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TO MY MOTHER

whose ever-young spirit
makes seventy
still enjoy seventeen



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A multitude of people have studied the adolescent. They have measured his bones. They have assayed his intelligence. They have listened to his speech, observed his actions. They have looked with perceptiveness and vision into his fantasies and his dreams. They have watched him struggle through and come to grips with the ebb and flow of the cultural life that surrounds him. They have compared him as a sophisticate with his more primitive brother. Out of the meeting and mingling of various disciplines, the light comes reflected from many facets. I am grateful if I have been able to catch some of its rays on these pages.

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