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### *Student Poems*

#### **\*\*\* Christ in the Wisdom of a Friend**

Tonight God held me in the words of a man  
who knows not *what* God is but *that* he is  
His words reflected Christ in clearer light  
Than those which flow from the mouths of preachers  
like water from an habitual sink  
Gospels were extinct until now!  
My friend (who is friends with Buddha)  
Wrote his truths in metaphor and his life in symbols  
And the truth overwhelms me that God is alive in doubt  
and alive in frustrations and understanding  
That my God was present in his understanding of what the Church ought to be  
may not be his own understanding

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