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DESIRE TO BE REMEMBERED.

When You Gather Around The Household Board or Sit at Night By the Fire Keep a Place for the Absent One.

"REMEMBER ME."—Luke 23:42.

The heart, like the intelligent being has a desire for immortal memory. It is not the product of conceit, but of humanity. It is the soul's assertion of its helplessness when left alone—its cry for support from other souls. Do you know the meaning of the English word "remember?" It literally means "member me again." It is the sign of one who is passing out of a family circle—going let us say, to a foreign land. He says "Remember me again! When you gather around the household board, or sit at night by the blazing fire, keep a place vacant for me! Keep a gap in your hearts where the old chair should be! Do not forget to count me among the members of the family; do not omit to number me in the circle in which I am not seen!" And so we all ask in the prospect of a great journey. What most of us fear in death is not that we shall cease to be; it is that we shall cease to be members of the family of man. We doubt not there are circles below if I shall be members of the earth no more? Shall the link be broken that binds us to the clay? Shall we be blotted out from time? Shall we part from the seen and temporal? Shall our feet have no right to be stretched in the march of the earthly army? We stretch our hands through the void and cry, "Remember me again—remember me!"

Be still, my soul! thy prayer is answered. Thy Lord has offered to remember thee. Knowest thou what is meant by being a member of Christ's body? To be lifted into a mystic circle? No; to be re-instated in the circle of earth. Christ's communion is not mystical; it is that which prevents mysticism. Mere immortality would separate thee from the order of human things. But membership in Christ makes actual and permanent all the best of this life as well as best of the life to come.—George Mathewson.

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Gossips keep as busy as bees, but not speaking homed words.

Do You Want to Know

What You Swallow?

There is a growing sentiment in this country in favor of MEDICINES OF KNOWN COMPOSITION. It is not natural that the ignorant have no interest in the composition of that which he or she is expected to swallow, whether it be food, drink or medicine.

Disseminating this growing disposition on the part of the public, and satisfied that the intelligent public can only act on the basis of knowledge, Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has "taken time by the forelock" as it were, and is publishing broadcast a list of all the poisonous and harmful ingredients of the "Golden Medical Discovery," the popular liver invigorator, stomach tonic, blood purifier and heart regulator; also of his "Favorite Prescription" for weak, over-acid, bilious, nervous and invalid women.

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Night is the time for dreams: The gay romance of life, When truth that is, and truth that seems Blend in fantastic strife, Ah! visions less beguiling far Than waking dreams by daylight are!

Night is the time for toil: To plough the classic field, Intent to find the buried spoil, Its windy furrows yield; Till all is ours that heroes taught, That poets sang or sagas wrought.

Night is the time to weep: To wet with unshed tears Those graves of Memory where sleep The joys of other years; Hopes that were angels at their birth, But perished young, like things of earth.

Night is the time to watch: O'er ocean's dark expanse, To hail the Pleiades, or catch The full moon's earliest glance That brings into the homestead mind All we have loved and left behind.

Night is the time for care: Brooding on hours misspent, To see the sceptre of Despair Come to our lonely tent; Like Brutus, midst his slumbering host, Startled by Caesar's stalwart ghost.

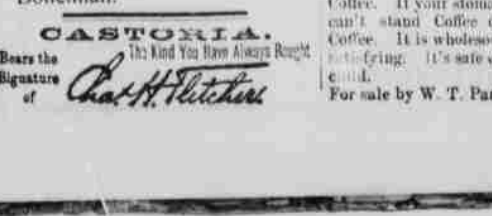
Night is the time to muse: When, from the eye, the soul Takes flight, and, with expanding views, Beyond the starry pole Descries athwart the abyss of night The dawn of uncreated light.

Night is the time to pray: Our Saviour oft withdrew To desert mountains far away; So will his followers do,— Seal from the throng to haunts unrod, And hold communion there with God.

Night is the time for death: When all around is peace, Calmly to yield the weary breath, From sin and suffering cease, Think of heaven's bliss, and give the sign To parting friends;—such death be mine!

WILL IT COME TO THIS?

He criticized the Show Trust, and He could not go to shows; The Clothing Trust disliked him, it Would sell to him no clothes; He found fault with the Food Trust, which Cut off his food supply; And as he bucked the railroads, they Forced him to walk or fly In Billingsgate he sought to air His sad and sorrowful lot; But his sorrow Lawson had Just cornered Tommy-rot. The Whiskey Trust had felt his taunts, He could not buy a drink; But as no Trust had cornered brains He was still free to think. This man then thought unto himself: "I'll hang me to a limb." The sympathetic Burial Trust Refused to bury him. —Glenn Whisler in the February Bohemian.



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WITH GOD.

If You Are Wondering Why He Doesn't Mean More to You Come Back and Test The Proclamation.

"My God will supply all your need," is a triumphant cry, before Paul said this he said "Stand fast in the Lord." It is a condition. In Duncan's "Doctor Luke of Labrador," he describes a fishing schooner coming down from the north in the teeth of a gale. Skipper Tommy at the wheel, had his two boys posted forward; they were twins and all he had in the world. A great sea came over the bow and as it came the skipper saw that it bore upon its crest one of those boys. Half-blinded by the spray he seized him just in time and hanging over the rail. He was about to raise him, when another sea brought the other lad aft and with his other unoccupied hand Tommy caught this boy and held the two in perilous plight, one in either hand dangling over the rail. He could not raise both. Which would he let fall? He dare not, cannot choose. A third sea swept over and choice was not necessary, for the left hand held only a scrap of Tommie's coat. The other lad was lifted and they flew before the gale for even Tommy could do nothing for the lad that the sea had snatched away.

Are we away from God? It is not due to an accident or the roll of a sea. It is due to a series of choices running through the years; and if you are wondering why God does not mean more to you come back to Him and test the proclamation, "My God will supply all your needs."

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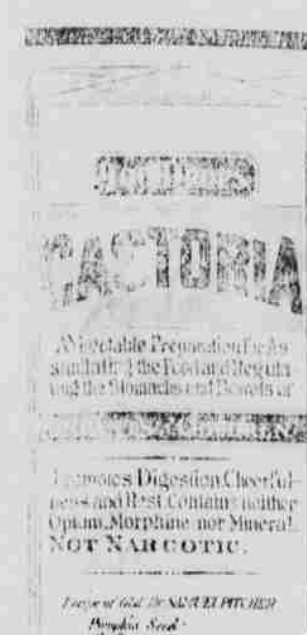
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