

thy cloak also. Whosoever shall compel thee to go a mile, go with him twice as far. Give to him that asketh thee, and from him that would borrow from thee, turn not thou away." In all these ways, Jesus taught that the best way to get the better of an enemy was to make friends with him and treat him kindly.

Jesus spoke of another common saying, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor, and hate thine enemy", and changed it for His followers to, "Love your enemies, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them that treat you badly, that you may be like your Father in heaven, who makes all to share the same good gifts, sending His rain and sun alike upon the evil and the good."

"For", said the Saviour, "if you only show kindness to those who are kind to you, what more do you do than others? Even the worst people in the world do the same. But you must try to be perfect, even as your Father in heaven is perfect."

### Questions on the Lesson

1. What did Jesus explain in the Sermon on the Mount? 2. What did the law say should be done to the man who had killed another? 3. What did Jesus say God would punish as well as killing? 4. What did Jesus say His disciples should do before they went to worship God? 5. What was meant by the saying, "An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth"? 6. How did Jesus teach His followers to act towards those who injured them? 7. What should they do for their enemies? 8. Whose child-

ren does Jesus say His disciples are? 9. What good gifts does God make all to share? 10. Whom should all God's children try to be like? 11. What is the Golden Text?

### Lesson Hymn

Our hearts, if God we seek to know,  
Shall know Him, and rejoice;  
His coming like the morn shall be,  
Like morning songs His voice.

As dew upon the tender herb,  
Diffusing fragrance round;  
As showers that usher in the spring,  
And cheer the thirsty ground. Amen.

—Hymn 189, Book of Praise

### I Have Learned To-day

THAT I SHOULD BE LIKE GOD

### The Catechism

PRIMARY CATECHISM—70. Which is the Third Commandment? The Third Commandment is, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His name in vain."

SHORTER CATECHISM—Review Questions 39-44.

### The Question on Missions

5. How are Home Mission fields in the Eastern Section classified? Into fields supplied by ordained ministers, by student catechists and by student teachers.

### SOMETHING TO DO AT HOME

Copy these words of Jesus, and ask Him to help you to do what they say.

**LOVE YOUR ENEMIES**