The King's Highway

An Advocate of Scriptural Holinesis

And an Highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called The Way of Holiness.—Isa. 3

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"Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies."—Prov. 31-10.

The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her so that he shall have no need of spoil. She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life. She seeketh wool and flax and worketh willingly with her hands.

She is like the merchants ships; she bringeth her food from afar.

She riseth also while it is yet night, and giveth meat to her household, and a portion to her maidens.

She considereth a field and buyeth it: with the fruit of her hands she planteth a vineyard.

She girdeth her loins with strength and strengtheneth her arms.

She perceiveth that her merchandise is good, her candle goeth not out by night.

She layeth her hands to the spindle and her hands hold the distaff.

She stretcheth out her hands to the poor; yea she reacheth forth her hands to the needy.

She is not afraid of the snow for her household: for all her household are clothed with scarlet.

She maketh herself coverings of tapestry: her clothing is silk and purple.

Her husband is known in the gates, when he sitteth among the elders of the land.

She maketh fine linen and selleth it; and delivereth girdles unto the merchant.

Strength and honour are her clothing, and she shall rejoice in time to come.

She openeth her mouth with wisdom: and in her tongue is the law of kindness.

She looketh well to the ways of her household and eateth not the bread of idleness.

Her children arise up and call her blessed: and her husband also, and he praiseth her. Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.

Favour is deceitful and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the Lord she shall be praised.

Give her of the fruit of her hands: and let her own works praise her in the gates.

TO MY MOTHER

"Oh, how can I, who am so slow of speech, Begin to tell what thou art worth to me? Try as I may, I know I can not reach

The height of praise that I would give to thee.

"How thou hast hoped—hast cheered—hast understood—

Hast had such faith, and kept it through each test—

Believed in me—inspired me to be good—Hast led me on, to do my very best!

"I find mere words are far too weak to tell Of thy great love, thy tenderness, thy care, Thy willingness for me to suffer ill,

Thy readiness my every load to share.

"All that I owe I can not pay to thee;
But this I 'll do, as o'er life's path I plod,
I'll be the kind of man that I should be,
And live to honor MOTHER and her GOD!"
—Selected

May I ask, "Is America safe in the hands of the type of mothers that we are now producing? Will this dancing, whisky drinking, movie attendants, cigarette smoking, nonchurch going, crowd of young womanhood, give to us the type of citizens that will save our nation from a catastrophe? Will this crowd of young girls who are now sowing their wild oats, having their fling, playing fast and loose with the opposite sex, defying God and the Ten Commandments, and living lustful lives, give us a safe citizenship for tomorrow?"

Hannah said, "For this child I prayed." Samuel was born. Will this army of twenty-seven millions of American youth, both boys and girls, who never walk inside of a church door for worship, give us children conceived and born in an atmosphere of prayer?

I agree with one of the leading writers of international fame, when he said, "The ship of Christian civilization is not going to sink in ten or fifteen years. It is sinking now." It cannot be otherwise with the mess we are in with the youth of our nation; and I am not a pessimist. I am a Christian optimist. Like produces like—"Men are what their mothers make them."—Herald of Holiness.

ART

Beautiful art can only be produced by people who have beautiful things about them, and leisure to look at them: and unless you provide some elements of beauty for your workmen to be surrounded by, you will find that no elements of beauty can be invented by them.—Ruskin.

CRIPPLING ONE'S INLUENCE

Some things may not in themselves be sinful, yet may tend to hurt one's standing. Even preachers often wonder why they are not in demand. But if they looked around a little and took advice well, things might be different. Let us mention a few "flies" that may have gotten into the precious "ointment."

- 1. Egotism.
- 2. Untidiness.
- 3. Undue familiarities.
- 4. Personalities from the pulpit.
- 5. Neglect in meeting financial obligations.
- 6. Unholiness and lack of family government.
- 7. Being hard to please in money matters. Brother, correct these, and as sure as you live, there will be an improvement all around.

 —Rev. E. E. Shelhamer in God's Revivalist.

FROM JEREMY TAYLOR

Earthly glory is a matter of clothes, of upholstery, of decoration; with God, glory is a matter of morals.

Half-truths are dangerous things, for it is generally the other half that gains the upper hand.

To secure a contented spirit, measure your desires by your fortunes, not your fortunes by your desires.—The Christian World.

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