

A SCRIPTURAL PANORAMA.

Long ago, before he got famous and made a book, Mark Twain wrote this entertaining history...

There was a fellow traveling around with a moral, religious show—a sort of Scriptural Panorama—and he hired a wooden-headed old slab to play the piano for him.

My friend, you seem to know pretty much all the tunes there are, and you seem to worry along first rate.

Well, no," the fellow said; he had not noticed, but it might be he had played along just as it had come handy.

So they put it up that the simple old dummy was to keep his eye on the panorama after that, and as soon as a stunning picture was reeled out, he was to go it to a dot with a piece of music that would help the audience to get the idea of the subject and warm them up like a camp meeting revival.

There was a big audience that night, mostly middle-aged and old people who belonged to the church and took a strong interest in Bible matters, and the balance were pretty much young folks—they always come out strong on panoramas, you know, because it gives them a chance to try another's mug in the dark.

Ladies and gentlemen, the painting now before you illustrates the beautiful and touching parable of the Prodigal Son. Observe the happy expression just breaking over the features of the poor suffering youth—so worn and weary with his long march; note also the ecstasy beaming from the uplifted countenance of his aged father, and the joy that sparkles in the eyes of the excited group of youths and maidens, which seemed ready to burst from their lips.

The mud-dauber was all ready, and when the second speech was finished he struck up: "O, we'll all get blind drunk. When Johnny comes marching home."

Some of the people giggled, and some groaned. The horrible showman could not say a word. He looked at the pianist sharp, but he was all lovely and serene—he didn't know there was anything out of gear.

The piano moved on, and the showman drummed up his gut and started in fresh: "Ladies and gentlemen, the fine picture now unfolding itself to your gaze exhibits one of the most notable events in Bible history—our Saviour and his disciples upon the tower of Galilee. How grand, how awe-inspiring are the reflections which the subject invokes! What sublimity of faith is revealed to us in this lesson from the sacred writings. The Saviour rebukes the angry waters, and walks securely upon the deep."

All around they were whispering, "O how lovely, how beautiful!" and the orchestra let himself out again: "O, a life on the ocean wave, And a home on the rolling deep."

There was a good deal of honest snickering turned on this time, and considerable counting, and one or two old deacons got up and went out. The showman grinned at the teeth and cursed the piano man to himself, but the fellow sat there like a knot on a log and seemed to think he was doing first-rate.

After things got quiet, the showman thought he would make another stagger at it, anyhow, though his confidence was beginning to get mighty shaky. The supes started the panorama to grinding along again, and he said: "This exquisite picture, ladies and gentlemen, illustrates the raising of Lazarus from the dead by our Saviour. The subject has been handled with rare ability by the artist, and such touching sweetness and tenderness of expression has been thrown into it, that I have known peculiarly sensitive persons to be even affected to tears by looking at it. Observe the grief-stricken, half-anguishing look upon the countenance of the awakened Lazarus. Observe, also, the attitude and expression of the Saviour, who takes him gently by the sleeve of his shroud with one hand, while he points with the other towards the distant city.

Before any could get off an opinion in the case, the innocent old cuss at the piano struck up: "Come, rise up William! Rise up! And go along with me!" It was rough on the audience, you bet, all the solemn old bags got up in a huff to go, and everybody else laughed until the windows rattled.

The showman went down and grabbed the orchestra, and shook him up, and said: "That's just you, you coward-headed old cuss! Go to the door-keeper and get your money, and cut your stick—vamoos the rascal!" Ladies and gentlemen, circumstances over which I have no control compels me prematurely to dismiss this audience."

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