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I view the future, it looks dark. Horrible suffering is being endured even as I write as a result of un-
an tanks, deadly
ing planes, ghastly submarines
the flame-throwers and other
noble instruments of warfare de-
ed to snuff out human life in the
effective manner. The men re-
sponsible for this will not escape free
omise you. There will come a day
reckoning. Perhaps that day is not
far away.

Let us see in this issue of the Week-
what the true picture is, and shall
also try to see if there is not
something we who believe in God can
about this ghastly and inhuman
? One thing is certain—it cannot
continue very much longer. What will
happened before you read this
I do not know. At this writing
Mussolini has not entered the war,
I have just sent him a wire ask-
him not to. It probably won't do
good, for there is a force, diabolic
its origin, which is driving three
Hitler, Stalin, and Mussolini.
force or power is the force or
er which believes that might
es right. It has no finer sensi-
ies. It believes that the sword is
powerful. It is mistaken, as it will
tly discover.

There can never be glory due any-
who wins a war such as this, just
use they have a superior numeri-
force of arms. That is nothing to
credit, for the taking of human
regardless of what the provoca-
may be, is never right. Yet this
ia is sweeping the world today. Is
thing to permanently rule the
ld after it has beaten down Eng-
and France? No. That sort of
g can never last. It is a typhoon.
will pass, and with its passing
come in the Utopia the world has
awaited. All bibles of all reli-
s have predicted such a day. As a
phet of God, I am humbly telling
that this Great Day is at hand.

The Future . . .

It will not come in through any cruci-
fied god coming back to the earth. It
will not come in as the result of some
supernatural manifestation from the
skies. It will come in perfectly nat-
urally. It will come in because men
and women will discover, in their ex-
tremity (and there will be an extrem-
ity) that God, the Great Invisible
Spirit which is God—actually exists
here and now in man, and can actual-
ly and literally be found and used by
man.

This whole situation is a perfectly
natural one. It's horrible to say that,
but it is a fact nevertheless. The mad-
men have come to the conclusion that
nothing really amounts to anything
except brute force. They have no be-
liefs in God whatsoever. They have
never seen in those who profess to
know God, the slightest evidence of
Power, so they have formed the per-
fectly logical conclusion that no Pow-
er exists outside of the power of brute
force. They are mistaken, of course,
but the conclusion they have come to
is a perfectly logical conclusion when
it is considered that no religious or-
ganization has ever been able to dem-
onstrate the Power of the God it is
supposed to know.

These religious organizations have
been two preoccupied with their pet
theories of God. They have fought
among themselves. They have divid-
ed. They have tried to kill every con-
ception of religion which dared to
take issue with them regarding the
truth or falsity of their teachings;
but they have never been able to
bring to this earth, the Power of the
Spirit of God. Consequently, these
dictators and atheistic leaders have
made the unqualified statement that
the only power there is, is the power
of damnable tanks and bombing ma-
chines. They have reckoned wrongly,

although there is no good
reason why they should
have reckoned any other
way.

Now what is the
answer? What can you

and I do to halt this brutal tide?
In the first place, let me predict to
you that Hitler and Mussolini and
Stalin will win the first phase of this
war. I write this on May 18th. I do
not know what the next few days will
bring forth. But make up your mind
this wholesale slaughter will be
bloody. For this is the final culmin-
ation of the powers opposed to God. It
will mean their end. That end, how-
ever, will not come as the result of
superior military force, for they excel
in that. I am going to ask you to
please excuse me from going any
farther into prophecy here. To do so
might hurt this Movement in the
long run, and I am but waiting the
proper moment to step into the world
picture to lead the world into the
actual truths of the Spirit of God.

In the meantime, there are definite
tangible things you can do. You can
make sure of the existence of the
Spirit of God in your own life. You
can use that Power every day. You
can use it against the undesirable
things and the illness which exists
in some homes as a result of the ab-
sence of the Spirit of God. Yester-
day I wired Premier Reynaud of
France and Winston Churchill of
England, telling them that the full
force of the "Psychiana" Movement
would be thrown against their ene-
mies four times daily. In addition to
this, I have written the heads of the
National, Columbia, and Mutual
Broadcasting systems, asking them
to give me free, fifteen minutes every
day over the air, during which period
I can, as you know, bring in the great-
est Spiritual Awakening the world
has ever known. I am awaiting their
replies now.

Literally tens and tens of thou-
sands of our Students, and others,
are keeping very still four times

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Acres of Diamonds

Some years ago, a gentleman by the name of Russell Conwell wrote a small book with the above title. The book swept the country. Mr. Conwell could have made millions out of the book. He did make millions, and then turned around and gave them away, a wonderful thing to do, surely. This little book was based on the theory that there are thousands of opportunities lying right at our hand—opportunities for success, opportunities for happiness—opportunities to carve a niche for ourselves in life's hall of fame.

