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Excerpt: . THE VOICES OF FLOWERS. Blessed be God for flowers, -- For the bright, gentle, holy thoughts that breathe From out their odorous beauty, like a wreath Of sunshine on life's hours. THE WANDERINGS OF FLOWERS--TENACITY OF LIFE--HELP TO FORM SOILS FROM ROCKS--TRAVELLING SEEDS--THE POLLEN MYSTERIES OF FRAGRANCE AND COLOR. HERE are voices that are eloquent though they utter no sounds. There are beautiful faces that speak of innocence and OJ love with looks which affect our hearts more rapidly through our eyes than could words however skilfully presented. And on the faces *of little flowers how plainly can we read thoughts of beauty, of modesty, and of design, which the longest description would fail to picture to our minds as faithfully as does one short vision! A beautifully-carved image has neither soul nor mind; yet how eloquently it may...

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