

CHRISTIAN OR CHRIST-LIKE?

Rules made to follow to the letter.
Deeds ticked off as pearls on a string.
Duty calls to serve, serve and serve again.
Charity? A pittance for lower mortals.
A wagging tongue devastates a friend- Criticism-the family.
Un-forgiveness breeds strife;
Arguments - bitterness and sorrow.
Judgment a harsh and caustic thing:
Accusers accusing `til truth be lost;
Fairness fair, save to those who win.

Repentance heals the soul.
Jesus sets the captive free.
Grace is a higher place;
Mercy here to stay.
Blessings empower to prosper - begetting peace.
Laughter revives the soul.
A helping hand lifts a brother.
Love restores the friend.
Forgiveness forgets,
And,
Having forgotten,
Moves on.

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