Mr. Conwell implied that we, all too often, miss those opportunities because they are somewhat disguised. We don't recognize them for what they really are. This is the reason the book sold as well as it did. It stated the truth, for there are not only a thousand opportunities lying hard by all of us, there is Something far greater than that. There is the Creator of all opportunities within us; for within each of us, as close as life itself—is *God*.

We have literally "kicked God around," so to speak, and, because of His being disguised by the trimmings and trappings of theology, we have not recognized what a stupendous Power lies just within our grasp. We have followed the lead of those who have told us, without proving it, that they represent God on the earth. Seeing nothing of God in those organizations, we have come to the conclusion that God is not for us. Perhaps for our next-door neighbor who is a bit more pious than we are—but not for us. Perhaps, after we die, we may come to know God, but certainly not here.

The "acres of diamonds" have been completely missed, because disguised. However, we are beginning to penetrate the disguise. We are beginning to discover that the Source of all Hope, all Peace, all Joy, all Justice, all Love lies not as far away from us as we have been led to believe. When the Spirit of God first began to manifest Its Power through this Movement, we were absolutely amazed at the simplicity with which this Spirit manifested in ways that seemed strange to us. First a case of rheuma-

tism which had pained and distressed for years absolutely disappeared, and disappeared instantly.

Then, perhaps, a man with a dangerous heart case, not expected to live, was made completely whole, through the Power of the Spirit of God. As the days, and the months and the years went by, these demonstrations continued and they multiplied until today, if we do not receive such letters by the score, we begin to wonder. The Power behind these amazing happenings is God. God is in us, and are we "kicking God around" because we do not recognize that Great Power for what it is? I wonder.

The greatest thing about this Spiritual Awakening is the rapidity with which it has gone around the world and the lives which have been brought to God through it. Yet this is surely but the start. Such a demonstration of the Power of the Spirit of God never would have come to this earth unless it was intended to bring the whole world to a full and complete knowledge of the mighty Power of God. God does not tantalize or tease us humans. He does not give us just a little taste of the glories of that Realm, and then withdraw that Power. Oh no. God does not do things that way. When the human mind awakens to the fact that the Power of the Realm of the Spirit of God is instantly available to all, it will know that in order that all may know that Power.

Don't think the opportunities of life are all for "the other fellow." The Spirit of God in you can bring to you, here and now, the completeness of joy and of every other good thing, simply because the Spirit of God, *in you*, exists for that very purpose. Don't ever make the mistake of limiting God—will you?

Simplicity is the straightforwardness of a soul which refuses itself any reaction with regard to itself or its deeds. This virtue differs from and surpasses sincerity. We see many people who are sincere without being simple. They do not wish to be taken for other than what they are; but they are always fearing lest they should be taken for what they are not.—Fenelon.

No Use

A letter comes from a good dent-Member asking me why not call for a conference of all churches with the view of unifying them all under one great banner for Christ. The answer is simple. It would be useless to call such a conference. The wires would go unanswered, for the good systems of religion know that. I were to call such a conference, I should insist on all creeds, dogmas, and rituals being left outside of the conference room. This they would be unwilling to do. I should insist that only the Spirit of God be mentioned in that conference, and that, I would not be agreeable. The Catholic representative would want to introduce the virgin, and he would try to tell me that his church is the only one authorized to "act and testify for God," which remark was recently publicly made by the head of the Roman church. The Baptist would insist on talking about baptism, and they all would want to inject Jesus Christ into the picture. These are serious days. They are dangerous days. There is, however, one thing and one thing only on which all religions can agree, and that is the present existence of the Great Spirit—God. You just try to get them together, though, on that issue, and you'll find out that they all, with few exceptions, think a whole lot more of their creeds and traditions and rituals than they do of God. Just as long as that situation exists, it is quite useless to try to get the religions together on one common ground. The time will come when they will be glad to do that—but that time is not yet. In the meantime, we of "Psychiana" shall continue to throw the Power of God against Hitler, and we shall continue to bring to men and women, the actual Power of the Spirit of God, and we shall have to let the churches amuse themselves with their idols. Some day, they will be glad to come to us for the truth.

A religion giving dark views of God, infusing superstitious fear of innocent joyment, instead of making for sober joy, will, by making men abject and impair their moral force and prepare for intemperance as a refuge from depression or despair.—Channing.

Questions and Answers

If the story of the virgin birth of Jesus is not true, how does it happen that it has been believed since the time Christ was on the earth?

It so happens that the story was not believed in or even heard of at the time of Christ's supposed existence on the earth. It was not until the 12th century that the "virgin-birth" idea was broached. It was not accepted then and has not been accepted since. The Franciscan Catholics embraced the theory while the Dominicans rejected it completely. Never think that any of the traditions of the Christian church existed 2,000 years ago. They are all much more recent than that. The Roman Catholic church is responsible for every pagan tradition the Christian church now holds. As a matter of fact, if the Christian church is to be judged according to the number of its traditions which were held prior to its conception by pagan systems of religion, then the Christian church may truthfully be called a "pagan" system of religion. What we should do is try to find out what the idea behind all of these old systems of religion was. I think you will find that it was the revealing of God to man. About the simplest thing I know of. Yet it has been made a mystery by Catholicism and, instead of the Catholic church helping men to find God, it has very effectively hidden God's truths from the human race. Its race, however, is run. Men and women are on the high road to finding God today. Blessed thought.

