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Influence of Mothers' Prayers

Hannah prayed for Samuel, and he became a prophet and a mighty man in Israel.

Moncia prayed for her wayward, paganized and ambitious child, and that child after years of dissipation, became a Christian; was made a bishop of the early church, and is known to the reverence of after ages as Saint Augustine.

The mother of John Newton, the hymn writer, prayed for him, and it must have been before he was seven years of age, for he lost her by death at that early period of life. But he himself tells us that he never forgot those prayers. He grew up to be a wicked man; a blasphemer and a "man stealer"—a kidnapper of slaves from Africa. In a terrible storm at sea, when every man was required to work the ship, he was missed from deck. A sailor was sent below to find him, and he found him on his knees, and heard him say: "O thou God of my dead mother, have mercy on my soul!" And God did show mercy.

The last hours of the venerable Dr. Nott were peculiarly impressive and affecting. Visions of his childhood home floated continually before him and the name of his mother was continually upon his lips; and the last words he uttered were the last words of prayer his mother taught him when a child—"Now I lay me down to sleep."

Says Mr. Spurgeon, "I cannot tell how much I owe to the solemn words and prayers of my good mother. It was the custom of Sunday evenings while we were children for her to stay at home with us. We sat around the table and read verse by verse, while she explained the Scripture to us. After that was done then came the time of pleading with God. And some of the words of our mother's prayers we shall never forget, even when our heads are grey. I remember her once praying

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Camp Meeting Edition

TEXAS CAMP MEETING, ROCKDALE, TEXAS, JULY 6 TO 16

OZARK CAMP MEETING, GRANBY, MISSOURI, AUGUST 3 TO 13

THE PRECIOUS THINGS OF GOD

(By Gail W. Schultz)

Precious; what a remarkable word! It has so much meaning; defined as having great price, costly, valuable in a material and spiritual sense.

Isa. 28: 16. I Pet. 2: 6-7.

The most precious gift to man is Jesus; He is our life, our hope, in Him we live and move and have our being. Acts 17: 28. He is the lively stone rejected by the builders, (Acts 4: 11), yet he is head of all, king of all and Lord of all. To them that come to Jesus, there is no fear, for that stone some day shall fill the earth. Dan. 2: 44-45. When He comes we shall be gathered together with Him. Matt. 24: 28. The precious Lamb of God shed His blood, most precious blood, I Pet. 1: 19. That we might be completely redeemed in spirit, and soul, and body. I Thess. 5: 23-24. A life of sin, a vain conversation, and traditions of the fathers all go and Christ becomes the center of our worship. We do not stand by our own power; he is our strength, and the great and precious promises of God gives us hope of being like him—having a Divine Nature, that seeks those things which are above. II Pet. 1: 4. I John 3: 1-2. Col. 3: 1.

Another of the precious things is the word of God. Samuel was known as a mighty prophet because he gave forth all the word that God gave him. I Sam. 3: 1-19. God wants us to honor His word; believe it, receive it, and live by it. Mark 1: 15. His words are our life and most precious. Matt. 4: 4. The word of God is precious seed, and those that sow the same, shall some day come rejoicing, rewarded for faithfulness. Psalms. 126: 6.

The soul of man is precious. Psalms. 49: 8. Often thrown carelessly away; willingly destroyed by the hand of sin, and spent without thought, yet it is precious in God's sight, in so much that when none could give to God a ransom for the soul, God sent his Son, Jesus, to save. John 3: 16. The soul is not to be gambled away in a wasteful manner, but to be invested in Christ, whose preserving power will keep that which is committed unto Him. II Tim. 1: 12. The future reward and glory cannot be compared to the small sufferings that we bear for his sake now. Rom. 8: 18.

Some men's thoughts are evil continually.

They were evil in the beginning, Gen. 6: 5, and are so now. Matt. 24:37-38. But David writes that the thoughts that we have of God are precious. Psalms. 139: 17. Think of God; His redemption for us, the value of our souls, and the heaven that we have to gain. Perfect peace is promised to the man who thinks these thoughts. Isa. 26: 3.

Those that come to God, must have faith. Heb. 11: 6. And that faith is precious. We that know Him are in a rich, overcoming faith. II Pet. 1: 1. This is a life of victory ordained of God. I John 5: 4. There may be times when this faith is tried, but that, too, is precious. I Pet. 1: 7. A tried and tested faith; a full proof of our love for God and His cause shall certainly be remembered forever.

