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Washington's Tomb.

WE give on this page a picture of the tomb of George Washington, at Mount Vernon. But there is in this picture another feature of interest.

If our little readers will look carefully at the two large trees they will see standing between these trees a figure of George Washington in his soldier's dress, with his sword by his side. Now, some may see this at once, while others will have to look a long time, and perhaps very often. When you do see him, you may be certain that you will never be able to look at the picture without his figure being the first thing your eye will rest upon. Now, let me tell you, that the artist who painted the picture intended that George Washington should be the principal object of attraction. Not the tomb, but *the man*.

So is it, dear children, with the Bible. Christ, the Spotless One, is the grand centre figure. But

He needs to be pointed out as if by the finger of God, and we need Spiritual eyes to see Him. Christ is in the Scriptures, both of the Old and New Testament, and this is why they have so much power over men. And yet it is with many persons as it will be with some who look at our picture, they read the Bible often and never see Him.

Jesus said, "In the volume of the Book it is written of ME." Moses wrote of ME. "Search the Scriptures, . . . for they testify of ME." There is only one *book* and one *Me* in the universe, —the Bible and Christ.

Dear children, have you seen Jesus? Oh, believe the Book, and trust the Saviour. You have all the reasons in the world for trusting Him. And remember that the Holy Bible will do for you all it did for the young child Timothy, and, like him, you will live a happy and useful life. The good will thank God for the help you give them, and God himself will give you a



TOMB AND SHADE OF WASHINGTON.

But | crown of glory that fadeth not away.