Beware, Dr. Robinson, for in John 3:16 we read that God so loved the world, etc. If you deny the Lord that bought you, as the gospel of John tells, you are indeed a lost soul and hell is your doom. Are you not concerned about this?

Not in the slightest degree. I have answered similar statements in this column before. If I go to hell, God goes with me, for without the Spirit of God, life is impossible, and without life, the flames would not be felt by me. I would not put too much stock in anything in the gospel of John, if I were you. It is quite allegorical in its setting. None of the gospels of themselves are of more value necessarily than are any other writings of that day and age. They are quite anonymous. Even the titles were placed there by the Roman church, after a confab of bishops who had a fist fight when deciding which were "the word of God" and which were not. You will get farther, my friend, by speaking with God here and now. Let these old writings stand. They cannot reveal the Spirit of God to you. You yourself can have that revelation any time you wish through communion with the Spirit of God.

Why do you say the Bible is not the divinely inspired word of God? Where else can such beautiful thoughts be found?

I can show you many things and thoughts in the Bible which are not so beautiful. In fact the Bible is made up of thoughts. Thoughts are born in the brains of men, and all the world over, men have expressed their thoughts in writing. Therefore, it is

perfectly reasonable to consider the Bible a perfectly human compilation. I have never found anything in it yet which demanded that I believe in "divine inspiration" to write. No statement, no thought, no word which could not be uttered, spoken or thought by many men. All the writings which come to the race through men who are conscious of the Spirit of God IN THEM, are inspired.

Ques: Why do you use such startling advertising methods, if you know God and are a religious man? "Advertising Age" called you recently "the cleverest advertising man in the world today." That makes me wonder if the whole scheme is not commercial. Is it?

Ans: In the first place, I use the advertising methods I do because they are so successful. What "Advertising Age" says, I am not responsible for, although I think it is universally admitted that the success following this Movement has not ever been duplicated through the mail by anyone. I can write copy which will outpull the copy any other man can write. I can make a success where no other man could. My advertising is unusual, but I have an unusual message. The ability to write this copy is a God-given ability. I tried to write a "canned soup" ad not long ago. It didn't work. I can write copy for this Movement, because my whole heart and soul are in the Movement. Now, Doctor—you are welcome to whatever opinion you may choose to form regarding this Movement. Certainly you have never studied with me or you would KNOW whether I am in earnest or not. You can hear this Movement called almost anything you want to, and I just let them talk. I let the large magazines like "TIME" and "NEWSWEEK" say anything they want to about us. Just as long as they keep giving us free publicity, I shall have to thank them. If the time ever comes when they are telling the world what a "good fellow" I am, I shall feel that I have lost my influence for good. This is a non-profit religious Movement, and no one connected with it gets one penny in either profits or dividends. Now are you satisfied?

Ques: Do you believe in spirits?

Ans: Yes, if you keep them in a bottle and keep the cork in the bottle. The only Spirit I believe in is the Spirit of the Living God. The next question deals with spiritism and I will answer that in this question by stating that I do not believe in conversations with the spirits of the departed dead. If such a thing could be done, I most certainly would do it, though I never hypnotize myself.

Ques: Where does the beauty and the inspiration of these old hymns come from, if they are not inspired by God?

Ans: That's a good question. I've thought over that one many, many times, for there is beauty in those old hymns. They are all I ever play on the organ. I love them. I derive inspiration from them. They melt me. Do you know that I keep in my study over one hundred records of those old hymns, and I do my best work after playing them over? I think, though, the value of these old hymns lies not so much in the religious dogmas they extol as it does in their sentimental value. "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" has quite a sentimental story behind it. The melody is beautiful. I believe if

is the melody and the sentiment which makes these old hymns so valuable. You could change the words, and people still would sing them.

(Continued next week)

Hating Hitler

A Student asked recently why I hate Hitler. I don't hate Hitler; I pity him. I feel sorry for him, as I do not believe he is a normal human being. If I cared to hate him, I probably could find many grounds for so doing; but hate is not in my make-up. I love the whole human race. The love of God is the motivating Power behind this whole Movement. It could not have gone as far as it has gone without that deep-seated love, first for God, then for all my fellow human beings. I want them to get rid of false notions of God. I want them all to know the existent Power of the Great Spirit—God. I want them to get rid of foolish theories of God raising a "son" who had to be killed to save humanity. That story is not true, and the sooner we get rid of it the sooner will all men, Hitler included, know the peace which the Spirit of God brings.

It is unreasonable to believe that the Great Creator of this universe ever came to this earth through the womb of a woman, virgin or prostitute. It is, therefore, also untrue, for nothing unreasonable can ever appear in the Realm of the Spirit of God.

