

What of the one by whom offences come ?

What is meant by *if thy hand or thy foot offend thee ?*

What by *cut it off ?*

How must we regard everything that we find will lead us into sin ?

III. Friends of Little Ones. vs. 10-14.

What warning does Jesus here give about our conduct toward *little ones ?*

What reason does he give for this warning ?

Why is this a reason for treating Christians with respect ?

For what purpose did Christ come into the world ?

What parable did he speak to illustrate this ?

Repeat it !

What is said about finding the sheep ?

How is the parable explained ?

What Have I Learned ?

1. That it is real greatness to forget self and serve others.

2. That Jesus takes a deep interest in even the least and feeblest of his people.

3. That we should be careful not to hinder or discourage any one in the Christian life.

4. That the greatest evil is to lead others into evil.

5. That we must be ready to make any sacrifice rather than commit sin.

Feb. 19.—Matt. 18 : 21-35 : Memory vs. 21, 22.

A Lesson on Forgiveness.

GOLDEN TEXT.—MATT. 6 : 12. CATECHISM. Q. 61.

Introductory.

What was the subject of our last lesson ?

What did you learn from it ?

What rule did Jesus give for our treatment of one who has injured us ? Matt. 18 : 15-20.

What is the title of this lesson ?

Golden Text ? Lesson Plan ? Time ? Place ?

Recite the memory verses. The Catechism.

4. The Lesson Taught. vs. 21, 22.

Who came to Jesus ?

What was his question ?

How was this connected with the subject before them ?

Who is here meant by *my brother ?*

How did Jesus answer Peter's question ?

Why did he say *seventy times seven ?* (See Luke 17 : 3, 4.)

What do we pray for in the fifth petition ?

How did Jesus enforce this petition ? Matt. 6 : 14, 15.

What, then, is *the lesson taught ?*

II. The Lesson Illustrated. vs. 23-25.

What is here meant by the *kingdom of heaven ?*

What did Jesus say it is like ?

Who are meant by *his servants ?*

What by his taking account ?

How great was the debt of one ?

What did the servant do ?

How do men often think they can pay what they owe to God ?

How did the lord of this servant treat him ?

What does all this represent ?

What did this servant afterward do ?

What request did his fellow-servant make ?

How did he treat it ?

What did his lord say to him ?

What made his conduct so shameful ?

What did he do with him ?

How does the parable end ?

How must we *forgive ?*

What Have I Learned ?

1. That it is our duty to forgive those who have injured us.

2. That we are not to limit our forgiveness to any number of times.

3. That our forgiveness should not be in word merely, but from the heart.

4. That our own need of God's forgiveness should lead us to forgive others.

5. That if we do not forgive others God will not forgive us.

Feb. 26.—Matt. 19 : 16-26. Memory vs. 23-26.

The Rich Young Ruler.

GOLDEN TEXT.—MATT. 6 : 21. CATECHISM. Q. 62.