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God Does Not Need You!

If you want to have a sound foundation for your spiritual edifice, get this notion into your head: "God is able of these stones to raise up children to Abraham." God does not need you.

If you neglect grace, someone else gets it.
If you lose the Faith, someone else gets it.
If you go to Hell, someone else gets your crown in Heaven.

When Arianism decimated the Faith in Eastern Europe, Ireland came into the Church.

The sound establishment of the Faith in Germany came during the Greek Schism.

Nine Millions of Indians in Mexico were baptized during the first fifteen years of the reformation in Germany.

There have been 1,800,000 conversions to the Faith in this country since its beginning. Let us hope that there were not more than that number of apostasies.

If you are a good observer you will see the Law of Grace working out here at Notre Dame.

Faith Need Not Be Lost.

You do not need to lose the Faith, of course, that your brother may find it. You can't hand it over. God disposes graces. Grace comes in answer to prayer, and is increased by prayer. But it seems that there is a certain irreducible minimum that comes from the merits of Our Blessed Lord and is given to those most disposed to receive it.

Henry VIII had a good beginning and a bad end. His contemporary, St. Ignatius Loyola, had a bad beginning and a good end. Voltaire and St. Alphonsus Liguori were contemporaries. St. Augustine became a Catholic and a priest when Pelagius, a priest, left the Church.

Why Man Cave In?

Read "Collapses in Adult Life." If you are soft, if you can't stand punishment, if you try to slip out of every difficulty, you will cave in as others have. Satan stood high in heaven.

Prayers.

Five students ask prayers for deceased relatives, and six for relatives and friends who are sick. There are also four requests for special intentions.

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