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Whenever it is necessary, this Magazine speaks very plainly. Many traditions of "orthodoxy" are shown for what they really are. Whenever we find ancient myth and superstition masquerading as being of the Spirit of God, we bring the facts to the world, kindly but forcefully. We believe the Power of the Spirit of God is abundantly able to step into this desperate and discouraging world picture, and bring a permanent peace. To this end we are striving, and as the Spirit of God reveals Itself to us, we reveal It to others without fear.

Members of every church are cordially invited to come and find and use the Power of the Spirit of God with us. An infinite love for all is the motivating Power of this entire Movement. Through this Movement the Spirit of God is making Its presence known on earth.
The Editor.

1,000 Planes a Day

"Henry Ford's assertion that the Ford plant could achieve an output of 1,000 warplanes a day by the end of six months, may be overly optimistic. But Mr. Ford's eccentricities are confined to peace ships and history. When it comes to industry, we listen and respect his judgment.

"Besides, it is the kind of talk we want to hear and have reason to be permitted to hear. With American industry geared to turn out millions of automobiles a year, it is absurd to have our government and even many of our industrial leaders shudder over the problem of producing enough airplanes to handle, in case of emergency, Germany's 14,000.

"The bald fact of the matter is that if the United States is still unprepared six months from now, it will be because our actions during that period have been indecisive, not because the facilities were lacking."

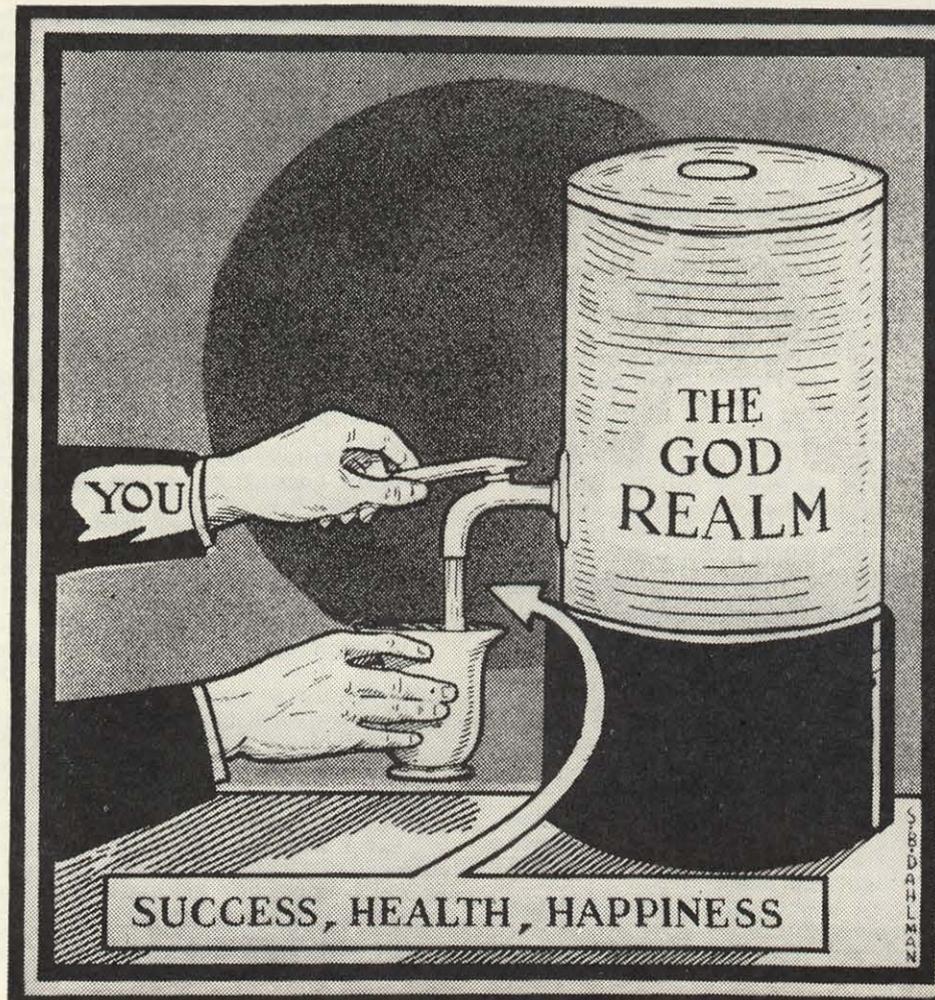
—Portland Oregonian

If this country is unprepared six months from today with the above

statement of Mr. Ford, there will be something radically wrong with the management. Mr. Knudsen, if left alone, and with the other business men helping him, will find the answer and, if we need to, we can probably put out 1,500 planes and tanks daily. Then let Mr. Hitler try to beat that. It's a pity that such things have to be, but until men and women recognize the Power of the Spirit of God, there will have to be such things, I suppose. I can say to every reader of this Weekly that we are now in the midst of the final clash between right and wrong. Right will win. If America has to get into it to stop such men as Hitler, let her get into it. Her very existence is at stake, as is the existence of every country which believes in God and justice. I can't quite see Mr. Roosevelt's appointment of a C. I. O. man on that committee. That does not look quite right to me. The A. F. L. should have been represented there, certainly not the C. I. O., which harbors such men as Harry Bridges whom Congress is now going to de-

