
LIVING TEACHERS

The keen interest of living—if I could only give it back to those who have lost it! That is what Christ did. With splendid enthusiasm, sane zeal, genuine interest he faced that dead system of religion which had lost its power over life.

The tithes of mint and annis, the washings and the sacrifices, the hopelessly dead letter of the law—empty, its warm, vital spirit gone; into that world he poured his living, loving, eager soul, and it awoke! The Pharisees listened, Sadducees asked questions, lawyers debated great problems, the rich young ruler sought him out, men and women wept tears of real repentance and began to live new lives. Everywhere men awcke, threw the husks of a dead system away and be-