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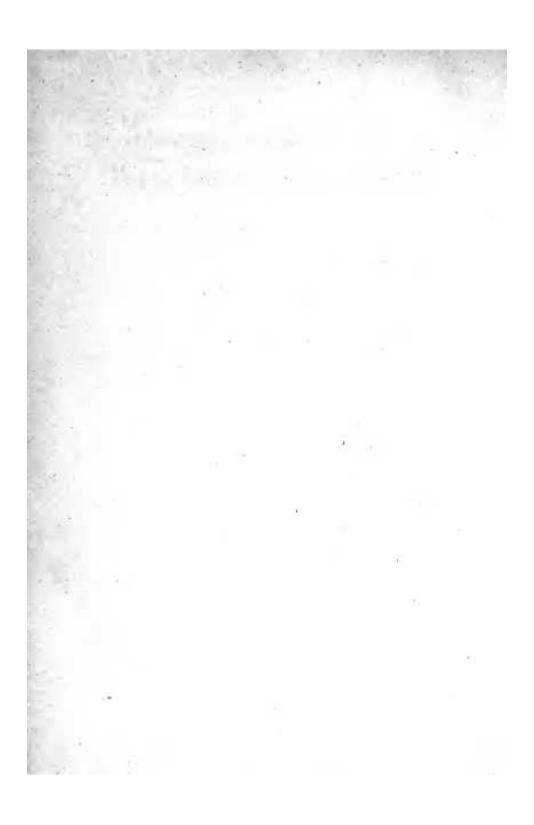
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THE GLORY OF THE FATHER AND THE SON.

"These words spake Jesus, and lifted up His eyes to heaven, and said, Father, the hour is come; glorify Thy Son, that Thy Son also may glorify Thee; as Thou hast given Him power over all flesh, that He should give eternal life to as many as Thou hast given Him."—John vvii. 1, 2.

THE prayer which is commonly called "The Lord's Prayer" is less entitled to the designation than that contained in this chapter. The "Paternoster" is, indeed, His, in so far as He is its author; but not His by His use of it. It was not a prayer which He could breathe; for some of its petitions obviously do not become the lips of One who was holy, harmless, undefiled, and separate from sinners. Beautiful and comprehensive as it is, and suited as it is to our state and condition, it is only a form, not to be rigidly observed, but to indicate generally the order and manner of our petitions, given for the guidance