

The Upward Look

Power for Service No. 13

"Now there are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. . . . For to one is given through the Spirit the word of wisdom; and to another the word of knowledge, according to the same Spirit; to another faith, in the same Spirit; and to another gifts of healing, in the one Spirit; to another diverse kinds of tongues; but all these worketh the one and the same Spirit, dividing to each one severally even as He will."—1st Cor. 12: 7-13 (R.V.)

When we are striving to make the highest and best out of our lives we will be anxious to be filled with God's Holy Spirit. This does not mean that we must all strive to become ministers or priests or missionaries. It does not mean that we must give up our lives to teaching the gospel. It simply means that we must strive so to live that we may be in constant harmony and touch with God. We can serve God just as faithfully doing our household duties, washing dishes, sweeping, mending; we can please Him just as much plowing in the field, milking the cows, working in the office or factory, as we can in the pulpit. We are not all called to be ministers or missionaries. Most of us are summoned to perform what may seem much more humble duties. God, how-

ever, can use our weak attempts to please Him in such a manner that thousands may be benefited.

Most of the greatest evangelists the world has seen owed their conversions, more or less directly, to the influence in their lives of sincere, earnest Chris-

tian world, for ages to come, would bear of their devotion and profit by the example they set. And yet God has given us a brief glimpse of their lives in order that we also may be encouraged to serve Him faithfully.



Education in Horticulture that Later on will Bear Fruit

Young people take naturally to new and up-to-date methods of doing things. Instruction to school children on modern agricultural methods is therefore apt to be as seed sown in fertile soil. J. Laughland, B.S.A., District Representative of the Ontario Department of Agriculture in Simcoe Co., Ont., working on this principle, is giving spraying demonstration to the children in the Collingwood High School. Mr. K. Stairs, assistant representative, is here shown giving a demonstration.

tians with whom they came in contact. These humble Christians may never have realized how great were the results that would flow from the example of their consecrated lives, but God kept careful track of it all. These faithful women of God, Lois and Eunice, about whom we read in 2nd Timothy, 1:5, little dreamed, as they served God in the performance of their simple duties, including the training of Timothy, that the whole

A most important part of our text this week is that portion which explains that the gifts we receive, when God's spirit comes upon us, differ, and that their character is determined, not by our desires, but by what He wills. A mother may long to be a missionary, but if God has called her to the duty of bringing up her children she will pray in vain for God's spirit that she may use it for missionary purposes. God wills differ-

ently. A man who has been given the executive ability required to enable him to manage some great business enterprise might prove a dismal failure were he to attempt to use his God-given powers in any other way. In Exodus 31: 3-5, we have a record of how God called certain men with His spirit and with wisdom and understanding in order that they might the better cut stones and carve timber for His honour and glory.

Thus it should be with each of us. If we are in doubt and have not already done so we should wait humbly on God, and as Paul did (as we mentioned in these articles a few weeks ago) ask "Lord what wilt thou have me to do?" We may have to wait for days and even weeks before our answer comes; but come it will, without fail, if we will but have faith and persevere and wait. Then, when once we are assured that the path in life which we are treading, no matter how humble it may be, is the path to which God has called us, we can go forward with joy looking for and expecting God's blessing on all we do and trusting Him to keep His promise that "no good thing will He withhold from them that walk uprightly" (Psalms 84: 11).—I.H.N.

Cheerfulness is also a great producer. It adds wonderfully to one's active ability, and increases mental and physical power. It makes hosts of friends, and helps us to be interesting and agreeable.—Success.



"Listen, Rose."

Bud reads:

"Madam, your own white hands are the first to touch FIVE ROSES.

"For nearly one mile it travels through "hygienic automatic processes—more "and more spotless.

"Till in a clear creamy stream it flows into "clean new packages, filled full-weight by "infallible machinery—sewed automatically."

"Goodness!" said round-eyed Rose.

Bud reads eagerly:

"Hand-proof, germ-proof. Every littles "bit of machinery is bright—polished like "those piano keys of yours. FIVE ROSES is "healthy flour, wholesome, none like it. "Unbleached, too."

"Nobody touches my flour—but me!" said Rose. Imagine such purity—get FIVE ROSES.

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Five Roses Flour

Not Bleached



Not Blended