

A CHRISTMAS STORY.

She walked up to the editor's desk with something of a child's bewilderment in her liquid eyes. Outside grim and fog overspread the city, but the streets were full of the joyful noise...

smiled, in spite of her pain, saying, "Blessed Lord, my child ain't forgot her home folks. Tell her I pray for her every night..."

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