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## TOWARDS EVENING.

January 1.

NAMES are realities; what they express is no mere sound, but a living truth. The Father is no mere sound, but a living Truth. The Father is the Father, not because He is called so, but He is called so because He is the Father. The Son is the Son, not because He is called the Son, but He is called so because He is the Son. Names stand by persons, and persons are living and real.

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January 2.

LIFE is very short, and the world to come already dawns upon us. Choose boldly a life devoted to Christ. Be His above all; be His only. Hear the Church saying, "My Beloved is mine, and I am His."

January 3.

BE sure that in God alone can the deep cravings of our immortal being find enough. He has so made man's heart for Himself that it is ever restless until it finds rest in Him.

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January 4.

WHAT we are is a revelation of God's Will towards us. Our lot is a reality. The works of our calling, so long as they are done as a service of obedience, are real. Within these bounds there is nothing which does not bear upon eternity.