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Adam Graeme, of Mossgray.

BOOK I.

THE HISTORY OF ADAM GRAEME.
To some kind of men
Their graces serve them but as enemies,
Your virtues, gentle master,
Are sanctified and holy traitors to you.
—As You Like It.

CHAPTER I.

Cur birth is but a sleep and a forgetting,
The soul that rises with us, our Life's star,
Hait had elsewhere its setting,
And cometh from afar;
Not in entire forgetfulness,
And not in utter nakedness,
But trailing clouds of glory do we come
From God, who is our home.
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The first thing that I can record concerning myse.f is, that I was born.

That I was born! I who now sit in this remote and solitary study, of whose mysteries my good neighbors speak reverently with doubt and wonder, encompassed with things immortal!—the everlasting elements without, the stream, the hills, the fruitful earth, twhich has been and shall be until the end of itime; within, with things of life, instinct gand inherent, fated perchange to live longer than this present world, the books of members book of God—that out of derkness and sleep and unconsciousness, I was born the book of God—that out of derkness and sleep and unconsciousness, I was born the seventating living soul, began, My mind loses itself in these depths. Strangely significant and solemn are the commonest phrases of our humanity; the words which veil the constant marvels of our miraculous life.

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But this of "he was born" is greater in my eyes, than that other of "he died." Say you, He died? say rather, He has changed his garments, has put off a fading robe, which by and by—perchance a time as short in Heaven's account as are those fleeting days to us—he shall put on again to work forever. But in yonder anxious house, in yender dim room, with life's plaintive music rising on his unconscious ear, in wailing and tears, its natural utterance, this wonderful soul began. By solemn in your rejoiding, ye new mothers, ye glad attendant friends; for this that hath come into the world shall abide forever, this new existence is beyond the breath or touch of death, a thing immortal, a presence which shall outlive the world.

I was born sadly, in gloom which none broke by the voice of thanksgiving, for the two greatest things of heram life mot in my birth-hour. I entered the world, a fit entrance for my long, clouded course; and solemily, in pain and grief, my mother went forth to the other country. My young, fair, gentle mother, of whom I think now as of some beautiful dream that crossed me in my youth.

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I dwell upon this pernaps too often, when I am sad—and I am truly sad too often, for I am alone; but it is surely well and blessed to preserve in the safe keeping of death this boly fragrance of youth. The years that have mossed her grave, and match be lood thin and child in my old veins, have brought no chance to her—she is young forever.

My father was a Graeme of Mossgray. In our own Southland district we are chief of the name, tut he did not esteem the traditional honor that belonged to the title—it was mere idle breath to him. The orincity. He labored without ceasing, for I know not what reason. I fancy there had been some ambition in him to accumulate one of those fairy fortunes, which very prosaic and ordinary men do achieves sometimes, though what end he proposed to himself in attaining this, I cannot tell, for he himself was becoming old, and I was nothing to him; even as the heir of his name he bestowed no regard on me; for the name itself was indifferent. He would have thrown it into the scale with any piece of merchandise, and known himself nothing the poorer.

But a spell was upon this fortune of his, so constantly pursued, His prosperity never passed a certain limit. It was as though some malicious spirit had thized with; but the man was a hard was any searcely knew him, though he was my father); and was susceptible to no grief but this. That discripline, wise as it must be, most hard as it is always, which strikes us through our dearest things, could not touch him except in those outward matters of wealth and mercantile credit, which to him were all in al; and on these accordingly the stroke fell.

were all in al.; and on these accordingly the stroke fell.
So heavily it came at last, that in his willful selfishness he resolved to sell Mossgray. There was no one living to plead for me, a child then, scarcely daring to lift up my spes in his presence, and for my right to this inheritance, descended from many upright fathers to whom its very name and local place were dearer than fortune. But death stepped in again to save for me a home—a home which hath been to me a blessed inheritance, a solsce in the midst of some evils—from other some a refuge and a shelter.

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I was a solitary child, allowed in this onely house of Mossgray to grow up, nejected and uncared for, as I best could. My childish memories are rich in dreams and printual presences, and over-shadowed universally by that vague sadness, which, dumb as it is, and quiet, is so pitiful in children. I remember how the leaves were wont to fall from the old eims and alders from the waterside, with their cerie and plaintive sound. I remember the low weeping cadence of the water—the disconsolate autumn breeze—and then comes upon me again the

blank childish heaviness — the cloud of chi.dish melancholy, that knew not how it was made sad, or why.

Mossgray had been a peelhouse—one of those fortified places which the exigencies of Border warfare, predatory and otherwise made so necessary in our district. A high, square tower occupies the center, with narrow windows, and arrow slits piercing its mossy wall, which has been of old strong in all needful capabilities of defense, and could yet be a notable hold, if our peaceful Cumberland neighbors took up their warlike trade again.

called real.

"Flank misgivings of a creature,
Moving about in words not realized,"
oppressed me on all sides then—but I had
no misgivings as to the beautiful olden
times—they were past, and they were true!

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Spiders are seven times stronger in pro-portion than lions.

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To give pain is the tyranny; to make happy, the true empire of beauty.—[Steele The luxury of doing good surpasses every other enjoyment.—[Gay.

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Trains arrive in London at 8:25 a.m., 11:40 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. [Norte.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.] JOHN PAUL, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 395 Richmond street.

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