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This morning I would like to speak about the first four words of the Bible. "In the beginning God." A newspaper man speaks about the importance of a good lead. They try to have a first sentence that gives the gist of what they are saying. Someone has said that the greatest lead that ever was written is this: In the beginning God. Certainly it lays the great stress on the great central theme of the Bible. God is in the beginning of all things.

at the beginning of the universe. We don't mean merely that he started it. We mean that he started it and still controls everything that happens. What a tremendous universe it is that God has made. I did a little figuring to try to figure something about the size of it.

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