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TO PARENTS AND TEACHERS.

In this little book an attempt is made to tell the Story of our Saviour's Life, in such simple language that it may be understood by young children, even though they have had no previous religious instruction.

In preparing it the author has followed the same Harmony of the Gospels, that he used in preparing his former work, "The Story of the Bible;" and such passages in that book as seemed suitable to this, he has not hesitated to insert without change. For the most part, however, the matter is expressed differently, with the view of making it still more intelligible to the untutored mind.

This book differs, also, from "The Gospels" in "The Story of the Bible," in not presupposing that the pupil has a knowledge of the Old Testament. All references to that part of Scripture are explained when made, the design being to have this little work complete in itself.



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GOD lives up in heaven, where we cannot see him, but he looks down and sees us who live in this world.

He sees everything we do, and hears everything we say, and knows even what we think. For He is the One who knows all things.

It is God who made this world, and heaven, and everything that is in them. He made the sun to shine in the day, and the moon and the stars to shine in the night.

He made the animals, the birds, and the fishes; the trees, the grass, and the flowers.