port. I do not believe the President should have sent any ambassador to Rome, unless he also sent one to here in Moscow, Idaho. Nor do I believe in the appointment of this C. I. O. man, although I know nothing about him. However, in this time of national emergency, the thing to do is cooperate 100 per cent with whomever is President. If we don't cooperate with him, we can move him at the next general election. Thank God we still do that here in America. He doesn't believe in that, though. He likes dictatorship with all its horrors. Well, the people in Germany want a dictatorship—now they have it. I think 95 per cent of them would be rid of it if they could. Let's take care that it does not happen here.

Religion is not a method of life or doctrine—it is a life lived with the consciousness of God in it. There is nothing supernatural about it. The root of all human lives lies in God and the real, natural life is a life in which the natural man, the physical man, recognizes the Spirit of God in that life. Then the two of them pull together.



God Will Speak

If you want God to speak to you, you must keep quiet enough to hear the Spiritual voice of God, for that is the only voice God, being Spirit, can speak in. The Spirit of God is the Life-Principle in you. Therefore, you are, in you, all the Powers of the Kingdom of the Spirit of God. You may not know this, but let some emergency arise, and depend upon the Spirit of God within, and see how that Spirit works. You ask how do I know that? I answer, because the times demand it. Whenever the forces congregate together and whenever unrighteousness arises in the world, as it is doing today, you may be assured the forces of the Spirit of God are also getting together, too. For this reason it is God will soon speak. Be ready. Do all you can do in this Movement, and when the great time comes, your leader will not be lacking.

The Lutherans say they won't fight in this country is forced into war. Genuine love for God, the true God in us, is also genuine love for America and for humanity. If you know and love the true Spirit of God, you will love your neighbor. You will fight, if need be, to protect your loved ones. Maybe these Lutherans might change their tune if some raping German soldier entered their home. But this is not sure.

The Future

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They close their eyes. They visualize a picture of Hitler, then, with that picture in mind, they say, "The Spirit of God will bring your downfall." This is having its effect. This will cause the defeat of totalitarian powers. They cannot withstand it. Every day I, too, throw what is a bit of the Power of God I possess against these madmen, and I can tell you with absolute assurance of the Spirit of God in me, *they will come to their end*. Of course, it is quite useful for me to ask any church organization to join in this Movement of the Spirit of God on the earth. If I were to do that, they would at once begin asking questions at me, asking what I

believed about the "virgin birth," the "infallibility of the Pope," the "crucifixion" and the rest of their pet theories. You know what my answer to such questions would be.

The time has come for these religious organizations, if they want to be in at the Great Day of God, to lay these old superstitions to one side for the time being at least. Hitler cannot be stopped by any "belief" the churches hold, nor can he be stopped by all the "prayers" these churches offer; for both "belief" and "prayer" are unavailing when the hour has struck. The hour has struck. Believe you me, it has struck. If, however, I can get the membership of all churches to join in this great Movement of God on earth, these anti-God forces will not last long.

It will take the *actual* and *literal* Power of God to stop this thing—not "beliefs," which only rend asunder; not "prayers," which never get higher than the roof of the room in which they are uttered; but *Power*—that's what it will take—*Spiritual Power*—*the Power of the Spirit of God*. If that Power cannot manifest through man, what can it manifest through? If the churches choose their foolish dogmas and dividing creeds, in preference to the Spirit of God, what can they do? It looks as if I shall have to stand alone for quite some time yet. I have the advantage of knowing, however, that I have hundreds of thousands of good Americans who, every day, four times, are actually and literally throwing the Spirit of God against the spirit of anti-God. If the heads of the broadcasting companies will give me fifteen minutes free on the air every day, I will challenge the power of Hitler with the Power of the Spirit of God, and this whole United States will follow me. Even church members by the tens of thousands will join with me. Then, when it comes to a battle of the forces of God against the forces of anti-God, you know and I know which forces will win; for God is *Right*. God, or the Spirit of all that is right, still lives. All it needs is for men and women to realize that fact, *and use that Power*.

This is a spiritual Power. It does not manifest through the tank. There-

fore, *it must be used spiritually*. This, we of "Psychiana" are doing. The greatest stumbling block in our path is the organized church. What a pity. Even that will have to come to the day when it will lay aside its old bibles and its old theories of God, for these are all useless when one realizes that God exists here and now, and can be contacted and used here and now. Our whole job, beloved, is to exchange the dead "god" of religion for the *living Spirit of the Universe*. Let me ask once more that every one of you carefully do as I ask you, four times daily. Hitler can't stand against such a Power.

