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#### The Art of Living Together

A young woman is spending her life in a work which requires intimate association of many people who have high ideals, but who also have wide variety of experience and temperament.

This variety naturally leads to frequent differences of opinion, and causes different standards to be set up. The young woman recently put the matter plainly in a letter to a friend.

"Good, sincere and true as they are," she wrote, "it is hard for our workers to maintain a right spirit toward each other. We do not show for each other the reverence that we feel, and we do not feel enough reverence. It sometimes seems as though we were so constituted as to develop in each other just those qualities which compel the opposite of reverence. We suffer for it deeply, but it grows in spite of us. Can you not help us to be more care-ful and thoughtful of the touch of our lives upon the lives of others? It is a terrible thing to have a day ruined and our souls shriveled because in coming in contact with some one we allow that person to put us out of sorts, or we put that other person out of harmony, or both. I do not want to give you the impression that we are wranglers, for this is not true. We believe in each other and love each other, and love our work; but we are differently con-stituted and have different methods and tastes, and we are often unjust to each other without intending to be so. The fact that we suffer for it, and that we try to find a remedy, proves our desire for a more consistent life. Please send us some message, if you can, that shall be a help to us." Surely very many people will be touched by this appee<sup>3</sup>, for the case which it discloses is far from being isolated. If the person addressed in this letter could answer it wisely and make the answer effective, the answer would be worthy of a place in many a home, school and office, and in every place where people of varied training and attainments must associate for mutual ends. "No man liveth to himself." Even the narrow circle of the home life has its sevenfold tie, binding it to other lives-a tie that unites him to father, mother, brother and sister, and later, to wife, son and daughter. No one of these seven is precisely like any other, and this sevenfold cord is but one strand in the interwoven thread that binds us to our fellow men. It is not enough to learn how one shall keep himself unspotted from the world. Whatever answer may be given to this

letter, the letter itself will prove as good an answer as can well be made to many people who experience the same failure, but who have thought less deeply into the causes, and have prayed less earnestly for help to overcome a sin that so easily besets those whom God has placed together in the most intimate of earthly relations. When death comes, and those we love and respect are removed too far to be helped by our thoughtfulness or comforted by our penitence, we often begin to learn a lesson which should have been considered long before.

It is the matchless charm of the religion of Christ that He lived His life not only in purity and obedience to the will of God. but in sympathy, gentleness and patience displayed while He lived and labored among men. It was He Who said of kindness or of cruelty toward the humblest of the children of men among whom we must live and work on earth, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.'

**A Heaven of a Time** Little Helen had developed the habit of holding her thumb in her mouth, even while eating. The mother had resorted to all sorts of methods to correct the child, and finally, in desperation, said: "Helen, the first thing you kno, you

will swallow your thumb, and then what will you do?" "Well, mother, I should hate to swallow

it, because I'd have a heaven of a time without it."

"Why, Helen," said the astonished other, "where did you hear an expression mother, like that?" "Well-well," hesitated the little girl-

"I didn't hear it exactly like that, mother, but I thought it would sound better "

#### **Still Waiting**

The guest was a good-tempered if somewhat dull fellow, and his host did not wish

him to miss any of the good things that were being said at the dinner-party.

"Did you catch that last joke?" he asked the young man, whose face wore a cheerful but not too animated expression as the fire of stories rattled from side to side of the table. "The one about the place where they had two skulls of the saint—one when he was a boy and one when he was a man?"

"No," said the guest, "I missed that one. I'd like to hear it now, if you're good enough to repeat it."

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