

"Character is better than intellect, strong living is higher than deep thinking."

—Emerson.

L. M. B.

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"Our doubts are traitors,
And make us lose the good we oft might win,
By fearing to attempt."

—Shakespeare.

N. M. J.

"The common problem, yours, mine, every one's,
Is—not to fancy what were fair in life
Provided it could be—but finding first
What may be, then find out how to make it fair,
Up to our means ; a very different thing."

F. L. W.

—Robert Browning.

"For He hath met my longing, with word of golden tone,
That I shall serve forever, Himself, Himself alone."

Isabel McCoy.

—Frances Ridley Havergal.

"Oh, fear not in a world like this,
And thou shalt know ere long,
Know how sublime a thing it is
To suffer and be strong."

Isabel McCoy.

—Longfellow.

"Laugh and the world laughs with you.
Weep and you weep alone.
For this grey old earth wants all of your mirth,
She has troubles enough of her own."

Mrs. George Bridgman.

—E. W. Wilcox.