

carry it out. ~~That~~ And if you may think ~~ix~~ he ~~q~~ was wrong in a certain place, but any Christians would think he was right in most points. ~~x~~ And even on a point on which a Christian might think he was ~~were~~ wrong, he will admire his ~~grix~~ dogged determination to stand by what he thought was right and see it carried through. And even historians, who have no sympathy with his Christian views, I find, can be proven to praise him very ~~ngix~~ highly for his character and for his determination for carrying out what he believed.

(question) The stand which the Americans have usually taken, and which we feel is the American view, is that a person should have a right to advance his ideas, almost any ideas, except in a few circumscribed areas, but comparatively few, except for that, we feel that a man should have a right peacefully to ~~xxxxxxx~~ advance any ideas that he wants, aside from just a few very small areas, which we object to, ~~x~~ because they involve a destruction of the right of all of us to have freedom of speech and religion. But except for those few small areas, we feel that a person should have a right to present those views, ~~xxxx~~ a right to hold a meeting in which ~~he~~ he can give them, and that he can get a group of people together that agree with him, and a right to hold regular meetings with them. To encourage them in these views. That is what we mean by freedom of religion. Now there is hardly a country in the world in which that particular viewpoint has been held by any great number of people in the world's ~~xxxxxx~~ history. Hardly any. And previous to five hundred years ago, I am not sure that you can say that there was any. I am not even sure that you can say that there is any today. But ~~xxxxxx~~ certainly before that there wasn't any.

That is a view which became common in America, here, and which has been strongly supported in this country. And we feel that it is a right approach. ~~That~~ That is, we feel that ~~ix~~ it is a man's duty to try to convince others that their views are wrong and that his are right, but that should not interfere with the opportunity of the others to use peaceful means to spread their views. Should oppose it, not by trying to cut down their right of ~~sp~~ spreading their ideas, but simply by spreading his more strongly. And we feel that reason will win out. But this a comparatively new idea in the ~~world~~ world's history.