If the churches are successful in keeping me from the air over the three broadcasting companies, I shall make transcription records and go on the air, buying the time, if I can. I shall at once start out personally to raise money enough to do this. *It can be done. You and I can bring to the world the true conception of God, and the Spirit of God will accompany such true conception; and, through the Spirit of God, this whole world will be saved*. So then, four times daily, visualize Hitler; close the eyes; recognize the Spirit of God in you; and say three times, "*The Spirit of God will bring your downfall*," and watch him come down. I challenge the powers of darkness with the Powers of Light. Please help me in this all you can, and help me cut short these days of terrible suffering and disaster.

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I brand that story as tommyrot of the very worst kind. If these church organizations could even begin to duplicate what we are doing here and all by mail, this world would witness the greatest spiritual revolution it has ever known. The church, however, does not want to see a spiritual revolution. They want to continue to prate and wed to the church the piping pap of priests. They want to hold people down with the threat of purgatory and other unholly ideas which are religious delusions.

The main reason the churches do not like me is because I speak too plainly, but it is high time that someone began to speak plainly where the things of God and humanity are concerned. All this world needs to straighten it out is to actually know the Power which exists in each one of us, who knows we are created by God Almighty and because that Great Spirit still lives in us, regardless of what the churches teach.

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From Davenport, Iowa, comes a letter from a Student who says:

"If you will remember, I asked you for spiritual help last summer as I was almost choking to death. As you know, I got better at once. I want you to know now that I got along fine this winter and it is so wonderful to be able to breathe when the doctors could do nothing and said I could not live.

Thanks to God and you, my dearest friends."

I may not live to see the day when the world will know the fullness of the Power of the Great Spirit God, and again I may. I feel that I have planted the seed and it is growing very rapidly. There is only one result which can possibly happen, and that is that this Truth that we are teaching can not be stopped from leavening the whole world.

The church today is thinking and wondering why it is going the way it is today. It doesn't want to close up shop, although it may have to do just that. The whole trouble lies in the god the church has wished onto itself. It is afraid to take God at face value. It is afraid to give God a chance to be here and now, so it puts on a black robe, ties a rope around its waist, hangs a cross around its neck and tells you, "Just do as I say. Just support me, and when you die I will fix it with God so that you get a nice harp to play on and sprout a few pin feathers on your shoulders, but don't try to find God here and now." That is just about what the churches are trying to save with and it just simply won't work.

The religion of the future will be a present religion, worshipping a present God. It will have no thought for the future, none for the past, and death and sickness and all other undesirable things will ultimately vanish because the Power which created lives still and is abundantly able to sustain

that life. There is your millennium. There is your eternal life here and now, and not a church organization in existence has enough confidence in God to believe it.

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From an architect in New York City, Student No. 36-621, comes the following:

"I wish to thank you for the help I have received from your Lessons. I have found new courage and confidence and have succeeded in landing a job which is the first steady work I have had in almost three years."

Whenever a person recognizes that all the Power of the universe dwells in him, because the motivating impulse is the great Spirit of Life itself, the securing of a job becomes very easy. The great God-Realm has in it all the wisdom this world has ever known and if you, because of what you are, have this Great Spirit living in you all the wisdom there is in that Realm of God is available to you.

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From Rochester, Minnesota, Student No. 727-360 writes:

"I am getting along swell with my Lessons, and I am very glad to have found what I am sure is the correct Teaching for mankind the world over."

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This letter is followed by one from Davenport, Iowa, from a Student on West 16th street, who states that Mrs. Hall is convalescing nicely. "Thanks be to God." Whenever a person recognizes that there can be no illness in the Spirit-Realm of God that person also recognizes that if the Spirit which is God is the motivating impulse of every human life, there can be no illness in the physical body either. I want every Student to grasp that fact. To date we have been told that all we should be interested in is in looking for God some place beyond the skies. The new civilization which is dawning will be based on the existence of the Spirit of God not only among men but in men.

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From Titusville, Pennsylvania, comes a letter from Mrs. Tate who states that she is very much pleased with these Lessons and is getting wonderful results.

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From Quincy, Illinois, a good Student writes:

"When I started your Lessons, I was the most miserable person in the world, I guess, but it is different now."

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We go from Quincy, Illinois, to Reading, Pennsylvania, and we find a wonderful letter from Mrs. Trubey. We have had many good letters from this lady and every letter seems to increase her strength and Power with the great God-Realm. In this particular letter she says:

"I noticed the change, these last two weeks. Several things have happened which have made me very happy."

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Now we go to Brooklyn, New York, and Mrs. Chance says:

"This is to certify that I have received my third Lesson and it is the most wonderful thing that I have ever known."

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From Student No. 821-600 in Woodhall, Illinois, comes a beautiful letter which starts like this:

"I want to tell you of the wonderful progress I have made and still hope to make."

This lady goes on in detail and gives instance after instance of the invisible Power in her bringing results into her life.