For the natural things of life, there is a beautiful scripture, Deut. 33: 13-18. Jacob blessed Joseph and asked of the Lord; the precious things of heaven, the blessings of the sun and moon, which would give bountiful crops. The precious stones of gold and silver, wealth to them that hold them. All of these things may come to us, for the willing shall eat the good of the Land. Isa. 1: 19.

Even in death there is victory if we know Christ. Psalms. 116: 15. For the death of the saints is precious in the sight of God. His ways and thoughts are above ours. Isa. 55: 8-9. He knows that they rest from their labors and whether we live or whether we die we are the Lord's. Rom. 14: 8.

With so many precious words and promises from the Father above, it is easy to give glory to Him, and conclude that the best of life is to live for him, for this is the whole duty of man. Ecc. 12: 13. From a wise and holy God comes this precious way of living.

SOUTH TEXAS YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY

The regular monthly Rally of the South Texas Young People, met Sunday afternoon, April 2 at the Alief Community Church. Bennie Stanberry is Pastor. The meeting, conducted by President Roland Busch, presented a spiritual and interesting program with numbers from Alvin, Houston, Katy, Brookshire and Alief. The next Rally will be in Katy, Texas, the first Sunday in May.

REVIVAL, CONVENTION, MEMORIAL SERVICE PLANNED, HEMPSTEAD, TEX.

Evangelist Robert L. Parham, assisted by Joe B. Dewees plan a tent meeting in Hempstead, beginning about May 19. Many are expecting great things from the hand of God, during this revival meeting.

The last week of the meeting, beginning May 28 to June 4, there will be daily services at 2:30 p. m. With the special evangelistic service at night. Everyone should arrange their work and plan to be in these meetings. La Verne Johnson in charge of the music. For further information, write either Mrs. W. W. Chapman, Mrs. R. E. Feagin, Mr. Joe B. Dewees, Hempstead, Texas.



R. L. Parham

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Sunday, June 4, the birthday of the late Chas. F. Parham, which has been a day for many special meetings in memory of the one who brought to the world the Apostolic, Full Gospel, Pentecostal Message, and was Founder of the Bethel Bible College, where the Latter Rain first fell in 1900, according to Acts 2: 4.

Program for the day: Devotional service in the morning at 10:30; Basket dinner at noon; 2:30 p. m. different ministers will be speaking. Great closing service and Communion, 8 p. m.

Make your plans now to attend. Many will be there from all over South Texas.

WORTH KNOWING

The Bible was written by some forty writers. It was written in three different languages. It was written over a period of approximately 1600 years. Its writers were scattered over some eight different countries, and drawn from every level of society and education. In few cases did the writers have contact with one another or have access to the writings of one another. It is inconceivable that with such a background of human authorship, a book could be written with such perfection in unity, in purpose, in logic, in spirit, in power, except by the Holy Spirit of God.

Adam gave names to all cattle and to the fowls and every beast of the field. Let the evolutionists note that he called the Monkey—**M O N K E Y —not Daddy.**

PRAYER LIST

Mr. Otto Busch, Sr., Katy, Texas.
Mr. Ancil George, Perryton, Texas.
Mrs. Charles Gilbert, May, Oklahoma.
Dollie Stingley, Wellston, Oklahoma.
I. N. Trayler, Sunray, Texas.
Mrs. Cozetta Wells, Kingman, Kansas.
Mrs. Pearl Adamson, Tecumseh, Oklahoma.
Mrs. V. Peter, Pontiac, Michigan.
Mrs. Charlie Carter, Texarkana, Arkansas.
Mrs. Mildred Mast and daughter, St. Francis hospital, Wichita, Kansas.
Ella Lichlyer, Hazelton, Kansas.
Mr. Clarence Holden, Wichita, Kansas.
Mrs. Preston Smith, Port Arthur, Texas.
William R. Johnson, R.R. 1, Baxter Springs, Kansas.
Brother S. E. Waterbury, Katy, Texas.
Mrs. Rosa Eichman, Picher, Oklahoma.
Mrs. Pearl Adamson, Tecumseh, Oklahoma.
Mrs. W. H. Turner, Wilson, North Carolina.
Mrs. Albert Durham, Stella, Missouri.
Francis Leon Phillips, Valliant, Oklahoma.
Evangelist Tom Patty, Galena, Kansas.
Mrs. Ames, north of Galena, Kansas.
Mr. D. H. Neff, Strathmore, California.
Mrs. D. H. Neff, Strathmore, California.

