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### Pass Me Not, O Gentle Saviour

Fanny Crosby's greatest hymn was among her first

Dr. Valentine Mott led the little girl and her widowed mother to the does. The famous New York surgeon had made a thorough examination of the child's eyes but there was nothing he could do. When Fanny Crosby was 6 weeks old she had caught cold and a country doctor prescribed a mustard poultice for her inflamed eyes. Now she was 5 years old and totally blind. Her father had died and neighbors in Putnan County, New York, made up money to send her to the specialist. As Dr. Mott turned back into his office, Fanny Crosby heard him say "Poor little blind girl." What the sympathetic doctor didn't know was that the little blind girl was to turn her handicap into an asset. Just three years later she wrote her first verse; "Oh, What a Happy Child I am, Although I cannot see! I am resolved that in this world... Contented I well be."

Two decades later the superintendent of New York's Institute for the Blind walked into the office to find his male secretary taking down verse while one of the blind instructors dictated. He warned both against further waste of the school's time, But neither thought they were wasting time.

Poss me not, O gentle Sovious,

Pass me not, O gentle Saviour, Hear my humble cry; While on others Thou art calling,

Let me at a throne of mercy Find a sweet relief; Kneeling there in deep contri Help my unbelief.

There's Music in the Air" were set to music by noted Composer George F. Root and sold in sheet music by the thousands.

Fanny Crosby looked on her blindness as a blessing. Undisturbed by things about her, she sald, she could more easily write her poetry. She was 4 years old when she set saide work on secular songs and turned her prolific pen to the writing of hymns. William Cowper must have been right when he said "God moves in a mysterious way" because Fanny Crosby wrote more hymns, than any writer in history . . . ever 8,000.

Nor did the one-time school secretary quit taking down her verse. Grover Cleveland set aside affairs of state many times to take dictation from his ever welcome guest to the White House. But, as is the case with many writers, Fanny Crosby's best hymns were among her first. She was in the middle of her long life when in 1868 she wrote what singer Ira D. Sankey regarded as her masterplece . . . .

Thou the Spring of all my comfort, More than life to me, Whom have I on earth belide Thee? Whom in Heaven but Thee?



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### The Christian Viewpoint

ingham fo riventy cents a day. When I got married I was making five dollars as week. Our board cost us two dollars each a week, so between us we had six dollars above board. Now I get in a week now as much as I got in a year when I first started. These were the words of a man I picked up in Lsurinburg the other day and gave a ride a sfar as Maxton on his way to the heach for a vacation with his family who had gone on ahead.

Of course, part of that increase is due to the cheapening of the value of the dollar. It would cost is due to the cheapening of the value of the same board which the value of the same board which the root two dollars. Board has gone up five times, from two to ten dollars as week. His wiges have gone up from \$5\$ to \$65.50, which is

Ine only way we can have in the time we work with the time we have now all produce more in the time we work. God has given us a spirit of honest hard work and fai redaling one with another. That makes a country prosperous and great. May we never break up into conflicting groups who work against each other. Getting higher wages will be provided by a new link of roadway that opens up tain hereofore available only to hikers.

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Twenty Two Order Of Arrow Members Attend 37th Meeting In Oxford, Ohio

to Oxford, Ohio last week end to attend the 37th anniversary meeting of the Order of the Arrow, Boy Scouts of America, at Miami University, August 29 to 31. The group went by chartered bus and had, by special request, the same driver who handled the trip to the Philmon Boy Scout Ranch in New Merica in the Council returned to Go'dsboro Sometime late on September 1. Mexico last summer—Mr. Hubert Webb, They camped overnight in Hawk's Nest State Park, Cauley's Bridge, West Virginia.

The contingent from Tuscarora Council returned to Goldsboro sometime late on September 1. Those representing Tuscaror, Council are: Jack Smithwick Council (Lodge Chief), Joe D. Creech, Bil Nearly 1500 Boy Scouts and Ex-lorers, all honor campers—from 5 states attended the conference 5 states attended the conference

## **Bridge Joins Peak**

Morton, President of the Linville Corporation, announced.

The bridge, which is four feet wide and was designed to accommodate 40 pedestrians at one time, is unlike any other in this area. Ar. chitect for both bridge and step to Convention Table is Charles C. Hartmann of Greensboro. The 228 foot long steel bridge was creeted. Twenty-two Order of the Arrow group sessions. A huge fellowship members of Naya Win Rar Lodge, duled for Saturday evening Aug. dued for Saturday evening Aug. 30. Speakers of note-representing E. G. Pyatt of Dudley, N. C., went to Oxford, Ohio last week end to Oxford, Ohio las ruction began in February.

> Black shank in North Carolina first appeared in Forsyth County

Bible Comment.

#### Get the Most Out Of Life by Keeping God's Great Laws

How can one get the most ou of life? This is a question that has agitated many minds as far back as man became a thinking

back as man became a thinking being. Some haven't given much thought to it and have drifted through life, without much thought about plans or goals.

But among those who have pondered it, and to whom some choice is possible in determining what sort of lives they would live, there have been varying decisions. To many the chief aim has been to get as much enjoyment out of life as possible.

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Other goals of life have been the acquiring of wealth often without much regard for its essential value and use; the acquisition of power, with the mastery and sway over great empires.

Gentler souls have made contemplation, their chief quest, retiring into some form of cloistered living. Some have made knowledge their deepest satisfaction, often without much wisdom concerning its essential value and use.

