "If thy brother repent, forgive him, if he trespass against thee seven times in a day, and seven times in a day turn again to thee saying I repent, thou shalt forgive him." On this subject there is found in the first epistle of John first chapter at the ninth verse these most precious words: "If we confess our sins He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." The same writer in chapter two and first verse declares, "If any man sin he has an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ, the righteous."

The joys of confession to the mother, do not compare with confession to God and the feeling that the sins and transgressions are forgiven and are to be remembered against us no more. As the father received back the prodigal son, as the shepherd took to his breast the lost lamb, so is God ready to accept the confession of the soul and put us on safe sure ground again. This being true, how foolish it is for people to harden their hearts and refuse to acknowledge they have done wrong. It only means unhappiness, gloom. God's sunlight of forgiveness is ready to come at any time, and the former sinful one can break forth as did David "Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered."

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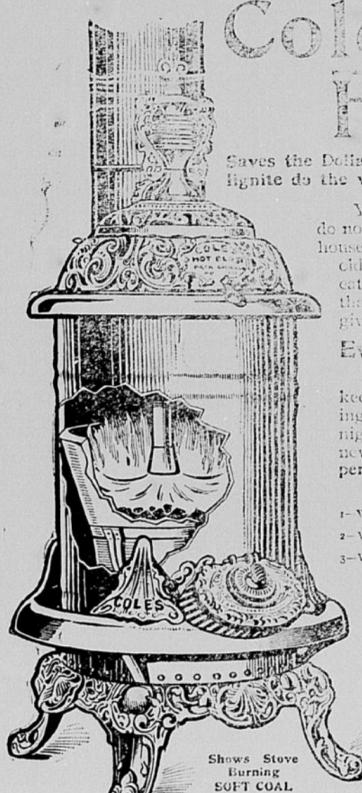
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