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# Findings

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We present in this Special Number of *The Indian Journal of Theology* the Findings of the Indian Ecumenical Study Conference which met at Nagpur recently. The Conference took up for study and discussion the four themes which will be discussed at the Asian Study Conference to be held in Lucknow next December under the auspices of the World Council of Churches. These four themes are: (1) The Christian Hope—Jesus Christ the Crucified and Risen Lord, (2) Responsible Society, (3) Mission and Unity, (4) Race Relations. The Asian Study Conference itself is being convened in preparation for the Second Assembly of the World Council of Churches to be held in Evanston, U.S.A., in 1954. The Indian Ecumenical Study Conference had both the Asian Study Conference and Evanston Assembly in view. We present here not only the Findings of the Conference but two of the introductory papers read at the Conference. These Findings are not final. They are meant to supply material for further study.

The Chairmen of the Commissions on the four themes were Dr. V. E. Devadutt (Christian Hope), Rev. L. Schiff (Responsible Society), Dr. D. G. Moses (Mission and Unity) and Prof. S. P. Adinarayan (Race Relations). Information concerning ecumenical study programme in India may be obtained from Prof. S. P. Adinarayan, Madras Christian College, Tambaram, Chingalput Dist., S. India. The paper on the Christian Hope was written by V. E. Devadutt. The paper on Race Relations was written by S. P. Adinarayan.