Lesson XIV.

REVIEW

December 31, 1905

Golden Tert-Thou crownest the year with thy goodness .- Psalm 65: 11.

REPEAT—Golden Texts for Quarter. PRIMARY CATECHISM—Review Questions 57-64. SHORTER CATECHISM—Review Qs. 103-107. THE QUESTION ON MISSIONS—Review Qs. 37-49.

The Golden Texts

Suppose we go over the Golden Texts for the Quarter just closing.

In the first of these Texts we find the word "against." Repeat the Text. Would it not be a dreadful thing to have the Lord against us, as He was against the wicked Belshazzar. But be sure He never will be, unless first we are against Him.

"Encampeth round about." Why, this Text makes us think of tents and soldlers. But it tells us of some One who can keep us more safely than a great army. Who is it? Repeat the Text.

The third Text ends with, "We are glad." Why were God's people glad? 'Yes, He had "done great things for them." Think of all He has done for you, and you will be glad, also.

There is a very solemn word in the Text that comes next. It is "holy." Let us repeat it very quietly and reverently. Remember the Lord who loves us, wants us to be holy, pure in thought and word and deed.

What a grand word that is in the fifth Golden Text! It is "power." We all want to be strong. Repeat the Text. It tells us how we may be strong to do good and to fight evil.

Next, we have something said about, "All them that love Him." Love whom? What is said of them? How very safe those are who love and trust God!

"The hand of our God," in the Golden Text of Lesson VII.; what is said of it? Such a strong, loving, tender hand it is, so very gentle with the littlest and the weakest.

We are told something about "prayer" in Text number eight. What does it do? Yes, it "availeth much." But what kind of persons must we be, if our prayers are to do great things? We must be "righteous." always seeking to do God's will like Nehemiah.

"Take heed," says the ninth Golden Text. What is the rest of it? How careful we need to be, if we are not to do wrong, and lead others to do wrong with us!

A Golden Text with only three words! And only one syllable in each word! How easy to remember this! And how blessed to obey it!

"Blessed..hear..keep." Fill in the other words of this Golden Text. What a simple way to be happy! And it is a sure way: that is the best of it.

"My messenger"—what is the rest of this Text? Who came to prepare the way for Jesus? We should love and honor Him as our king.

The most wonderful word in all the Golden Texts of the Quarter is in the last. It is "Jesus." Let us repeat the Text, and keep its sweet music in our hearts always.

Lesson Hymn

Let us, with a gladsome mind, Praise the Lord, for He is kind: For His mercies aye endure, Ever faithful, ever sure. Let us sound His name abroad,
For of gods He is the God:
For His mercies aye endure,
Ever faithful, ever sure. Amen.
—Hymn 17, Book of Praise.



I HAVE LEARNED That God is Good to Me