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CHAPTER I.

Introductory and Nativity.

THE former sketch of my life was written and published at the request of the faculty of the Theological Seminary of the Reformed Church in the United States, located at Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Having complied with the wishes of my colaborers, in the preparation of the manuscript of that book, I yielded also to their further request to have the book inflicted upon a helpless public. It therefore appeared in 1909, as the memorial volume for that year, upon the foundation of the Swander Lectureship, which had been founded and established some years previous to that date, for the twofold purpose of promulgating sound Christological Science, and of erecting a monument sacred forever to the memory of his sainted children, rather than for the purpose of