

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth."
—ECCLES. 12:1

YOUNG PEOPLE'S PAGE

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IT IS WRITTEN

Scripture declares the Word of the Spirit is the Word of God. It is our invincible weapon against Satan and all his evil agents.

The Word of God is the weapon our Saviour used when Satan tempted Him in the wilderness. Jesus said unto Satan, "It is written." And when confronted with the Word of God spoken in the faith of the Son of God, Satan left Him.

If we are to be as victorious as He in using God's "It is written" we must have more than an intelligent conception of the Word of God. Ours must be a living experience of its power.

One reason Satan has sought to destroy utterly from off the face of the earth, faith in the Bible as the Word of God is because he knows it is God's weapon appointed for his destruction.

Satan is a defeated foe. His defeat can be actualized in our lives as we shelter ourselves, our loved ones, and all we have, under the Blood of Jesus, and resist Satan wherever we find him at work with—"It is written."

MOBILIZATION

Let God's people everywhere daily unite in importunate prayer for a latter-day Pentecost. Let us mobilize great numbers of the spiritually-minded people in this siege of the Throne of Grace. We must mobilize in prayer! We must agonize in prayer! The birth of revival is in the travail of God's saints.

More and more we can see the vital necessity and boundless potentiality of prayer in the power of the Holy Spirit. Get an army of holy men and women mobilized in desperate prayer against the evils of our nation and revival will not be long in coming. The times are calling us to mobilization in prayer! Forward—on our knees and in the Spirit's might!—United Evangelical Action.

LIKE A SPARE TIRE

So many people treat God just like the spare tire on their car—to be used only in case of emergency. As long as everything is going along well, no one pays any attention to the "spare," but when the puncture or "blow-out" comes, everyone is very much concerned as to whether the "spare" is handy and capable of helping them out of the "pinch."

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble," it is true, and thanks be to Him for the many times He has helped us in the "flat-tire" experiences of life. But it seems too that it is about time that people awakened to the realization that God should be more than a "spare"—that He should occupy the pre-eminent place in all our thoughts, words, and deeds. No life can run along well that has not learned the secret of relying upon Him momentarily for the grace sufficient for each mile of the road.—C. H. E. in the Missionary Worker.

BEAUTY COMPETITIONS

We hear a lot today about beauty competitions. Beauty may be judged in various ways and by different standards. How often the face and the form are admired. The hair and eyes! But not much mention about the feet.

Yet in Heaven's sight, and in the sight of humanity, longing at last for spiritual deliverance, nothing is more beautiful than the feet of God's messengers.

Captive Israel sees at last the messenger coming over the hills with the much-wished-for news of deliverance and restoration, exclaiming: "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings of good, that publish Salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth!"

You Sunday School teachers, you Christian workers take heart. Your feet are beautiful in Heaven's sight. They may be rough shod—but they are beautiful.

Gladly would an Angel from the golden streets of glory exchange with you, to walk the dusty thoroughfares of life with this Evangel.

May God make us joyful messengers with beautiful feet, while we pray:

"Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee."

—The Elim Evangel

Life for some folks is to sow wild oats during the week and then go to church on Sunday and pray for a crop failure.—Sel.

OF INTEREST TO PROSPECTIVE D. V. B. S. WORKERS

Let's make March special D. V. B. S. emphasis month—and have a large number of interested people enroll in a home study course in D. V. B. S. administration. It doesn't have to be March, if it's not convenient for you, but sometimes if we have a definite time to accomplish something we work harder at it.

Enrollment for 50c gives you mimeographed instructions to guide your study, with questions to be answered from the book. An examiner will evaluate the work. The price of the text is additional, but will not exceed 75c.

The course is offered by the Nazarene Christian Service Commission and should help anyone who takes it.

For application blanks write to:

MRS. J. A. MOSES,
Box 12, Winter Harbour,
Maine, U. S. A.

NOTICE

Did you direct a D. V. B. S. last year? Only a few reports have been sent to Mrs. Moses. At least send to her enrollments and schools held. The committee would like to publish a report.

I would give nothing for that man's religion, whose very dog and cat are not the better for it.—Sel.

A PRAYER

Blessed, mighty Holy Ghost,
Fill me to the uttermost;
Let my life thy channel be;
Just a channel, Lord, for thee;
Through me all thy fulness pour,
Give me ever more and more.

Blessed, mighty Holy Ghost,
Fill me to the uttermost;
Be it unto me, O Lord,

Now according to Thy Word,
Let the life of Jesus be,
Ever filling even me.

Blessed, mighty Holy Ghost,
Fill me to the uttermost;
Cleansed and Holy, pure and clean,
Let the life of Christ be seen,
Hold o'er me Thy gracious sway,
Every hour of every day.

Blessed, mighty Holy Ghost,
Fill me to the uttermost;
For Thy love, Thy light, Thy power
Just a channel hour by hour,
Till my Saviour's face I see,
Fill me, Lord, fill even me. —Sel.

Millville, N. B.,

Jan. 10th, 1951

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in Jesus' name from our Young People's Society here at Millville.

In the past year we as a group of Christian young people have grown much in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, and trust all the other societies have too. May we all at the end of this New Year be farther up the road than ever before.

In our services we have been having good attendance but trust in the Lord to give us more Christians in this year. We have been blest and our hearts stirred by the heart-searching messages brought by our president, Karl Garman. The purpose of this society is to let our light shine and win souls to the glory of God.

On Monday evening, January 1st, the Young People gathered at the parsonage for a social evening together. At the party we all joined together in a sing song. A number of games was played after which a number of gospel readings were read, and the Owens trio sang hymns. At the close of the party we all joined in singing the hymn, 'Blest be the Tie that Binds,' after which our pastor, Rev. J. A. Owens, dismissed us with prayer.

Although I am a little late I wish to take the opportunity on behalf of our Young People's Society to wish you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Yours in Christ,
ANNA M. CROUSE (Reporter)

PRAYERLESSNESS

Perhaps this is our greatest failure!
How terribly prayerless we are! In the light of the urgency of our need, in the light of all the promises of God to those who pray, how slow we are to do so! How much time do we spend in prayer each day? Nor is it the quantity of prayer that is important; it is the quality. The word the prophet used is suggestive of this. "Stirreth up himself to take hold of Thee (God)."

God is waiting to break forth and only looking for His people to stir themselves to earnest, passionate, agonizing prayer—"Oh, that Thou wouldst rend the heavens, that Thou wouldst come down." And, of course, the confession, if it is true, carries with it a holy determination to put all wrong things right; otherwise the confession is a mockery.

—Revival Echoes.