 and I whispered to father, 'Is Jesus
God '?' Yes, yes,' says he. 'Sing,
"But I couldn't
"The hymn made me forget all about my picture of the country, and my
Pilgrim's Progress,' and It, a nd set me upon thinking that iny father and ldest child, that had lost the bones out of their leges, and got 'em a-growders ; and how it brolke father's heart and how it made mother work so hard; and I pitied them so, and I pitied myself so, and the pe
strong and hearty-

Leave, oh leave me not alone,
Still support aud comfort me!
but I could only whisper it out, and "You say you are sure He did?
Then I am sure a lady like you ought to know, and so I'll think so too. "After the praying and singing came And you did, too, ma'am, so I needn't tell about that. You say you want to member it all! It was a beautiful story. It told how sorry Jesus was for us when we did wrong, bad things, and how glad he was when we were good and happy. It said we must tell him al
our troubles and ail our joys, and fee sure that He knew just how to pity us, because $H$ e had been a poor man three and thirty years, on purpose to see how
it seemed.
"And it said we might go and tell him everything. I was so g
And when it was time to go home and I was beginning to feel awful about poor father's carrying me all that long, ma'am, and said you would take us in girl, with ! To think of your lett in o your oarriage like a lady !
" But it has al ways been so ! Some. thing bappening alwary
"I was so tired after mother put me to sleep for a good while. So I lay Ill the pay ver all the hymns, and did not know what all the preaching. ore. But I know now that it's say would say something to Him; and I aid, ' Please did You see me sitting angside of a real lady in a carriage with It in my hand? Did You hear her she would oten take me to hear preaching? And oh, please, have ou looked at my back, and folt sorry cor father and mother, that ther've got uch a ohild?
" My praying did not sound like the ministerls praying; but. Whien se poor o God like a parson.
"And now you say, ma'am, tbat po
had a little Lizzie once, that lives in heaven now, and that you love all sick Lizzies for her sake? And that you ar going to give me some of her books,
and all the nourishing food that she would eat if she lived down here! Then father won't have to go two miles for my beff-tea, and I shall grow stronger and may be the bones in my two legs will come back again (though the doc-
tor does say it's not in my legs), and I tor does say it's not in my legs), and I can get so as to help mother once more "But I hope there wont anything
else happen to me, for $m y$ head is else happen to me, for my head is quite
turned now, and I can't think. what makes me have such g 别 times, when
there are so many other people lying there are so many other. people lying
sick and sorrowful, and wishing the days and the nights wasn't so long. I'm
sorry I've made you cry, ma'am, off and on; and I suppose it's because my
name is Lizzie, and I'll be more careful next time ; and, please ma'ar, don'
give me all the things you sai you would, but find some other poo girl, that hasn't got any ' Pilgrim'
Progress,' nor any pictures, and that never saw woe folks a.crying over her maver heard any singing and prayin never heard any singing and prayin
and preaching, and that nobody ever and that she might dare tell things to God. Father says there's plenty o God. Father says there's plenty of
them, up and down, lonesome and tired, and hungry, and may be it will keep you so busy looking after them, and speaking such sweet worde as you've spoke to me, that the next thing you'll know, the time will all be slipped a way, and you'll see the shining ones coming
to take you where your little Lizzie is. "Being where your little Lizzie is "Being a poor girl, and, ignorant, I can't quite make it out ho some follh other. The way it telts and some anlong journey, till you come to a river and when you've got aeross that, you'r right at the door of the city, and all your ctroubles is over But cripples,
like me, can't go on a pilgrimage, and I spoke to God about that; says I, 'Please how is a girl like me to get there f' And it came into my mind
' Why, Lizzie, little babies as die whe Why, Lizzie, little babies as die whe they're babies, don't go on a pilgrimage,
but they get to heaven all the same. but they get to heaven all the same may be.'
"And may be they fetches up the
lame girls, or helps them lame girls, or helps them along.
should like to have one show me the way, if he didn't mind; and anotier go behind me, and cover my back with his wings; and I'd go in on tiptoe, and sit away up against the wall, where no-
body could see me ; and I'd sing, softly body could see
with the rest.
"You say you think they'll come fo me, before long? Thank you ma'am. But don't tell father. And if you ever
come here and find T've gone, tell him come here and find I've gone, tell him please, that L'll be sitting year the door
watching for him ; he'll know me from the res
about.
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"And now I humbly ask your pardon for talking so much,
won't speak another word."


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