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Now this passage, as I say, fits the world/atmost any period, but perhaps never more so than today, unless perhaps/sometime that is still future. appropriate that passages first ferse is to our world condition today. Why do the nations rage? And the people imagine a vain thing? We have people today in our country, people in our legislative assembly, people in positions of leadership who have the idea that if we are just sweet to everybody, everybody will be sweet to us. Everybody wants to be kind, and just so you treat them kindness. Some people think that is Franklin Roosevelt's idea. He said, I like Joseph Stalin. If I am kind to him, mixthin I think he will have sense enough and he will right go along with us, and the result was that he gave in all sorts of things to Stalin. To Stalin's amazement without anything to return to-him for them. And when the World War II finished, we began to disarm and do away with all of our equipment some of them while Russia was arming more and more, and our people/were aginst their will. We were forced to realize that this verse is true that the nations are not a group of gentle lambs who could simply be ed on the head and everybody is going to be nice, but they will rage. Thunking But the nations will rage. Why do they rage? That is a thing that is hard for a person who does not know the Bible to understand why people should rage. Why isn't everybody just kind/and finished When I was-in college, I came to the east to go to Seminary, and there helpful? were a number of others from my college where I went to in California, who also came to the east to go to different schools. And one time we had a reunion. We were gathered together and talked over our various experiences. We went for a little walk. In that walk, we came to a large estate, and we walked into that estate, and as we walked- walked along there through that estate, a young woman in the group was telling us about her experiences. She was studying at a school for social work in New York, a place where they are-telling how you could improve the world condition and make a little change in an organization, arrange things differently, and everybody is going to get along well together perfectly happy - happily And as we walked along, we came to pass/a pond, maybe about the size of this room.