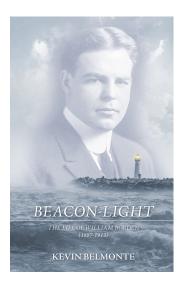


# Beacon-Light

The Life of William Borden (1887-1913)

Kevin Belmonte

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# DESCRIPTION

Although William Borden was taken from this world at the young age of 25, the years he lived were full of dedication to serve. Kevin Belmonte draws on letters, quotations and images to paint a unique picture of William's life of commitment to God, delving into the ways 'vital truth,' as William called it, was the star he reckoned by. In the telling of the life story of William Borden, there is much to learn about living a life of devotion to God.

#### MARKETING POINTS

Millionaire who gave up everything for God

Trained as missionary but died on his way to China

# **AUTHOR**

Award–winning author Kevin Belmonte holds a BA in English Literature from Gordon College, an MA in Church History from Gordon–Conwell Seminary, and a second master's degree in American and New England Studies from the University of Southern Maine. He has twice been a Finalist for the John Pollock Award for Christian Biography, and in 2003, he won that award for his biography of William Wilberforce. With his wife Kelly, and son Sam, he lives by the sea in New England.

#### **ENDORSEMENTS**

With words carefully chosen and lovingly placed, Kevin Belmonte reverently tells the story of a short life lived brilliantly in service of God and God's own. Belmonte's Borden inspires and summons the reader to the noble destiny of being called by God to brightly bear God's image in a world bedimmed and belittled by lesser aspirations.

## Steve Bell

Singer/songwriter

... a vivid, cinematic telling of William Borden's life, his deep compassion, and the large circle of his friendships. Faith illumined his brief but vibrant life. In the ivy halls of college, and beyond, he knew the True North of belief.

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No one represented The Hill School motto, 'Whatsoever Things Are True' more than William Borden. His life, sacrifice, and many contributions unfold in this excellent biography.

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