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"Thine is the privilege of action, never the right to the fruit of the action"—Bhagoad Gita.

The Aryan

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If I were to look over the whole world to find out the country most richly endowed with all the wealth, power, and beauty that nature can bestow—in some parts a very paradise on earth—I should point to India. If I were asked under what sky the human mind has most fully developed some of its choicest gifts, has most deeply pondered on the greatest problems of life, and has found solutions of some of them which well deserve the attention even of those who have studied Plato and Kant—I should point to India. And if I were to ask myself from what literature we here in Europe, we who have been nurtured almost exclusively on the thoughts of Greek and Romans, and of one Semitic race, the Jewish, may draw that corrective which is most wanted in order to make our inner life more perfect more comprehensive, more universal, in fact, more truly human, a life not for this life only, but a transfigured and eternal life—again I should point to India.

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The Sikh's Creed.

"He is of the Khalsa,*
 Who speaks evil to none,
 Who combats in the van,
 Who gives in charity
 And who never fears, although often overcome,
 He is of the Khalsa,
 Who protects the poor,
 Who is ever waging battle,
 To extend the true path,
 And who gives his head for the true cause.
 One Sikh shall combat a multitude.
 And the Sikh who thus perishes,
 Shall be blessed forever."

GURU GOVIND SINGH.

* Khalsa means the pure, or one belonging to the Sikh Brotherhood.

