

TWELFTH ANNUAL
BAY REGION SECTIONAL CONFERENCE
YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN CONFERENCE
of NORTHERN CALIFORNIA



"Youth, Bear Your Cross"

APRIL 3, 4, 1937

First Presbyterian Church
San Francisco

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SUGGESTIONS TO DELEGATES

1. Plan to be five minutes early to each session.
2. All voting must be conducted in the booth designated for that purpose.
3. Keep important notes on pages provided in this program for future reference.
4. For any further information or directions please report to the Reception Committee.



Theme: "Youth, Bear Your Cross"

CONFERENCE HYMN

"AM I A SOLDIER OF THE CROSS?"

1.

Am I a soldier of the cross,
A follow'r of the Lamb?
And shall I fear to own His cause,
Or blush to speak His name?

2.

Must I be carried to the skies
On flow'ry beds of ease,
While others fought to win the prize,
And sailed thro' bloody seas?

3.

Are there no foes for me to face?
Must I not stem the flood?
Is this vile world a friend to grace,
To help me on to God?

4.

Sure I must fight, if I would reign;
Increase my courage, Lord;
I'll bear the toil, endure the pain,
Supported by thy word.

Thomas A. Arne.

"And when he had called the people unto him with his disciples also, he said unto them, Whosoever will come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross, and follow me."

Mark 8:34.

PURPOSE

"The purpose of the Young Peoples Christian Conference is to unite spiritual forces, to strengthen local organizations, to cultivate Christian leadership, and to forward the realization of deeper Christ-like living."

—Rev. S. Kato

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April 3, 4, 1937

San Francisco First Presbyterian Church
Van Ness Avenue and Sacramento Street

SATURDAY

P.M.

6:45—REGISTRATION

Chairmen: Mr. Ben Mayewaki
Mr. George Yasukochi
Housing Chairman: Miss Kathleen Fujita
Election Chairman: Mr. Mitsuo Kaneko

7:30—OPENING SERVICE

Address: Dr. Paul H. Buchholz
Chairman: Mr. Minoru Endo
Greetings from N. C. Church Federation:
Rev. Francis Hayashi
Invocation: Rev. Joseph Tsukamoto
Musical Interlude, Chairman: Mr. Takeru Iijima
Benediction: Dr. E. Kawamorita
Hymn: AM I A SOLDIER OF THE CROSS?
Conference Pianist: Miss S. Towata

9:00—FELLOWSHIP

Chairmen: Miss Hideko Nakazawa
Miss Iyo Yamashita

SUNDAY

A.M.

10:00—REGISTRATION, ELECTION

10:50—UNION SERVICE

Sermon: REMEMBER, JESUS CHRIST
Dr. Philip Payne

P.M.

12:15—PICTURE

Chairman: Mr. Terry Takahashi

12:30—LUNCHEON

Chairman: Miss Lily Tani

2:30—SYMPOSIUM

High School Groups (Optional Groups)

1. UNITY OF JAPANESE CHURCHES

(Recommended for Church leaders, future and present.)

Leader: Rev. Shigeo Tanabe

2. JAPANESE OCCUPATIONAL SITUATION IN CALIFORNIA

Leader: Rev. Fred Fertig

Chairman: Miss Ruth Fukushima

College Groups

3. WHAT CAN WE BELIEVE?

Leader: Mr. William Meyer

Chairman: Mr. Fred Hoshiyama

4. THE ABUNDANT LIFE—WHAT IS IT?

Leader: Mr. Masayoshi Morino

Chairman: Mr. M. Takeshita

4:15—BUSINESS MEETING

Chairman: Mr. George Kyotow

4:30—MUSICAL INTERLUDE

Chairman: Mr. Takeru Iijima

5:30—12th ANNUAL BANQUET

Prepared by: Mothers of S. F. Japanese Churches

Chairman: Miss Lily Tani

Toastmaster: Mr. Masao Sakada

Music Chairman: Mr. Takeru Iijima

Xylophone Solo: Mr. Tom Tsuji

Reception: Mr. Harry Takahashi

Greetings: Rev. J. Fujimori

Rep. N. C. Church Federation

Grace: Rev. N. Suizu

Election Finals: Mr. Mitsuo Kaneko

Registration Reports: Mr. Ben Mayewaki

P.M.

8:00—DRAMA: "THE GREAT CHOICE,"

by FRED EASTMAN

Chairman: Miss Grace Yoshida

Directed by: Mrs. C. W. Wheeler

Auspices: Palo Alto Epworth League

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8:40—CLOSING SERVICE

Address: YOUTH, BEAR YOUR CROSS!!

