

Book Review

A Thing of Beauty, Crossin, Little. Brown and Co. The story is founded on a great painter whose search for beauty led him to give up every thing for art -- family, friends, social position, career, and ultimately, his own life. He thus bequeathed to others a heritage of immortal beauty.

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COME TO CHURCH

Cremated
Comments
On Life
Lies

Cremated Comments on the Sunday School Lesson. The Great Invitation. Revelation 22:1-21, for Sunday, September 30. — The Rev. D. Carl Yoder.

The end is what counts most in life. In this life, it is a question of going in the right direction. To be assured of unspeakable great spiritual rewards at the end of life keeps one going in the right direction here and now under the severest circumstances. Keeping

in mind that this book was written especially for the indescribable persecution of the early Christians. It serves well for Christians of all ages. Being faithful to the end is a true Christian's slogan.

V. 1. "And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and the Lamb." The angel is speaking and portrays a most satisfying situation. In the earthly Jerusalem there was little water which is as needed for physical existence. All spiritual needs will be supplied from the eternal throne of God and his Son.

V. 2. "In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations." The language of this verse symbolizes the spiritual blessing and refreshment which proceed continually from God.

V. 3. "And there shall be no more curse; but the Throne of God and his servants shall serve him;" There will be no sin in the heavenly city, therefore no curse, as pronounced on our first parents when they sinned. Forgiveness and cleansing has taken place by the death of Christ.

V. 4. "And they shall see his face, and his name shall be written in their forehead." Here is the end of the quest; blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God.

V. 5. "And there shall be no night there." There none shall ever be weary for there is a fulness of eternal life, an ecstatic condition lasting forever.

Vs. 6, 7. "And I John saw and heard these things. And when I had heard and seen, I fell down to worship before the feet of the angel which showed me these things. Then saith he unto me, See that thou do it not for I am thy fellow-servant and of thy brethren, the prophets, and of them which keep the sayings of this book: worship God." Evidently John was so overcome that he, in his confusion, started to worship the angel who had given the vision. All people of all time have worshipped God — an experience beyond any worship on earth.

All colleges founded in the United States up to 1785 were founded by some church, according to the National Council of Churches. At the present time, there are 1,855 colleges and universities of all types in the U.S. Of these, 500 are Christian colleges; and of this number, 125 are independent Christian colleges, while the remaining 375 are church-related colleges.

There are two kinds of men who never amount to much — those who cannot do what they are told, and those who can do nothing else. — Cyrus H. K. Curtis.

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Sunday
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Two worship services are conducted each Lord's day at 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. "Our Appointment with God" will be the pastor's sermon theme Sunday morning.

The church choir, directed by Robert G. Welsh, will make its first appearance of the new season at the 10:30 service, singing, "Beautiful Savior."

Sunday school classes meet at 9:15 a.m. The adult Bible class will resume its studies Sunday morning at 9:15 in the church nave. This class is led by the pastor. "The Art of Worship" is the title of the new course of study. All adults are cordially invited to attend.

Saturday Bible school for all the grades meets each week from 9:15 to 11:30 o'clock. This Bible school is open to all children of grade school age.

The Walter League will hold a social and special meeting Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. The meeting begins with refreshments.

The Inter-river Zone of the Walter League, Executive Board, meets Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Parish Hall.

The Stewardship Council meets Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:15 p.m.

Zion Walter League Executive Board meets Wednesday at 6:15 p.m.

Sunday school teachers staff meets Thursday at 7 and 7:30 p.m.

Holy Communion will be celebrated next Sunday, September 30, at the eight o'clock service, and next Sunday evening at a special youth vesper. Announcements for both these services will be received by the pastor in the church on the hours of 2, 4, 5, 7, and 8 o'clock next Friday afternoon and evening.

The chains of habit are too weak to be felt until they are too strong to be broken. Cultivate good habits — like going to the Lutheran church Sunday morning, at either 8 or 10:30 o'clock.

Sunday is rally day.

9 a.m. informal family worship service, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school classes, 10:30 a.m. worship service.

Sermon: "This High Calling" Welcome.

10:30 a.m., worship service.

Teacher appreciation day. Anthem: "Lead Me Lord." Mrs. J. Clark Mayclin, director. Sermon: "Lively Stones." Come worship God with us.

4:30 p.m., session meeting, new members will be received at this meeting.

5 p.m., friendship feast.

Monday, 7:30 p.m., leadership training school, Zion E. and R. church.

Wednesday, 6 p.m., Westminster church, 7 p.m., adult choir. Mrs. Clark Mayclin, director.

Thursday, 8 p.m., church school P.T.A. "Parents Are Teachers Too" is the theme of the evening as parents and teachers of the Sunday School come together to discuss ways to better their child's spiritual growth. The skit "John Timothy Martin — Child of the Church" will be presented under the direction of Mrs. Robert Gay. Refreshments will be served.

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