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“Seeing Through the Eyes of Soul”



Dear Friends of Upward Wing,

Aren't we, one and all, blessed to understand the importance of Christian Science and Christian Science nursing and to be supporters of a Soul-based activity that is deemed to bless all humanity! As Mary Baker Eddy states, *“When the human mind is advancing above itself towards the Divine, it is subjugating the body, subduing matter, taking steps outward and upwards. This upward tendency of humanity will finally gain the scope of Jacob’s vision, and rise from sense to Soul, from earth to heaven.”* (Message from The Mother Church '02 10:12)

Hi, my name is Katie Mangelsdorf. I was raised and still live in Alaska. My background is that of an elementary school teacher, which provided plenty of opportunities for a practical, Soul-filled application of Christian Science! I taught in Bush Alaska in an Athabaskan and Eskimo village and in Anchorage and surrounding communities. I found having a more spiritual vision opened the door for growth in the classroom. Wouldn't you agree that the most valuable and important events that have happened on this earth to humanity have taken place because there was a

vision? Look at the prophets in the Bible, the Wisemen, artists, writers, inventors - they all had a vision. Do we, today, turn and listen closely to divine Mind for a vision? What does that vision look like? Are we consistently confident in achieving success of our vision?

The Scriptures record this proverb, *“Where there is no vision, the people perish:”* (Prov. 29:18) But glory be to God - Christian Science, our daystar of Truth and Love, shines a Soul-filled light revealing practical spiritual visions that will bless humanity. NOW is our blessed opportunity to spiritually strive to take this divine Truth and Love and expect our own thoughts to be lifted to more spiritual heights - that this daystar shines brightly and practically, never to disappear.

Upward Wing has a broad vision in its Mission Statement: *“...to bear witness to the Christ in action, meeting the human need.”* This comes to fruition as we are selflessly **SEEING THROUGH THE EYES OF SOUL**, which is the title of this November's talk.

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For those of you who would like to explore this idea before our meeting, might I suggest you have fun venturing through Mrs. Eddy's **“A Christmas Sermon” found in Miscellaneous Writings, page 161.** I look forward to meeting all of you!



The mission of *Upward Wing Christian Science Nursing* is **love** - providing compassionate, skilled Christian Science nursing care to those relying on Christian Science for healing, nurturing those called to the ministry of Christian Science nursing through training and mentoring, and bearing witness to the Christ in action, meeting the human need.