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"For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two edged sword and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart."—HEBREWS 4:12.

There are many notable sayings about the Bible some of which are given in the following quotations.

Horace Greeley: "It is impossible to enslave mentally or socially a Bible-reading people. The principles of the Bible are the groundwork of human freedom."

Abraham Lincoln: "I believe the Bible is the best gift God has ever given to man. All the good from the Saviour of the world is communicated to us through this book."

George Washington: "It is impossible to rightly govern the world without God and the Bible."

Daniel Webster: "If we abide by the principles taught in the Bible, our country will go on prospering and to prosper; but if we and our posterity neglect its instructions and authority, no man can tell how sudden a catastrophe may overwhelm us and bury all our glory in profound obscurity."

Immanuel Kant: "The existence of the Bible, as a book for the people, is the greatest benefit which the human race has ever experienced. Every attempt to belittle it is a crime against humanity."

*We search the world for truth, We cull
The good, the true, the beautiful,
From graven stone, and written scroll,
And all old flower fields of the soul;
And, weary seekers of the best,
We come back laden from our quest,
To find that all the sages said
Is in the Book our mothers read.*

—JOHN GREENLEAF WHITTIER.

... On The Lighter Side ...

"Waiter, bring me a crabmeat cocktail; a dozen oysters and tabasco sauce; 4 poached eggs on rye; hashed browned potatoes; a fried steak; some doughnuts and cocoanut custard pie and coffee."

"Pardon me, sir, but you must be very hungry?"

"Not at all—I hate everything I've ordered, but I'm crazy about Alka Seltzer."

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Father: "Now, Junior, you should be ashamed of yourself. When George Washington was your age, he was famous for his surveying."

Junior: "So what, Pop? When he was your age, he was president!"

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One of the RAF stories concerns Hitler's suggestion that he and his staff fly over London and inspect the damage reported done by their bombers. They took off before dawn with an escort of fighters and Hitler soon fell asleep. He awoke at dawn and saw below him a devastated city with not a single building standing.

"Wonderful, wonderful," he complimented Goering.

"Sh, go to sleep again," came the reply. "That was Hamburg."

Two sailors, given honorable discharges after duty in the Pacific, purchased a small saloon in a country town. The place was painted inside and out, being closed for that purpose.

The villagers, after a few days, gathered outside and one of them knocked at the door. A window opened, and one of the former sailors inquired the reason for the gathering.

"We want to know when you are going to open up," someone said.

"Open up? We bought this place for ourselves!"

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Lieutenant: "Will the sailor who sneaked over to the beach and met a girl last night step forward—company halt!"

Sunday Divine Services

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| Protestant | 1000 | Memorial Hall |
| Roman Catholic | 0615 | Gerrard Hall |
| Jewish | 1000 | Hill Music Hall |
| | | Graham Memorial |

Chaplain's Office Hours: Daily, 0830-1700; Monday and Wednesday, 0830-1800.
Father Sullivan will be in Chaplain's Office on Tuesdays, 1845-1930.
Confessions: Saturdays in Gerrard Hall, 1900-2015.

Male Call

by Milton Caniff, creator of "Terry and the Pirates"

Son Of The Beach

—(CNS)

