

Hints and Helps: On the Sunday-School Lessons, 1894 (Classic Reprint)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Hints and Helps: On the Sunday-School Lessons, 1894 It is impossible for any thoughtful person to take up the study of the book of Genesis without profound feeling. To read these ancient words, simple and majestic beyond all others that have been conjoined in the history of speech, evokes the same kind of emotion (but raised to a higher power) which one has who gazes on Magna Charta or the agedarkened skull of Rameses II. Here speaks forth antiquity - thou wondrous charm, which being nothing art everything! Here is a voice which leaps to us across the long chasm of ages, in whose depths lie the wrecks of untold empires and races. As we read the words we seem to stand on the line which divides the time in which we live from the eternity which went before it. We look one way to see the crowded millions of earth busied about the successive cares of their brief lives. We look the other way into unlimited vastness, silent save for the awful voice which...



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