A TESTIMONY

Dear Brother Parham:

I am writing you a line to tell you of my sickness. I have been very sick, but praise the Lord, He has come to my help; He sure is a present help in every need. We sent a long distance telephone call to Brother and Sister John Modrick, and he and Sister Modrick came up 150 miles to anoint and pray for me. God smote the disease. I am up now, praising God for His power.

Mrs. Ed Geyer

HEALED

Mother Lang of Detroit, Michigan, who is known to so many readers of our paper, has had a marvelous healing. She has had cataracts on her eyes and unable to see, but by the wonderful power of God she is able to see again.

Don't judge a man by his failures in life; for many a man has failed, whom God later exalted to the highest place.

METHODIST MINISTER GIVES UP HIS FAITH

Topeka Pastor Says Church Denies
Essential Doctrines or Hushes
Them Up

Independence, Kans., March 11—A Methodist minister from Topeka in letters to other clergymen at the Kansas Methodist conference, declared today his intention of leaving the faith because he was expected to be unfaithful to his ordination vows.

The letter was signed by the Rev. W. H. Werner of Topeka and received by all ministers of the conference attending sessions here.

It asserted "it is common practice today, in the Methodist church, either to deny outright the most essential doctrines of the Bible or to hush them up so that they drop into oblivion."

As examples, the protesting minister cited the virgin birth, resurrection of the body and the second coming of the Lord.

"Instead of preaching regeneration, I am admonished to teach the devil's doctrine that all men are brothers," the letters said.

"I would be happier with another denomination or group. This is a plain invitation to get out. I am heeding this last request of the church my father served as minister and to which I gladly gave nearly 18 years of my life as minister. May God help the Methodist church."

NEW SALEM CHURCH NEAR ROCKDALE, TEXAS

Evangelist and Mrs. Claude Pruitt have just closed a very successful two and one-half weeks' meeting at New Salem Community Church. The meeting was extra good; some were reclaimed, one elderly man in the community was saved and some received the Holy Spirit. The Lord healed sick bodies and everyone was encouraged to fight the good fight of Faith.

SAN LEON, TEXAS

Much progress has been made toward the building of the church at San Leon, Texas. They are ready to put the shingles on and it will be ready for service soon. The building has been paid for up to date. Brother and Sister Claude Parham plan to begin a revival in about two weeks.

Curtis, Oklahoma,
April 17, 1939

Apostolic Faith Publishing Co.,
Box 6,
Baxter Springs, Kansas.

Dear Ones:

We are glad to report that God is still with us. We always enjoy His presence in our hearts and in all the church services.

We have been pastoring the church at Curtis for the past twelve months. We feel that God is through with us here and is leading us into the evangelistic work. We have announced our farewell service to be April 30, 1939. After visiting Mrs. Regier's parents at Adrian, Mo., we are trusting God to lead us where He can use us best.

We have appreciated and enjoyed the visits and help of the preachers of the Faith while we have been working for God at Curtis.

We desire your prayers.

Brother Russell and family and Ina V. Crocker closed a two and one-half week's meeting here in April. We enjoyed having them with us.

Yours for the Faith,
Jacob and Rosalie Regier,
in care of H. R. Chitwood,
Adrian, Missouri

Editorial Note—Brother and Sister Regier have done a very commendable work in Curtis, Okla., and God has blessed their labors there. They are very capable and efficient pastors and evangelists. Any one desiring a meeting should write them at once.

Dear Brother Robert and All:
Greetings in Jesus' Name!

Robert, I am sending \$1 for the paper. You may send me three or four extra copies each time and I will hand them out.

I am sending you a few names of people that I think will read them and would be a help to them, too.

Robert, I am thinking of building a church house and trying to start a work here. I am asking God to first send someone here with a good tent that will be able to stay as long as God wants them to and try and help me get a work started here. This is a new field and I have felt burdened for this place for over two years.

I need your prayers for the healing of my body.

Your servant in the Lord,
I. N. Traylor

Dear Ones in Christ.
Greetings in Jesus' Name!