Rev. Ed Cunningham

Chairman: Mr. George Kyotow

Violin Solo: Miss Kumiko Nakamura

Memorial Services:

In memory of: Rev. S. Kato, Mr. George S. Koba

(Chairmen B. R. YPCC, 1934)

Installation Services:

Rev. Francis Hayashi

Benediction:

Rev. T. Aiura

Hymns: Am I A Soldier Of The Cross?

The Old Rugged Cross

God Be With You Till We Meet Again

Conference Pianist: Miss Sadako Towata

THE KIBEI PROGRAM, SUNDAY

2:00—Sermon: SEINEN YO JYUJIKI WO OYE

Speaker: Rev. T. Aiura

Chairman: Mr. T. Iwata

3:30—BUSINESS MEETING

Chairman: Mr. Yukio Hashiguchi

3:30—DISCUSSION: SEINEN YO, JYUJIKI WO OYE

Chairman: Mr. Masaru Fujimoto

Advisor: Rev. J. T. Fukada

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.....HYMNS.....

NEAR TO THE HEART OF GOD

There is a place of quiet rest,
Near to the heart of God;
A place where sin cannot molest,
Near to the heart of God.

Chorus:

O Jesus blest Redeemer,
Sent from the heart of God,
Hold us who wait before Thee,
Near to the heart of God.

There is a place of comfort sweet,
Near to the heart of God;
A place where we our Savior meet,
Near to the heart of God.

ABIDE WITH ME

Abide with me: fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord with me abide:
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me!

I need Thy presence ev'ry passing hour;
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's pow'r?
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?
Thro' cloud and sunshine, O abide with me!

THE BEAUTIFUL GARDEN OF PRAYER

There's a garden where Jesus is waiting,
There's a place that is wondrously fair;
For it glows with the light of His presence,
'Tis the beautiful garden of prayer.

Refrain

O the beautiful garden, the garden of prayer,
O the beautiful garden of prayer;
There my Savior awaits, and He opens the gates
To the beautiful garden of prayer.

There's a garden where Jesus is waiting
And He bids you to come meet Him there;
Just to bow, and receive a new blessing,
In the beautiful garden of prayer.

BREAK THOU THE BREAD OF LIFE (SONG GRACE)

Break Thou the bread of life,
Dear Lord to me,
As Thou didst break the waves
Beside the sea;
Beyond the sacred page
I seek Thee, Lord;
My spirit pants for Thee, O living Word.

THE OLD RUGGED CROSS

On a hill far away, stood an old rugged cross,
The emblem of suffering and shame;
And I love that old cross, where the dearest and best,
For a world of lost sinners was slain.

REFRAIN

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross,
Till my trophies at last I lay down;
I will cling to the old rugged cross,
And exchange it some day for a crown.

Oh, that old rugged cross, so despised by the world,
Has a wondrous attraction for me;
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above,
To bear it to dark Calvary.

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true,
It's shame and reproach gladly bear;
Then He'll call me some day to my home far away,
Where His glory forever I'll share.

I WOULD BE TRUE

I would be true; for there are those who trust me;
I would be pure, for there are those who care;
I would be strong for there is much to suffer;
I would be brave, for there is much to dare,
I would be brave for there is much to dare.

I would be friend of all—the foe the friendless;
I would be giving, and forget the gift;
I would be humble, for I know my weakness;
I would look up, and laugh, and love and lift;
I would look up, and laugh, and love, and lift.

Higher Ground

I'm pressing on the upward way
New heights I'm gaining ev'ry day;
Still praying as I onward bound,
"Lord, plant my feet on higher ground."

Refrain

Lord, lift me up and let me stand,
By faith, on heaven's tableland,
A higher plane than I have found;
"Lord, plant my feet on higher ground."

I want to scale the utmost height,
And catch a gleam of glory bright;
But still I'll pray till heav'n I've found,
"Lord, plant my feet on higher ground."

JUST AS I AM, THINE OWN TO BE

Just as I am, Thine own to be
Friend of the young, who lovest me,
To consecrate myself to Thee
O Jesus Christ I come.

I would live ever in the light,
I would work ever for the right,
With no reserve and no delay,
With all my heart I come.

Just as I am, young, strong and free,
To be the best that I can be,
For truth, and righteousness, and Thee,
Lord of my life, I come.

FACE TO FACE

Face to face with Christ, my Savior,
Face to face what shall it be?
When with rapture I behold Him
Jesus Christ who died for me.

Chorus:

Face to face shall I behold Him,
Far beyond the starry sky;
Face to face in all His glory,
I shall see Him by and by!

Face to face! O blissful moment!
Face to face—to see and know;
Face to face with my Redeemer,
Jesus Christ who loves me so.

