

when you sing? (Yes.) Let me see the keepers of the house? (Hands.) Can you find the two strong men that run on the errands? (Boy—Your legs.) Let us see if we can find the fountain. Have you something inside of you that goes thump, thump, and when you run it goes thump, thump? (Heart.) Can you find yours? (Yes.) Girl's heart is on the left side. Can you find the pitcher? Now let me see if we can find the golden bowl; put your hand on your golden bowl. (Girl puts hand on head.) Now, let us see the trees that grow white? (Hair.) Then has the king given you any house? (Yes.) Now, I want to know, has the king knocked at your house? (No. Yes.) How many think he has knocked? Let us find out? Does your Sunday School teacher say something every Sunday that means: "Now is the time to love Jesus?" (Yes.) That is the king knocking. Does your minister say something every Sunday that means: "Now is the time to love the Saviour?" (Yes.) Then the king knocked. There is another thing: when you go to bed at night, and the door is shut, and the room is dark, how many of you wish you were better boys and better girls? I know I do. That is the king knocking. What did you say you would do if the king would give you a house? (Let him in.) Jesus is knocking. He says, "I want to come in and stay with you;" and if you say, "Come in," then He comes in and stays with you. But there is another way that we know. I wonder who is going to be the first to read the verse? Now watch it and read it softly. (The verse was uncovered at the bottom of picture: "Behold I stand at the door and knock." This was read in concert.) Who says it? (The king.) Jesus the king, has He knocked at your door? (Yes.) What are you going to say to Him? (Let Him in.) Are you going to say, "Come in and be my friend, and I will be your friend?" (Yes. No.) How many will say to the king, "I will let the king in—let him come in and be my friend; I want him to come in." I would like to have you all say that. Now, hands down. Do you know where I found the story? (Yes.) Where? (In the Bible.) And if you go home you will find it in your Bible. Open the Bible to the last chapter of Ecclesiastes, and you will begin: "Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, when the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh in which thou shalt say, 'I have no pleasure in them.'" It is all there. Let me ask again, how many of you will let the king in? Will you be His friend to-morrow? (Yes.) And will you use these keepers for Him? How many of you will try to use your strong men for Him? Let me see you all stand together on your strong men. (They stand.) I would like to have you say with me something that I learned to tell the story from—something that a man wrote:

A wonderful house have I,
That God hath made for me;
With windows to see the sky,
And keepers strong and free.