

## The Philosopher Remembers

*From Kahlil Gibran's book "Jesus The Son of Man" ...*

"When He was with us He gazed at us and at our world with eyes of wonder, for his eyes were not veiled with the veil of years, and all that He saw was clear in the light of His youth ...

"In truth we gaze but do not see, and hearken but do not hear; we eat and drink but do not taste. And there lies the difference between Jesus of Nazareth and ourselves.

"His senses were all continually made new, and the world to Him was always a new world.

"To Him the lisping of a babe was not less than the cry of all mankind, while to us it is only lisping.

"To Him the root of a buttercup was a longing towards God, while to us it is naught but a root."