We are always glad to hear from you and enjoy your paper so much. If you should have any more copies of the March paper, will you send samples of it to these addresses? I gave them the February copy and I would like them to have the concluding of that article on "Spirit Manifestations."

Brother Peter has been helping Brother Raymond House in Lansing for one week meetings. Bro. Peter had an evangelistic meeting Sunday night with altar full of seekers.

I am sitting up one hour each day now. My limbs are gaining strength slowly. Continue to pray for me. God bless you all.

Sister Virgil Peter

Mt. Pleasant Mills, Pa.

Brother Parham.

Dear Sir—

Enclosed find the following report of the work here.

Revival closed on the Dressler Charge with 104 saved and ready for baptism as soon as the water is warm enough as they desire baptism in the stream. Elder B. F. Spriggle is pastor.

Arbogast Charge, revival closed, 20 saved. Rev. Clarence Yetter is pastor.

McClure Charge, revival still in progress at Bakers, 30 saved. Rev. E. E. George is pastor.

Beaver Charge, Beavertown, 10 saved, revival in progress at St. Peters with 20 at the altar. Rev. B. C. George is pastor.

Your Brother in Christ,
Elder B. F. Spriggle

Editorial Note—Elder Spriggle carries on an extensive evangelistic work in the state of Pennsylvania. Some of the churches under his ministry have dropped the name "Pentecostal" and adopted the name Apostolic Faith.

KATY, TEXAS

The Apostolic Mission at Katy, Texas, is progressing nicely and God is blessing in their services. The Sunday school attendance is increasing. Brother Robert Girouard, pastor.

GALVESTON, TEXAS

Evangelist and Mrs. Claude Parham are now in Galveston, Texas, holding meetings at the church, which is located at the corner of Eighteenth and Avenue N.

Placedo Junction, Texas

Dear Brother Parham—

Can you imagine how you would feel should you live in a place where there was no church? Such is the kind of a place we have been living in for about a year, but am glad to report that we feel God is about to answer prayer.

We are praying that God will put it upon the heart of some one desiring to work in a new field to come here. If you should know some one who would be interested I would like to hear from them as soon as possible. Tell them to feel free in asking any question they would like to know.

We have been getting the Apostolic Faith for the last few months. Needless to say it gets a hearty welcome every time. I am sending a small offering for the paper.

Yours in His Name,
Mrs. Ivan S. Norris

Dear Bro. Robert and Family.
Greetings in Jesus' Name!

Your letter and the paper received. Thanks a lot. We are now at Mannford, Oklahoma, in a revival with Brother Gail Schultz. We had a nice Easter service. People are praying through to God and large crowds are coming out to hear the Gospel. We are unable to seat all the people on Sunday nights. Help us pray for these people. We are trusting the Lord will pour out His spirit in this place. God bless you and yours. Best regards to all. Am sending \$1.00 for the paper. The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen.

Yours in Christ,
The Sutton Brothers

Dear Brother Parham:

I am receiving your paper and praising God for your Father and the Book of his life. I have one, thank God. My next prized possession to the Bible. Every child of God should read this book.

May God bless you all in your work.

Your Brother,
W. C. Vandenberg

Evangelist and Mrs. Millard E. Brown are now conducting a revival at 909 Knox Street, (west end), Houston, Texas. God is blessing their labors and all our readers in Houston should make it a point to attend these services. Rev. A. B. Stanberry is pastor.

Dear Brother Parham:

Just a word to thank you for the papers. We enjoy reading them. Enclosing a few names that would like the paper. Also a small donation for the paper. We need your prayers.

Love and Prayers,
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wooster

THANKS FOR INVITATION TO NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Boyle, pastors of the West New York Church located at Adams and Seventeenth Street, have a very spiritual church and all our readers that live close by in New York and New Jersey are invited to attend there. It will be impossible for Brother Parham to be in the East this summer, but hopes to answer the many calls as soon as possible.

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA

Evangelist Irene Dillworth of Skiatook, Oklahoma, and Miss Erma Smith of Webb City Mo., are in California. They plan a tent meeting at Stockton, Calif., expecting to be in California several months. All readers in Stockton and nearby towns desiring to get in touch with them can write, care of C. R. Dale, Rt. 1, Box 653, at Stockton, California.

