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AND INFORMATION ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS PERTAINING TO THE HARMONIAL PHILOSOPHY.

(For the Religio-Philosophical Journal)

Peace on Earth, Good Will to Man.

BY MRS. P. O. HYZER.

I'm asked why evermore I sing... Why unto my harp should ring... Why not in sympathy with pain...

When my sweet mother sang to me... "May holy angels guard thy bed... And heavenly blessings ever be..."

From her protecting, loving breast... I draw assurance deep and pure... That the All-Father knoweth best...

Thus love divine, vicarious still... Fulfills the prophet's mystic verse... The re-incarnate sovereign will...

The dear earth needs no veil of mine... No chant of death—no tolling bell... No love upon her shining...

The clear and sublime utterances of Isaiah... who proclaims that he alone makes war... and devotes both eyes and hands...

In the Middle Ages, monks amused the multitudes... with passion plays, when the Spirit of Evil... was embodied in actors with horns...

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