GOD BE WITH YOU TILL WE MEET AGAIN

God be with you till we meet again;
By His counsels guide, uphold you,
With his sheep securely fold you;
God be with you till we meet again.

Refrain:

Till we meet, till we meet,
Till we meet at Jesus' feet;
Till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
'Neath His wings securely hide you,
Daily manna still provide you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
When life's perils thick confound you,
Put His arms unfailing 'round you,
God be with you till we meet again.

God be with you till we meet again,
Keep Love's banner floating o'er you,
Smite death's threatening wave before you,
God be with you till we meet again.

LEAD ON, O KING ETERNAL

Lead on, O King Eternal
The day of march has come;
Henceforth in fields of conquest
Thy tents shall be our home:
Thro' days of preparation
Thy grace has made us strong,
And now, O King Eternal
We lift our battle song.

Lead on, O King Eternal,
We follow, not with fears,
For gladness breaks like morning
Wher-e'er Thy face appears:
Thy cross is lifted o'er us
We journey in its light;
The crown awaits the conquest;
Lead on, O God of might.

.....PEPTUNES.....

JESUS CALLS

List to the Savior's pleading voice
Sweetly upon my ear it falls;
"Come unto me who-ever will,"
Tenderly He calls.

Chorus:

Jesus calls, "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life;
No man cometh unto the Father
But by me.

"I am the door, the only way,
I am the shepherd of the fold;"
Leading the sheep to pastures green,
Peace and joy untold.

HOW I LOVE HIM

Oh, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus,
How I love Him
Savior, Lord, and King,
I enthrone.
Yes, on the cross He died
For my salvation,
Jesus, Jesus, all my own.

THE END OF A PERFECT DAY

When you come to the end of a perfect day,
And you sit alone with your thought,
While the chimes ring out with a carol gay
For the joy that the day has brought;
Do you think what the end of a perfect day
Can mean to a tired heart,
When the sun goes down with a flaming ray,
And the dear friends have to part?

Well, this is the end of a perfect day,
Near the end of a journey too,
But it leaves a thought that is big and strong,
With a wish that is kind and true,
For memory has painted this perfect day
With colors that never fade,
And we find at the end of a perfect day
The soul of a friend we've made.

House By The Side of the Road
Tune: "Perfect Day"

Let me live in a house by the side of the road
Where the race of men go by—
The men who are good and the men who are bad,
Just as good and bad as I.
Then I would not sit in the scorner's seat
Or hurl the cynic's ban—
Let me live in a house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

I see from my house by the side of the road,
By the side of the highway of life,
The men who press with the ardor of hope,
The men who are faint with the strife;
But I turn not away from their smiles nor their tears,
Both parts of an Infinite plan—
Let me live in a house by the side of the road
And be a friend to man.

OH, WONDERFUL LOVE

TRUSTING IN JESUS

Trusting in Jesus, day by day . . .
Trusting in Jesus, all the way.
Fully surrendered, yielding to Him . .
Oh, what a gladness, heaven within. — H. L. L.

JUST A HAPPY SMILE

Smile, smile, Christians we must smile,
Smile, smile, just a happy smile.
When the sky is gray, then sing away,
And smile, smile, smile.

WHISTLE

Whistle, O whistle a merry tune,
Just like, O just like,
The birds in June,
(Whistle)
And sing because you're glad
And (whistle)
A mer-ry tune.

HE'S THE ONE

He's the One I love in the morning,
He's the One I love at noon,
He's the One at eve-ning twilight,
He's the One at mid-night gloom;
He's the rock of my sal-vation,
He's the potter, I'm the clay;
For my Lord and me there'll never be
A parting day.

JUST TO KNOW HIM TUNE: JUST A SONG AT TWILIGHT

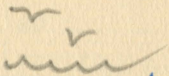
If I could have the wish that I desire
If I could have the gift that I require
I would not pay for riches, life nor fame,
But I would seek to know Him by His name
Lord, and Redeemer, Savior, Shepherd, Friend,
Master and Guide even to the end.

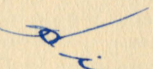
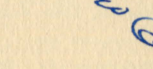
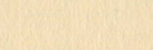
Chorus:

Just to know Him fully
And to do His will
Just to follow truly,
And His love fulfill
This is all I ask Him
This is what I pray
Just to know my Savior,
Trust Him each day,
Trust Him each glad day.

Just to know He loves me
And I love Him, too,
Just to know He keeps me
In all that I do,
This is all I ask Him,
This is what I pray,
Just to know my Savior,
Meet Him some day,
Meet Him some sweet day.

.....AUTOGRAPHS.....

Don 
Miss Kitahara

Miss 
Miss 
Miss 

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