

to present ourselves "unto God, as alive from the dead," that He may use us in the fulfilment of His own purposes of wisdom and love. Those who thus present themselves will be freed from the burden of self-imposed duties, and will no longer seek to order their own lives, to choose their place of residence, their business, their recreations, their studies, their companionships, or their service. Their whole being will be in happy subjection to the will of their Heavenly Father, and they will prove, in an ever-ripening experience, that the Spirit dwelling in them gives grace for holy living and power for fruitful service.

We refer you to the printed proceedings of our Yearly Meeting for information as to the interesting and important subjects which have claimed our attention. We acknowledge with humble thanksgiving that, in dealing with these, we have been conscious of the Lord's goodness, and of His gracious presence and guidance. We have gladly welcomed dear Friends from sister Yearly Meetings, and from various Mission fields in which we are especially interested. If we cannot personally share the trials and joys of those who bear witness for Christ in far-off lands, we may all uphold them in prayer. The presence of some of them is a stimulus to us in our Christian work at home, and we rejoice in the fellowship which enables us to realise that their service and ours is one.

"Now the Lord of peace Himself give you peace at all times in all ways. The Lord be with you all."

Signed, in and on behalf of the Meeting,

JOHN MORLAND,

*Clerk to the Meeting this year.*

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