Dear Ones—

A very good crowd was on hand at the young people's rally at Cheney, Kansas, April 17. Interest is growing and God is blessing. We were glad to have with us the newly elected Tri-State Young People's Rally President, Evangelist Gene Cornell and family also Evangelist and Mrs. Claude Parham. The next rally will be at Seneca St. Mission, Wichita, Kansas, on May 15.

The young people of Wichita and vicinity are feeling their responsibility and taking right hold. Also the older folks are helping with their prayers.

Pray for us as we labour for the greatest cause there is.

Yours in the Master's Service,
Donald D. Dibbens

P.S.—The Sutton Brothers and Joe Lilly will conduct a revival at the Seneca Street Mission in Wichita, beginning around the first of May. This will bring the Young People's Rally during the revival, which we feel will be beneficial to both.

BRIEF MENTIONS

Evangelist S. W. Ditto is now conducting a revival at Milano, Texas. We are praying that God will give him a wonderful meeting there.

We received a very encouraging letter from Brother and Sister Harold Williams of Buffalo, Okla. They are still fighting the good fight of Faith and expect to be in evangelistic meetings this coming summer.

Evangelist and Mrs. E. W. Dickson, are in a tent meeting in their home community, and God is blessing their labors. Everyone remember them in prayer.

Evangelist John E. Lawrence is conducting street meetings in Lubbock, Texas, and surrounding towns. Brother Lawrence plans to be at the Rockdale camp meeting.

Rev. L. G. Moore is now in a glorious revival meeting at Jackson, Mich., and God is blessing his labors.

Evangelist J. W. Elliott has been conducting a revival meeting at Cove, Arkansas, and plans to be at Chester, Arkansas, for some meetings.

Mrs. Fern Grabham states in her letter that the Apostolic Faith paper is getting better all the time.

Miss Mable Sexton of Santa Barbara, California, writes that she anticipates coming to the Rockdale Camp Meeting.

Evang. Joe B. Dewees is in a very successful tent meeting near Hempstead, Texas.

Brother and Sister J. M. Scott have been laboring in their home community for the Lord and God has been blessing. They plan to be at the Rockdale camp meeting.

Evangelist Beulah Clay has closed her meeting near Goodman, Mo., and has begun a meeting near Spavinaw, Oklahoma.

Evangelist and Mrs. Murphy Barnes and Evangelist and Mrs. William Yeakel are now in a tent revival at Three Rivers, Texas.

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thus: "Now, Lord, if my children go on in sin, it will not be from ignorance that they perish, and my soul must bear a swift witness against them at the day of judgment if they lay not hold of Jesus Christ."

Said the Reverend Mr. Guthrie, a Methodist minister: "Oh, how much I owe to my mother's prayer! There is an hour in my life never to be forgotten—when I followed her softly upstairs, out of curiosity to learn where she went so often and for what purpose, and I heard her, on bended knee, 'O God, have mercy on my wayward boy.'"

And what more shall we say? For the time would fail us to tell of the mother of the Wesleys; of Wilberforce; of Edwards and of others.

"We may forget her melting prayer,
While leaping pulses madly fly!
But in the still, unbroken air
Her gentle tones come stealing by,
And years and sin and manhood flee
And leave us at our mother's knee."

The Creator did not place us in this world to be at the mercy of poverty or disease. We are not mere puppets tossed about by cruel fate; there is a divinity within us which can drive out of our lives poverty, disease, hereditary taints and all other unfortunate conditions.

TRI-STATE YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY

The last Tri-State Young People's Rally was held at the Full Gospel Mission, Joplin, Mo., on April 10. Evangelist Ralph Durham was in charge of the service.

There was a good representation from Granby, Webb City, Galena, Fifth Street Mission and Bethel Community Church, both of Baxter. Ministers present were: Ben Barker, H. L. Watkins, Tica Tabor, E. W. Dickson, William Yeakel, Gene Cornell, Robert Parham, Claude Parham, Harold Mills and Ralph Durham.

New officers were elected, namely: Evangelist Gene Cornell, president; Annabelle Daniels of Granby, Mo.; vice-president and secretary, Pauline Parham. The next Rally will be held on May 8, at the Spring Grove Mission, in Galena, Kansas.

ALL DAY MEETING

An all day meeting was held in the Legion Hall in Rosemead, California. The day was one of real spiritual feasting in songs, testimonies and the preaching of God's word.

