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My dear Miss Tarbell: -

I love you and pray for you daily. This is the sacred and precious office of my friend. Ship for you, and for Mr. Phillips also. I mention both these much-loved persons daily before God, and I have done so for years. I forget not the love and firmness of your relation to me in my deep distress, and of Mr. Phillips's, - and I bless you

both for this. I always pray God to remember what you both did for Sam and for ~~me~~, the least of His brethren, and to bless and reward you for it, as if it had been done to Himself.

These are days of anguish that would try my heart; did I not lift it up unto God, in Whom I have trusted. "O, taste and see that the Lord is good. Blessed is the man that trusteth in Him."

I ask now for you both, in the

name of Jesus, that the "true light" may shine on you, "even the light that lighteth every man"; that it may "be given you from heaven to receive" a knowledge of Him and of the unspeakable sweetness of His grace.

"The Lord answer thee in the day of trouble --- and strengthen thee; --- grant thee thy heart's desire, and fulfil all thy counsel."

"We will triumph in thy salvation, and in the name of God we will set up our banners."

"The Lord fulfil all thy petitions!"

"Now know I that the Lord saveth
His anointed; He will answer him
from His holy heaven with the saving
strength of His right-hand.

"Some trust in chariots and some
in horses: but we will make mention
of the name of the Lord our God."

From the twentieth Psalm.

Now the God of Peace, who brought
again from the dead, the great Shep-
herd of the sheep, through the blood
of the eternal covenant, even our
Lord Jesus, make you perfect

in every good thing to do His will,
working in us that which is well-
pleasing in His sight; through
Jesus Christ; to whom be the glory
for ever and ever. Amen."

Great love also to Mr. Phillips.

This letter comes from the loving
heart of your unchangeable friend,
Harriet H. McClure.

Andsley-on-Hudson.

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