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"And should the twilight darken into night,  
And sorrow grow to anguish, be thou strong;  
Thou art in God, and nothing can go wrong  
Which a fresh life-impulse cannot set right."

—George MacDonald

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TO MY FATHER

WHOSE UNTIRING LOVE AND DEVOTION TO MY VENERATED  
MOTHER—AN INVALID FOR MANY YEARS—  
WERE UNBOUNDED;

TO MY MOTHER

WHOSE PROLONGED SUFFERING WAS BORNE WITH CHRISTIAN  
FORTITUDE

THIS BOOK IS AFFECTIONATELY DEDICATED



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