

EDITORIAL

The Christmas Spirit, that ever popular, effervescent quality that makes itself known by greetings of Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, should be a quality that lasts all year. Each year at Christmas time man takes off his year around mask of conceit and hatred of his fellow man and greets even his enemies with shouts of good cheer. Would it be so very hard for man, the most sophisticated creature on earth, to love his counterparts throughout all of God's seasons.

Miraculous things happen each Christmas, pilgrimages are made to Holy Cities, thanks are given for man's precious blessings and even wars are stopped in the name of Christ. What is there to stop man from paying homage to these famous cities for reasons other than Christmas Spirit? It seems that man should be very thankful for the many blessings he enjoys every day of the year, not just on special occasions. If man can stop the world's nations from waging war on Christmas Holidays, why then can he not stop war forever. Is man so totally blind that he does not see that his Creator would have him live in peace in every season, not just the ones that celebrate His birthday. Or is the age old saying, "None are so blind as those that will not see," actually true?

During the Christmas Holidays, while man has time to rest and think, perhaps he should take a long hard look at himself in the mirror and wonder what the words Peace on Earth, Good Will Towards Men, really mean. Is this merely a saying to be used during Christmas, does it pertain to all men, do you really mean it, or are you just saying it because everyone is "just saying it?" Perhaps if man truly understood what peace on earth and good will towards all men could mean for everybody he might not feel so false when he is saying it.

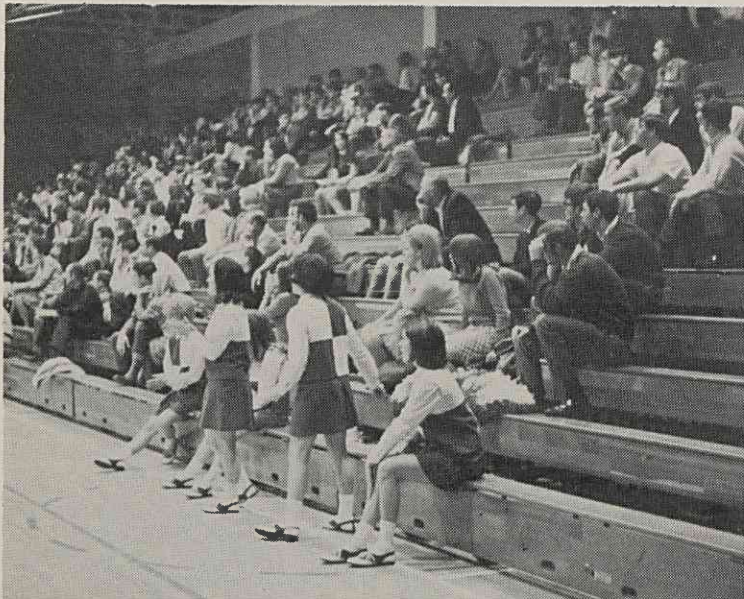
The time is long overdue for man to keep the Holiday Spirit for at least 365 days a year, count his blessings every day, and really mean it when he says to another, "God bless you my friend."



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