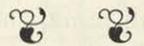
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Henry Ford

The other day Henry Ford, an enemy of the present administration publicly stated that, if given a chance and without government opposition he could turn out 1,000 fighting planes every day. The President replied that he would turn over the request to Mr. Knudsen, a competitor of Henry Ford, for consideration. When Henry Ford says he can turn out 1,000 planes a day, Henry Ford can. I suggest that he be given instructions to start at once, and turn those 1,000 planes out daily. Then the General Motors produce 1,000 tanks a day, and then, if Mr. Hitler feels like doing what he intimated "Mein Kampf," we shall welcome the attempt. By all means, Mr. Ford should be given an order for 500,000 planes, especially when he stated that he can build them at one-third the cost the government is now paying for them. Some eight years ago, I suggested that this country have a standing army of ten million men, 100,000 airplanes, and 10,000 submarines. Was I very far wrong eight years ago?

To be false in one's conception of God is to be false in everything else. The truth of God speak for themselves, and it is easier to be true to God than to be false. Once false to God, or once begin worship of a false god, and the life can not live as God willed it to live.

Tens of thousands of sermons are preached every Sunday, yet not a single soul finds God as a result of them. Better find the truth; then, go out and win men and women to God by the tens of thousands as we do here in Moscow, Idaho; and we need to preach a sermon.



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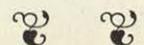
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Record

This is Monday, May 27, 1940. It's raining, and I have just taken the top of Students' personal letters which I have answered on the dictation into the Students' Correspondence Department. There were 496 letters, and to every one of these I dictated a personal reply. You will understand now something about the volume of my personal mail. In addition to answering this volume of mail, I have to write every article for *Psychiana* Weekly. In addition to this, I have to make arrangements for the financing and growth of the Movement, and still on top of that, I have to attend to 1,001 details every day.

Printing comes under my supervision; in fact, every branch of the Movement, including the national advertising, is under my direct supervision.

Today I tried something of an experiment. Fully 50 per cent of all letters daily tell of the wonders of the Realm of the Spirit of God and the benefits received through that Realm in the lives of our Students. No man alive, and no religious organization in the world can come anywhere near equalling the results for being attained in human lives, such volume as we witness them. Today I decided that I would keep track of the different letters and tabulate the results secured in those letters, or rather according to those letters. Bear in mind that I have never met these good people. I do not know who they are. They see my advertisements and reply to them. Certainly they are not going to write and tell me of benefits unless they have received them. Well, here's the analysis of one day's letters, and it's an amazing record if ever there was one. Oh, I wish we could fill the world with this amazing Power of the Spirit of God. I feel that soon some person is going to come along and give us enough money to really do something for God and humanity. It will be a happy day for me when that happens, I assure you. One does not need to be wealthy to help us; just send in whatever amount you care to, to assist us in this glorious work for God and humanity, especially humanity. God needs no one to help Him.

Now, as Al Smith would say, "Let's look at the record." Out of 496 letters answered today, 336 of them told of benefits coming to the Students through the message. Out of that 336, 289 used the word "wonderful." More than half the 496 letters, 301 to be exact, report the cure or disappearance of illness or disease, and seven of these were cancer cases. Thirty-nine reported increased finances, and over 300 reported that this was the first time the actual truths of God had ever been brought to their attention. Happiness, joy, peace, and an infinite love manifested through these letters, and truly the Spirit of God is being found and used all over the world every day in the year. Let us take the average for the two days. That would be practically 250 letters. Multiply that by 365 and you have 91,250 letters personally answered and signed by me in one year. Do you know of any other religious leader who can equal that record? Do you know of any other religious Movement which can equal these results? There are none. All the rest of them do is to attend church and listen to a sermon about Paul, Peter, or Jesus, together with something they were supposed to have said or done 2,000 years ago. As for me, just let me alone with my work for God through the Spirit of God; that's all I ask. I'll work at this till I drop.

The War

I am continually being asked how long this war will last. I'm sure I do not know, for things happen fast in these last days. Here is the picture as I see it. For a time, Hitler and his allies will carry everything before them. Then they will go down. *This war will not end until an entirely new civilization has been brought into being.* In that civilization, the Power of God will be the supreme dominating factor. That will not happen, according to the plans and ideas of any religious organization. *It will be a perfectly normal happening.* The whole human race will have had brought to it, through the "Psychiana" Movement, and whatever churches fall into line, an entirely new conception of God. Instead of God having been in the sky after having

been killed on a cross, the world will finally discover that God is where he ever was, and that is *right in the creation God made—man.* This, of course, is contrary to everything religion as we know it has taught, but this is true, nevertheless. There is nothing supernatural in the Realm of the Spirit of God. That Realm exists here and now, but because God is an invisible Spirit, and the churches want a visible God, they invented one of that type in the dark ages of the past, and remnants of such a God remain today. All this world has ever needed is the Truths of God. Those truths are coming to the earth entirely outside of any church. That is as it should be, for all churches are nothing more or less than monuments to an absent god.

