retain, they are retained." They say, "Thank God I'm not a papist." I don't believe that anybody can forgive sins, but there it is. When it says, "He breathed on them and said Receive ye the Holy Ghost and whosoever'ssins you forgive they are forgiven and whosoever's sins you retain they are retained." What does it mean? I can't ex plain it now.

So one day I ppened my letters and I got a letter, "I am a Catholic priest. I have some difficulties. I want to know if I can come to present my difficulties before you with the distinct understanding that if I am not satisfied, I will return to my own church."

I wrote back and said, "Dear Sir: We will be very happy to give you hospitality at our mission house. If we can help you in your difficulties, we willxoxiyxx be only too glad to do so and you can feel at perfect liberty to walk out of theplace any day and feel under no obliggtion whatever to us." So he came over and I said to him, "Now, of course, we have morning prayer. If you have religious scrupple about joining us in morning prayer, you remain in your room. We quite understand."

"No," he said, "I would like to see how you conduct morning prayer." Mind you I wouldn't go to morning prayer if I didn't live in themission house, but of course, morning prayer was conducted by the men. I said, "Here are books that you can read. If you want to ask me any questions, I'll do my best to answer you. If you don't want to talk to me, you need not talk to me."

"He said, "On the contrary I would be most anxious to talk to you. That is what I came over for." So for weeks we had long, anxious discussions. In the

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