

Brotherhood of man

We can't ~~live~~ ^{live} at this dream. It is the strongest driving force in every country which today is attempting to work out a practical plan for peace, even if ~~as a matter of fact~~ it gets scant credit in many quarters. Its irresistibility is recognized by the very countries which are undertaking by appeal to war and revolution to crush their neighbors, upset their government, to secure their own ends. The Russian government today outlaws the Church, persecutes its followers, because the Church preaches a doctrine which is a threat to its central ideal. Hitler fears the brotherhood of man more than he fears guns. He has outlawed the Jew, the very center of whose philosophy is non-resistance; he has outlawed the great Catholic and Protestant Churches based as they are on the doctrines of the brotherhood of man. Why? Because he fears them.

What is first needed if women are to approach the program which Virginia Woolf lays out for them, approach it practically? What if not the realization of the extreme importance of the daily relations of life? Before testing the doings of leaders of nations by standards of character and self-restraint and self-discipline, we should be testing our ~~doings~~ ^{selms & the few in us them}. Character spreads upward. It has the characteristics of all natural growths. It is thousands working in small patches that make a land fertile and that is

