Weekly Devotional

, By JAMES MACKENZIE

God alone knows what will come to ass in your life and in mine this ming year. There are many things He could tell us, but we cannot bear to know them beforehand. It is better for us to live day by day, hour by hour; trusting Him to lead us and to strengthen us. That is better than owing what the future holds.

I know not what the future hath Of marvel or surprise; Assured alone that life and death

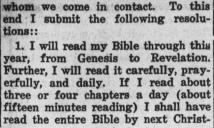


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both for ourselves and for those with

2. I will be faithful in my daily devotions. I will thank the Lord for His goodness before each meal, and will begin and end my day with prayer. I will set aside a portion of each day for prayer and meditation. "The family that prays together stays to-

3. I will fully support my church with my presence at all its services, and in my prayers. Further, I will return at least one-tenth of all that comes to me to the Lord, for this is God's way of supporting His work.

4. I will not compromise my testimony in any way this coming year. I will not tell off-color stories, nor encourage others to do so by listening to them and laughing at them. I will not leave myself open to criticism by anything I do, anything I say, or any humility and love. The only person Ford Division general sales manager, place I go. I will live a life that is I will judge harshly, and without merabove reproach.

5. I will witness in kindness and desperate need of Christ as Saviour meet every problem by asking myself, and Lord. "What would Jesus do?"

6. I will do my best not to lose my temper. If I do lose my temper, I will not say anything unkind. If I New '54 Ford Trucks do say something unkind. I will immediately apologize to all concerned, and do my best to make amends.

7. I will not worry nor fret; trusting God to work all things together for good to them that love Him, as He has promised (Romans 8:28).

8. I will not bother others with my petty troubles; but I will be willing to listen sympathetically to theirs, and to make a genuine effort to be of help to them.

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said.

cy, will be myself. 10. I will let the beauty of Jesus love to all of my unsaved friends and be seen in me by living daily by the loved ones, and strive to help them Golden Rule: "And as ye would that see, through the power of the Holy men should do to you, do ye also to Spirit, their lost condition, and their them likewise" (Luke 6:31). I will

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> The five truck lines, including 24 series and more than 220 models, range from 4,000 lbs. to 40,000 lbs. rated gross vehicle weight. They again feature Ford's famous "driverized" cabs which last year helped bring Ford a record 150 per cent truck sales increase over the previous year. And Master-Guide power steering now is available on the Big Jobs with Fordomatic fully-automatic transmission on all light duty models.

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Sunday, January 3, Feast of Most Holy Name of Jesus, mass in Palace Theatre, Windsor, at 8 A. M., and in St. Ann's Catholic Church, Edenton, at 11 A. M., each including sermon on "The Most Holy Name of Jesus", followed by Marian Year Prayer, Rosary in Honor of Most Holy Name of Jesus, Sunday School, with confessions for half hour before every service, stated Father Francis J. McCourt, rector, who invites everybody to all ser-

Other week-days at 7 A. M., Mass, Rosary in Church.

CLASS MEETS TUESDAY NIGHT

The Young Woman's Bible Class of the Edenton Baptist Church will meet Tuesday night at the church at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

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