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PREFATORY NOTE.

A WORD of explanation. The little series of daily books, *My King*, *Royal Commandments*, *Royal Bounty*, and *The Royal Invitation*, appeared to need an answering and completing chord. And as these all aim, feebly enough, but earnestly, at calling attention to the Royal utterances of our King, it seemed that *Loyal Responses* should follow them.

May I be pardoned for asking my readers to accept all I have said in these little books in lieu of letters? For the endeavour to answer their most kindly meant and often very interesting communications is becoming a serious tax upon time and strength, and an increasing hindrance to doing other work.

Should any of my friends wish that

nothing previously seen in leaflet form had been included in this little book, they must pardon it for the sake of the known wishes of many others, who would be disappointed not to find here a few already familiar verses, such as the 'Consecration Hymn' and 'Trusting Jesus.'

As marginal references are not given in this as in the other books of the series, it might be a useful exercise for younger readers to supply them for themselves. For almost every line has been either directly drawn from Holy Scripture, or 'may be proved thereby.'

May not only our lips but our lives be filled with Loyal Responses to all the words of our King!

F. R. H.

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