

The High School Boy and the Ministry

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The High School boy of to-day should seriously consider the work of the ministry, because—

1. In no other profession does a man have the opportunity of speaking so frequently to his fellow-men upon the highest themes. In his own congregation and elsewhere, he is the recognized teacher of morals and religion, and never are people so responsive as when gathered for worship in the house of God.

2. It is the high privilege of the Christian minister week by week to lead the worship, suggest the religious thought, comfort the heart, educate the conscience, influence the will, and inspire the conduct of a whole congregation.

3. The Christian pastor has access to people at the most critical periods of their lives, and, if he is a man of God, with a warm and sympathetic heart, people will love him and trust him and open up their lives to his influence as they do to no other.
