PREFACE

The Story of Malcom Kirk is the last in a series of stories written originally to be read to my Sunday evening congregations in the Central Church, Topeka, Kansas. It is not an imaginary story, but has its basis in the living experiences of actual men and women of today. The author sends it out with a prayer that its message may help many struggling souls to "overcome the world."

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