



The Young Highway

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"Let No Man Despise Thy Youth, But Be Thou An Example..."

— Editorial —

THE REVOLVING LIFE

About four hundred years ago Copernicus startled the world with his explanation of the heavenly bodies. Copernicus stated that (1) the earth is a sphere and travels around the sun; (2) the earth and all other planets rotate on their axes; (3) the stars are greater distances from the earth in comparison with heavenly bodies which show motion.

Perhaps the most revolutionary idea here is that the sun is the center of the universe. This would mean that the parts of the earth which receive light and warmth from the sun are those which face the sun as the earth revolves around the sun. That is to say, the earth exposes itself to the sun and receives many benefits from it.

As the sun is the center of the physical universe, so God is the center of our spiritual universe. Our lives are all somewhat different. We have different functions to perform, and our lives ought to revolve around God. It is as we expose our lives to Him that we receive light, spiritual warmth, and many other spiritual blessings.

We cannot stand still and expect our entire spiritual life to benefit from God's blessings. We must expose every aspect of our lives to God if we would cultivate blessings to give to others. Our earth is cultivated and exposed to the sun that it might produce products to bless the world. Thus our christian lives must be cultivated and exposed to the rays of God's love if we would produce a blessing for the world.

At Pentecost one hundred and twenty people exposed their lives to the best that God had for them. His presence penetrated their lives. They were filled with energy from above. They went everywhere preaching the word of God. Their lives revolved around the Christ. From Him they drew new strength and power. From Him they received light and love. It was the presence of the Christ in the center of His followers which gave them greatness and success.

LETTER FROM FREDERICTON

Dear Highway Friends:

Greetings in Jesus name from Fredericton Young People's Society.

We are happy to report that we have a real spiritual group of Young People, who are out to serve the Lord. Because of this, our services this year have been of a high Spiritual tone. The services have featured such programs as Guest Speaker, Films, Local talent, Contests, Quizzes, Gospel Airlines and many others features.

It is with great eagerness that we are working in preparation for the Denominational Quiz. We are preparing to challenge all Societies.

Our aim and Prayer for this year is more Young People for Christ.

Yours in Him,
Eugene Hudson

YOUTH RALLY PLANNED FOR HALIFAX

The Halifax Society is having a youth rally March 10-13, with Gary Lyons, Yarmouth, N. S. as special speaker.

The King's Highway

— Guest Editorial —

ON BEING STABLE

By Rev. M. W. Bagley

Often young people are accused of being as unstable as the wind, or just plain flighty. These accusations are not without some grounds, for youth is probably the most turbulent period of life. There is the matter of making adjustments, finding oneself and growing up, none of which are simple.

The fact that one is a Christian will not exempt him from the social pressures or from spiritual influences. Being a Christian will help one to maintain his equilibrium in spite of the powers which may be arrayed against him.

There is nothing which will do more to bring one stability of life than complete surrender to the will of God. That amounts to consecration. As a result of our consecration, God will do a work of grace that will expel the here-to-fore uncontrolled passions which brought with them instability. This work of grace is the crisis experience of Sanctification. Without His grace one will be unsettled and unstable. However, with it comes the groundwork for stability of life and character.

The experience of sanctification does not always enable one to immediately determine God's plan for his life's work, but it does put within one a "willingness" to do that to which God leads or calls. Uncertainty of God's plan is not instability, if there is the "willingness" to do God's will as it is revealed to us. Obedience to God's will makes one stable.

God's will is not dry and unexciting. The Psalmist found stability in God's will. He found, fullness of joy and pleasures, which he maintained would be forevermore.

Y. P. SOCIETIES ENROLLED IN BIBLE QUIZ

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| Barker's Point | Millstream |
| Beals | Moncton |
| Fredericton | Perth |
| Halifax | Saint John |
| Island Falls | Truro |
| Marysville | Woodstock |
| Millville | Yarmouth |

BIBLE QUIZ BULLETINS

Halifax — 70 young people have been competing for a position on local team.

Yarmouth — 16 young people working hard to make the Bethany team.

Fredericton — a fine group of young people enjoying their Bible studies on the Gospel of John.

Moncton — a few young people studying hard to make the team. Every time we meet the remark is, "Ask me some questions"!

Millstream — only 3 young people to form a team, "But we'll have one" was the remark of the pastor's wife.

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There is a joy and gladness in the service of the Lord now that no other life affords; and its joys are pure: they leave no sting behind, no bitter regrets.

J. R. Caldwell.