

Dominicana proclaims again its high purpose: to help its readers to think well and straight, to have the truth which makes men free. Empires may fall, but truth is invincible.

*Hold the high way and let thy ghost thee lead
And Truth shall deliver, it is no dread.*

(Chaucer)

STRANGE VICTORY

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A hush steals over Golgotha—
And then the thunders break.
The trembling earth is shattered,
And dead men wake.

Annoyance stirs the temple priests,
The hallowed veil is slashed;
But out on bloody Golgotha,
Christ's flesh is gashed.

Strange darkness for this hour of day,
The priests of Aaron nod;
But out on empty Golgotha
Mere men slay God.

The God of Israel sent His Son—
The Son was crucified;
But victory broke o'er Golgotha—
The Old Law died.