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*"God is a circle, whose centre is everywhere, whose
circumference is nowhere."*

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THESE pages have been written for thoughtful laymen. And yet it may be enough to deter such readers, that the subject presented is the Trinity. Cause enough has often been given for regarding this subject as too enigmatical, and too unrelated to daily uses, to attract the attention of busy men unschooled in theological mysteries. Until the contrary can be demonstrated by presenting it in a different light, any attempt to secure a keener interest in it among ordinary thinkers must rest under the unfavorable presumption which has been admitted. To such a demonstration it is hoped these pages may contribute something. To facilitate the purpose in view, and to relieve the inherent difficulties of the subject-matter, the somewhat unusual form of dialogue has been adopted,

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in which more or less of many conversations is recorded.

Sooner or later it must be, that the Church will reap rich harvests of spiritual thought and life from this now weed-grown field, so long left fallow. It cannot be that this fundamental and all comprehending truth of Christianity will always be left in the cloud which barren scholastic controversy has raised about it.

NEW YORK, May 10, 1892.

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