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The Astonishment of Heaven

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TEXT—Be astonished O ye heavens at this.—Jer. 2:12

At first thought it might seem impossible for the world to contain anything which would cause surprise or wonder in the heavens. Yet there are some things which daily cause them amazement. The Love of God for Man.



The text might well be used when we think of this. Consider man's smallness and insignificance in the universe. He is compared to a worm of the dust, to the grass of the field and even whole nations are smaller than the dust of the balance. His life is a span, a vapor which disappears, a dream of the night or a tale that is told. Consider man's sinfulness. He has gone astray from righteousness, there is none that doeth good and he rebels at God's restraint. His sin is not merely a disease that should awaken sympathy for the afflicted. It is that but it is more. Sin is crime and the sinner is as a criminal before the bar of eternal justice, convicted of wanton crime and condemned by his own conscience. And sin is rebellion making the sinner to be not merely diseased and involved as a criminal, but a rebel and enemy of God and his government. Well may the heavens be astonished as they behold the intense longing love of God for such a man, so small and insignificant yet so sinful and rebellious.

The Gift of God for Man.
This text might well be used again when we consider this. It would be enough that God should search for man as he did for Adam. Enough that he should be so interested in the sinner's welfare as to give such signs as he has in the flood, etc. A surprising thing that he should trouble himself to choose men who would teach the race the ways of truth and uprightness such as Moses, Abraham and others. A wonder it is that he should send his seers and prophets to call men back from the way of misery and death. But what cause for amazement that he should so love the world as to give his only begotten son, to suffer and die that men might be saved from sin and its consequences. Well may it be said, "Be astonished, O ye heavens, at this."

The Patience of God With Man.
We must repeat this text when we think of his patience. It would be no surprising thing had God cut man off completely as a lumberer of the ground. But through the centuries he continues to invite the sinner to the bounteous supper of salvation. He has continued to plead with man to be reconciled to himself. In spite of rebuffs and insults he has implored men to leave the broad path that surely leads to eternal death and take the path that goes on to eternal life and glory. In spite of man's turning deaf ears to him he continues to warn him of his awful danger, trying in every way to guard him from destruction until it can be said that if the reader of this ever finds himself in perdition he will find himself so not because of God, but in spite of all that God could do to keep him out. And God's patience with man never wears or wavers. As it was in the days of Noah, so it is now. God strives with man by his spirit to the very limit of life. If any should read this whose life has been a continuous rejection of God's goodness and offer of salvation, let that one know that in spite of everything that has gone, God's patience is not run out or wearied. "Be astonished, O ye heavens, at this."

The Rejection of God by Man.
This is the crowning cause for wonder. Is not God good? Then why reject him? Is he not true? Then why reject him? Is he not just, or tender, or gentle, or trustworthy? What fault has the unsaved reader to find in or with God of the Bible? There is no fault in him. His friends and enemies bear witness to this. He is the living and true God. All others are dead and therefore useless Gods. Some want religion, some want power, some want culture and so on, but true religion, omnipotent power, real culture, etc., are found only in the true, and the true God is found only in Christ Jesus the Lord. But though so freely offered man continues to reject him. "Be astonished, O ye heavens, at this."

Power of the Upward Look.
Only in looking heavenward, not in looking earthward, does what we can call union, mutual love, society, begin to be possible.—Carlyle.

Keep Eyes on God.
It does not do to be running about without thinking, or thinking without looking into the face of God.—Bishop Thorold.

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1/2 cup milk
1 tablespoon shortening
1 tablespoon molasses
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NO EGGS

Scald corn meal in bowl with boiling water; add milk, melted shortening and molasses; add flour, salt and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake on hot greased griddle until brown.
(The Old Method called for 2 eggs)

Eggless, Milkless, Butterless Cake

1 cup brown sugar
1 1/2 cups water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron, cut fine
1/2 cup shortening
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup flour
1 cup rye flour

Bolt sugar, water, fruit, shortening, salt and spices together in saucepan 3 minutes. When cool, add flour and baking powder which have been sifted together. Mix well; bake in loaf pan in moderate oven about 45 minutes.
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"Well," she exclaimed, frowning up, "if you wish to have our engagement broken off, say so. I always hate to have people beat about the bush in a case of this kind."

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Prize Boy Farmers.
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No One Believes Him.
The patriotism of the man who buys booze early to avoid the war tax is doubtful.

Anyway the average woman knows as much about politics as a man does about feeding a baby.

Hun Music Barred.
Our Tommies, writes the anonymous author of "From Dug-Out and Billie," don't appreciate the Boches' music one little bit; they say there is no tune to it.

The other evening they (the Boches) had a piano in their advance trenches, and we were close enough to hear the performance.

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Least of Two Evils.
An employee in the office of a noisy munition plant was absent from work one morning. After luncheon, however, he presented himself. He looked pretty bad, but he claimed that he was ready for work.

"Why, what are you doing down here?" cried the boss. "Your wife telephoned that you probably wouldn't be able to work for several days. She said you were on the verge of nervous prostration, and that the least noise was bad for you. Why didn't you stay at home?"

"Well," answered the wage slave, raising his voice to be heard above the distracting din. "I did get through with the morning at home. But my wife had a bridge party this afternoon, so I thought I'd be better off down here."

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