We need the Holy word to keep us on the right road of life, and to impress upon us the importance of the Christian principles, and to quicken our minds to the duties of our state in life. Yes, in these darkening times, we need the light of the word of God, and the power of the Holy Spirit to keep us on the path of righteousness and to guide us through the trials of life. The Bible is a precious book, and we need to study it, to understand its teachings, and to apply them to our lives. We need to be reminded of the promises of God, and to be encouraged to trust in Him. The Holy Spirit is our guide, and we need to be led by Him to do the will of God and to be obedient to His commands.
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REVIEWS

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The keen north wind propelled
Swift scuds the flying cloud
Light beset the north wind's fall
Fell the fallen snow

The ice-clad eaves drip slow
For glad spring has begun
And to the genial sun
The earth long tempests bleak

Through the clear sky of March:
Blue to the topmost ash
Swept by the new year's gale.

The crow's clamor: By the swift
"Here's the news!"

The willow's golden blood
Mounts the aether spray
More vital day! by day
And cast the maples now crimson through every bough
And from the alder's crown
Blew the long catkin brown.

Gone is the Winter's pm
Though sorrows still remain
Though eyes with tears be wet
The voice of our regret
We have to hear the sweet
Far fall of summer's heat
The Heavenly Father wise
Looks in the addled eyes
Of our unworthiness
Yet doth He cheer and bless
Doubt and despair are dead
Hope dares to real her head
And whispers of delight
This is the earth day and night
The overflowing raindrops by the door
Left upward sweet and pure
The red cate bell and chime
In the calm blaze of noon
By the lowly window's bliss
Will laugh the daffodil.

The grasshopper may be sown at any time
When most convenient from one to two bushels per acre is enough. It will do no good on low wet land.

REPAIR THE FENCES
This can be done at times when other work is not pressing—say after a rain when the ground is too wet to plow.

WASH AN ORCHARD OF YOUNG TREES
Greatly he favored by a wash of very strong soft soap or a solution of sal soda applied with a whitewash brush to remove many eggs of set. moss and mites. the looks of the trees generally.

SODA BISCUIT
One pint of sour milk, small cup shortening a teaspoonful of soda mix soft and bake immediately in a hot oven. For cream biscuit take a pint of sour cream and one the shortening sweet milk and two teaspoonfuls of cream instead of sour milk may be used.

GRAHAM BREAD
When making white bread take a quart of the sponge add a half cupful of molasses and stir all the ingredients together with a spoon. never knead. pour into a deep pan. wet the top a little and smooth then let rise bebe and bake...