

you can pull up the weeds and you can plow the garden. A person can come along with a hoe and can cut you head with it and can kill you. A hoe can be a very dangerous thing wrongly used. But a hoe rightly used, the same hoe used to cut up the weeds and to ~~fix~~^{fix} up the soil and to grow things much faster

(2.) It becomes an end in itself, any denomination

but if it becomes a means of advancing the Word of God, it can be a helpful

That's our attitude toward denominations and institutions. It's my attitude toward ~~the~~ Faith Seminary. It's not an end in itself but it's a means. But it's a means which God has blessed. God has given us here in this property a property for a seminary that cannot be excelled by any seminary anywhere in the world. The Wideners spent over 8,000,000 dollars on this building here.

You couldn't build it today. You couldn't get the wood for the

floors

You couldn't get the Italian marble

You couldn't get men to do the work. The building is so solidly constructed that you couldn't destroy it without blowing it up. ~~XXXXX~~ It's lucky we didn't have to make many changes so far. It's very difficult to make any changes. It's a wonderful building.

how exactly it fit our

demands. You have the lobby, there's the offices, the dining room there, the chapel here, the classrooms between, the old art gallery up there makes a wonderful library and then the dormitories on both sides - the ones for married students in the front here

I said one day, "Almost as if somebody looked over Mr. Widener's shoulder when he planned the building." Somebody did.

Mr. Widener thought he was building a home for his family in order to impress Philadelphia and to impress the crowned heads of Europe. But the Holy Spirit was directing him to build it for another purpose - to build it for a place from which the Word of God

(4.) This place was empty for nine years and when we bought it we got it for what was then the price of the land - including the building

The land was pretty expensive but compared to what this building cost, it was nothing at all. We got the building for that but it hadn't been heated for nine