

and loved seemed to be around me.

But suddenly as my passing out almost, my thoughts flew to my wife and children, and then I said: "I must go back to them."

And my beautiful angel guide kindly brought me back to my family. And then I endured untold agony, for I was so close to them and they could not see me or hear me speak to them. I remained with them through the trial they had to endure at parting from my remains which I loathed as something so filthy that I did not rest until I saw it put out of sight.

As I could not help them, and soon became aware that in my efforts to speak to them I only awakened a sorrowful feeling at their loss, I called for my guide to take me where I belonged, as death placed a barrier between my living loved ones and myself which I could not overcome.

She weetyly answered: "This barrier you will remove in time sufficiently to return to your loved ones without the sorrowful sensations you now endure. Time will wipe away their tears and you will be able to enjoy their company and even be able to comfort them in their thoughts, through the spiritual laws, in which you will now be instructed by the higher spirits."

My guide then led me to the most beautiful resting place. No mortal tongue can find language to express the construction or material forming my couch, or reclining seat. Its blissful comfort no mansion on earth, or even the mortal idea of heavenly comfort, has ever been able to equal in its restful purity from all evil surroundings.

Left alone by my angel guide I became aware of a sensation I had not experienced before and that was the feeling of regret over my mistakes in being ignorant of this beautiful world. And then my whole life seemed to pass before my mental vision just as plainly as though every thought, word and deed of my whole earthly existence had been written down.

Many events I had forgotten all about came sailing along in the bright light of purity and love, or darkened and sorrowful, when the event contained an error of judgment or an unkind thought, word or deed towards any one I had ever known.

Many times during this trying ordeal I called my angel guide and begged her to take me back to earth and give me an opportunity to purge my work of the mistakes I knew I had made in my efforts to enlighten mankind.

"No," she sweetly replied, "you must now remain until you are fully satisfied with your surroundings, and purity and virtue will make you free."

"I do not understand this," I replied.

"You will later," she answered. "You are now repenting of your errors. When you have balanced your errors against your true lights in spirituality you will find, I believe, that purity and virtue will show a balance over your errors of judgment that will open the spiritual mind you possess to the knowledge awaiting all pure spirits, and this knowledge will make you free to go all over the earth plane with the swiftness of light. Repent now and enjoy the blessings awaiting you for trying to overcome all