Brother Williams from Norwalk, spoke in the morning service, Brother Wilfred Parham from Santa Ana, in the afternoon, and Brother Webster of Los Angeles, in the evening. Several were definitely touched and healed and everyone present was blessed and encouraged to press forward.

At noon all spread their basket dinners on tables under the trees and enjoyed Christian fellowship while breaking bread together.

There were thirteen ministers present, namely: Sister Downing, Sister Lee, Sister Hattie Ostrander, Brother Williams, Brother W. C. Parham, Brother James Davis, Brother and Sister Robert Johnson, Brother and Sister Webster, Brother and Sister Philbert and Sister Myrtle Davis.

There were delegates from Riverside, Corona, Monterey Park, Fullerton, Long Beach, Belvedere Gardens, Montebello Park, Los Angeles and Glendale.

Brother and Sister Robert Johnson assisted by Brother and Sister Reuben Davis, are in charge of the work in Rosemead.

MANNFORD, OKLAHOMA

The Lord is great and greatly to be praised. For the past four weeks the Faith Tabernacle at Mannford has been in a revival. Brother Gail W. Schultz, evangelist, assisted by the Sutton Brothers and Brother Joe Lilly. The Lord blest in the meeting, giving us several souls and some deeper experiences. There were large crowds of conviction. We feel that the church has been greatly benefited by the revival.

Brother Robert Parham and Brother La Verne Johnson came down for one night. The building, which seats about three hundred people, was filled to the doors. The gracious meeting was appreciated by all.

Regular services are conducted on Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday. We have a growing Sunday school.

Homer G. Sutton, Pastor

CONTRASTS OF CHRIST

AND ANTI-CHRISTS

- 1.—CHRIST came from above—John 6: 38.
Anti-Christ ascends from **The Pit**—
Rev. 11: 7.
- 2.—CHRIST came in His Father's Name—
John 5: 43.
Anti-Christ comes in His **own** name—
John 5: 43.
- 3.—CHRIST **humbled Himself**—Phil 2: 8.
Anti-Christ **Exalts** himself—II Thess.
2: 4.
- 4.—CHRIST **Despised**—Isa. 53: 3, Luke
23: 18.
Anti-Christ **Admired**—Rev. 13: 3-4.
- 5.—CHRIST **Exalted**—Phil. 2: 9.
Anti-Christ **cast down to hell**—Isa. 14:
14-15.
- 6.—CHRIST to do his Father's will—John
6: 38.
Anti-Christ to do his **own** will.—Dan.
8: 24.
- 7.—CHRIST came to **Save**—Luke 19:10.
Anti-Christ comes to **Destroy**—Dan.
8: 24.
- 8.—CHRIST is the **Good Shepherd** — John
10: 4-5.
Anti-Christ is the **Idol (evil) Shepherd**
—Zach. 11: 16-17.
- 9.—CHRIST is the **"True Vine"** — John
15: 1.
Anti-Christ is the **"Vine of the Earth."**
Rev. 14: 18.
- 10.—CHRIST is the **"Truth"**—John 14: 6.
Anti-Christ is the **Lie**—II Thess. 2: 11.
- 11.—CHRIST is the **"Holy One"** — Mark
1: 24.
Anti-Christ is the **"Lawless One"** — II
Thess. 2: 8.
- 12.—CHRIST is the **"Man of Sorrows."**—Isa.
53: 3.
Anti-Christ is the **"Man of Sin"** — II
Thess. 2: 3.
- 13.—CHRIST is the **"Son of God"** — Luke
1: 35.
Anti-Christ is the **"Son of Perdition"**
II Thess. 2: 3.
- 14.—CHRIST **"The Mystery of Godliness"** is
God manifest in the flesh.—I Tim.
3: 16.
Anti-Christ **"The Mystery of Iniquity"**
II Thess. 2: 7.

CAMP MEETINGS

Letters and reports are coming in from far and near from ministers and lay members, who are making their plans to attend camp meeting this summer. The interest for the coming camp meetings are the greatest ever manifested. We feel that many see the nearness of the coming of the Lord, is the reason they have such a great desire to gather together and deepen their lives in the Lord. Truly everyone should make every effort to attend camp meeting this year, as we may not be privileged to have many more camp meetings. When we see the war clouds hanging over Europe and also our beloved homeland. We feel that everyone would be more than repaid for time and effort put forward to attend camp meeting. **PLAN NOW TO ATTEND.**

**TEXAS STATE CAMP MEETING,
ROCKDALE, TEXAS,
JULY 6 TO 16**

The Texas Camp Meeting anticipates a great time of fellowship, Bible study, and spiritual feasting. Special music and a great gathering of young people. Evangelist Robert L. Parham in charge.

