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THE GREAT "FIRST AID"

CHRISTMAS SERMON

By REV. DR. KIERSTAD.

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even to as many as believed on his name: who are born not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh, nor of the will of man but of God." "I am the resurrection and the life, he that believeth on me though he were dead yet shall he live and he that liveth and believeth on me shall never die." "He that believeth on me hath ever lasting life." "Christ gives unto men eternal life, and when men live that life it has worth and satisfaction for them."

Then, John takes up the question of the goal and meaning of history. That, too, is a problem often discussed. What is the meaning of history? Is there a goal it seeks to reach? An ideal it aims to realize? "And I doubt not through the ages one increasing purpose runs," sings the Christian poet but all men have not reached the poet's conclusion. Von Hartmann finds human history meaningless, one long delusion of the human race. At first men labored to find happiness in this life, but, at last, they saw their delusion and then they hoped for a future life that would bring the happiness denied here. But that, too, they learned to be a delusion and now they live and labor under the belief that history is progressing to a higher and happier humanity upon earth which the present generation may help to realize though they may not personally share in its good fortune. But the race is not progressing and the wisest thing for men would be to realize this also is a delusion and to resolve to end life by committing suicide together.

But John sees the whole meaning of history summed up in Jesus Christ. The world was made by him, and man was created for the purpose of the realization of his Kingdom, to develop the perfection of the Christ. "He was the lamb slain before the foundation of the world." The Old Covenant with its law of Moses was the preparatory stage for the grace and truth that came by Jesus Christ; and under the guidance of the Holy Spirit history has its mission in the consummation of the Kingdom of God in society. And what is true of the whole applies to the individual. Tribulations and trials have their place in the divine education. "These that are arrayed in white robes, who are they and whence came they? These are they that came out of great tribulation and have washed their robes and have made them white in the blood of the lamb. Therefore are they before the throne of God and they serve him day and night in the temple; and he that sitteth on the throne shall spread his tabernacle over them." Thus the enigma of history in the universal and in the individual finds its solution in the experience of faith in Jesus Christ.

John even finds the meaning and purpose of creation explained in the experience of fellowship with Jesus Christ. Since the advent of man upon the globe he has speculated about the origin of the world and of life. The philosophy of John's day divided upon the question. Some taught that the world was an emanation from the being of God, according to some through a hierarchy of intermediate beings; and others taught that the world was eternal and uncreated. But John states the view demanded by Christianity. "All things were made by him and without him was not anything made that was made." That word which tabernacled in the flesh of Jesus Christ was ever in the world; he is the source of all life and the meaning of creation. The world did not emanate from the being of God, but is the energized activity of his loving will, God created the world in Christ; the purpose of the world creation is the Kingdom of God to be realized in Christ. God made the world that man might work out his salvation upon it; and so the world is subject to the purpose of the Kingdom; it serves as a means in the education and perfection of the sons of God. Creation has its meaning made clear in Jesus Christ.

Thus in Christ all the problems of life find a practical and religious solution. The old theory of astronomy was constantly finding facts that it could not harmonize and one arrogant astronomer declared that had he been present at creation he could have given the Almighty some valuable advice. But the new astronomy took the sun for a centre and all the facts fell into a harmonious whole. So when Christ becomes a centre and one finds his home in the Kingdom of God all the problems of life get a practical solution. In him we find the character of God revealed, the worth and mission of life, the purpose of history and the goal of creation. And this view which Jesus brings is not a philosophy but a living faith. It is the Christian view of the world which is summed up in the text, "And the Word was made flesh and tabernacled among us." "Do you, my brother,

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