

ised to be with him down through the valley of death; that he was going home to see sister Frankie who had died a little over a year ago. Then he would try to comfort his broken hearted mother and brothers as calmly as if the grim death angel was not waiting for his tender young life. It was the loveliest tribute to the Christian religion to see the dear boy, although suffering intense agony, calling his boyish friends about him and telling them in loving words to prepare to meet him in the sweet bye-and-bye, and encouraging his young sisters and brothers in the church who made the good start when he did, to be faithful in the way they had started. Surely it will lessen the pangs of the sorrowing family to know he has gone so happy and willingly to his Heavenly Father.

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