**OZARK CAMP MEETING,
GRANBY, MISSOURI,
AUGUST 3 TO 13**

Much interest is being manifested and many are expecting great things from the hand of God. Everyone should remember the dates and make your plans to attend. Evangelist Ralph Durham and Evangelist Albert Durham, in charge.

DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that the Bible is still the best seller in Germany? In the six years under Hitler, Germany bought more Bibles annually by 200,000 than they did the Hitler book, "Mein Kampf."

Did you know that, in the United States, 39 per cent attend church regularly, 14 per cent occasionally, and 47 per cent seldom, if ever, go to church?

Did you know that Hitler, by his opposition to Christianity, has done more than any other man in Europe to put it on the map?

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Change of address, if any, should be sent to us promptly, giving both old and new addresses. This is necessary as papers are not forwarded. Please write addresses plainly.

It will be needless to say how much time and energy has been put on the paper, as those who have helped know a little of the work it takes to print, proof-read, staple, fold, wrap and mail out the thousands of copies since the first of the year. The circulation of the paper has more than doubled in the last six months. Scores of new people are becoming interested and the paper must continue to go out. Over 700 names have been added to the permanent mailing list this month. When a name is placed on the permanent mailing list, it is cut in a steel frame at the cost of 4c each, or the names added this month will cost \$28. Some of the new names have sent in offerings which is greatly appreciated, many are unable to, but we want the Gospel to go to everyone.

We merely make mention of this to let our readers know the work and responsibility of publishing the paper. We wish to graciously acknowledge the efficient service of Mr. LaVerne Johnson, who has given so much of his time to the paper. As we are about to enter into summer tent meetings and camp meetings, with this added opportunity to serve God and humanity will also come added responsibility. We earnestly request your prayers for the paper that it will continue to grow and go out from month to month. Please send your offerings for paper to Apostolic Faith Publishing Company, Box 6, Baxter Springs, Kansas.

Evangelist Albert L. Durham who is in a wonderful revival meeting at the Victor Schoolhouse, Logan, Okla., plans to close with the three services and basket dinner. He plans to return east, after the service there.

OBITUARIES

Mr. L. R. Scott of Wichita, Kansas, passed away suddenly April 3. Funeral services were conducted at the Hoover Orchard Mission, by Brother H. L. Watkins.

Brother Scott is survived by his invalid wife, three daughters and two sons. His daughters were formally known as the Scott Sisters' Quartet and traveled in the evangelistic work.

Kenneth Lee Sutton, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Homer Sutton, recently passed away. He was one year, 7 months and 20 days old, and was sick but a few days.

He leaves to mourn their loss, his father and mother, one brother, two grandfathers, many uncles, aunts and other relatives and friends.

Sometimes the Lord plucks a bud from his garden to bloom in glory and make Heaven more interesting. Let's look up and be ready when we are called.

Funeral services were conducted at Bado Church, by the Rev. G. A. Howard and burial was made in Bado cemetery.

Mr. Clay Hibbs, near Elmwood, Oklahoma, passed away from a heart attack April 19. Funeral services were conducted at Beaver, Oklahoma, April 20, by Rev. Jack Barker of La Verne, Okla., and Rev. Edna Mae Long of Perryton, Texas. Music by the Lamunyon Quartet, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lamunyon.

Brother Hibbs was a wonderful Christian character and loved by all who knew him. He will be greatly missed by everyone who knew him.

Reverend A. B. Stanberry and Reverend Bennie Stanberry are in the Tri-State district for a few nights' meeting. They were called to conduct the funeral service of Mr. Charles Crum of Webb City, Missouri.

Reverend Homer Sutton, who is pastoring the church at Mannford, Oklahoma, is doing a great work for God. He anticipates attending the Granby Camp Meeting, August 3 to 13.

It is anticipated that Evangelist Olen Bache-lor and wife will take charge of the work at the Full Gospel Mission, 1314 Main Street, in Joplin, Missouri.