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EGYPT, Assyria, Babylon, Persia, Greece and Rome—
As mighty empires pass away new mighty empires come.
England, America, India, China, Russia, France—
World powers rise and fall again, retreat and then advance.
Hitler and Mussolini, Caesar, Napoleon,
Alexander and Genghis Khan—great conquerors are gone.
Extra galactic universes, over these God holds sway,
For every nova star that burns choosing the fateful day.

ONCE at His own appointed time, here on this tiny earth
In a humble Bethlehem stable a new King came to birth.
To the baby born that Christmas day was all the power given
That should transform the sinful earth and make it like to heaven.

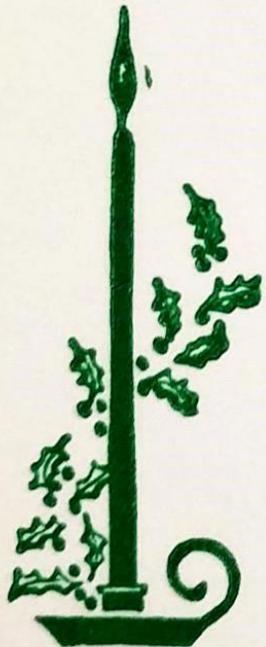
On Christmas day we bow to Him, that humble baby born
Of Mary in that stable on that first Christmas morn.

VIET Nam, Cuba, Communists—Lord, give us soon release
From hate and fear and bloodshed. May Christ, the Prince of Peace
Come to His throne of kingship, that we may hear again
“Glory to God in the highest, and peace on earth to men.”

L.T.P.

*Best Wishes for the Christmas Season, the New Year
and all the Years that are to Be.*

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It's certainly fine to have
some cousins near. Most
of my near kin are far
away.

Best wishes always.