The Hebrew prophets and poets had much to say concerning these various quests. If the writer of the Book of Ecclesiantes seems an incumable pessinist, declaring that



TURE: II Samuel 11:2-13:30 2 18:5-13: 18:5, 31-33; 19:1-6, 18: NAL READING: Pasim

#### Growth of a Soul

Lesson for September 7, 1952

AFTER A MAN IS DEAD, and indeed while he is still alive, we ought to remember the best abou how we want to be treated, our

selves. But human beings are so perverse that we often do just the opposite. We remember the worst, forget the best. This is so in the case of the great King David. A novel was once written about him

which his lie was Dr. Foreman pictured as a curve high in the middle, bending down sharply at both ends. After his great sins of adultery and murder, so the story went, he went on down and down hill to the end. This is not the picture we get from the Bible. In many ways his later days were sad; his fortunes declined, as we say. But his soul did not decline. The latter days of David show us how even a man who has sinned can rise again; how even an ageing man can grow

Signs of Growth NOT THAT a man has to sin as David did in order to grow. In order to be healthy it is not neces-sary to be half-dead with ever first; yet even after a long stay in the sanitarium it is possible for a man to make his way to full health and

Now David, though he fell, "did not blind his soul with clay." The experience struck down his pride; he realized with shame what he had done. Some men must wake bitterly to the fact of their own weakness before they can begin to take hold of God's strength. At any rate, we can see signs of growth in

One of these signs is humility be fore God. Take the story of his flight from his capital, for example. He could have hardly been in a worse state. His loved son Absalom had become a rebel, his throne was in danger, his friends were turning against him, even his life was no safe. Another man might have com mitted suicide, or sat in his deserted palace bitterly awaiting the end. Another man might have returned Shimer's foul language, curse

But David moves through all this as a man who realizes he deserves his troubles, knows it is God who i bringing these hard things to pass and bows humbly under whatever God sends. His kingdom was shrink ing, but his soul was growing again.

Is the Young Man Safe?

A NOTHER plain sign of inward growth was David's attitude to his bad son Absalom. That young billed his father without hesitating. in order to gain the kingdom for himself. But David was willing to lose the kingdom, if by so doing he could keep from losing his son. General Joab, a professional

killer, could see no point in David's generosity. He believed David should be a king first and a father afterwards. It was Joab who against David's strict orders finally killed Absalom. But in death as in life. David loved

that wild young man. No more tragic scene is found in history than David's lament, "Would God I had died for thee, A Absalom, my son, my son." It does not sound like ament for a dead enemy, and it was not; it was a father's grief for his son. The grief came late; David should long before those days have remembered his duty as a father to Absalom. But late though it was, David's tears show that in him his soul still grew.

No Cheap Sacrifice

ONE OTHER sign of soul-growth O comes to the surface: a single sentence from David on the day when he bought the land where the temple was to be built. The owner Ornan (Araunah) would have given the land free; but David insisted on paying the full value. "I will not of-fer burnt offerings unto the Lord my God which cost me nothing," he

"Banana exports from South America totaled 23.9 million bunches

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# Go To Church

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It was a sign that David was so longer the half-grown soul he had once been. For a man never really grows up till he does what he does, not because of fear, or ambition, or reputation, nor for any reason but because he knows how God is go-

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THE HOUSE OF GLADNESS

Text: "I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go unto the Wallace use of the Lord."—Psalms 122.1.

Despite the human frailties and weaknesses of those who comgoes its membership the church is the 'whitest institution on God's footstool." Through the centuries the church has been the chief inspiration, spiritual source, and nurturing mother of the best things in our civilization.

Our homes, property, business, and everything else of value, are infinitely more valuable, and secure, because of the churches in the community. To ignore the church, be indifferent toward it, or continually criticize it adversely, is to reveal gross ingratitude for the blessings of Christianity; moreover, such behavior is stupid short-signifiedness, for almost invariably the most pronounced church defamer, sooner or later, will need and want all the spiritual strength, comfort and hope that the church can give.

David loved God.s house. Said he: 'A day in thy courts is better than a thousand. I had rather be a door-keeper in the house of my God, than dwell in the tents of wickedness.' Ps. 84:10. Attendmy God, than dwell in the tents of wickedness. Ps. 84:10. Attending services in God's house, and participating in divine worship, was no hardship or boresome drudgery to the sweet singer of Israel—it was a joyous anticipation; hence he said: "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord." As in David's day, so in ours, God's house should be THE HOUSE OF GLADNESS to every child of God; because His House is, or should he a place of: should be, a place of:-

1. HALLOWED MEMORIES. Your church, or mine, might have been, or might now be, just an ordinary little 'Church in the valley by the wildwood'—but because of the precious memories that cluster around it—'there is no lovelier place in the dale; no spot as dear to our childhood, as the little brown church in the

SACRED VOWS. As with David, so should it be with us: "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem (type of the church), let my right hand forget her cunning. If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joys...' Psalms 137:6. 'I will pay my vows before them that fear him." Psalms 22:25.

3. CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. In the record of the first Christian church the world ever knew (see Acts 2.37-47—for those in the church, how they got in, and what they did after getting in), we have these words: "And they continued steadfastly in the Apostles' doctrine and FELLOWSHIP—all that believed were

TOGETHER." Acts 2:42-44. Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to that above."

DIVINE WORSHIP. 'Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.' Ps. 29:2. 'Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name; bring an offering, and come into his courts. Ps. 96:8.

5. SPIRITUAL RENEWAL. It is just as important, even more so, to feed the soul periodically as it is to feed the stomach. We go to church to renew our souls with the 'bread and meat' of the gospel—to be spiritually instructed, inspired, imbued, and of the gospel—to be spiritually instructed, inspired, imbued, and morally reinforced to live consistent, God-honoring, humanity-blessing, lives of Christian service. Truly, every real Christian can say with the psalmist: 'I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the House of the Lord."



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