

Choice Miscellany.

REALITIES.

If God, the Future Life, and deathless souls, Are not the most tremendous facts to us...

THE DESPISED FLOWER.

No one knew how it came there, that great, ugly sunflower, with its gaudy yellow blossoms...

In this garden were lovely dewy pink roses, red roses, yellow roses, white roses...

"You are very useless," observed a bit of sweet marjoram, "Beauty is nothing..."

One young lady—the sunflower thought—must be a queen. But her crown was of soft, fair hair...

They parent sun who bade their view Gold skies, and chilling moisture sip, Has clothed them in his own bright hue...

"Some one loves me," it whispered, and rustled softly from very joy.

But presently there was a shout and down the path came a curly-headed boy...

"You must be God's own flower, you beautiful sunlight thing," whispered the wounded fairy...

When the sun kisses open the gentians' blue eyes, both butterfly and fairy were gone...

There came down the hot, dusty road a barefooted child, with soft, dark, sunburnt eyes...

with the roses. But no—up—tip—tip came the whole plant, roots and all, and the next minute it was lying out in the road...

"Baby will get well," cried the little sister, clapping her hands for joy. But, alas! when the morning's sun shone over the beautiful garden...

She planted it by a little lone grave, and every day this sad little sister would come to pray—

"Please, God, take me to the beautiful Heaven where baby is."

One day she finished her little prayer and lay down with her arms across the baby's grave...

"And you are not pretty," said a pink lily, trying to catch a glimpse of herself in the fish pond.

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