

God's power. We can learn about His greatness, and no one can look at the universe without seeing these things.

Many today think we've conquered the universe. Just think! We've sent men to the moon, and they have actually stood on the moon! What tremendous accomplishments we've made! Indeed, it is perfectly tremendous what God has permitted scientific men to do. By the expenditure of many millions of dollars and the great efforts of thousands of people combined, we have gotten men as far as the moon. But when it comes to exploring the outer reaches of the universe, perhaps even of this planetary system, the fact that we have gone as far as the moon is just about as much as if you would say you went ~~to~~ over here to the light(?) in Hatfield and would say now you have covered the whole of North America. It is a tiny, hardly mentionable fraction in comparison with the tremendous universe God has made.

Though we can see God's greatness and power in the universe, it tells us nothing of His character. It does not tell us whether he is a good God, it does not tell us whether he is an evil God. It does not tell us whether he loves his creatures. It does not tell us whether he hates them. We find much in the universe that looks as if God watched out for His creatures in a most marvellous way. Yet we find much in the universe that shows a terrible situation bringing creatures into the world and then destroying them; animals feeding on animals; human beings fighting each other and killing each other for no recognizable reason and purpose.

In Cambodia today millions have been tortured and slaughtered within the last couple of years. I am amazed when I hear people talking: We must keep alive the memory of the holacost-- the six million Jews who were killed in Europe 30 years ago. That was a terrible thing.