Won't it be the same as saying that what they did was quite right after all? Snan't I be calling wrong, right? Isn't forgiveness turning right and wrong upside down?

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**Humble Like a Child**

Let us look into these matters a moment. Take humility first. Jesus' illustration of humility is not some down-and-out lazy person without dreams, desires or ambitions. His model is the child. What is the humility of a child? It is the quality of teachableness. The child is not set in his ways. He is trustful. Even the liveliest child, even the most stubborn, will believe what he is told, and has a never-satisfied curiosity about everything. You can't tell the college sophomore much; he thinks he knows enough as it is. But no child thinks he knows everything. He is not suspicious, cynical, sophisticated, superior. He can grow.

Call the roll of the world's truly great men; they all have this quality of childlikeness, whether a greatly daring person like Scott, the explorer of the Antarctic, or a greatly wise person like Abraham Lincoln, or a greatly imaginative person like John Bunyan. All forms of greatness have in them the quality of the childlike. And the special humbleness that is essential for Christians is not only this, but humility before God. For the one sin that keeps one farthest away from God is the very opposite of childlikeness, namely pride.

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**Seventy Times Seven**

Consider that other quality, the forgiving spirit. Does this really mean calling wrong, right? We should remember that forgiving is not the same thing as condoning. You condone a wrong when you act as if it were not a wrong at all, really. When God forgives us he does not pretend that we have done no wrong, and when we forgive others we should not confuse wrong with right. Condoning means approving; forgiving does not. You can condone without love; it takes love to forgive.

But nowhere in the Bible is it said that God forgives, or that we are expected to forgive, apart from repentance. The hard and unrepenting spirit makes forgiveness impossible. Forgiveness is not a one-sided affair. It calls for humility on both sides, for forgiveness is a restoring of fellowship, and that cannot be done in pride. But is forgiveness a sign of weakness? Wait till you have been insulted, injured or wronged, and you will learn the truth about it.

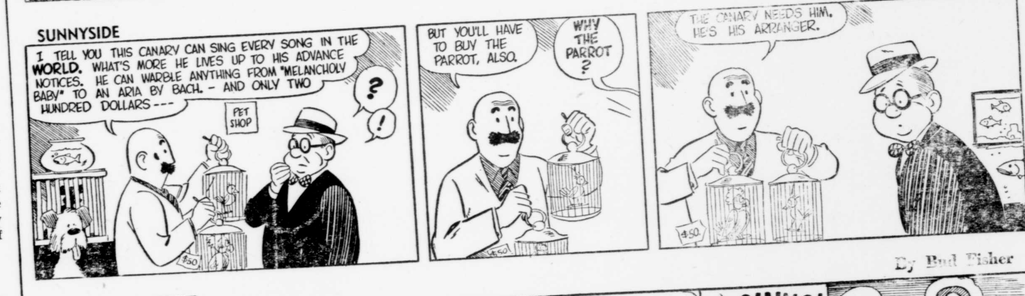
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|---|---|---|---|
| Gerry Swann | 6 | 7 | 19 |
| Jack Ward | 1 | 4 | 6 |
| Orval Bowen | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Bobby Howlin | 3 | 3 | 9 |
| Totals | 13 | 20 | 46 |
| Arundel | f.g. | f.t. | pts. |
| Hamilton | 9 | 1 | 19 |
| Schafer | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| Tankersley | 7 | 1 | 15 |
| McAuliff | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Parsons | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Dixon | 4 | 5 | 13 |
| Wheat | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Engley | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Totals | 27 | 12 | 66 |

**CALVERT DEFEATS LA PLATA**

Last Friday night on Calvert's home court, Coach Seeger's Blue Devils took on our friends from across the river, La Plata High. It was a hard fought game all the way with Calvert coming out on top by the score of 57-43. High scores for Calvert High were H. Wood, B. Howlin, and Capt. G. Swann with 15, 15, & 13 points respectively. Jack Ward and Orval Bowen played a fine defensive game. High scores for La Plata were Posey and Bowling with 10 pts apiece. This was our second conference victory against no defeats. This brings our record up to 5 victories against 2 defeats.

| Calvert | f.g. | f.t. | pts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Herman Wood, F | 5 | 5 | 15 |
| Gerald Swann, F. | 5 | 3 | 13 |
| Jack Ward, C. | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Lester King, C. | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Orval Bowen, G. | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Bobby Howlin, G. | 7 | 1 | 15 |
| Herbert Walton, G. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bill Greene, F. | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 23 | 11 | 57 |
| La Plata | f.g. | f.t. | pts. |
| Lucas, F. | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Bowling, F. | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| Kismev, F. | 3 | 1 | 7 |
| Hulec, C. | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| Posey, G. | 3 | 4 | 10 |
| Himtze, G. | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 15 | 13 | 43 |

## Card Party

The ladies auxiliary of the Calvert County Hospital is holding a card party, Saturday, February 7th at 8 P. M., at the Masonic Temple.

Bridge, 500, pitch and canasta will be played. Refreshments will be served.

The public is cordially invited.

the Council, said this popular phase of the Scout Movement was given considerable impetus some years ago through a $50,000.00 grant from the Laura Spellman Rockefeller Foundation following an intensive study of the heads of this age group throughout America.

Unique in its approach to character education, the Cubbing Method centers its activities around Den Mothers and Den Dads in a natural neighborhood group of four to ten boys using homes rather than public meeting places as the principal gathering point.

A progressive program of achievement leads the young Scout through three ranks following the cub-motif and designated as Wolf Cub, Bear Cub and Lion Cub; the latter of which prepares him to enter the ranks of Boy Scouting as a Tenderfoot Scout. The neighborhood dens gather in monthly Pack meetings for demonstrations, games and recognition ceremonies, usually in church basements or parish houses.

More than 2400 parents are commissioned locally as Den Dads and Den Mothers and all have received specialized training in youth work and child guidance.

## 1953 Social Season

The Maryland State Society is planning a very active 1953 social season with a number of dances, week-end teas, and other entertainments for the pleasure of the Marylanders and friends.

The first scheduled dance will be the Inaugural Ball on Saturday, January 31, 1953, at the Washington Hotel, Washington, D. C., from 10 til 1. Dave McWilliams Orchestra will furnish the music. Members of the Maryland Congressional Delegation have accepted invitations to attend.

For further information on the Inaugural Ball, call or write any of the Maryland Congressional offices; Mr. William R. Clay, President, 4201 Mass. Ave., N. W. Washington, D. C., Em 2-6572 (Eve.); Mrs. Winifred H. Grant, Exec. Sec. 2326 Ashmead Pl. N. W. Wash. D. C., Ho 2-5149; Miss Margaret Dronenburg, Recording Secretary, 534 W. Montgomery Ave., Rockville, Md., Po 2-3471; Mrs. Harvey Strickland, Jr., Vice Pres., 8605 Bradmoor Drive, Bethesda. Md. 01 2-3802.