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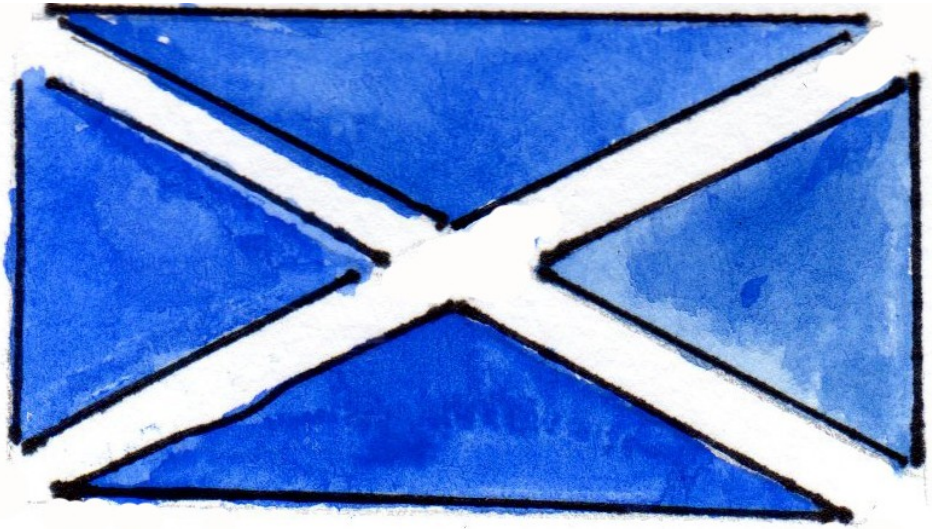
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—True stories of special help from God

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Eric Liddell  
was a Scottish  
young man.

He was born  
in China, as his  
parents were  
missionaries  
there.

When he  
was a growing  
young man he lived in Scotland.

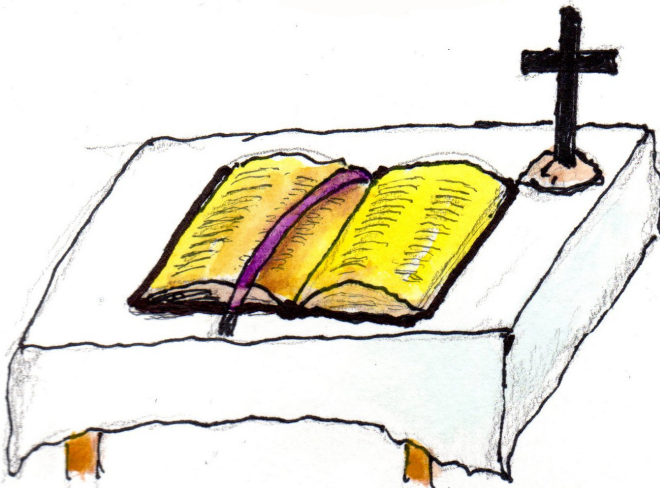


He liked to run,  
and he could run  
very fast. He won  
many races.



More than liking  
to run, Eric loved  
Jesus very much.

Eric spent time with the Lord  
each day, and he also kept one  
day each week extra special, for  
rest and prayer, Bible reading, and  
time with the Lord.



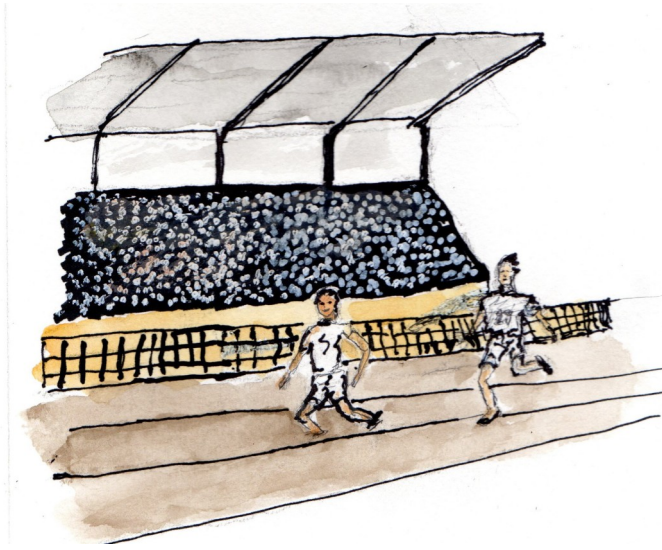


Eric told people he would not compete in races on Sunday, as it was the day he gave to the Lord.

One time an important race was held on Sunday, and people thought for sure Eric would participate.

However, Eric kept his promise to the Lord, and spent time with Him instead of racing.

God blessed him for this, by doing a miracle for him.



The next race he entered he ended up having to run in the outside lane.

It is the hardest lane to win in, because he could not see the other runners, but just had to run as fast as he could.

Then, just several strides into the race Eric was knocked to the

He got up again and kept running.

It might have seemed impossible for him to win with the other runners getting far ahead of him. But He prayed and tried his best.

last half of the race he miraculously ran even harder and faster than ever.





He ran so fast that he passed up all the other runners and he won the race!

He was six yards ahead of anyone else when he crossed the finish line!



***The End***