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resolution to fulfil your baptismal obligation, and I hope you will be found faithful; but can you undertake it in your own strength?

S. No, I cannot do any good of myself, for I have naturally no spiritual strength.

T. By whose help then do you hope to succeed?

S. "By God's help," whose grace is sufficient for me.

T. What do you mean by being called in baptism to a state of salvation ?

S. The being placed in such circumstances as to have all means necessary to salvation.

T. Through whose merits do you look for salvation ?

S. Through Jesus Christ our Saviour; for out of Christ there is no salvation.

T. What means should you use in order that you may continue in this state of salvation ?

S. I should offer up my fervent prayer to God "to give me His grace, that I may continue in the same unto my life's end."

T. Why is it necessary to continue in this state unto your life's end ?

S. Because he only that endureth to the end shall be saved.

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