



# EINSTEIN ON JESUS

*"As a child I received instruction both in the Bible and in the Talmud. I am a Jew, but I am enthralled by the luminous figure of the Nazarene."*

"Have you read Emil Ludwig's book on Jesus?"

*"Emil Ludwig's Jesus is shallow. Jesus is too colossal for the pen of phrasemongers, however artful. No man can dispose of Christianity with a bon mot!"*

"You accept the historical existence of Jesus?"

*"Unquestionably! No one can read the Gospels without feeling the actual presence of Jesus. His personality pulsates in every word. No myth is filled with such life."*

G. S. Viereck, "What Life Means to Einstein," Saturday Evening Post, 26 October 1929