I should say that the duration of this war depends upon how fast I can get these truths of God before the people. If I had now a few hundred thousand dollars, I should move very swiftly, I assure you. I believe some man or woman will provide that sum soon, or a lot of my Students will give smaller sums. In any event, the duration of this war depends entirely upon the speed with which the world finds out the truths of the Spirit of God, as that Spirit is revealing those truths through us to the rest of the world. One thing is certain—Hitler will fall, and great will be the fall of him. If every religious leader would face facts, and depend solely upon the Spirit of God, throwing away the foolish theory of God "crucified on a cross," the Great Day of God would come in so much faster. You must remember that I am but one man against about 500 millions; yet this Power we are teaching will win the world to it.

Simplicity is the character of the spring of life, costliness becomes its autumn; but a neatness and purity, like that of the snow-drop or lily of the valley, is the peculiar fascination of beauty, to which it lends enchantment, and gives what amiability is to the mind.—Longfellow.

Every evening at 9 o'clock p.m., Pacific Time, Dr. Robinson sits at the console of the pipe-organ and plays for you. Do you catch the Spiritual impulses? Try listening for them.

The Light That Failed

EVERY civilization which has ever amounted to anything has been based upon spiritual values. By that I mean it has taken God into consideration. I care not what sort of a god has been used, the idea of looking towards the Creator of inspiration has been at the bottom of it. When that impulse dies, civilization dies. We of the 20th century have been accustomed to look to the church for our spiritual life. We looked to it for satisfaction spiritually. We looked to it for God, and we were disappointed.

For centuries the poor blind trusting people looked to this church and to that. They did that until a few daring souls decided to investigate the story the church brought, and when that happened, we found that what the church is handing to us in the name of God, is what every system of theology the world has ever known has handed to it, in principle. Those of us who are poor benighted souls, knowing little about God, took the preachments of the church at face value. We believed the story of Jesus Christ. We believed that we were "born in sin and shapen in iniquity." We believed that "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son, etc."; and we tried to the best of our ability to cooperate with the church in our own soul's salvation.

Then we discovered that instead of the story of Jesus Christ being either true or original, it is nothing more or less than the religion of the Hindoo with a change, and not a very great change, in the identity of the "crucified god" involved. Then we were shocked. Regretfully, we cast the whole business aside. Our pride was hurt. Our feelings were stung. We lost confidence in everything the church said to us.

When we discovered that even the four gospels, upon which the whole structure of Christianity stands, are perfectly anonymous doctrines, and when we found that every fundamental of the Christian religion was taught by the Hindoo religion 1,400 years before Jesus Christ was ever

heard of, naturally we withdrew from any connection with the organization to which we had looked for bread, and had been handed a stone. *The light had failed.*

A pertinent question here, then, is this: *if the Christian story is but a copy of a system of religion which we call "pagan," where does the truth lie?* That is what we are interested in finding out. If the story the church has is *not* the True Light, where is that True Light to be found? Certain it is that if the desire for God is to be crushed just because the church does not know the truth about God, then this world is headed straight into disaster both internationally and morally; and judging by the looks of the world today, that is exactly where it is headed. Too bad, for if the church light failed, we can discount everything connected with the church.

However, is it too bad? Who can say that the truths of God are not to be found entirely outside of the theories of any church? We of "Psychiana" say that is the case. We know, after eleven years of seeing the Power of God operate in human lives, that such indeed is the case. All of which means what? Well, it means that this world can very safely discard the entire story of Jesus Christ as a copy of the story of the Hindoo "god" Krishna. It means that the actual truths of God will have to be brought to the world through someone else who has these truths.

Eleven years ago, the very things that the church is now admitting, were told by the Founder of this Movement. When he first made the statement that the whole church story was false and not even original, the world sat up and took notice. Warrants for the arrest of Dr. Robinson were issued. He was hauled into the Federal Courts and there tried on charges which, had he been found guilty, would have very effectively removed him from the religious life of the world; but he was not found guilty—he was acquitted, and that

brought on the next attempt to stop the mouth of our Leader.

Deportation was the next thing tried. That failed, too. Why? Was it just because the churches made so much to-do in Washington about the "man in Moscow" who was, they say, "a disturbing element among the churches," that the very highest political pressure was brought to bear to stop the mouth and still the tongue of the man who, if left alone, would bring to this world a *Light that would not fail.*

All these attacks having failed, the "man in Moscow" continued to tell the world that the story the Christian church tells us about God is not true. He tells that story today. He will continue to tell it until the whole world has found the actual truths of God, as those truths are being abundantly demonstrated today. If the church has a false and "pagan" story of God which it has, the truths of God are somewhere else. It was the duty of the Founder of "Psychiana" to find those truths. This he did, and as fast as he can, he is telling them to the world.

Eventually the church, and the Light that Failed, will have to do one of two things. It will either have to discard completely its foolish story of a "crucified god," or it will come down to ignominious defeat. As it stands today, it is utterly helpless when it comes to revealing God to the human heart. It never has been able to do that. It never will be able to do that with the story it has now, for that story is not true.

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