

II Cor. 3:17 -- "Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is..."

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You Can't Fool God

You can fool the hapless public,

You can be a subtle fraud,

You can hide your little
meanness,

But you can't fool God!

You can advertise your virtues,

You can self achievement laud;

You can load yourself with
riches,

But you can't fool God!

You can criticize the Bible;

You can be a selfish clod;

You can lie, swear, drink, and
gamble;

But you can't fool God!

You can magnify your talent,

You can hear the world
applaud,

You can boast yourself
somebody,

But you can't fool God!

—Grenville Kleiser

† The bars of the church are sometimes so low that any old hog with two or three suits of clothes and a bankroll can crawl through. —Billy Sunday

THE BRIDGE

YOU'LL NEVER CROSS

It is what you think that makes the world
Seem sad or gay to you;

Your mind may color all things gray
Or make them radiant hue.

Be glad today, be true, be wise,
Distinguish gold from dross;
Waste neither time nor thought about
The bridge you'll never cross.

If life seems drab and difficult;
Just face it with a will;

You do not have to work alone
Since God is with you still.

Press on with courage toward the goal,
With Truth your shield emboss;
Be strong, look up and just ignore
The bridge you'll never cross.

In Days Gone By

On June 27, 1950, President Truman ordered the Air Force and navy into the Korean conflict following a call from the United Nations Security Council for member nations to help South Korea to repel an invasion from the North.

On June 27, 1844, Mormon leader Joseph Smith and his brother Hyrum were killed by a mob in Carthage, Illinois.

JESUS and ALEXANDER

Jesus and Alexander died at thirty-three,
 One lived and died for self; One died for you and me.
 The Greek died on a throne; the Jew died on a cross;
 One's life a triumph seemed; the Other but a loss.
 One led vast armies forth, the Other walked alone;
 One shed a whole world's blood; the Other gave His own.
 One won the world in life and lost it all in death;
 The Other lost His life to win the whole world's faith.

Jesus and Alexander died at thirty-three,
 One died in Babylon; and One on Calvary.
 One gained all for self; and One Himself He gave;
 One conquered every throne; the Other every grave.
 The one made himself God; the God made Himself less;
 The one lived but to blast; the Other but to bless.
 When died the Greek, forever fell his throne of swords;
 But Jesus died to live forever Lord of lords.

Jesus and Alexander died at thirty-three,
 The Greek made all men slaves; the Jew made all men free.
 One built a throne of blood; the other built on love;
 The one was born on earth; the Other from above.
 The one won all this earth, to lose all earth and heaven;
 The Other gave up all, that all to Him be given.
 The Greek forever died; the Jew forever lives;
 He loses all who gets; he wins all things who gives.

BECAUSE OF YOU

Is anybody happier because you passed
 his way?
 Does anyone remember that you spoke to
 him today?
 The day is almost over, and its toiling
 time is through;
 Is there anyone to utter now a kindly
 word of you?
 Can you say tonight, with the day that's
 slipping fast;
 That you helped a single brother of the
 many that you passed?
 Is a single heart rejoicing over what
 you did or said?
 Does the man whose hopes were fading,
 now with courage look ahead?
 Did you waste the day or lose it? Was
 it well or sorely spent?
 Did you leave a trail of kindness, or a
 scar of discontent?
 As you close your eyes in slumber, do
 you think that God will say,
 "You have earned one more tomorrow, by
 the work you did today?" -John Hall.

*I shall grow old, but never lose life's zest,
 Because the road's last turn will be the best.*

MAKE IT A HAPPY DAY!

Today will be a happy day
 If, first, you find some time to pray;
 If, first, alone you go apart
 From worldly things, and in your heart
 You make resolve to do your best
 And then to God you leave the rest.

For God will take the hate and fear
 Of yesterday and yesteryear
 And in their place, He'll make you feel
 The light and love He would reveal.
 Yes, this will be a happy day
 If, friend, right now you'll stop and pray.

CHRIST FOR EVERYTHING

Christ for sickness, Christ for health,
 Christ for poverty, Christ for wealth,
 Christ for joy, Christ for sorrow,
 Christ today and Christ tomorrow.
 Christ my Life and Christ my Light;
 Christ for morning, noon and night;
 Christ when all around gives way,
 Christ my Everlasting Stay.
 Christ my Well Beloved, my Friend;
 Christ my Pleasure without end,
 Christ my Savior, Christ my Lord,
 Christ my Portion, Christ my God.
 Christ my Shepherd, I His sheep.
 Christ Himself my soul doth keep.
 Christ my Leader, Christ my Peace;
 Christ hath brought my soul release.
 Christ my Wisdom, Christ my Meat;
 Christ restores my wandering feet.
 Christ my Teacher, Christ my Guide,
 Christ my Rock; in Christ I hide.
 Christ the Ever-living Bread;
 Christ His precious blood hath shed.
 Christ hath brought me nigh to God,
 Christ the Everlasting Word.
 Christ my Master, Christ my Head,
 Christ who for my sins hath bled.
 Christ my Comforter on high.
 Christ my Hope draws ever nigh.

I have only just a minute,
 Only sixty seconds in it,
 Forced upon me, can't refuse it,
 Didn't seek it, didn't choose it;

I'M FIRED UP FOR ACTION!
 THIS WEEK I'M CALLING EVERY CLASS ABSENTEE!



GOING TO SEE OUR PROSPECTS AND VISIT THE SICK AND THE SHUT-ING



OF COURSE I HAVE A CLUB MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT... AND GOLF ON WEDNESDAY



AND I'VE GOT TO CLEAN OUT THE GARAGE AND PUT UP SOME SHELVES AND WAX THE CAR.



MAYBE NEXT WEEK, LORD



DAD: PRAY ABOUT THIS PROBLEM

A small boy from second grade approached his dad and said,
 "Could we have a moment of prayer together before you look at my report card?"

Miscellaneous.

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*STORIES
*EVENTS
*VIEWS
*NEWS



WHAT DOES JESUS MEAN TO OTHERS

- To the artist Jesus Christ is the one altogether lovely.
- To the architect He is the chief cornerstone.
- To the baker He is the living bread.
- To the banker He is the hidden treasure.
- To the biologist He is the life.
- To the builder He is the sure foundation.
- To the doctor He is the great physician.
- To the educator He is the master teacher.
- To the farmer He is the sower and the lord of the harvest.
- To the florist He is the rose of Sharon and the lily of the valley.
- To the geologist He is the rock of ages.
- To the horticulturist He is the true vine.
- To the judge He is the righteous judge of all mankind.
- To the juror He is the faithful and true witness.
- To the jeweler He is the pearl of a great price.
- To the lawyer He is the counselor and the lawgiver.
- To the newspaper reporter He is the Good News.
- To the philanthropist He is the unspeakable gift.
- To the philosopher He is the wisdom of God.
- To the preacher He is the Word of God.
- To the sculptor He is the living stone.
- To the servant He is the good master.
- To the statesman He is the lord of all nations.
- To the student He is the living truth.
- To the theologian he is the author and finisher of our faith.
- To the sinner He is the Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world.
- To the christian he is the Son of the living God, the Savior Redeemer, and Lord.

Ask people why they have deer heads on their walls and they tell you it's because they're such beautiful animals. I think my wife is beautiful, but I only have photographs of her on the wall.