

REMEMBER?

Nothing raises the value of a blessing like its removal, The testimony of this fact bears heavily on the memory of those in this area who lost so much just a year ago in the wake of the tornadoes that swept through northern Indiana. To us who escaped its fury we were affected deeply by sorrow and sympathy and, to some extent of our ability, at least, offered help for the victims. Such a tragedy as this should keep us aware of our present blessings, but it is generally true that all that is required to make men unmindful of what they owe to God for any blessing is that they should receive that blessing often and regularly. We all have a reasonable amount of health and strength, comfortable homes to live in, clothes for our families, and three square meals a day. We should not wait until a tragedy comes to appreciate and thank the Lord from whom all blessings flow.

"Giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ."
(Eph. 5 : 20)

TIME IS PASSING

A man of experience says: "Every day you wait, you lose. All my life I have been planning, and hoping, and thinking, and dreaming, and waiting. All my life I have been waiting for the summer, and waiting for the autumn; I have been waiting and dreaming;

BETTER WAKE UP AND GO TO WORK!



DO OTHERS KNOW I'M A CHRISTIAN?

Do you realize that your life is the only Bible that some people read? Are you printing it so it can be read clearly? Some of our lives are so full of smudges that some people couldn't read the first sentence.

God wants his people to be a peculiar people--different from the world. If we are different from the world in the right way, people are sure to know we are Christians. But, are we all different enough to be recognized as Christians by the people of the world? This lack of recognition as a Christian can be due to many things. Maybe we don't dress modestly or engage in the right activities, or maybe we aren't friendly enough. Be glad that you are a Christian and let other people know you are glad of it. We could also be lacking in our service to God and our service to others. Are we in the right state of mind. Paul said in Philippians 2:5 "Let this mind be in you, which is also in Christ Jesus." We should be using our mind to the fullest extent if we are to be Christians.

In order for other people to know we are Christians, we've got to live up to it and be a good example to others. This is one way we can bring others to Christ, by being a Christian ourselves.

Let's print our Bible (life) so it can be read word for word and understood. Remember, this is the only Bible some people read. Let's be Christ-like Christians so other people will know it and will want to become one themselves.

--Mary Wilson

A WORD OF CONGRATULATION

Comments of thanks are beginning to sift in for the good work the ladies are doing in the making and placing of tray favors in the Nursing Home and Hospital. Not only is this work uplifting to the spirit of those